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Formstack Submission For: **The Florida Bar Young Lawyers Division 2021-22 Networking Law Student Grant Application**

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Name of Law School Affiliate :

Florida State University College of Law

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Mailing Address (where The Florida Bar should send grant funds):

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Event Name:

Networking in a Post-Covid Society

Estimated Event Cost:

500

Estimated Attendance:

100

Dollar amount requesting from the Young Lawyers Division of The Florida Bar:

500

Event(s) Description:

After an unorthodox year due to covid, the need for opportunities to network is more important than ever. In order to provide tools not only to those who began law school during these unprecedented times but to those who had to make the difficult transition in the middle of the 2020 spring semester, a discussion about post-covid networking is vital. This event will be an In-Person panel discussion with local YLD members discussing how to overcome the networking challenges presented by covid, followed by a mixer to allow the student body at Florida State College of Law the chance to connect with local attorneys.

Will alcohol be served at the event?:

No

Will any monies received from the YLD be used to purchase alcohol, travel expenses, or attorney hours?:

No

How will the YLD funds be utilized?:

The funds will be utilized to supply food to all those in attendance.

How does your event(s) fit into the parameters of the Networking

This networking mixer will be one of the first networking events at Florida State University College of Law following an entire year of virtual classes. Additionally, this event will assist students in strengthening their networking abilities in a post-covid society, which will ultimately lead to not only career opportunities, but building connections with

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local mentors that can speak directly to their experience about both law school and the transition after graduation.

Will your event(s) benefit any other groups?:

We plan to co-host the event with the Dean's office of Student Affairs & Advancement, Business Law Society, Black Law Student Association, Hispanic Law Student Association and many others to broaden our reach in order to have as many students in attendance as possible. Co-hosting will help with attendance and also create a platform for all groups to connect with YLD, which would ultimately lead to more collaborative events.

Will your event(s) be held via Zoom (or other online web platform), in-person, or a combination of the two?:

In-Person

Proposed date of event (must be held within the 2021-22 school year):

Oct 14, 2021

Describe how you will recognize The Florida Bar Young Lawyers Division for its support of your event:

Other: All of the above.

Budget:

Signature of the LSL Law School Administrator :



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