

To our Alumni and Employer Partners:

The effects of the COVID-19 pandemic are increasingly widespread. Our school, like many others around the globe, has transitioned to virtual learning while we do everything we can to retain some level of normalcy for our students.

As we wrap up the school year, our students and upcoming graduates face an abnormal hardship finding positions and internships as businesses are focused on solving immediate needs.

We have transitioned to online classes and digital services as we do everything we can to support our students during this unprecedented time. One of the crucial services we offer is access to our online career portal, the Gonzaga Legal Applicant Window (ZagLAW), powered by 12Twenty, which can be accessed here <https://law-gonzaga.12twenty.com/hire>.

In these uncertain times, we are reaching out for help from our community. If you are in a growing industry that needs talent or looking for short-term help, we would be grateful for your partnership. 12Twenty allows us to work together with you to create new opportunities and to connect you with the student talent at Gonzaga University School of Law.

Here are some ways you can help us make a difference:

- If your team or organization has a full-time job or summer internship available in your team or organization, please post it on our ZagLAW 12Twenty platform.
- When posting a position that allows remote work, please select "Remote/Telecommute" as the job posting "Location."
- If you are open to engaging our students on a new or an existing project, including a special initiative (e.g., COVID-19-related), consider adding it to our ZagLAW 12Twenty platform under the "temporary/consulting" option. Particularly for first-year students considering careers in a new field or industry, the ability to gain experience over the summer is crucial.
- If you are not able to participate in on-campus recruitment, list your virtual events (employee panels, culture tours, Q&A sessions, etc) in ZagLAW and let us promote these to our students.

Many of you may have graduated during difficult times and relied on those who came before you to provide much-needed assistance. Please consider this an opportunity to pay it forward, knowing that our students will do the same when given their turn.

To those of you who may need support during this tumultuous time, please know that all of us at the Center for Professional Development are here to assist you. We have a range of resources you can leverage, and we hope you will take advantage of these services if you need them. If you have any difficulty accessing the ZagLAW 12Twenty platform, please email Jennifer Gill at GillJ@gonzaga.edu.

The strength of our community, and especially its alumni and employer partners, has long been a hallmark of Gonzaga Law. We are grateful for your partnership in these difficult times.

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