

**Speed Mentoring Event
Invitation Language—Final**

INVITE TO ATTORNEYS

Power of Mentoring: How Attorneys Can Empower Law Students & New Lawyers

The Webster-Batchelder American Inn of Court has partnered with University of New Hampshire School of Law, Arthur J. Gajarsa American Inn of Court, and New Hampshire Women's Bar Association to present a free, comprehensive, two-part program on mentoring to promote professionalism, ethical conduct, and excellence in the practice of law. Many of you have joined us in the past for this engaging and enjoyable event series. We hope to welcome you back this year—with some new training materials and new students with whom to speak!—as well as to encourage attorneys who have not joined us previously to come on board.

Session I: Mentor Training

5:00 – 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 14, 2016, at UNH Law

Complimentary hors d'oeuvres

Open to all members of the Webster-Batchelder and Gajarsa American Inns of Court and the NHWBA.

Did you have a mentor who made all the difference when you were starting out in law school or law practice? Are you still in touch with him or her? Ever wish you could strengthen your capacity to “pay it forward” by supporting law students and new attorneys with the mentorship that you had—or perhaps that you wish you had had? Come join us to explore the power of mentoring! Topics addressed in this session will include:

This program may qualify for 65 minutes (actual instruction time) of NHCLE Ethics and Professionalism credits.

Session II: Speed Mentoring

4:15 – 6:15 p.m. on Wednesday, October 12, 2016, at UNH Law

Complimentary hors d'oeuvres

Session II is ONLY open to attorneys who completed Session I either this year or in a past year.

Using a format similar to Speed Dating, attorneys will be assigned tables by mentoring topic and groups of law students will rotate between the tables at the sound of a bell. Participating attorneys will field student questions on particular mentoring topics, such as criminal law practice, IP practice, ethics for young lawyers, networking, and negotiating work/life obligations & opportunities.

Please RSVP for Session I and/or Session II by Monday, September 12, via [this link](#). If you have any questions, please contact Mary Anne Aspell at MaryAnne.Aspell@law.unh.edu or (603) 513-5182. We hope to see you there!

INVITE TO STUDENTS

Hi all,

UNH Law is excited to be collaborating with the Webster-Batchelder & Gajarsa American Inns of Court and New Hampshire Women's Bar Association to promote professionalism, ethical conduct, and excellence in the practice of law with this special **Speed Mentoring** event!

This is a valuable opportunity to meet attorneys practicing in areas that may interest you. Ask questions, make connections, explore career paths you might not have considered before, and have some food and fun at the same time! In a concept similar to speed dating, attorneys (who will have previously completed a training session on mentoring) will be assigned tables by mentoring topic. Groups of law students will rotate between the tables at the sound of a bell. Participating attorneys will be asked to be prepared to field student questions on particular mentoring topics, such as criminal law practice, IP practice, ethics for young lawyers, networking, and negotiating work/life obligations & opportunities.

Wednesday, October 12, 2016 in the Jury Box
4:15 – 6:15 p.m.

* Complimentary hors d'oeuvres*

Please RSVP by **September 30**, through [this link](#). If you have any questions, please ASP, Career Services, or Legal Residencies. Thanks so much, and hope to see you at this unique event!