

Preparing for the Law School Fair:

What you can do to get the most out of the Fair!

- Review the list of law schools attending the Law School Fair, which can be found on the next page as well as the Law Fair Flyer. You should visit each schools' website and research their programs and what they have to offer. Then, make a list of schools you would like to focus on at the fair.
- Because there are time limitations, prioritize the list of schools you would like to speak to. Start with the law schools you are most interested in first to ensure you have ample time to gather the information you need.
- Prepare a list of questions to ask each law school representative that will help you identify a good match. You may want to consider the following issues: location, program requirements, cost, the availability of financial aid and scholarships, course offerings, facilities, student life, faculty, and program reputation.
- Allow yourself enough time to meet with all of the schools on your list. Arrive early and familiarize yourself with the map of the fair, which is located on the next page.
- The law school representatives may ask you questions, be prepared to answer them. A common question is, "Why do you want to go to law school?"
- Don't be afraid to ask the representatives for their business cards, this will provide you with contact information that you can use in the future to ask questions and gather additional information.
- Collect informational materials such as viewbooks if they are available. It will be good to have this information after the fair to assist you in making educated decisions.
- Bring something to write with, take notes, and be an active listener.
- Consider your wardrobe carefully. It is recommended that you are dressed in business casual attire. You will never get a second chance to make a first impression!

*Adapted from the University of California Berkeley's Career Center website: Law School Fair Tips
<https://career.berkeley.edu/Law/LawFairTips.stm>

Law School Fair Map

Fir Room, Erb Memorial Union

