



Greetings,

The Midwest Region of the National Black Law Students Association (MWNBLSA) would like to invite your BLSA chapter to the 2005 Academic Retreat. The University of Cincinnati College of Law will host the retreat at the Kingsgate Marriott in Cincinnati, Ohio, **Saturday October 1, 2005.**

THE ACADEMIC RETREAT IS FREE TO NBLSA MEMBERS

The 2005 Academic Retreat will include workshops, both academic and career, and seminars. Following the seminars there will be a career reception, giving students the opportunity to meet key stakeholders in the Cincinnati legal community.

After you take care of business, we have planned a party that evening, giving students the opportunity to party with BLSA members from all over the region and the local diverse young professionals.

For those of you who would like to spend the weekend in Cincinnati, several events are happening from Friday through Sunday:

Tyler Perry's play "Madea Goes to Jail" (In town all weekend)
First Fridays (Friday Night)
Cincinnati Bengals vs. Houston Texans (Sunday)
Downtown Tour of Living (Sunday- Free to Participants)
And Much More.....

Hotel Information

Kingsgate Marriott Conference Hotel at University of Cincinnati
Room Rate: \$109/ night

Call 1-888-720-1299 and mention the University of Cincinnati College of Law for the discounted rate.

Make your reservations and register by September 16, 2005.

Thank you,
Christie Bryant
Midwest Region National Black Law Students Association
Academic Retreat Coordinator



**MIDWEST REGION NATIONAL BLACK LAW STUDENTS
ASSOCIATION ACADEMIC RETREAT
SATURDAY OCTOBER 1, 2005
FREE TO NBLSA MEMBERS**

**HOSTED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI
COLLEGE OF LAW**

**THE ACADEMIC RETREAT OFFERS WORKSHOPS TO 1L, 2L AND 3L
STUDENTS ON:**

- Exam preparation/ Legal writing
- Bar preparation
- Networking/ Resume workshops
- Interviewing
- Panel on law firm environments vs. Government, Non Profit and Corporate
- Non traditional legal career
- Law Review and Moot Court
- Community service ideas for BLSA chapters
- AND MUCH MORE

THE LAW FIRM OF ULMER AND BERNE AND THE CINCINNATI BAR ASSOCIATION WILL
HOST A CAREER RECEPTION AFTER THE RETREAT TO GIVE PARTICIPANTS THE
OPPORTUNITY TO MEET KEY STAKEHOLDERS IN THE CINCINNATI LEGAL
COMMUNITY.

DON'T FORGET WE HAVE A PARTY THAT EVENING!!!!!!

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN ATTENDING PLEASE FILL OUT THE ATTACHED
REGISTRATION FORM BY SEPTEMBER 16TH AND SEND TO:

CHRISTIE BRYANT @ bryantci@uc.edu

BLACK LAW STUDENTS ASSOCIATION
MIDWEST REGION
**2005 ACADEMIC RETREAT
REGISTRATION FORM**

**University of Cincinnati
Kingsgate Marriott Conference Center and Hotel
October 1, 2005**

Free for NBLSA Members! Only \$10 for Non-Members!

Business Casual Attire

- 1Ls: Exam Preparation, Legal Writing
- 2Ls/3Ls: Bar Preparation
- Everyone: Networking and Interviewing Skills
- Career Reception with Ulmer & Berne LLP

Registration Information:

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Status: (Law Student, Undergraduate Student,
Other) _____

Class Year: _____

Phone (include area code): _____

Email: _____

Law School: _____

Are you an NBLSA member: _____

Vegetarian/dietary request: _____

Host Hotel Information:

Reserve Your Rooms Early! Limited Room Block! **Reserve by September 16th.**

Kingsgate Marriott Conference Center and Hotel

151 Goodman Drive Cincinnati, OH 45219

1-888-720-1299

\$109.99 per night (please ask for University of Cincinnati College of Law rate)

For additional information, please contact Christie Bryant at bryantci@uc.edu

**Please Note: NBLSA has the wrong date on the website. The
Midwest Region Academic Retreat is October 1st.**