

Executive Board Meeting  
January 18, 2009

**I. General Meeting in Jan.**

- \* Kickoff the semester with a meeting- high attendance
  - \* Downside: extra meeting = more money for food
  - \*Take picture
  - \*Ask about WABA mentorship program
- January 27<sup>th</sup>, 2009- Tuesday- SHORTEST MEETING EVER! 7:00pm

**II. Apparel Sale-**

- Before Spring break: 1<sup>st</sup> week of March
- One in April = LEO banquet

**III. LEO Banquet**

- We must pay for decorations, entertainment, after party.
- After party- 200 people, 9:30 or 10pm until 1 or 2am. April 18<sup>th</sup>.
- Fresco is \$700.
- Bellinis? – we have a working relationship with them.
- Tri-fold boards for LEO banquet
- Anwar is creating our logo for the LEO banquet.

**IV. Service Credit Issue:**

- Vote wasn't valid. Not enough people.
- Service credits do not carry over from year to year. What about retroactive service credits?
- Service credits are a pending issue- tabled for the Jan. meeting.

**V. NAPABA Conference**

- Payal went. It was great. Feedback will be given at the January general meeting.

**VI. NASALSA Conference**

- Feb. 27<sup>th</sup>-March 1st It's in Miami.
- Travel Grant applications must go out in 2 days.
- Due: Wednesday Jan. 28<sup>th</sup>, 2009
- How much? \$500- transportation, hotel, and registration fee. 2 Law students and 1 Grad student.

**VII. Academic Events**

- Setting up a law firm event
- Diversity Clerkship applications/interviews?
- Professional Development Week: **3 days [Feb. 16, 17, 18]**

- **Smaller meeting with Nhu, Payal, Manish, Megha, Dan**
- Foley panel @ Café Montmartre [how to find a job out in economic hard times]
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Day: interviewing and job finding techniques
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Day?

#### **VIII. Asian American Month**

- Undergrads planning a food fair event
- Also planning a culture show

#### **IX. Grad Students**

- Grad Event: Prof. Irish is hosting new year dinner Saturday Jan. 24<sup>th</sup>, 2009
- Potluck = apartment common room- DK is checking his apartment.
- Bar exam event: most grad students want to take bar exam in NY.

#### **X. Community Service**

- Community service event with speaker?
- SEALS group event: with law students answering questions afterwards.
- Community Service Week: Food Pantry and also volunteering at a church/ United Way?
- 1<sup>st</sup> week of March-

#### **XI. WABA- Wisconsin Asian Bar Association**

- Social Mixer: early March
- Mentoring program between Madison lawyers and our group: Is there interest?
- Creating a separate listserv for translation: Need a list of people who can translate into Asian languages.

#### **XII. BLSA-APALSA SALSA joint party**

- February, Friday 13<sup>th</sup>? My Bloody Valentine
- Cardinal Bar?
- Swathi is taking care of that.

#### **XIII. Email announcement**

- Please email Megha your announcement by Sunday evening 7pm to be in Monday morning announcements.
- Please also have the announcement worded- Megha will not create your advertisement for you.