The University of Oregon School of Law
William Knight Law Center

Reciprocity Policy

The University of Oregon School of Law offers its Career Center to students and graduates of other member NALP (National Association for Law Placement) schools on the following basis:

1. Our facilities are available to students and graduates from ABA accredited law schools that offer our students and graduates the same privileges. We do not limit the number of referrals from a single school except in the case of a school that permits reciprocity only on a one-to-one basis; in that situation, we will limit the number of referrals in a like manner.

2. We must receive a written request for reciprocity via e-mail from their school’s Career Center. The request should include the student or graduate’s name, address, phone number and graduation year. Walk-in requests will not be granted. Reciprocity is granted for a three-month period from the date of the original request and may be extended for an additional three-month period upon request.

Students and alumni of schools that are members of the NW Consortium of Law Schools are permitted to make requests directly so long as they copy a representative from their Career Center on the e-mailed request. Please follow the directions as outlined on the Consortium website.

3. Our services and facilities are not available to students and graduates from other law schools from **August 1st through November 1st.** Students and alumni from NW Consortium schools are exempt from the blackout period. Online access to job postings will be available during this period only if the Career Center receives a letter from your school via email that specifically states that your school is willing to offer online access to a comparable searchable jobs database to an Oregon Law student or graduate during the same fall blackout period. A copy of your school’s policy must be included in that request. We are happy to accommodate students and graduates from other law schools, but we do not have time during this period to conduct research for each request.

4. The following services are available through reciprocity: online access to job postings only to students/alumni of schools with comparable services; online access is available through the BYU job bank. The password for BYU’s job bank must be obtained through the student/graduate’s own law school Career Center office.

5. The following services are NOT available to students and graduates of other schools: career counseling, resume/cover letter review, check-out of resource materials, use of office equipment, and participation in on-campus interviews or resume collections.

6. When responding to job opportunities found through our office, we request that you state in your cover letters to employers that you obtained the listing through our office.

7. The Career Center office reserves the right to deny reciprocity to individuals who misuse our facilities or fail to comply with reciprocity policies.

Requests for reciprocity should be sent via e-mail to Center for Career Planning and Professional Development at lawjobs@uoregon.edu.

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