

SBM STATE BAR OF MICHIGAN

Events During Pro Bono Month 2015 Season

Da	ate	Time	Event Title	Event Description	Event Location	Contact Information
	(1/2015- 1/24/2015	6:00-7:30p.m.	Common Ground Legal Clinic	Common Ground Legal Services provides a weekly clinic on Tuesdays for individuals to meet privately with an attorney in a confidential setting to receive brief advice, counsel, and referrals. A crisis worker may also be on hand to assist with crisis intervention. Services are free of charge and open to the public. There are no appointments required, however, attorney consultations are based on availability, i.e. the number of attorneys volunteering at the clinic that day. Legal advice can be given in a wide range of practice areas including, but not limited to: family, landlord/tenant, bankruptcy, probate, and criminal law. Direct representation is not offered.	Common Ground Administration Building, 1410 S. Telegraph Rd., Bloomfield Hills	(800) 231.1127, commongroundhelps.org
	/3/2015- 1/19/2015	11:00a.m12:30p.m.	Common Ground Legal Clinic	Common Ground Legal Services provides a weekly clinic on Thursdays for individuals to meet privately with an attorney in a confidential setting to receive brief advice, counsel, and referrals. A crisis worker may also be on hand to assist with crisis intervention. Services are free of charge and open to the public. There are no appointments required, however, attorney consultations are based on availability, i.e. the number of attorneys volunteering at the clinic that day. Legal advice can be given in a wide range of practice areas including, but not limited to: family, landlord/tenant, bankruptcy, probate, and criminal law. Direct representation is not offered. Cell phones and devices with cameras are not allowed in the court room.	Oakland County Law and Research Library, 1200 N. Telegraph Rd., Bldg. 14 East, West Wing Extension, 2nd Floor, Pontiac	(800) 231.1127, commongroundhelps.org
	/3/2015- L/23/2015	12:00-3:00p.m.	PPO Affidavit Assistance Project	Are you a victim of domestic violence or stalking? Do you want an attorney's assistance to prepare the PPO application? Help is available! Volunteer attorneys are available to provide free assistance to low-income petitioners. No appointment necessary. Mondays and Thursdays 12:00-3:00p.m. This service is not affiliated with the Wayne County Clerk's Office. Attorneys, please view the following training before volunteering for the program: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Nu-Sfk_BK8A	The Attorney Resource Center, 12th Floor—Room 1207, Coleman A. Young Municipal Center	(313) 568-5408 (info only)
4 9/	15/2015	5:45p.m.	Wine and Cheese Reception Honoring USPTO Director Christal Sheppard	Please join the Michigan State University College of Law's Intellectual Property, Information, and Communications Law Program (IPIC) at a wine and cheese reception to honorChristal Sheppard, Director of the Elijah J. McCoy United States Patent and Trademark Office in Detroit. Director Sheppard will deliver brief remarks followed by an informal discussion about supporting the intellectual property bar and helping build the Michigan and U.S. economies. Director Sheppard will also discuss the importance of the Michigan Patent Pro Bono Project. RSVP to Professor Adam Candeub, IPIC Director, at candeub@law.msu.edu.	Castle Board Room, MSU College of Law, East Lansing	Professor Adam Candeub, candeub@law.msu.edu
5 9/	16/2015	12:00-1:00p.m.	Information Session	David Berry, Patent Pro Bono Project Steering Committee Chair, and Robert Mathis, SBM Pro Bono Service Counsel, will provide information to interested attorneys about joining the Patent Pro Bono Project. The Project was launched in November of 2014 to provide pro bono legal assistance to low-income clients needing legal assistance involving patent cases.	Cornerstone Alliance, 38 W. Wall St., Benton Harbor, MI 49022	Robert Mathis, rmathis@mail.michbar.org, (517) 346-6412.
