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On-Campus Interview Due Dates

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**Bids due at 11:45 PM on due dates.**

**Due 2/9:**

Iowa Court of Appeals - **1L, 2L** - Summer 2026 Law Clerk

**Due 2/12**

National Indemnity Company - **2L** - Spring and Summer 2026 Law Clerk - **LOW BIDS!**

**Due 2/13**

Iowa Department of Revenue - **1L, 2L** - Summer 2026 Internship - **LOW BIDS!**

Goosman Law Firm - **2L, 3L** - Law Clerk - **LOW BIDS!**

**Due 2/14**

Arenson Law Group - **3L** - Business Law Summer Intern or Associate - **VERY LOW BIDS!**

**Due 2/17**

Brick Gentry - **2L, 3L** - Summer 2026 Associates and first year Associate

Cook County State Attorney's Office - **1L, 2L, 3L** - Paid Summer 2027 711 Law Clerks and Post-Graduate roles - **VERY LOW BIDS!**

**Due 2/18**

Carr Law Firm - **2L** - Summer Law Clerk (possible school year extension) - **LOW BIDS!**

Clark, Butler, Walsh & Hamann - **3L** - Summer 2026 Associate - **VERY LOW BIDS!**

# DRAKE LAW CONNECT

JOIN TODAY



Register for  
webinar access &  
for the recording!

TCDIP 1L Clerkship Applications now open!

All students are eligible!

Work with top firms in the Twin Cities!

Informational webinar:

Friday, 11/21

12 pm - 1 pm

(Will be recorded, but you must register for access)



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for jobs!



**Students - Check out this new resource for your Job Search!**

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**2L Summer Associate**  
Major:  Business Administration  
Location:  New York City, NY  
As a *Winter/Spring* summer associate, you will explore and experience our firm, our culture, and the technology and life sciences clients we serve. ... read more  
[Apply for this position](#)

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Major:  Business Administration  
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**Career Services Partnership**

Flo Forward is a proud partner of your law school's Career Services Office. Throughout your time on campus, you'll see networking and/or interview programs hosted on our platform. These programs will appear on your Flo Forward dashboard for registration and schedule management throughout the year.

**Law Firm Partnerships**

Flo Forward features all summer associate job opportunities offered by U.S. law firms with 100 or more attorneys. Plus, 110+ law firms not only list their jobs, but also run their full application process, events, and interviews through our platform.

Most of our featured law firms are AmLaw 100 and 200 firms, making Flo Forward the destination for top law firm recruitment.

**Brittney Smith**  
Forward School Partner

**Today**  
Friday, January 19  
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM: *Winter/Spring* Summer Associate Interviews 2020

**Tuesday, January 22**  
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM: *Winter/Spring* Summer Associate Interviews 2020

**Wednesday, January 23**  
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM: *Winter/Spring* Summer Associate Interviews 2020

**Thursday, January 24**  
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM: *Winter/Spring* Summer Associate Interviews 2020

**Friday, January 25**  
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM: *Winter/Spring* Summer Associate Interviews 2020



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**Hours of Service**

**School Year**  
**Monday-Thursday**  
**8:00AM - 6:00PM**

**Friday**  
**8:00AM - 4:00PM**



**J-term, Spring, Summer Hours**  
**Monday-Thursday**  
**8:00PM - 5:00 PM**

## Recent Faculty Publication Spotlight



### Professor Alexa Perez

Assistant Professor of Law

“Admitting AI-Generated Evidence:  
Proposed Federal Rule of Evidence 707”  
Iowa Lawyer Magazine, Dec. 2025





## Corporate Career Fair

Featuring J.D. Advantage and In-house roles at local businesses

Stop by the Corporate Career Fair to connect with local businesses!

Learn how your J.D. may benefit you in other occupations.

Thursday, February 12

3:30 - 5:30 PM

Kern Commons



on Symplicity! Employers want to talk to YOU!

## Get Linked-In to LinkedIn

Join Anthony Zarzycki, Wayne Edmiston, and Laurie Dufoe to learn effective ways to use LinkedIn for success!

Monday, February 16

12:35 PM - 1:10 PM

Cartwright 203



## Judicial Clerkships - Judges' Panel

Learn from judges about applying for judicial clerkships!



Judge William Kelly  
US Magistrate Judge  
Southern District of Iowa



Chief Judge Mary Tabor  
Iowa Court of Appeals



Senior Judge Michael D. Huppert  
Iowa Judicial District 5

**Tuesday, February 17**

**Panel: 4:00-5:00, Cartwright 206**

**Reception: 5:00-5:45, Kern Commons**

**Register on Symplicity.**

## Judicial Clerkships - Judges' Reception

Welcome to Drake Law School!



Judge William Kelly  
US Magistrate Judge  
Southern District of Iowa



Chief Judge Mary Tabor  
Iowa Court of Appeals



Judge Paul Ahlers  
Iowa Court of Appeals



Judge Patrick Greenwood  
Iowa Judicial District 5



Judge Brendan Greiner  
Iowa Judicial District 5C



Senior Judge Michael D. Huppert  
Iowa Judicial District 5

**Kern Commons**

**Cartwright Hall, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**

**Tuesday, February 17**

**5:00-5:45 PM**

## **Brown Bag Lunch with Deputy Attorney General Ed Bull**



Deputy Attorney General Ed Bull be visiting with students about his legal journey and answering your questions. Bring your own lunch and beverage and join us!

