

Unexpected Expenses Stressing You Out?

The Drake Law Women Emergency Fund may be able to help!

All law students are eligible to apply.

Awards are in \$100 increments up to \$1,000.

Applications are anonymous!

For more info, and to apply, go to:
<https://drakelawsba.org/dlw-emergency-fund/>



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To make a great one
(and save money!), visit the

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Professional Clothing Closet in
LL04 of the Opperman Library!

We have the suits, the whole suits, and nothing but
the suits, so suit yourself!



On-Campus Interview Due Dates

Apply today!

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!***

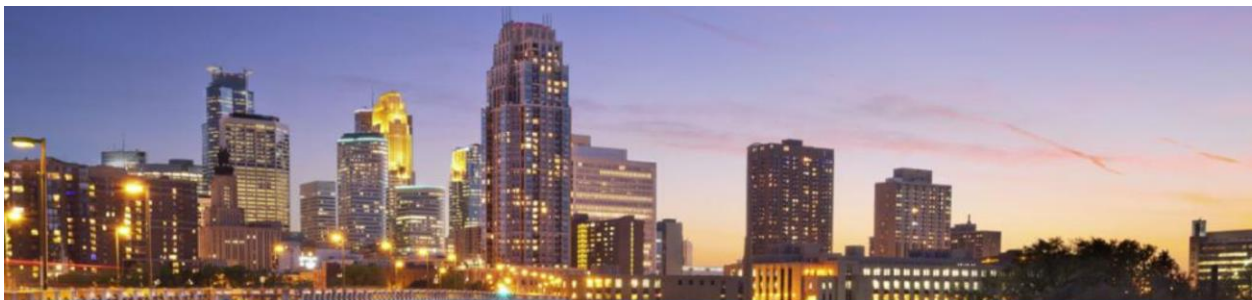
Due 2/18

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

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

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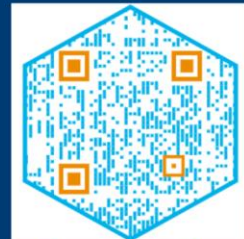
JOIN TODAY



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)



Scan to apply
for jobs!

Graduating?

Top Three Reasons to Complete the Graduate Survey Today!!!

Win a Starbucks gift card!

No more emails from Laurie for a long time!!

Win a Drake Law diploma frame or cost of graduation regalia!!

Find the Grad Survey on Symplicity under "My Account"

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

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FOR LAW STUDENTS

Where top law students find jobs.
Access 700+ summer associate opportunities in one place.

Scan to get started or visit fioforward.com

1. Verify your email
Confirm your law school email address. You can also link additional emails to automatically track all recruiting activity.

2. Complete your profile
Add your law school, grad year to unlock personalized jobs, events, and networking opportunities.

3. Explore opportunities
Browse job openings, RSVP to recruiting events, research law firms, and track your interview activity, all in one place.

4. Share with your school
Easily share your recruiting activity, so when your career office eventually asks, there's no back and forth later.

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What is Flo Forward?

Flo Forward helps top legal talent find jobs. The Flo ecosystem of software for law firms, law schools, and legal talent brings recruitment onto a central, connected platform. We're excited to be part of your career journey!

Research Firms
Find law firms with opportunities that match your values and goals

Discover Events
RSVP for recruiting events on your campus and beyond

Apply to Jobs
Discover and apply to jobs on the Forward Job Board

Track Interviews
Access your recruiter and calendar, interview on your unique profile

Share your Success
Share your recruiting activities with your career services office

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.

Need to talk? The Counseling Center is here!

- **Free** counseling services for students
- Multiple therapists available; find the right fit for you
- Help for anxiety, depression, loneliness, academic motivation, trauma/abuse, and more!
- In-person and virtual appointments available

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

Individual counseling

Group Counseling

Medication Management

CONTACT US

Visit Our Website
www.drake.edu/counselingcenter

Call Us to Make an Appointment
515-216-5100

Come See Us
2970 University, Des Moines, IA 50311

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

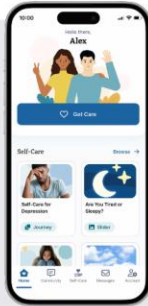
If you or someone
you know needs
help...

...we are here!

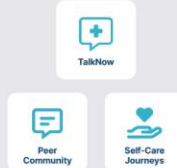
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J.D. Advantage Panel & Career Fair

Learn about J.D. Advantage opportunities, then visit
with employers at the career fair!



Nicole Janovick
Corteva Agriscience



Rebecca Kipp
Seprio



Zack Krawiec
Legible AI

Thursday, February 12
Panel: 3:00 - 3:30 PM, Cartwright 206
Career Fair: 3:30 - 5:30 PM, Kern Commons

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, 2nd 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.

- Kollan 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!



WHAT ABOUT OUR WATER?

ADVOCACY & NETWORKING

PARENTS HALL SOUTH | FEB 17TH | 6PM-8PM

WHAT CAN YOU DO TO HELP OUR WATER QUALITY?

Join your representatives and water experts to learn how you can make an impact on Iowa's water issue, and what the best way to be heard by your representatives really is.



Sign up using the QR code, registration is encouraged, but not required.

Questions? Email sustainability@drake.edu

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

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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 3RD 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

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



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!