

Legal Aid – The Next Generation a conference for legal aid trainees

Monday 20th April 2009 - Haberdashers Hall London

Agenda

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| 9.15 – 10.00 | Registration & refreshments |
| 10.00 – 10.15 | Welcome from Legal Services Commissioner Tom Jones OBE |
| 10.15 – 10.40 | Speeches by
Carolyn Regan (Chief Executive LSC),
Hugh Barrett/Patrick Reeve (Executive Director of Commissioning Directorate, LSC/ Head of Strategic Development, LSC)
Richard Miller (Head of Legal Aid Policy, Law Society) |
| 10.40 – 11.15 | Panel session (chaired by Tom) & Q & A (questions to be sent in advance as well as taken from floor)
Panel members: Carolyn Regan, Aika Stephenson (Young LALY 2007), Carol Storer (Director of the LAPG), Richard Miller (Law Society), Zarina Gani (Winner of Criminal Defence Lawyer 2008) and Julie Birch (Director of the Law Centres) |
| 11.15 – 11.30 | Speech by Aika Stephenson |
| 11.30 – 12.00 | Quiz and networking led by Tom Jones |
| 12.00 – 13.00 | Lunch |
| 13.00 – 14.30 | Workshops
Introduction to legal aid & the LSC (recommended if you are currently completing your LPC), Making an LSC application
Obligations to the LSC and your client
Hints & tips on preparing a claim and avoiding rejected claims
Criminal Applications |
| 14.30 – 15.30 | Wrap up speech from Tom Jones |