6 9/	17/2015	5:30-6:30p.m.	Michigan Legal Help Law Student Pro Bono Training	Michigan Legal Help staff will conduct a training for pro bono students who will help with MLH's live chat function throughout the month of September. Trainees are asked to commit to yolunteer 1-2 hours per week online for a total of 50 hours.	MSU College of Law, East Lansing	michiganlegalhelp.org
	/18/2015- /20/2015	2:00-4:00p.m.		On Friday, September 18th, various pro bono projects will conduct informational sessions for new volunteers. On Sunday, September 20th, several pro bono projects will conduct trainings for new volunteers.	University of Michigan Law School, 701 S. State St., Ann Arbor	Amy Sankaran, (734) 764-7787, aharwell@umich.edu, https://www.law.umich.edu/care /probono/Pages/default.aspx

8	9/18/2015	3:30-3:45p.m.	Student Pro Bono	Michigan Legal Help staff will conduct a brief information session for pro bono students who will help with MLH's live chat function as part of U of M's Pro Bono Fair.	U of M Law School Fair, Ann Arbor	michiganlegalhelp.org
9	9/19/2015	12:00-1:00p.m.	Information Session University of Michigan Law School Pro Bono Launch Lunch	Lunch and meeting for students who are interested in hearing about UM Law's Pro Bono Pledge and how they can get involved.	U of M Law School, 701 S. State St., Ann Arbor	Amy Sankaran, (734) 764-7787, aharwell@umich.edu
10	9/20/2015	2:30-4:00p.m.	Michigan Legal Help Law	Michigan Legal Help staff will conduct a training for pro bono students who will help with MLH's live chat function throughout the month of September. Trainees are asked to commit to volunteer 1-2 hours per week online for a total of 50 hours.	U of M Law School, Ann Arbor	michiganlegalhelp.org
11	9/21/2015	12:00-1:00p.m.	Steven Scudder Talk at U of M Law	MLaw is pleased to have Steven Scudder of the ABA Standing Committee on Pro Bono and Public Service on campus to talk about "Celebrating the Role of Lawyer as Difference Maker."	U of M Law School, Ann Arbor	Amy Sankaran, (734) 764-7787, aharwell@umich.edu
12	9/23/2015	12:00-1:00p.m.		Michigan Legal Help staff will conduct a training for pro bono students who will help with MLH's live chat function throughout the month of September. Trainees are asked to commit to volunteer 1-2 hours per week online for a total of 50 hours.	WMU Cooley Law School, Lansing	michiganlegalhelp.org
13	9/23/2015	4:30-7:00p.m.	_	Volunteer attorneys and legal aid providers will be on-site to provide basic legal information and brief advice and counsel in areas including: Juvenile Law, Family Law, Criminal Law, Landlord/Tenant and Bankruptcy. If you are interested in attending please contact the OCBA at (248) 334-3400. RSVP's are appreciated but not required.	Ferndale Public Library, 222 E 9 Mile Rd, Ferndale, MI 48220	Catherine Neal, (248) 334-3400, cneal@ocba.org, http://www.ocba.org/events/free-legal-aid-mini-clinicferndale-public library/
14	9/24/2015	3:30-6:00p.m.		Please join the Transgender Legal Defense and Education Fund and Dykema for a training benefiting the Name Change Project, which provides pro bono name change representation to transgender community members in Michigan. The training will be followed by a cocktail reception with the Transgender Legal Defense and Education Fund's Executive Director, Michale D. Silverman. Training will be live and via webinar. Please RSVP: https://www.cvent.com/events/transgender-legal-defense-education-fund/registration-ac272b37f3a04b1fb8224dfece8bb13b.aspx?i=a512ba39-f835-4e05-90c7-2393e169fdba	Dykema Bloomfield Hills Office: 39577 Woodward Ave, Suite 300	https://www.cvent.com/events/transgender-legal-defense-education-fund/registration-ac272b37f3a04b1fb8224dfece8bb13b.aspx?i=a512ba39-f835-4e05-90c7-2393e169fdba
	9/28/2015- 10/2/2015	9:00a.m5:00p.m.	2015 MPLP Roadshow	The 2015 Michigan Poverty Law Program Roadshow will be held from October 6-10 at the Okemos Conference Center. This week-long training will cover the following topics: elder law on Monday, consumer law on Tuesday, family law on Wednesday, public benefits on Thursday, and housing law on Friday.	Okemos Conference Center, Okemos	http://www.mplp.org/Events/20 15%20roadshow
