Student Chapter Kickoff

Resources & Opportunities

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What year in school are you?



Student Chapter Social Media

Facebook

- facebook.com/groups/ALDFstudentchaptersdiscussion
- facebook.com/ALDFStudentChapters

Student Chapter Logo

aldf.org/StudentChapterLogo

Social Media Tips & Cover Photos

aldf.org/StudentSocialMedia





Tabling & Event Materials

Event Materials

- Include a banner, tablecloth, & sign
- aldf.org/EventMaterials

Tabling Materials

- Include brochures, issues of The Animals' Advocate, stickers, pens, & more.
- <u>aldf.org/TablingMaterials</u>







Clerkships, Externships, & Volunteer Opportunities

Spring externships & volunteer positions

- Externs may receive academic credit from their law schools
- Volunteers may receive pro bono credits for their law schools

Summer clerkships

- Full-time (35 hours/week) for 10 weeks
- Wage is \$18/hour
- aldf.org/Clerkships





Animal Legal Defense Fund Student Convention

- FREE virtual event on Saturday, September 25th
- Featuring a career panel, breakout groups, & the annual Law Student Scholarship Panel
- aldf.org/StudentConvention







Virtual Animal Law Conference

Transforming our Relationship with Animals

- October 15-17, 2021
- Presented by the Animal Legal Defense Fund & the Center for Animal Law Studies at Lewis & Clark Law School
- Active student chapters will receive a code for free registration!
 - Submit your chapter's officer update to receive the code:
 <u>aldf.org/StudentChapterUpdate</u>







Have you registered for the virtual Animal Law Conference & Student Convention?



Project Grants & Program Guide

- Apply for funding for your chapter's projects or events at aldf.org/Grants
- Student Chapter Program Guide: Wild Animals & the Law
 - Resources to help student chapters focus on a specific priority issue
 - Ideas for events & projects
 - aldf.org/ProgramGuide2021





Animal Law Academy Webinars

- Free informational webinars on both substantive animal law topics
 & practical skills
 - Includes student-only webinars
 - aldf.org/webinars

Upcoming:

- 9/29: Lobbying for Animals: State & Federal Legislative Update, open to all
- 10/6: Farmed Animals & Climate Disasters, students only







Have you attended an Animal Law Academy webinar?



Speak Out for Farmed Animals Month

October 2021

- Yearly event dedicated to raising public awareness about the lack of meaningful laws that protect animals on farms & in slaughterhouses from cruel treatment
 - aldf.org/SOFAM
- Request tabling materials for the month at aldf.org/TablingMaterials
- National Justice for Animals Week in February 2
 - aldf.org/NJAW









Does your chapter have any events or projects planned for Speak Out for Farmed Animals Month?



Scholarships & Course Grants

- Scholarship Program
 - Advancement of Animal Law Scholarships
 - Diversity Scholarships
 - aldf.org/Scholarships
- Course Grants
 - \$5,000
 - New courses or those at risk of elimination
 - aldf.org/CourseGrants





Leadership Tips

- Hold elections in the spring
 - Have spots for 1L, 2L Reps
 - Be sure to pass on important documents to new board
- A mix of in-person and virtual events can increase your reach
- Work with other student groups to increase your audience and build relationships
- Start a peer-to-peer mentor match with members, particularly 1Ls
- Build a compassionate community where people feel welcome, supported, and empowered





Thank you!

We can't do this without you!

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