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Welcome you to the

TAX LAW & EMPLOYEE BENEFITS
SCHOLARSHIP SYMPOSIUM

HOW TO ENHANCE
AND MAXIMIZE
YOUR LEGAL EDUCATION

Tuesday, November 18, 2008
12 p.m.–1:30 p.m.

Room 300, The John Marshall Law School
315 S. Plymouth Court, Chicago, Illinois

Guest Speaker

Gregory M. Wu, *Jenner & Block LLP*

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PROGRAM AGENDA

12:00 p.m. – Lunch is served.

INTRODUCTION: WHAT THE JOHN MARSHALL LAW SCHOOL HAS TO OFFER IN TAX LAW & EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

Graduate Tax Law Society Projects

Graduate Tax Law Society Board Members

JD (MS, and LLM?) Courses and Professors – Handout

LLM, MS, and Joint JD/LLM Degree Programs

Barry Kozak, *Member of the Faculty as an Adjunct Professor and Associate Director of the Graduate Employee Benefits Programs*

12:10 p.m.

COMPETITIONS (15 minutes)

Moot Court Competitions at John Marshall

Nicole Oyer, *Chief Justice, Honors Moot Court Executive Board* (7 minutes)

JD & LLM Writing Competitions

ABA Section of Taxation: *Law Student Tax Challenge*, Paul Faherty Tax Law Writing Competition, and the Theodore Tannenwald Tax Writing Competition – David Hayes, *JD/LLM Joint Degree Candidate in Tax Law* (8 minutes)

12:35 p.m.

PUBLICATION AND RESEARCH (35 minutes)

How to Get Published

Professor Mark Wojcik's ABA Article "Get Published", *Student Lawyer*, (Oct. 2008) – presented by Professor Arthur Acevedo (15 minutes)

PUBLICATION AND RESEARCH (continued)

Research Assistantships in Tax Law & Employee Benefits

Barry Kozak, *Member of the Faculty as an Adjunct Professor and Associate Director of the Graduate Employee Benefits Programs*

Law Review: Tax Law & Employee Benefits

David Hayes, *Lead Articles Editor, the John Marshall Law Review* (7 minutes)

The John Marshall Law School Writing Resource Center

Lurene Contento, *Director of the Writing Resource Center* (5 minutes)

Research a Tax Topic: Library Resources (Westlaw Tax)

Thomas Keefe, *Associate Director of Instruction and Electronic Services, Louis L. Biro Law Library* (8 minutes)

1:00 p.m.

CAREER AND NETWORKING (30 minutes)

Career Services Office Resources

Tips and Things to Consider – Laurel Hajek, *Assistant Dean for Career Services* – Handout

Profiles in Tax Law & Employee Benefits – Handout

Organizations, Internships, and Externships to Consider

Professor Kathryn Kennedy, *Director of the Center for Tax Law & Employee Benefits and Associate Dean for Advanced Studies* (15 minutes)

Employee Benefits Law at the Firm Level

Gregory M. Wu, *Jenner & Block LLP* (15 minutes)