

## **THERESE McNULTY, J.D. CUNY Law '10**

### ***Nominated for Regional Representative for the Northeast***

**Brief Bio:** Therese manages the NYC Bar Diversity Fellowship program, Speed Mock Interview Night, and OCI program. She develops student programming and counsels law students on internships, career pathways, and post-graduate employment, including fellowships and clerkships. In 2024, she was awarded the Community Service Award, and in 2022 the Community Heroes Award for public serve. Therese is knowledgeable about the breadth of programming for law students, employer engagement, and alumni mentoring. Therese worked at New York Legal Assistance Group from 2012-2013 and 2015-2016 and at the New York Asylum Office until 2019. She is a graduate of Fordham University and CUNY School of Law.

**Statement of Interest:** As an active member of NALP, it would be an honor to serve as Regional Representative for the Northeast. My years mentoring law students in legal, law school, and professional association settings have prepared me well. I was drawn to public service because of my desire to improve social and economic inequities. After working as an immigration attorney, I returned to CUNY Law School to serve its dual mission of increasing access to the profession and training public interest lawyers.

As a collaborator known for my good judgment and work ethic, I have served on several law school committees with faculty, deans, law students, and advisors. I co-host quarterly meetings for NY Public Interest Advisors with law school representatives who share information and brainstorm on how to best serve law students and employers. I have co-led the NYC Bar Diversity Fellowship program to help prepare law students for placement in Big Law and corporate counsel summer positions.

Having participated in NALP's programs and resources for years, it was incredible to attend the AEC in Boston to: learn and develop new strategies, meet and reconnect with colleagues, and be reinvigorated. I joined the Professional Development and Public Service sections and look forward to presenting on both topics in April. I am excited about the opportunity to serve as Regional Representative and give back to members who have inspired me through their experience, skills, and passion identifying and nurturing talent.

### **PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS & LEADERSHIP**

#### **National Association for Law Placement, 2020-Present**

Law School Professional Development Section, Member; Public Service Section, Member  
*-Teaching Professionalism When Students and Employers are Unprofessional*, Co-Presenter, April 2025  
*-Opening Doors: Enhancing Access to Post-Grad Public Interest Fellowships*, Co-Presenter, April 2025

#### **New York City Bar Association, 2013-Present**

Career Advancement and Management Committee, 2024  
*-Public Interest Interviewing: Tips & Tricks*, January 2025  
Pro Bono and Legal Services Committee, 2020-Present  
*Law School Subcommittee, Co-Chair*, 2021-2024  
Committee on Recruitment and Retention of Lawyers: Diversity Fellowship, 2022-Present

#### **CUNY School of Law, Long Island City, NY, Jan 2019-Present**

##### ***Associate Director, Career Planning Office***

##### **Leadership:**

- Budget Working Group, 2020-Present
- Strategic Planning Committee, 2023-2024
- Co-Chair, Student Fellowship Committee, 2020-2024

##### **Professional Development:**

- How to Succeed in Big Law & Diversity Programs, 2022-2024
- Finding the Right Job *After* You Graduate, 2021
- Making the Most of Your Summer, 2019-2023

##### **Continuing Legal Education:**

- CLE on Asylum, 2019; CLE on Domestic Violence, 2015-2016; CLE on DACA, 2012-2013