

From Challenge to Opportunity: Charting Career Success as a Diverse Lawyer

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Summary

As diverse lawyers advance in their careers, knowing how to create opportunity within one's organization becomes increasingly important. Creating opportunities affords diverse lawyers more relationship capital, additional avenues for advancement, and more overall security in their careers. This program will equip participants to: Identify their most important stakeholders; Talk about what they do in an engaging manner; and Build relationships that create opportunities over time.

Materials

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