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NALP Annual Conference Program

Margeann Bennett at Washburn School of Law and Julie Doss at Texas Tech are creating a Shared Resource Pool for the NALP website. It will be used to maintain original Power Point presentations and student handouts on various topics that can be shared among NALP members. The Pool will be a valuable resource for both seasoned NALP'ers needing to refresh their old standbys and new or solo professionals with limited resources for creating programs. They received many presentations from our group and are working on getting a release drafted. Once the release is drafted and signed, NALP will populate the site. Margeann reports that she hopes to have a test-site available by the end of February.

I have asked Margeann and Julie to write a NALP article (date TBA) on this resource, which will help publicize and expand it and showcase the work they are doing.

Federal Recruitment Project

Many members of our special interest group are interested in increasing connections to federal recruiters and having them recruit our students. We had a December conference call to flesh out our ideas, including the possibility of a consortium job fair. Lynne Traverse of NALP's experienced professional's section put us in touch with Brian Lewis, who has offered to help should we go ahead with that idea. Jeanne Svihart has been extremely helpful in making suggestions, particularly in how to coordinate with NALP's specific plans to include federal employers in the April conference.

We agreed that a win-win strategy would be for interested members of the small section to help her, Suzanne Bell and Steve Grumm do outreach to federal employers and encourage them to attend the conference at the special rate and attend the special reception on Thursday, just prior to the diversity reception. In doing that outreach, we would also speak with these contacts about our own group and how we could collectively engage with them through on-line networking, a job fair, etc. NALP would get help in outreach and we could do needed "market research."

I emailed Fred about this and he said it would be fine (I spoke with Steve yesterday to update him). I'm having a conference call with our group on Wednesday, February 25 at 3:00 pm to discuss.

Thanks,

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