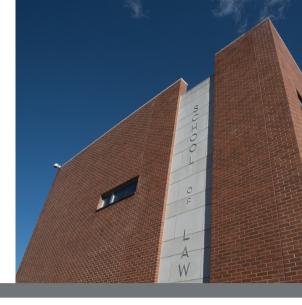


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### What's New in the Nest

With exams underway, it's important to remember those who deserve celebration as they prepare to leave the Nest! Congratulations to our December 2021 graduates.

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We look forward to seeing all you accomplish in your careers as you soar.

Also leaving the nest on Monday, January 3, 2022 Ms. Garla Glover-Smith, MSME, GDCF. Beginning her tenure with CSO during the first days of COVID-19, she has been a tireless advocate and advisor to NCCU Legal Eagles. Ms. Glover-Smith will be sorely missed at NCCU School of Law, but we wish her the her endeavors at Wake Tech Community College as a



Career Coach and lecturer. Information about her celebratory sendoff can be found on page 4.

Note - Career Services will be offering <u>remote services only</u> starting Wednesday, December 15.



# Fall Semester 2021

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M is partnering with law schools to match intereste law school students with IBM Legal Professional Mentors of various practice areas. Please join us irtually for the IBM Mentoring Information Session

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 20 5:00 PM VIA ZOOM

# a look back at some of CSO's events

12:00PM - 1:00PM

GREAT HALL

RSVP for lunch here —





# Sports & Entertainment Law Contract Negotiation Seminar & Information Session

On Thursday, November 18, 2021, Career Services hosted a Sports & Entertainment Contract Negotiation Seminar Information Session. This session featured Attorney James Walker Jr., Brittney Griner player and two-time Olympic Champion, and Penny Toler. Former Executive Vice President and General Manager of the three-time WNBA Champions Los Angeles Sparks.

**Brittney Griner** 

Ms. Griner was the first Round Draft Pick of the Phoenix Mercury. In 2012, the three-time All-American was named the AP Player of the Year and the Most Outstanding Player of the Final Four. She also received the Best Female Athlete ESPY Award. Griner was also on the USA Olympic Women's Team, where she helped lead them to victory at the 2016 and 2020 Olympics.



Attorney Walker and Ms. Griner spoke with NCCU law students after both sessions.



From left to right-Ms. Garla Glover-Smith, Brittney Griner, Attorney James L. Walker, Jr., and Assistant Dean Sandra English

Attorney James L. Walker Jr.

Attorney Walker is a 25-year legal veteran having represented hundreds of artists, athletes, and entertainers. He negotiated one of the first ever WNBA contracts for a star player in the 1990s and has worked with several athletes since that time. Walker has negotiated contracts and legal matters with various networks and television outlets, including BET, TVOne, VH-1, A&E/Lifetime, CBS.

<u>Penny Toler</u>

Ms. Toler was the longest-tenured and "winningest" general manager in WNBA history. Toler became general manager in 1999 and won the WNBA Championship title two years later, making her the fastest person in professional sports, male or female, to go from being a player to general manager to winning a championship.

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# **Dean's Corner**

# NCCU School of Law Mentoring Collaborations

Sandra English, Assistant Dean of Career Services and Professional Development

The NCCU SOL Career Services Office has four mentoring collaborations. Please see details of each mentoring program below.



#### **IBM**

The IBM Legal Diversity Mentor Program began its second year with NCCU for the 2021-22 school year. This was an opportunity for 2Ls and higher to be matched with an IBM Attorney specializing in:

- Intellectual Property
- Data Privacy
- Cybersecurity
- Technology Transactions
- Corporate Governance
- Mergers/Acquisitions and Finance

Mentors and mentees meet regularly one-onone, currently virtually. IBM Mentors provide feedback on resumes, interview skills and overall professionalism. There are 15 students participating in the IBM mentorship program.

#### Intel

The NCCU/Intel Tech Law & Policy Mentorship Program is for 2Ls or higher interested in a career being a lawyer/advisor to technology clients. There are 24 students participating in the Intel mentorship program.

#### Dell

The Dell Legal Mentorship Program for 2Ls and higher exists to benefit mentees, mentors, and the legal profession in general. One-on-one mentoring with a Dell attorney helps promote Dell's philosophy for developing diverse talent.

