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Judicial Branch Summer Newsletter

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Hello Judicial Branch Family,

We hope that everyone is having a wonderful summer! We would like to congratulate our new members of the Judicial Branch and welcome our returning members to the 2017- 2018 term. The semester is quickly approaching and we have several updates and announcements that are pertinent for next year. Please be sure to read the entire newsletter so you do not miss out on important information.

From Janay Crosland, Attorney General:



Parking Review Committee

I have the pleasure of appointing representatives to the Parking Services Review Board. The Parking Review Boards will hear parking appeals for parking citations. All representatives will be divided into four separate boards for a one -year term. Each board will be meeting once every four weeks on Thursday at 3:00 P.M. The deadline to email me with interest is **Wednesday, July 19, 2017 at 12 noon**. If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact me.

Mentor- Mentee Committee

This fall we will be launching our very first Judicial mentor-mentee program. We encourage all new members that are interested to participate. In addition, we encourage all members that have served at least one semester on judicial branch to consider being a mentor. The applications will be released during training. If you have any questions or concerns, contact AAG Marrcel Smith or Attorney General Janay Crosland.

Bylaws Committee

The Undergraduate Student Government Constitution (i.e the bylaws, Handbook, etc.) is the document that outlines positions, procedures, responsibilities, structures, funding information, and much more. As time passes, appropriate updates to this document are possible and encouraged. In order to best serve the Clemson students, a document that is relevant and up-to-date is desperately needed. This will be an ongoing summer project that will require diligence and teamwork in order to complete. **We are looking for five more members to help with this task.** The goal is to produce a

document that is not only relevant to our campus, but also one to follow for years to come. This is a daunting task; however, it is a completely necessary one. **If you would like to participate or have questions, email Abbie Wood or Janay Crosland.**

In an effort to promote transparency and an open door policy, I will be hosting office hours next semester on Friday afternoons from 1pm- 3pm in my office. Feel free to stop by during this time or email me if you would like to meet at a different time during the week.

I look forward to seeing each and everyone of you at training.

From Marrcel Smith, AAG of Outreach:



Outreach Sneak Peek

The 2017-2018 school year is going to be an exciting one for Outreach! We have a transforming vision planned for this year, and every single one of you are part of it. Throughout this school year, we hope to significantly advance the reputation and mission of the CUSG Judicial Branch and the Office of Community and Ethical Standards. We want our fellow tigers to know that their Judicial Branch is wholeheartedly committed to enhancing the health, safety, and well-being of our Clemson Family. We will be doing this through numerous service and outreach events that will not only increase the awareness of the Clemson community and spread the Judicial Branch message, but will also be a great opportunity for you to get to know each other! The Fall 2017 events are currently in the works. If you have any ideas, questions, or would like to be a part of planning our outreach events, please feel free to email me at marrces@g.clemson.edu. Stay tuned for more information on our upcoming events!

Social Media

Follow our Facebook page, CUSG Judicial Branch, for more updates!

From Abbie Wood, AAG of Advising:



Student advisors have the unique role of meeting with alleged students before the student's hearing to discuss the incident and advise the student for his/her upcoming hearing. Student advisors are required to meet with each student before the hearing and also attend the student's hearing. If you would like to apply to be a student advisor for the upcoming year, please fill out this brief application and you will be contacted shortly.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdg718T_D6AVF2wme9MY6DpLp1RPAkRngs1V4G8IJVuFbGODQ/viewform?usp=sf_link "

From Molly Hester, AAG of Recruitment



Fall semester will be on us before you know it and with that comes Tiger Prowl! I'll be in need of multiple volunteers to help us staff the table! The date will be **Tuesday, August 22 from 2-5pm**. You are welcome to volunteer for one, two, or three hours of the event. This is a great way to get involved and help get our branch's name out there! I'd love to see as many smiling faces as possible!

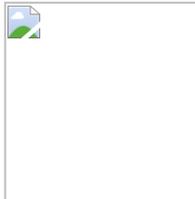
I've attached an interest sheet below, this is by no means a final commitment, I'm just trying to get as many names as possible of interested people so I can make sure the table is staffed!

<https://docs.google.com/a/g.clemson.edu/spreadsheets/d/1rBcmwaqbhfZmYhX-7L5uiGI6cSkVa6YT11CHCG1FBkQ/edit?usp=sharing>

Also, we have a new Facebook page! It is still new and we don't have much content yet, but let me or Marrcel know if you have any suggestions on what kind of things we should post and share! **If you have any questions, email me at hester4@g.clemson.edu**. Go like us on Facebook!

<https://www.facebook.com/cusjudicialbranch>

From Jason Erno, AAG of Training



Judicial Board Training will be **Tuesday, August 22 at 9:00 AM until 1:30 PM** on campus at TBD. Training is mandatory for all judicial board members. Lunch will be provided. The attire is business casual. Each member will receive a judicial branch t-shirt at training. Please complete the doodle link listed below to RSVP to training <https://doodle.com/poll/9d9y92qwf3exrux>. Please email the AAG of Training, Jason Erno, at jerno@g.clemson.edu, or the AG, Janay Crosland, at jcrosla@g.clemson.edu if you have any questions or concerns.

You will sign up for your weekly board at training. Therefore, you need to make sure you know which evenings you will be available before showing up.

Finally, if you have any ideas that you believe would benefit or improve Judicial Branch next year, fill out this form, https://docs.google.com/a/g.clemson.edu/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdiUzyCtwxlyX_i_RsqLbCOnW8s4QdRqMR0WR2iuw4P324mtQ/viewform?usp=sf_link, as we would love to hear you ideas!

Greeting from Our Judicial Branch Advisors

Marijohn (Mj) and Jeff's roles are to serve as advisors for the entire Judicial Branch. Mj reviews, assigns possible Student Code of Conduct violations, and routes cases for the Student Judicial Boards to hear/adjudicate. Jeff will schedule, assign to particular nights and provide follow-up case management for the Student Judicial Board weekly cases. Both Jeff and Mj will assist with the planning, coordination, and administration of training, re-training, professional development of members, and guidance/advise to our leadership team of AG and AAGs. Both of their offices are located in the 912 University Union suite and they are available to support us all. Drop-ins are ok, but appointments are best to reach them.

Mj is from McColl, SC (Marlboro County), has her Master's from Clemson, and is working on her PhD. She has worked at Clemson for approximately 10 years, in Housing and now in OCES. She loves the work that she does and really believes in the educational and student focus of OCES and Judicial Branch. Working with students in positive leadership positions "gives me energy, like Starbucks for the soul, which I also love. I am excited about all your leadership team has planned for you all this year!!"

Go Tigers!!



Hello! I'm Jeff Hahn and I'll be joining the Tiger Family as the Graduate Assistant for the Office of Community and Ethical Standards. I was born and raised in sunny Fort Myers, Florida and I also received my bachelor's degree in Political Science from Stetson University in Deland, Florida.

Outside of my job and classes, my interests/hobbies are sports (golfing, tennis, watching football), almost any type of trivia, eating food and drinking coffee.

I'm excited to join the team, work with all of the wonderful students, and be the best GA I can be!

In addition, there will be one graduate student advisor for each of the five board nights. Your particular grad advisor will be present at your board night weekly to assist, provide guidance, and complete paperwork for cases that you hear as a board. They will also assist/collaborate with your AAG to provide professional and team development both for you as individuals and as a board team. You will meet these graduate advisors at training.

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