**Wednesday, February 18  
12:30 - 1:00 PM  
Cartwright 202**



**In addition to having fun in the sun, why not take some time to make a difference in someone's life?**

**Join CDO Director Annie Reser-Moorehead and Michele Dunne from Financial Aid for this brief information session on summer public interest opportunities and the resources Drake Law has for support.**

**Friday, February 20  
Opperman LL19  
11:45 AM - 12:30 PM**



## Solo Practice

Find out from our panel of attorneys what it's like to be a solo practitioner.

- Kellan Kolthoff - Iowa River Legal
- Melissa Larson - Adair County Attorney
- Brandon Shelton - Lucas County Attorney and Shelton Law
- Jenny Chavez-Rivera - Oath Law

**Monday, February 23**  
**12:00 - 1:00, Cartwright 202**  
**Free Lunch!**

**RSVP on Symplicity -**  
**Space is limited to 20 participants!**

## Judicial Clerkships Application Session

The Honorable Helen C. Adams, U.S. Magistrate Judge for the Southern District of Iowa will discuss tips to help you stand out and answer your questions on applying.



**Tuesday, February 24**  
**3:00 - 3:45 PM**  
**Cartwright 201**  
Register on Symplicity!



## Meet an Employer Monday

Berry Law

Monday, February 23

11:00 - 1:00

Cartwright Hall - Top of the stairs

Local attorneys want to meet YOU!

Stop by their table to introduce  
yourself and ask questions  
about their firm in an  
informal setting.

Casual dress is fine!



## Meet an Employer Monday

Bradley & Riley P.C.

Monday, March 30

11:00 - 1:00

Cartwright Hall - Top of the stairs

Local attorneys want to meet YOU!

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yourself and ask questions  
about their firm in an  
informal setting.

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## Recent Faculty Publication Spotlight



**Professor Natalie Lynner**

Dwight D. Opperman Distinguished Professor of Law

“From Iowa to everywhere: A model for  
investing in the next generation of trust  
and estate lawyers”

Iowa Lawyer Magazine, Dec. 2025



# HISTORICAL DISCRIMINATION AND CULTURAL CLEANSING

**Friday, February 27  
12:00 – 1:30pm  
Cartwright 202**

**Pizza will be served!**

Webinar CLE sponsored by the ISBA. Pizza sponsored by the SBA DEI committee.

## 2026 AALS Annual Meeting

### **Faculty Presenters:**

- Dean Roscoe Jones co-organized and moderated a three-part panel series entitled “Workshop for Pretenured Law School Teachers”.
- Professor Mel Weresh was a panelist at three sessions, including “State of the Discipline”, “Unpacking Harassment and Bullying in the Legal Academy”, and “Mid-Career Moves to the Tenure Track”.
- Professor Jeremy Kidd and Dean Anthony Gaughan moderated “Presentations of Works in Progress” during the Federalist Society Annual Faculty Conference.



Attendees included: Dean Roscoe Jones, Dean Anthony Gaughan, Professors Nickole Miller, Erin Lain, Mel Weresh, Jeremy Kidd, Sally Frank, Colleen Cullen, and Kristi Harshbarger

DEAN'S SPEAKER SERIES:

**"UPHOLDING THE RULE OF LAW"  
WITH MELISSA MURRAY AND STUART DELERY**

*A fireside chat and Q&A*

**TUESDAY, MARCH 3<sup>RD</sup> AT 3:00 PM  
ROOM 206, CARTWRIGHT HALL**

**Melissa Murray**

Frederick I. and Grace Stokes  
Professor of Law at NYU,  
Legal Analyst for MSNBC,  
Co-Host of  
*Strict Scrutiny* Podcast



**Stuart Delery**

Partner at Gibson & Dunn,  
Former White House  
Counsel for  
President Biden



# AI IN ELECTIONS

A Drake University Law School Sease Award Panel

213 Cartwright Hall at Drake University

February 23, 2026 from 5PM to 6PM (*followed by refreshments*)

**Philosophy**



**Jennifer McCrickerd, PhD**  
Professor of Philosophy

**Politics**



Nebraska Senator  
**Tony Vargas**

**Law**



**Robert L. Palmer**  
Nyemaster Goode, P.C.

**RSVP at**

This event is made possible by a Sease Award, launched by McKee, Voorhees & Sease PLC and named for Edmund J. Sease (LA'64, LW'67), to promote the learning and practice of intellectual law.  
Send questions to Anthony J. Zarzycki at [anthony.zarzycki@drake.edu](mailto:anthony.zarzycki@drake.edu)

# Bar(e) Necessities Bar Study Fund

Apply for help to cover basic  
needs during bar study.

Awards based on financial need.



Applications due February 28!

Questions: [Ashley.R.Madsen@drake.edu](mailto:Ashley.R.Madsen@drake.edu)



The Drake Law Federalist Society Presents



## INTERPRETING LEGAL TEXTS IN STATE COURT



With Judge Samuel Langholz

Tuesday, February 17th  
Cartwright 202 (Courtroom) at Noon



Pizza and Drinks Provided!

# AMERICAN CONSTITUTION SOCIETY PRESENTS:



## THE DEATH PENALTY AND MODERN NOTIONS OF JUSTICE

JOIN ACS AND PROFESSOR DEAN STRANG AS HE DISCUSSES HIS EXPERIENCE AS A FEDERAL DEFENDER AND THE NUANCES OF THE DEATH PENALTY.



THURSDAY,  
FEBRUARY 26

12:00 PM  
ROOM LL19

PIZZA PROVIDED!

# *Galentine's Day*

Friday, February 13

11-1 pm

Porterhouse Lounge

Grab a sugar cookie and  
celebrate friendship!

