

## NALP Solo and Small CSO Section

Quarterly Report to the Board of Directors  
February 7, 2011

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This section had conference calls in early December regarding the ABA placement reporting meeting held in Florida in December. Section members were encouraged to provide a letter to the ABA on behalf of their schools. These calls included a follow up conference call with those section members that personally attended the meeting. In addition, these calls addressed any other issues raised by section members that needed to be discussed.

### Conference Programs, Articles and Work Groups

#### Federal Agency Resource Project

The Federal Agency Resource Project has not been completed at this date. The Vice Chair in charge of the project and I have decided to upload, on the NALP web site, those members that have completed their portion of the project and try to assist those who still have not done so. The uploading will occur after the Vice Chair has provided her Feb. 15 2011 placement information to NALP. It has come to my attention that the majority of the projects for this section need to be completed in the summer when small CSOs have budgeted time for them. Our issue resolved throughout last summer (see prior section report) extended the project due date into late September which is an extremely busy time for CSOs, resulting in the delay in completing the project.

#### Membership Increase

I have analyzed the membership and created a list of solo and small CSOs that have not joined the section. These potential members will be invited to join us at the section meeting in April at Palm Desert.

#### Shared Resources

Section members have been reminded to update the shared resource pool.

#### RFPs scheduled for the conference:

- Supersize Symplicity – Suzanne Patrick
- Counting Heads – Cinnamon Baker, Julie Doss, Elmer Ignacio, and Lois Casaleggi
- Setting up solo – Suzanne Patrick, Andreus Boise-Fontenot, and Marcus Bivines
- Iconnect media – Michelle Condon and Dawn Payne

#### Articles that were accepted for publication in *The Bulletin*:

- December issue: Incorporating other factors into your CSO, Trish Hodny & Tammy Pettinato
- November issue: Symplicity tips (and alternatives) by Suzanne Patrick
- March 2011 issue: CSO issues in newer law schools, Sonja Hayes
- January 2011 issue: Nuts & bolts article on assisting the other 90%, Deborah Reh
- February 2011 issue: Nuts & bolts article on breaking student apathy, Linda Spagnola.