#### **Mentees**

- Develop competencies
- Build personal brand
- Increase knowledge of legal profession and different practice areas
- Expand network
- Plan for success

#### **Mentors**

- Develop and share expertise
- Establish a legacy
- Broaden perspective
- Expand network
- Exposure to talent pipeline

#### <u>Legal Profession</u>

- Two-way knowledge sharing
- Develop talent pipeline
- Networking
- Evolving industry culture & community

There will be two \$5000 scholarships awarded in January. The scholarship recipients will also be assigned a mentor. For those not awarded a scholarship, they will have an opportunity to participate in the Dell mentorship program.

#### **NCCU Career Services**

The NCCU Career Services mentoring program is a collaboration of faculty, staff, alumni, and employer partners. Mentors will assist NCCU law students make meaningful professional relationships and reach a deeper understanding of the legal profession's responsibilities and ethics. The mentoring program is open to all students, including ILs. Key mentoring topics that will be explored are academics, careers, community engagement and professionalism. There are 130 students in the NCCU Career Services mentoring program.

Please email <u>lawcareerservices@nccu.edu</u> with any questions about any of the mentoring collaborations.

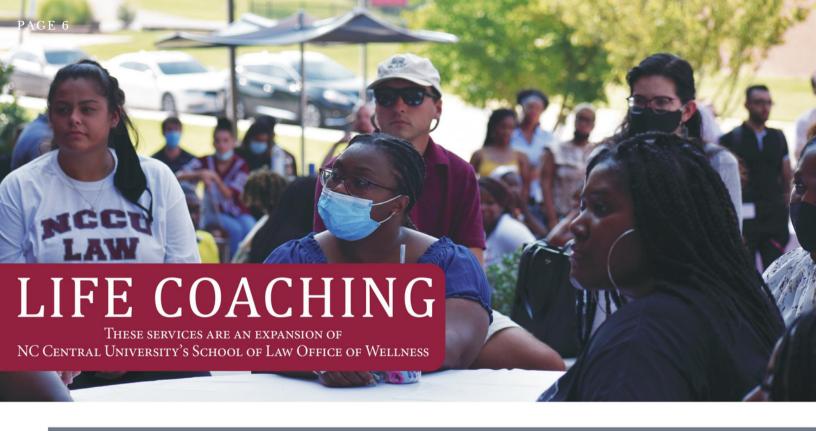


Upcoming Event

GOODBYES DON'T HAVE TO BE SAD

# Ms. Garla Glover-Smith's Farewell Party

Tuesday, December 14, 2021 • 2:00 PM Career Services Office Rm. 160 Light refreshments, including cupcakes



#### NEED A LIFE COACH?

Coaching can help you close the gap in knowledge, skills and attributes to achieve life/career goals, with a greater sense of fulfillment and overall wellness. Coaching helps you align your passions, skills and career aspirations with your own personal and professional trajectories.

#### **BENEFITS**

- Discover your Why
- •Improve focus for law school performance and bar exam
- •Improve emotional intelligence
- •Increase knowledge of transferable skills and career opportunities
- Boost self-esteem and confidence
- •Demonstrate greater well-being, resilience, and goal-attainment
- •Improve relationships, communication skills, and overall wellness
- Improve coping and life skills
- Overcome barriers, blocks and challenges

#### SCHEDULE BY APPOINTMENT

Appointments can be scheduled through Symplicity or by calling 919-530-6618 Mon. Wed. Fri. 10am – 2pm | Wed. Fri. 5pm – 6pm | Tues. Thurs. 12pm – 4pm







**Stephanie Butler-Fallahi** is a certified life coach with 15+ years of experience in the public and private sectors. She has worked in education/academia, aerospace, management consulting, sales and marketing and social services with major corporations, small to mid-sized privately-held businesses and not-for-profits. Butler-Fallahi holds a bachelor's degree in Psychology, a master's in Human Resource Development and is a qualified Human Performance Improvement professional who has helped thousands successfully improve their performance.

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My Greatest Joy is working with students to help them identify, clarify and realize their life and career goals.





