DEAN'S DIVERSITY LEADERSHIP COUNCIL

Established in 2015, the Dean's Diversity Leadership Council (DDLC) is a student organization dedicated to promoting diversity and fostering a welcoming and inclusive environment for all members of the KU Law community. The DDLC serves as an advisory council to the Dean and to the KU Law Faculty and Staff Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Committee, which assists all members of the KU Law community in diversity and inclusion matters. Among other accomplishments, the DDLC has created and distributed a KU Law Climate Survey, supported programs aimed at undergraduate pre-law students, engaged in community outreach and hosted several campus events focusing on diversity in the legal profession. Moving forward, the DDLC will build on these actions and take an active role in helping to ensure that the KU Law environment is one in which everyone is comfortable talking about their ideas and concerns in a manner that is respectful and productive. The DDLC will also continue its efforts to increase diversity through outreach and education within Green Hall and in the greater legal community.

2019-2020 Council Members:

- Malika Baker (3L)
- Michael Bene (3L)
- Terra Brockman (3L)
- Claudia Chavarria (2L)
- Denise Dantzler (3L)
- Aidan Graybill (2L)
- Delaney Hiegert (2L)
- Saber Hossinei (2L)
- Joy Merklen (3L)
- Bria Nelson (2L)
- Abraham Pfannenstiel (2L)

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

Office of Institutional Opportunity & Access (IOA)

E: ioa@ku.edu

P: 785-864-6414

A: 1082 Dole Human Development Center

Legal Services for Students

E: legals@ku.edu

P: 785-864-5665

A: 2030 Burge Union

1565 Irving Hill Road

Sexual Assault Prevention and Education Center

E: sapec@ku.edu

P: 785-864-5879

A: 1030 Burge Union

1565 Irving Hill Road

Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS)

P: 785-864-2277

A: Watkins Health Services

1200 Schwegler Drive Room 2100

Campus Cupboard

E: campuscupboard@ku.edu

P: 785-864-4060

A: Kansas Union, Level 4

Accessible from SILC offices or Sabatini Multicultural

Resource Center

Professional Clothing Closet*

E: ucc@ku.edu

P: 785-864-3624

A: Summerfield Hall, Room 206

1300 Sunnyside Avenue

*also available in KU Law's Career Services Office!

QUESTIONS?

Please contact a DDLC member or email us at ku-ddlc@googlegroups.com.



DIVERSITY AT KU LAW

KU Law values diversity in its student body and believes that the intentional creation of a learning environment that fosters inclusion and promotes diversity is essential to achieving the university's educational mission. The university fosters a multicultural environment in which the dignity and rights of the individual are respected. The law school's Faculty and Staff Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Committee, its alumni Diversity Advisory Council, its Dean's Diversity Leadership Council and its diverse student organizations help support diversity through workshops, presentations, awareness exercises and social events.





FACULTY AND STAFF DIVERSITY, EQUITY & INCLUSION COMMITTEE

Mission Statement:

Led by Assistant Dean of Academic and Student Affairs Leah Terranova and Clinical Professor of Law Jean Phillips, the Faculty and Staff Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Committee promotes tolerance and professionalism in law school and the practice of law.

2019-2020 Council Members:

- Margaret Hair
- Yolanda Huggins
- Stephen Mazza
- Jean Phillips
- Betsy Six
- Leah Terranova
- Kyle Velte
- Shawn Watts
- Lua Yuille

KU LAW DIVERSITY

Diversity Events

- Diversity in Law Banquet
- Thanksgiving Food Drive
- Thurgood Marshall Law Day
- Diversity Dash
- Pub Night



KU Law Diverse Student Organizations

- Asian Law Students Association (ALSA)
- Black Law Students Association (BLSA)
- First Generation Professionals
- Hispanic American Law Students Association (HALSA)
- Native American Law Students Association (NALSA)
- Non-Traditionals in Law Association (NILA)
- OUTLaws & Allies
- Women in Law (WIL)

DIVERSITY RESOURCES

Office of Diversity & Equity – Office of the Provost

E: diversity@ku.edu

P: 785-864-4904

A: 1450 Jayhawk Boulevard Room 250

Office of Multicultural Affairs

E: oma@ku.edu

P: 785-864-4350

A: 1299 Oread Avenue

Emily Taylor Center for Women & Gender Equity

E: emilytaylorcenter@ku.edu

P: 785-864-3552

A: 1565 Irving Hill Road Suite 1040

Center for Sexuality and Gender Diversity

E: sgd@ku.edu

P: 785-864-4256

A: Kansas Union, Room 400

Sabatini Multicultural Resource Center

1450 Jayhawk Boulevard

International Support Services

E: iss@ku.edu

P: 785-864-3617

A: 1450 Jayhawk Boulevard

Strong Hall, Room 2

Accessible KU

E: accessibility@ku.edu

Academic Achievement and Access Center

E: achieve@ku.edu

P: 785-864-4064

A: 1450 Jayhawk Boulevard

Strong Hall, Room 22

Ombuds Office

E: ombuds@ku.edu

P: 785-864-7261

A: Carruth O'Leary Hall

1246 W. Campus Road, Room 36