16	9/28/2015	12:00p.m.	SBM UP TourLunch with Chippewa County Bar Association	SBM President-elect Lori Buiteweg will continue the long standing presidential tradition of making a multi-day, multi-city visit to the U.P. Join your local bar members and the Tour delegation at one of the seven stops on this year's U.P. Tour. Among other topics, Lori will talk about the importance of attorneys participating in pro bono.	Lake Superior State University, Cisler Center in The Crow's Next, 650 W. Easterday Ave., Sault Ste. Marie	President Jillian Sadler: (906) 635- 6342
17	9/28/2015	5:30p.m.	SBM UP TourReception with Delta County Bar Association	SBM President-elect Lori Buiteweg will continue the long standing presidential tradition of making a multi-day, multi-city visit to the U.P. Join your local bar members and the Tour delegation at one of the seven stops on this year's U.P. Tour. Among other topics, Lori will talk about the importance of attorneys participating in pro bono.	Crispigna's Restaurant, 1213 Ludington Street, Escanaba	President Katherine J. Clark, (906) 786-3902
18	9/29/2015	12:00p.m. (CST)		SBM President-elect Lori Buiteweg will continue the long standing presidential tradition of making a multi-day, multi-city visit to the U.P. Join your local bar members and the Tour delegation at one of the seven stops on this year's U.P. Tour. Among other topics, Lori will talk about the importance of attorneys participating in pro bono.	Pine Grove Country Club, 1520 W. Hughitt Street, Iron Mountain	Dickinson County Bar Association President Abbey Anderson, (906) 774-1294. Iron County Bar Association President Hannah Goodman, (906) 875-7451
19	9/29/2015	12:15-1:15p.m.		Michigan Legal Help staff will conduct a training for pro bono students who will help with MLH's live chat function throughout the month of September. Trainees are asked to commit to volunteer 1-2 hours per week online for a total of 50 hours.	Wayne State Law School, Detroit	michiganlegalhelp.org
20	9/29/2015	5:30p.m. (CST)	and Dinner with Gogebic- Ontanagon Bar Association	SBM President-elect Lori Buiteweg will continue the long standing presidential tradition of making a multi-day, multi-city visit to the U.P. Join your local bar members and the Tour delegation at one of the seven stops on this year's U.P. Tour. Among other topics, Lori will talk about the importance of attorneys participating in pro bono. Dinner will be served at 6:00n m. (CST)	Gogegib Country Club, Elk & Hound, 10233 Country Club Rd., Ironwood	President Michael K. Pope, (906) 932 4010
21	9/30/2015	12:00p.m.		SBM President-elect Lori Buiteweg will continue the long standing presidential tradition of making a multi-day, multi-city visit to the U.P. Join your local bar members and the Tour delegation at one of the seven stops on this year's U.P. Tour. Among other topics, Lori will talk about the importance of attorneys participating in pro bono.	Ramada Waterfront Restaurant, 99 Navy St., Hancock	James Cone, (906) 482-0770

22	9/30/2015	5:00-8:00p.m.	2015 UDM Law Mentor Jet Program	Speed network with local lawyers and judges! Reception to follow the program. Sponsored by UDM Law, Detroit Metropolitan Bar Association, WLAM-Wayne, National Association of Women Judges.	UDM Law School Atrium, 651 East Jefferson Avenue, Detroit, MI 48226	Judge Michell Rick, National Association of Women Judges, (989) 224-5130, RickM@clinton-
23	9/30/2015	5:30p.m.	SBM UP TourReception with Marquette County Bar Association	SBM President-elect Lori Buiteweg will continue the long standing presidential tradition of making a multi-day, multi-city visit to the U.P. Join your local bar members and the Tour delegation at one of the seven stops on this year's U.P. Tour. Among other topics, Lori will talk about the importance of attorneys participating in pro bono.	Landmark Inn Board Room, 230 N. Front Ste., Marquette	President Erica N. Payne Roell, (906) 226-2543
24	TBD	TBD		Michigan Legal Help staff will conduct a training for pro bono students who will help with MLH's live chat function throughout the month of September. Trainees are asked to commit to volunteer 1-2 hours per week online for a total of 50 hours.	UDM Law School	michiganlegalhelp.org
25	10/1/2015		Official Pro Bono Month 2015 Kick-Off	For the seventh year, the State Bar of Michigan has designated October as Pro Bono Month. All across the country, lawyers will be taking part in events to educate the public and the legal profession about pro bono legal services.	State Wide	Robert Mathis, rmathis@mail.michbar.org, (517) 346-6412.
