

A person wearing a white lab coat is shown from the side, looking at a tablet. The tablet displays a cityscape with blue and white buildings. The background is a dark, textured wall with a repeating diamond pattern. A purple rectangular box is overlaid on the image, containing the text 'Lawyer In the Making'.

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Welcome

A very warm welcome to all of you considering undertaking the Virtual Law Work Experience - American Programme (wow, that's a long name!).

Why should you undertake this Programme?

I created this programme, because a few years ago I undertook something similar and it honestly was brilliant. Sadly, after looking online no one else really runs this sort of thing, and because I still get asked questions about the programme - I decided to create one!

This programme will:

- enhance your research skills
- enhance your writing skills for short form content
- teach you about a new jurisdiction
- teach you about new areas of law
- and lots more!

American Programme



Why America?

Well, when I undertook the Programme it was just a New York Legal Work Experience Programme - which was great, but I wanted to branch out slightly, and give you all as much exposure of other areas and laws as possible!



Application Form

I have created an application form, this is so that I have all of your basic details to hand - and also an address to send your final certificate.

I also need you to send me across a copy of CV (don't worry if you don't have much on it, it is just so I can check you are at the stage of a degree or above, in terms of education).

Costs

As you will have seen the cost is £250 for the programme. When I undertook the programme it was £399 and so when creating this I wanted it to be cheaper but still of good value!

Special Offer if booked before End of March 2016
£200 only!

Agreement and Checklist

I have created an Agreement which I will need you to sign when you pay your £50 deposit. This contains all of the terms that we will both agree on.

You will also receive a checklist so that you can see everything that needs to be done over the course of the programme!

Referral Package

I am offering a referral, money back scheme for you!

You get £5 for each person you refer to the programme, up to a maximum of 3 people. I will transfer this money back to you.

To receive the referral scheme you have to be signed up on to the programme, and your friends have to quote your name when they sign up to the programme.

Work Involved

Here is the fun part, what do you need to do to get your certificate:

- I will contact you and arrange a welcome seminar (if we cannot agree a time, I will send you a recorded one)
- I will also send you a pack about the Law Firm you will be writing for, and also some key information about the legal systems in America and your particular state
- Complete 6 pieces of work, these will be content based, they might be blog posts, case analysis or some other task
- Then write a 1000 word piece on an area of law you have focussed on during the programme
- I will then post your Certificate on completion of the programme

You will be given a full brief for each task and the final task.

I would expect you to spend anywhere between 2-4 hours on each task.

Please do not just copy content from other law firm websites!

Law Firms

There are so many law firms that are already signed up on the programme!

These range from large corporate firms to smaller more boutique firms.

They all will provide a great opportunity for you, as well as different areas of law, and different legal styles.

I hope you will have as much contact as possible with the law firms, but it depends on how busy they are at a given time.

I will be included in all emails and will be giving you your briefs. I hope to get you speaking with the law firms regularly!

What do you need to do next?

- Send rebecca@lawyerinthemaking.co.uk an email to say that you want to go ahead
- You will receive an Application Form, this is just so we have your basic information and details down. Send this back to us ASAP with your CV and also the £50 deposit.
- Once that is received, you will begin the course within 2 weeks and the full amount needs to be paid prior to commencing the Programme

I really hope you take up this opportunity, it is a great chance to work on your legal writing skills, learn about a new jurisdiction and a new area of law!

Questions

If you have any further questions please do not hesitate to get in touch with me.

Please do share my email address with anyone else who you think may be interested!



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