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## **Deadline Coming Soon - 1Ls**

12/10 - Boulder District Attorney Law Clerk - Boulder, CO - 8088 12/11 - NAPABA Law Foundation Scholarships - 9984 12/12 - Justice Henry Frye - Brooks Pierce Diversity Summer Fellow - NC - 10002 12/13 - The Hennessy Fellows Program Thurgood Marshall College Fund - 10171 12/15 - Marshall, Gerstein & Borun LLP IP 1L Summer Associate - Chicago - 9844 12/15 - Habeas Corpus Resource Center 2022 Summer Internship - 9757 12/19 - National Employment Law Project 2022 Summer Legal Internship - 10078 12/23 - Alliance for Children's Rights Public Interest Internship - Los Angeles - 10162 12/25 - Panitch Schwarze Belisario & Nadel LLP Summer Associate - remote - 10110 12/27 - Apple HBCU Scholars Program Thurgood Marshall College Fund - 10170 12/28 - Fish & Richardson 1L Diversity Fellow - various - 9915 12/29 - Dorsey & Whitney LLP 1L Summer Associate - various - 10122 12/29 - Finnegan/Corporate 1L Diversity - Summer Partnership - various - 10126 12/31 - Regional Public Defender for Capital Cases Summer Internship - TX - 8991 12/31 - The Capital Appeals Project Summer Internship - New Orleans, LA - 7720 1/1 - Nexsen Pruet, LLC 1L Diversity Scholarship Program - Columbia, SC - 10178 1/2 - Stoel Rives LLP 1L Diversity Fellowship - Seattle, WA - 10149 1/7 - ABA 2022 Judicial Intern Opportunity Program - various - 9963 1/7 - McDonnell Boehnen Hulbert & Berghoff, LLP 1L Summer Associate - Chicago - 9923

1/7 - Smith Anderson IL Excellence in Diversity Fellowship - Raleigh - 9874

1/7 - Clifford Chance IL Diversity Scholarship - NYC - 10157

1/8 - ACLU NC Legal Foundation Summer Intern - Raleigh - 10047





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## **Deadline Coming Soon - 2L-4LEs (non-permanent)**

12/10 - Boulder District Attorney Law Clerk - Boulder, CO - 8088 12/11 - NAPABA Law Foundation Scholarships - 9984

12/13 - ACLU Foundation Immigrants' Rights Project Legal Intern - NYC - 9698

12/13 - ACLU Foundation Immigrants' Rights Project Legal Intern - San Francisco - 9699

<u>12/13 - The Hennessy Fellows Program Thurgood Marshall College Fund - 10171</u>

12/13 - Kyndryl Spring 2022 Intern - remote - 10147

12/15 - Smith Dominguez, PLLC Law Clerk - Raleigh - 9927

12/15 - Habeas Corpus Resource Center 2022 Summer Internship - 9757

12/19 - National Employment Law Project 2022 Summer Legal Internship - 10078

12/20 - HBCU in LA Summer Internship 2022 - 9728

12/21 - BioCryst Legal Intern - 10107

12/23 - Alliance for Children's Rights Public Interest Internship - Los Angeles - 10162

12/25 - Panitch Schwarze Belisario & Nadel LLP Summer Associate - remote - 10110

12/27 - Apple HBCU Scholars Program Thurgood Marshall College Fund - 10170

12/29 - ACLU Foundation Voting Rights Project Winter/Spring 2022 Legal Intern - NYC - 9896

12/30 - North Carolina Business Court 2L Judicial Intern - Charlotte - 9514

12/30 - AmeriCorps' Office of General Counsel Spring Intern - 10005

12/30 - Hon. Louis A. Bledsoe, III NC Business Court 2L Judicial Intern - Charlotte - 9512

12/31 - National Multiple Sclerosis Society Law Clerk - 9870

12/31 - Root & Rebound Remote Law Clerk - 9998

<u> 12/31 - Regional Public Defender for Capital Cases Summer Internship - TX - 8991</u>

<u> 12/31 - The Capital Appeals Project Summer Internship - New Orleans, LA - 7720</u>

12/31 - Sunbelt Rentals Legal Intern - NC/SC - 9937

12/31 - Stephenson & Fleming, LLP Law Clerk - Chapel Hill - 9876

1/3 - NCCU Intel 2L Internship - 10111

1/7 - ABA 2022 Business Law Section Diversity Clerkship Program - various - 10177

1/7 - ABA 2022 Judicial Intern Opportunity Program - various - 9963

1/8 - ACLU NC Legal Foundation Summer Intern - Raleigh - 10047

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## **Deadline Coming Soon - Full Time for 2022 Grads**

