

LCLD Sustainable Partnership Program

New Program Announcement

Tuesday, May 2, 2017: 12:30 pm Fannie Mae, Washington, DC

LCLD and Fannie Mae, in conjunction with Scripps Networks Interactive, Inc. and Lockheed Martin Corporation, have come together to create a very special program that will launch this spring. The Sustainable Partnership Program will continue the mission of LCLD to promote inclusion, leadership opportunities, and successful, long-term careers for diverse lawyers. The program will focus on law firm LCLD Fellows (Alumni) recently elected to partnership.

As you know, when lawyers reach the partnership milestone, they face new challenges. The skills that led to success as an associate are different from those necessary to succeed as a new partner. New minority and women partners sometimes lack the relationships and connections necessary to generate business in their new role. To address these issues, program participants will have the opportunity to:

- Develop new and deeper relationships with management-level attorneys in corporate law departments
- · Share feedback about their unique experiences and challenges among peers and corporate legal leaders in a trusted, confidential setting
- Learn new approaches designed to enhance their success as law firm partners
- Form their own partner network to act as a sounding board for new ideas and challenges

The Sustainable Partnership Program will kick-off with a half-day event on the afternoon of **Tuesday**, May 2, 2017, in Washington, DC. Eligible participants are DC-area LCLD Fellows (Alumni) who have been elected to partnership within the last 4-6 years. Other events will follow throughout the year.

There will be limited slots available for this opportunity. We will begin taking applications on a first come, first served basis on Wednesday, March 1, 2017. Additional information about the sign-up process will be forthcoming.

In an effort to make sure that your voices and experiences are included, we have attached a short Survey Monkey questionnaire for junior partners. Please complete the survey by Tuesday, February 21, 2017.

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