



August 28, 2023

Good morning, Trojans We hope you had a great first week of classes. Welcome to the first Pre-Law & Graduate School Advising Newsletter of the 2023-2024 academic year. We hope you find this weekly newsletter useful to help you stay informed on upcoming events, internships, and other related opportunities on or around campus. If there is anything you would like us to consider for the newsletter please let us know!

*"The future depends on what you do today." – Mahatma Gandhi*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### October 2023 LSAT Registration

The October 2023 LSAT will be administered on Friday, October 13 and Saturday, October 14. In most cases, test takers will have the option to choose the day and time of their test when scheduling opens. *The deadline to register for the October 2023 LSAT is **Thursday, August 31 at 11:59 p.m. ET**.* See more information and register for the exam [here](#).

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### USC JEP Pre-Law Project Information Sessions **Tuesday, August 29 | 6:30-7:30PM PT | Virtual**

The Pre-Law Project is a program under JEP that is committed to providing all USC students potentially interested in law-related careers with real legal experiences. The goal is to provide these opportunities so that students can explore the field of law before ever making the decision to apply to law school. By partnering with public interest law firms and civil rights organizations, students are able to secure legal internships of a variety of commitment levels. All students regardless of their year or major are invited to apply!

To apply, you must attend one of the mandatory information sessions via [Zoom](#).

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Crafting Your Path: Resume and Cover Letter 101  
Tuesday, August 29 | 11:30AM-12:30PM PT | STU B3

Join us for an engaging and empowering workshop, “Crafting Your Path: Resume and Cover Letter 101” where you’ll unlock the secrets to creating impactful resumes and cover letters that grab attention and open doors to new opportunities. Register [here](#).

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USC Trial Advocacy Information Session  
Tuesday, August 29 | 8PM PT | Virtual

The USC Trial Advocacy program competes on the American Mock Trial Association circuit. The program is open to all undergraduate students at USC, regardless of Mock Trial experience or major. Under the coaching of skilled trial attorneys, team members learn how to hone their craft in order to argue objections, present speeches, conduct witness examinations, and portray witnesses effectively. Apply [here](#).

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USC Center for the Political Future Fall 2023 Open House  
Tuesday, August 29 | 4-5PM PT | SOS B15

Join the USC Dornsife Center for the Political Future, USC Political Union, and VoteSC to kick off the semester at the Fall 2023 Open House. Learn about internships, courses, scholarships, Fellows, the CPF team, and upcoming events. Share your ideas for what you would like to see at CPF and learn how to get involved with student organizations USC Political Union and VoteSC. Register [here](#).

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Student Sustainability Committee Information Session  
Wednesday, August 30 | 7PM PT | Virtual

USC's Presidential Working Group on Sustainability (PWG) is accepting applications for its Student Committee! All USC students are eligible to apply and no prior experience is required. We are looking for students who are passionate about sustainability and eager to engage in change-making through the university. Register [here](#).

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Arts and Climate Collective Information Session  
Wednesday, August 30 | 12-1PM PT | STU101

The Arts & Climate Collective seeks to uplift the work of students and build a diverse community of people at USC who are passionate about using the arts, media, and culture to address urgent issues of environmental justice and sustainability. Want to know more or have questions? Register [here](#).

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The MBA Tour: North America  
Thursday, August 31 | 4-6:30PM PT | Virtual

Are you exploring your business school options? Sign up for The MBA Tour North America to learn about MBA programs and more. Register [here](#).

## INTERNSHIPS & JOBS

Healthcare Policy Intern @ The Century Foundation (Remote)  
connectSC ID: 350959

Finance Intern @ Raytheon Technologies (Remote)  
connectSC ID: 351635

Development Intern @ SuperSpecial (Los Angeles, CA)  
connectSC ID: 348476

Student Intern @ USC Trojan Athletic Fund (Los Angeles, CA)  
connectSC ID: 350752

USC Campus Ambassador @ Teach for America (Los Angeles, CA)  
connectSC ID: 349866

Head to [connectSC](#) to find more internships and jobs!

## OPPORTUNITIES

USC Model United Nations  
**Application due Friday, September 1**

USC's Model United Nations Team was created with the purpose of allowing students the opportunity to compete and debate a wide range of issues in unique, contemporary, and diverse committees. Apply [here](#).

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JEP Pre-Law Project  
**Application due Friday, September 1**

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2023-2024 USC Student Sustainability Committee  
**Application due by Friday, September 8**

USC's Presidential Working Group on Sustainability in Research, Education, and Operations (PWG), a sustainability advisory body for the university, is accepting applications for its Student Committee! All USC students are eligible to apply, and no prior experience is required. We are looking for students who are passionate about sustainability and eager to engage in changemaking through the university. Committee members are also encouraged to initiate and lead innovative sustainability projects in partnership with USC staff and faculty. Apply [here](#).

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## QUESTION OF THE WEEK

What are some student organizations that I should join to better prepare for law school or graduate school?

Graduate and law schools love to see students explore what they are passionate about and relate those interests to your goal of attending graduate or law school. Find one of two organizations that resonate with what you love to do and what you love learning about and you will be well on your way!



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