12/9 - Environmental Law Institute Public Interest Fellow - DC - 9878

12/15 - EarthRights International Bertha Justice Legal Fellow - DC - 9842

12/15 - Rebekah Pinter Gender, Sexuality and Reproductive Justice Fellow - San Francisco - 9912

12/18 - Mance Law Firm Associate Attorney - Savannah, GA - 10066

12/30 - Halvorsen Family Law Associate Attorney - Winston Salem - 9198

12/31 - Alliantgroup Quality Control Attorney - Houston, TX - 9243

12/31 - Regional Public Defender for Capital Cases Associate PD - TX - 9777

12/31 - Legal Aid of North Carolina Attorney for NC Farmworker Unit - 9975

12/31 - A Better Balance 2022 Fellowship - various - 9322

12/31 - Colorado State Public Defenders Office - Denver - 9755

1/1 - Oakland City Attorney's Office Affirmative Litigation Fellow Program - 9279

<u>1/4 - Human Rights First Accountability Legal Fellow - NYC, DC - 9829</u>

<u>12/13 - ACLU Foundation Immigrants' Rights Project Legal Intern - San Francisco - 9699</u>

## **Deadline Coming Soon - Recent Graduates**

12/10 - Thomson Reuters Attorney Editor - various - 9970

12/11 - Legal Services Corporation 2021-2023 Fellow - 9994

12/13 - Administrative Office of the District Attorneys' Assistant D.A. - AZ, NM - 9865

12/13 Maggard Elder Law Estate Planning Attorney - NC - 9696

12/15 - Gable Gotwals Counsel Transactional Associate - OK - 10016

<u>12/15 - Dell Technologies Contracts Counsel - 9737</u>

<u>12/15 - Renner, Otto, Boisselle & Sklar Patent Prosecution Associate (Mechanical)</u> <u>- Cleveland, OH - 10024</u>

12/17 - North Carolina Justice Center Courts, Law & Democracy Reporter - Raleigh - 10061

12/18 - Euclid Transactional Counsel - NYC - 10070

<u>12/18 - Resurgent Capital Services Corporate Counsel - Greensville, SC - 10085</u>

12/20 - Daughtry, Woodard, Lawrence, & Starling Family Law Attorney - NC - 9933

12/23 - ER Law Associate Attorney - Greensboro, NC - 10117

<u>12/24 - Legal Services of Central New York, Inc. Staff Attorney - NYS - 10106</u>

12/24 - Arges Law Firm, P.C. Associate Attorney - Durham - 9788

12/24 - City Attorney's Office Assistant City Attorney - Kansas City, MO - 9792

12/27 - Thomson Reuters Reference Attorney - various - 10118

12/31 - Human Rights First Staff Attorney - NYC - 9849

12/31 - Pisgah Legal Services Tax Attorney - Asheville, NC - 9600

12/31 - Edmisten, Hall & Black, PLLC Attorney - Raleigh - 9679

1/7 - Thomson Reuters Attorney Editor - Jury Verdicts - Eagan, MN - 10163



## J.D. Advantage Positions - Recent Graduates

These positions do not require bar passage, but do prefer law degrees

### Compliance

<u>Amazon Privacy Specialist - Boston, MA</u>

CIBC Consumer Compliance Advisor - Chicago, IL

Contracts Administrator/Manager

<u>Mastercard Senior Specialist - Remote</u>

labcorp Contracts Specialist II, Site Agreements - remote

**Corporate Governance** 

Google Spend Governance Advisor - Atlanta, GA

Visa Cybersecurity Analyst (IAM) - Atlanta, GA

#### **Human Resources**

<u>MassMutual Employee Relations & HR Compliance Lead - Boston, MA</u>

Federal Reserve Bank of NY Governance & Controls Senior Associate - New York City

### **Regulatory Affairs**

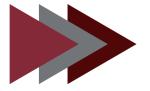
<u>UBS Swaps Regulatory Governance Specialist - Nashville, NY (Niagara Falls)</u>

Syracuse University Deputy Title IX Officer and Director - Syracuse, NY

### Risk Management

<u>Citi Anti-Bribery Business Risk Officer - Tampa, FL</u>

IBM Promontory Financial Group - Risk Practice Associate - Charlotte, NC



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