

## NALP BOARD STANDARD LIAISON REPORT

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Over the past few months, I have been reporting to the NLGBT Bar Association about what has been happening in legal recruiting. I have updated the Association on firms and schools that have changed their recruiting dates and recruiting methods, such as virtual recruiting. I also have kept the Association updated as to other job fairs that have gone virtual. Ultimately, the Association decided to make the Lavender Law Conference, including the job fair, a virtual event.

I have secured panelists for a career related panel to be held on Friday, August 14, as part of the annual Lavender Law Conference. The panel will be held virtually. I will serve as the moderator, and the panelists will be:

- **Amy Crawford**, Cook County State's Attorney's Office
- **Mieko Failey**, The LGBTQ Center Long Beach
- **Jay N. Larry**, Bracewell LLP
- **James Leipold**, National Association for Legal Career Professionals
- **Scott Morgan**, Thomson Reuters
- **DuVale Riley**, Peace Corps

Traditionally, I have coordinated 20+ volunteers to do career counseling on-site at the event. Now that the entire Conference will be held virtually, I am in talks with the NLGBT Bar Association as to how that portion of the Conference will look. Depending upon our decisions, I may still need to gather a large group of volunteers who will be available virtually in some capacity. Other options may include robust written materials, such as a Q&A document and resources relating to best practices for virtual networking and interviewing.