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Formstack Submission For: **The Florida Bar Young Lawyers Division 2020 Inclusion & Equality Grant Application**

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Proposed Date of Project (Must be within one year from application deadline):

Jan 29, 2021

Proposed Location of Project:

Zoom

Expected Number of Individuals Attending:

60

We have two potential dates for this event. It is

based on the availability of our speakers. The two dates are January 22, 2021 and January 29, 2021.

**Description/Agenda
(Please include a
brief
description/agenda
for your event) :**

- a. The title of the event will be “A Call to Action: Diversity in Law Firms”
- b. This will be a professional career event geared towards minority students that will help equip them for entering the legal profession. Our goal is to provide them with resources and tools that will allow them to overcome imposter syndrome and propel them into being fearless and determined advocates. We would like for this to be a forum that will help minority law students regain their confidence and show them how they can fulfill and achieve their goals post law school. We will utilize the grant fund to cover the cost to be professionally trained by the Career Design Lab, an organization that guides and coach’s minority professionals on best practices that will help them succeed in their respective practices.
- c. Minnis plans to invite students from all the affinity groups at Stetson College of Law.

II. The use of the \$500 grant

- a. As part of the event, we will provide two minority law students (graduating 2021) with a brief resume review and counseling session on future careers. We will be raffling off a free course with the Career Design Lab at the end of the event to two students. The Career Design Lab is an organization that helps diverse professionals achieve success in their respective careers. The Director of the program, Aithnyi Rucker, strives to help diverse professionals reach their career goals. For more information on her program, please visit her website at: <https://www.thecareerdesignlab.com/>
- b. Aithnyi Rucker has already agreed to provide her services to 2 law students for \$500.

**Describe How You
Will Recognize The
Florida Bar Young
Lawyers Division**

- a. We will put them on the flyer and acknowledge that this is a Florida Bar YLD sponsored event.
- b. We will use their Hashtag in all social media postings for the event
- c. We can upload photos from the event to

**for its Support of
Your Event: :**

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Budget:

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