

# The arc of the moral universe is long, but it bends towards justice.

Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

## LCLD Milestones

In the five years since our founding, LCLD has focused on action—building real-world programs that prepare the next generation of diverse talent for leadership of the legal profession. Our members, representing major corporations and the nation's top law firms, are dedicated to achieving diversity through leadership, action, and results.



### 2004

*A Call to Action: Diversity in the Legal Profession*  
published by Rick Palmore

#### LCLD Today

85  
Cities

220+  
Fortune 500  
and NLJ 350

91%  
Member  
Participation

95%  
Member  
Retention

### 2008

April 24-25:  
Scottsdale, Arizona  
Call to Action Summit



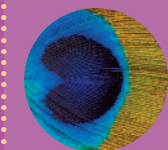
### 2010

September:  
Washington, DC  
First Annual Meeting



### 2009

April 27:  
Founding of LCLD  
(Articles filed)



### 2011

March: LCLD Fellows  
program launched

June: 1L Scholars  
program launched

September:  
Washington, DC  
Second Annual Meeting

### 2012

January: Mentoring  
program launched

March: First Class of  
LCLD Fellows graduates;  
Fellows Alumni formed

September:  
Washington, DC  
Third Annual Meeting



1L Scholars

### 2013

March: Second Class of  
LCLD Fellows graduates

September:  
Washington, DC  
Fourth Annual Meeting



LCLD Fellows at MLK Monument

### 2014

March: Third Class of  
LCLD Fellows graduates

May: Inaugural  
Leadership Summit

September:  
Phoenix, Arizona  
Fifth Annual Meeting



It is only when  
we act that our  
words have  
value, validity,  
and valor.

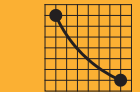
Leadership Council on Legal Diversity  
[www.lclldnet.org](http://www.lclldnet.org)



US Population Reaches  
300,000,000

Pelosi First Woman  
Speaker of the House

2008



Economic  
Downturn

2009

First International  
Day of Climate Action  
350.org

2010

Affordable Care Act

2011

Arab Spring

Shuttle  
Program  
Ends

2012

Ban Lifted  
on Women  
in Combat

2013

NSA Leaks

DOMA  
Struck Down

2014

Ebola Outbreak  
in Africa