26	10/1/2015	9:45a.m2:00p.m.	Oakland County Bar Association Senior Law Day	Senior Law Day is designed to help educate senior members of the community on different areas of law and to assist attendees in finding answers to their legal questions. RSVP to the Costick Center by calling (248) 473- 1830. This event is generously sponsored by the Oakland County Bar Foundation.		Angela Nazak, (248) 473-1830, http://www.ocba.org/events/senior- law-day/
27	10/1/2014- 10/29/2014	Thursdays 1-5 p.m.	Eviction Diversion Program	Every Thursday, clinicians from the MSU Housing Clinic provide services to people who are facing eviction in the 55th District Court.	55th District Court, Mason	palazz39@law.msu.edu
28	10/1/2015	8:00a.m12:00p.m.	MSU Chance at Childhood Self-Help Center	The Self-Help Center will provide limited consultations/assistance regarding completing forms, motions, or complaints in domestic relations matters. The Chance at Childhood Program is Sponsored by the MSU School of Social Work and the MSU College of Law.	303 W. Kalamazoo St., Lansing, Veterans Memorial Courthouse	palazz39@law.msu.edu
29	10/7/2015- 10/9/2015		Annual MeetingJustice Initiatives Booth with A Lawyer Helps Information	Learn about the Justice Initiatives and A Lawyer Helps at the Justice Initiatives booth located in the vendor area at the SBM Annual Meeting.	Suburban Collection Showcase, Novi	Robert Mathis, rmathis@mail.michbar.org, (517) 346-6412.
30	10/7/2015	6:30-9:00p.m.	State Bar of Michigan Awards Banquet	Join us as we pay tribute to our members who have achieved the highest honors in areas of leadership, professional integrity, and community service.	Suburban Collection Showcase, Novi	http://www.michbar.org/annual meeting
31	10/9/2015	8:00a.m12:00p.m.	MSU Chance at Childhood Self-Help Center	The Self-Help Center will provide limited consultations/assistance regarding completing forms, motions, or complaints in domestic relations matters. The Chance at Childhood Program is Sponsored by the MSU School of Social Work and the MSU College of Law.	303 W. Kalamazoo St., Lansing, Veterans Memorial Courthouse	palazz39@law.msu.edu
32	10/14/2015	8:00-8:30a.m.	Oakland County Pro Bono Breakfast	The Judiciary of the Oakland County Circuit Court is hosting a continental breakfast for probono attorneys. RSVP to Karen Koshen: (248) 858-0296 or koshenk@oakgov.com	West Wing Judicial Conference Room, 1200 N. Telegraph, Pontiac	Karen Koshen: (248) 858-0296 or koshenk@oakgov.com
33	10/14/2015	8:00a.m12:00p.m.	Self-Help Center	The Self-Help Center will provide limited consultations/assistance regarding completing forms, motions, or complaints in domestic relations matters. The Chance at Childhood Program is Sponsored by the MSU School of Social Work and the MSU College of Law.	303 W. Kalamazoo St., Lansing, Veterans Memorial Courthouse	palazz39@law.msu.edu
34	10/14/2015	4:30-6:30p.m.	Jackson Office Legal Services of South Central Michigan Open House	Legal Services of South Central Michigan, formerly Michigan Advocacy Program, is celebrating our 50th Anniversary with a dinner event and several open houses in the communities we help.	Jackson Office of LSSCM, 540 N. Jackson, Jackson	miadvocacy.org
35	10/15/2015	5:00-7:00p.m.	Lansing Legal Services of South Central Michigan Open House	Legal Services of South Central Michigan, a division of the Michigan Advocacy Program, is celebrating our 50th Anniversary this year.	Lansing LSSCM Office, 3490 Belle Chase Way, Lansing	miadvocacy.org

36	10/20/2015	4:30-7:00p.m.	Oakland County Bar Association Free Legal Aid Mini Clinic	Volunteer attorneys and legal aid providers will be on-site to provide basic legal information and brief advice and counsel in areas including: Juvenile Law, Family Law, Criminal Law, Landlord/Tenant and Bankruptcy. If you are interested in attending please contact the OCBA at (248) 334-3400. RSVP's are appreciated but not required.	Farmington Community Library, 32737 W. 12 Mile Rd, Farmington Hills, MI 48334	Catherine Neal, (248) 334-3400, cneal@ocba.org, http://www.ocba.org/events/free- legal-aid-mini-clinicfarmington-
