

PROGRAMS DIRECTORSHIP
REPORT PREPARED FOR THE OCTOBER 6, 2018
BUSINESS LAW SECTION COUNCIL MEETING

1. 2018-2019 Budget Request and Anticipated Use of Funds.

\$35,000 for Business Law Institute, Annual Meeting, Schulman Award.

2. Use of Budgeted Funds During 2017-2018.

Funds were used to support the Business Law Institute, Annual Meeting, Schulman Award, and Business Boot Camp.

3. Next Scheduled Meeting of the Directorship.

The Directorship holds meetings, and communicates via telephone and email, as necessary, to discuss course speakers and other matters regarding the Business Law Institute and the Annual Meeting, as appropriate. Meetings for the 2018 BLI began in October 2017 and continued on a monthly basis. Meetings for the 2019 BLI have begun and will continue on a monthly basis. The 2019 BLI will be held at the Amway Grand Plaza Hotel in Grand Rapids in October, 2019 in connection with ArtPrize. The Annual Meeting and presentation of the Schulman Award will occur in conjunction with the BLI on October 4, 2019.

4. Council Approval

N/A

5. Membership

Those serving on the Programs Directorship include Catherine Ferguson, Dee Dee Fuller, Eric Lark, Dan Minkus (Chair), Mark Peters, John Schuring.

6. Accomplishments Toward Committee Objectives

All of the Directorship members actively participate in the planning process.

The Directorship will schedule meetings, or communicate via telephone and email, as necessary to finalize course schedules and secure speakers.

7. Meetings and Programs

The Business Law Institute, Annual Meeting and Schulman Award are discussed in item 1, above.

8. Publications.

N/A.

9. Legislative/Judicial/Administrative Developments

N/A.

10. Miscellaneous

N/A.

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