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**History of the Robert E. Wone
Judicial Clerkship and Internship Conference**

In 2003, Robert E. Wone, then an associate at Covington & Burling and the treasurer of APABA-DC, organized the first annual Judicial Clerkship and Internship Conference for minority law school students in the Washington, D.C. area. Robert, who had clerked for Judge Raymond A. Jackson (U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia), wanted to expose minority law students to the benefits of a judicial internship or a clerkship, by providing them with information from local judges and former law clerks. The Conference was co-sponsored by APABA-DC, HBA-DC, SABA-DC, and other local minority bar associations and was held at the Howard University School of Law.

In August 2006, just before Robert was to be sworn in as president of APABA-DC, he was murdered. The conference was renamed the "Robert E. Wone Judicial Clerkship and Internship Conference" in his honor.

Now an annual tradition for the Washington, D.C. legal and law school communities, the Conference continues to attract numerous law students from area law schools to spend part of their valuable time on a Saturday to learn more about judicial clerkships and internships; meet judges from federal and state trial and appellate courts; hear judges and law clerks describe the work of their courts and their own experiences; and understand the clerkship and internship application process and the selection criteria for these positions.

This year's Conference is being hosted by Howard University School of Law. The planning committee and co-sponsors wish to thank Howard University School of Law.

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October 11, 2014

Howard University School of Law

Schedule

- 9:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.** **Registration**
- 9:15 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.** **Introductory Remarks**
John C. Truong
Assistant United States Attorney
- 9:30 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.** **U.S. District Court Clerkships and Internships
Moderated by APABA-DC**
Chief Judge Richard W. Roberts
U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia

Judge Gerald Bruce Lee
U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia

Judge Rudolph Contreras
U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia
- 10:15 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.** **Federal and State Appellate Court Clerkships
Moderated by AEF**
Judge Sri Srinivasan
U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit

Judge Andre M. Davis
U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit

Vanessa Ruiz
District of Columbia Court of Appeals

Judge Michele D. Hotten
Maryland Court of Special Appeals
- 11:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.** **Coffee Break**

Notes

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The Planning Committee expresses its gratitude to the time committed by the judges, current and former law clerks, and volunteers to today's program. This program is only possible due to the support of our respective bar associations, our law firm supporters and our host, Howard University School of Law.

**11:15 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Administrative and Special Court Clerkships
Moderated by SABA-DC**

Judge Roxanne Rarangol Fuller
Social Security Administration, Office of Disability
Adjudication and Review

Judge John Henderson
Maryland Office of Administrative Hearings

Judge Quynh Bain
U.S. Department of Justice Executive Office of
Immigration Review

**12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. Lunch Session with Former
Supreme Court Law Clerks
Moderated by Arnold & Porter LLP**

Candice Chiu
Associate Justices Sandra Day O'Connor and Sonia Sotomayor

Brad Garcia
Associate Justice Elena Kagan

Fred Liu
Chief Justice John Roberts

**1:00 p.m. – 1:45 p.m. State Trial and Superior Court Clerkships
Moderated by HBA-DC**

Judge Laura A. Cordero
Superior Court for the District of Columbia

Magistrate Judge Kenia Seoane Lopez
Superior Court for the District of Columbia

Magistrate Judge Errol Arthur
Superior Court for the District of Columbia

Judge Larnzell Martin, Jr.
Prince George's County Circuit Court

1:45 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

**Current and Former Judicial Clerks
Moderated by CAMBA**

Michael Huang

Former Clerk, Superior Court for the District of Columbia

Lala Qadir

Current Clerk, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Armed Forces

Aiysha Hussain

Former Clerk, U.S. District Court for the Virgin Islands;

Current Clerk, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit

Aaron Gleaton

Former Clerk, U.S. District Court for the Eastern

District of Virginia

2:30 p.m. – 2:40 p.m.

Closing Remarks

Court Addresses and Useful Websites

D.C. Office of Administrative Hearings

(<http://oah.dc.gov/oah/site/default.asp>)

District of Columbia Court of Appeals

(<http://www.dccourts.gov/dccourts/appeals/index.jsp>)

District of Columbia Superior Court

(<http://www.dccourts.gov/dccourts/superior/index.jsp>)

Executive Office for Immigration Review

(<http://www.justice.gov/eoir/>)

U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit

(<http://www.ca4.uscourts.gov/>)

U.S. Court of Federal Claims

(<http://www.uscfc.uscourts.gov>)

U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia

(<http://www.dcd.uscourts.gov>)

U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia

(<http://www.vaed.uscourts.gov>)

Virginia Judiciary

(<http://www.courts.state.va.us>)

U.S. Administrative Office of the Courts Judicial Clerkship Page

(<http://lawclerks.ao.uscourts.gov>)

Just the Beginning Foundation

(<http://www.jtbf.org>)

Maryland Judiciary

(<http://www.courts.state.md.us>)

Online System for Clerkship Application & Review (OSCAR)

(<http://oscar.uscourts.gov>)