

WSBA Juvenile Law Section Agenda

Friday - March 15, 2024

12:00pm – 1:00pm

NEW! Zoom Meeting Link

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82842586749>

Social Time (12:00-12:10)

Welcome!

- 1) Approval of Minutes from February 16, 2024.
- 2) Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion.
 - a) Recommendations from February 2024 meeting:
 - i) Scholarship opportunities:
 - (a) Latino Bar Association of Washington: awards Law Student scholarships of \$1,500 to \$3,000 in January of each year. JLS could contribute to scholarship fund and increase amount of scholarships awarded.
 - (b) Loren Miller Bar Association: awards law student scholarship with deadline of April 8, 2024, and undergraduate scholarship for students seeking to apply to law school to offset cost of LSAT prep course (available year-round).
 - (c) Northwest Indian Bar Association: awards law student scholarships in November of each year, and awards bar stipends.

(d) QLaw Annual Banquet: held in June; could either pay for JLS members to attend, or could provide sponsorship for event (sponsorship levels range from \$1,500 to \$10,000).

(e) NWIRP Gala 2024: May 10, 2024: could either pay for JLS member to attend (\$100) or could provide sponsorship for event

ii) Jim, Jeff, Kaelan, Marci: report on what participants will bring back to JLS if awarded scholarships.

3) Old Business

a) CJC Scholarship Applicants

i) Two awarded!

ii) Announcement sent to post to Section website:

Congratulations to Christina Sorenson and Delaina Bolich, the recipients of our two Children's Justice Conference \$300 scholarship awards! Christina is an attorney at TeamChild with an interest in furthering her education around the laws and policies relevant to her work in her current position. Delaina is a Deputy Prosecuting Attorney for Franklin County in the Juvenile Division with a background as a probation officer, and she has an interest in networking with others who are interested in creating innovative solutions to help at-risk youth in her community.

We are looking forward to hearing from Christina and Delaina on their experience at the Children's Justice Conference!

- b) CJC Social Event**
 - i) Tabled from last meeting: social event for section members who attend the conference: publicized as an informal meet-up?**

4) New Business

- a) SIJS CLE Series: Katherine/Kaelen/Nancy**
 - i) Dates:**
 - 1) May 3: SIJS nuts and bolts; event form due March 22**
 - 2) June 28: Immigrant youth in the context of their families; event form due May 17**
 - 3) July 12: Benefits and availability, permanency; event form due May 31**
 - ii) Presenters: KIND**
 - iii) Platform: On24. Captures attendee info, attendance, etc.**
 - iv) Charge to attend?**
 - v) Cost: \$100 per session.**
 - vi) Point person for each session?**
- b) ELECTIONS!**
 - i) Election application portal is now open!**
 - ii) Positions are now open:**
 - 1) Chair-Elect**
 - 2) Secretary/Treasurer**
 - 3) At-Large Member (2)**
 - 4) CLE/Outreach Coordinator**

- 5) Civil Legal Needs (2)
 - 6) Dependency & Child Welfare (2)
 - 7) Juvenile Justice (2)
 - 8) Legislative Committee (2)
- 5) Committee Reports:
- a) CLE/Outreach Committee: Katherine.
 - b) Civil Legal Needs Committee: Katherine.
 - c) Dependency and Child Welfare Committee: Nancy and Kaelen.
 - i) Any follow-up on topic of CLE/discussion of concrete goods idea?
 - d) Legislative Committee: Jeffrey.
 - e) Juvenile Justice Committee: Mandy.
- 6) BOG Liaison Report: Kari.
- 7) Young Lawyer Liaison Report: Anastasia.
- 8) Law School Representatives Report: OPEN POSITION.
- 9) Roundtable.

Adjournment.

Next Meeting: [April 19, 2024, 12:00 PM](#)