

The Career Services Office of the School of Law at Southern Illinois University at Carbondale is pleased to develop reciprocal arrangements with other ABA-accredited law schools.

Reciprocity is available to students and graduates of other law schools under the following conditions.

A request for reciprocity must be made in writing by the requesting Career Services Office and must be received at least one week in advance of the requesting student's need for access. Visiting students attending the SIU School of Law for one or more semesters do not need to request to use reciprocity; they have the same privileges as students who are currently enrolled.

When reciprocity is approved for a student or graduate of another law school, it is granted for a three-month period which commences the day reciprocity is granted.

Reciprocity will be granted to students and graduates of ABA-accredited law schools willing to provide reciprocal services to Southern Illinois University School of Law students and in accordance with the NALP policies posted at www.nalp.org.

Students that are granted reciprocity will have access to the SIU School of Law Symplicity CSM website, a website where employers post job positions. Students can also meet either in person (or by phone) with Career Services staff for career counseling. Reciprocal services may be restricted to those that the requesting law school is willing to provide in turn.

Students and graduates of other law schools will not be permitted to participate in on-campus interviews, off-campus interviews or résumé collections scheduled by the Career Services Office. Students will also not have access to The Career Services Blog, but can/should ask about recent blog postings during their reciprocity period.

In any given year, reciprocity will not be limited to a particular number of students or graduates per law school unless the number of requests becomes cumbersome or the law school requesting reciprocity places a limit on the number of students or graduates it would provide reciprocity services to, in which case the number to whom reciprocity can be granted will be restricted to the number and time period set by the requesting law school.

Reciprocity may be cancelled or denied to any individual who misuses the services or resources of the Career Services Office. Any misuse will also be reported to the requesting Career Services Office.

Reciprocity requests can be emailed to: lawjobs@siu.edu or mailed to: Office of Career Services, Southern Illinois University School of Law, Mailcode 6804, Lesar Law Building, 1150 Douglas Drive, Carbondale, IL 62901. PH: 618.453.8763, FAX: 618.453.8769.

The Southern Illinois University School of Law is committed to a policy of providing its students and graduates with equal opportunity to obtain employment without discrimination or segregation on the ground of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, age, disability, or sexual orientation. It is the School of Law's firm expectation that employers to whom the School furnishes assistance or facilities for interviewing or other career services functions will observe this principle of equal opportunity. In requesting assistance or facilities, employers are affirming their intent to abide by the above-stated policy.