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SCHOOL OF LAW | San Diego

Legal Scholars Teaching Fellow Program

California Western School of Law has developed the Legal Scholars Teaching Fellow Program to provide an opportunity for practicing lawyers to transition into a career of teaching and scholarship. The Fellowship program accentuates both teaching and scholarship. During the two-year program, Fellows will do the following:

- ✓ Teach two classes per academic year
- ✓ Observe teaching by a variety of faculty members and discuss teaching techniques
- ✓ Work with an assigned faculty mentor to develop a research project and an agenda for future research
- ✓ Meet with a faculty committee in an informal setting to discuss work in progress
- ✓ Complete a piece of legal scholarship before entering the job market
- ✓ Conduct a presentation of the completed research project before the faculty
- ✓ Participate in mock interviews

Fellows are an important part of the faculty and are encouraged to become involved in the life of the law school by attending speaker events, faculty meetings, social gatherings, and student-sponsored activities.

Qualifications

- ✓ J.D. from an ABA-accredited law school
- ✓ Two or more years experience in legal practice
- ✓ Demonstrated aptitude for independent research

How to Apply

To apply for the Legal Scholars Teaching Fellow Program beginning in August 2011, please submit the following information by March 1, 2011:

- ✓ Curriculum Vitae
- ✓ A short statement indicating your primary field of interest in teaching of 1 to 2 pages in length
- ✓ A detailed research proposal of 2 to 3 pages in length

Send application materials to:

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