37	10/22/2015	8:00a.m12:00p.m.		The Self-Help Center will provide limited consultations/assistance regarding completing forms, motions, or complaints in domestic relations matters. The Chance at Childhood Program is Sponsored by the MSU School of Social Work and the MSU College of Law.	303 W. Kalamazoo St., Lansing, Veterans Memorial Courthouse	community-library/ palazz39@law.msu.edu
38	10/22/2015	4:30-6:30p.m.	Battle Creek Legal Services of South Central Michigan Open House	Legal Services of South Central Michigan, formerly Michigan Advocacy Program, is celebrating our 50th Anniversary with a dinner event and several open houses in the communities we help.	Battle Creek LSSCM Office, 123 West Territorial Road, Battle Creek	miadvocacy.org
39	10/22/2015	4:30-7:30p.m.	Ask a Lawyer Event	The purpose of this event is to provide citizens of our community with access to an attorney for a free consultation of up to 30 minutes on a variety of legal issues, including: bankruptcy, family law, soial security disability, estate planning, unemployment, employment, workers' compensation, landlord-tenant, and foreclosure. Sponsored by the Ingham County Bar Association and Legal Services of South Central Michigan.	Cooley Law School Lobby, 300 S. Capitol Ave, Lansing	Helen "Lizzie" Mills: (517) 381-3209, hmills@fsbrlaw.com. Ray Harris: (517) 371-5361, rharris@borpc.com
40	10/22/2015	5:30-7:30p.m.	Floyd Skinner Bar Association 2015 Scholarship Reception	The Floyd Skinner Bar Association invites you to its annual Scholarship Reception. Enjoy light hor d'oeuvres as the Association honors the recipients of the scholarship and shares information about its mission. Information on Grand Rapids Bar Association website grbar.org. RSVP to Francesca Ferguson at francesca.ferguson@usdoj.gov	Bar Divani Restaurant and Galley, 15 Opmoa Ave SW, Grand Rapids, MI 49503	Francesca Ferguson, (616) 456-2404 francesca.ferguson@usdoj.gov
41	10/22/2015	5:30-7:30p.m.	John N. Vlachos Award	Join us for the 20th Anniversary of the John Vlachos Award. This year we are not honoring any one individual, but rather we are celebrating the spirit of pro bono publico service that John Vlachos instilled in all of us. Sponsored by Vlachos & Vlachos and Legal Aid of Western Michigan. For event details and registration: http://events.constantcontact.com/register/event?llr=ghbws8qab&oeidk=a07ebmeqs8gacc	Niko's Lansing, 5852 King Hwy., Comstock	Lacy Cook, LAWM, (616) 608-8044, lcook@legalaidwestmich.net
42	10/23/2015	9:00a.m2:00p.m.	Naturalization Workshop	You will be assisting about twenty elderly refugees apply for naturalization. We will be partnering with Senior Neighbors in Grand Rapids to do so. No prior knowledge of immigration law is required. Participants must watch a 90-minute YouTube webinar to be prepared for completing the application. Please contact Michigan Immigrant Rights Center by Friday, October 16 if you are interested in volunteering. We will provide snacks and lunch. Sponsored by Michigan Immigrant Rights Center.	Senior Neighbors, 678 Front Street NW, Suite 205, Grand Rapids	Ruby Robinson, (734) 239-6863, rubyr@michiganimmigrant.org
43	10/23/2015	1:00-5:00p.m.	Pro Bono Family Law Training	The State Bar of Michigan's Domestic Violence Committee is offering an in-person training at the Auburn Hills campus of WMU Cooley Law School, with a simultaneous broadcast to WMU Cooley's campuses in Lansing and Grand Rapids. The event is free of charge with the commitment to accept a pro bono family law case within six months of the training. The training will be provided by attorneys with many years of hands-on family law experience and will cover trauma-informed practice, substantive legal issues, pleadings, and pretrial and trial practices as they relate to family law cases with domestic violence components. This training is excellent for attorneys who are new to the area of family law and domestic violence, or experienced attorneys looking for a refresher course. Training Registration: https://michbar.wufoo.com/forms/2015-pro-bono-family-law-training/	WMU Cooley Law School, all campuses	Robert Mathis, rmathis@mail.michbar.org, (517) 346-6412.
44	10/26/2015		Annual Pro Bono Appreciation Luncheon and Awards	Guest speaker will be Michigan Supreme Court Justice Richard H. Bernstein. Sponsored by the Saginaw County Bar Association.	The Saginaw Club, Saginaw	Marilyn Hackett, mhackett@lsem.org
	10/27/2015	11:00a.m1:00p.m.	Legal Advice Clinic	Volunteer attorneys from the Saginaw County Bar Association will provide legal advice to Consumers attending lunch at the Soup Kitchen.	East Side Soup Kitchen, E. Genesee Ave, Saginaw MI	Marilyn Hackett, mhackett@lsem.org
46	10/27/2015	4:30-7:00p.m.	Detroit Pro Bono Happy Hour	Drop in for a fun social event for members of the private bar and legal service providers to network and discuss pro bono opportunities.	Chartreuse Kitchen & Cocktails, Detroit	rmathis@mail.michbar.org

47 10/28/2014	9:30a.m4:00p.m.	7th Annual Kelley Lecture and 6th Annual Justice Initiatives summit	The Honorable Jonathan Lippman, Chief Judge fo the State of New York, will deliver this year's Kelley Lecture. Lunch will feature Renee Newman Knake discussion "Legal Futurism and its Impact on Access to Justice. This year's summit will provide an opportunity for all major players in justice initiatives issues to exchange perspectives and information on legal futurism and its impact on access to justice and to work with leaders of the State Bar's Committee on Access and Affordability to help shape recommendations it will make to the 21st Century Practice Task Force.	MSU College of Law, East Lansing	Hannah Brenner, lecturer and coddirector of the Kelley Institute, hbrenner@law.msu.edu, (517) 432-6804. Renee Newman Knake, professor of law and co-director of the Kelley Institute, rk@law.msu.edu, (517) 432-6882. Candace Crowley, State Bar of Michigan, ccrowley@mail.michbar.org, (517) 346-6319
48 10/29/2015	5:30-7:30p.m.	Michael S. Barnes Award	Legal Aid of Western Michigan is pleased to honor Michael Callahan as this year's recipient of the Michael Barnes Award. Please click the link for details and registration. This event is sponsored by Legal Aid of Western Michigan and Smith Haughey Rice and Roegge http://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/event?oeidk=a07ebic0r4t2e4d9d6a&llr=ghbws8qab	The BOB, 4th Floor, 20 Monroe, N.W., Grand Rapids	Lacy Cook, LAWM, (616) 608-8044, lcook@legalaidwestmich.net
49 10/29/2015	5:30-8:30p.m.	Michigan Advocacy Program 50th Anniversary Celebration	Michigan Advocacy Program, formerly Legal Services of South Central Michigan, is celebrating our 50th Anniversary. Please see miadvocacy.org for information about ticket purchases. Michigan Advocacy Program will be recognizing the firms that qualify for the Circle of Excellence through donations and pro bono to MAP's programs.	Sheraton Ann Arbor Hotel	miadvocacy.org
50 10/29/2015		Ask the Lawyer Night at the Library	Sponsored by the Saginaw County Bar Association.	Hoyt Library, Saginaw	Marilyn Hackett, mhackett@lsem.org
51 10/30/2015	8:00a.m12:00p.m.	MSU Chance at Childhood Self-Help Center	The Self-Help Center will provide limited consultations/assistance regarding completing forms, motions, or complaints in domestic relations matters. The Chance at Childhood Program is Sponsored by the MSU School of Social Work and the MSU College of Law.	303 W. Kalamazoo St., Lansing, Veterans Memorial Courthouse	palazz39@law.msu.edu
52 10/30/2015	10:00a.m2:30p.m.	Conviction Set-Aside Clinic	Pro Bono Attorneys will be available to offer advice regarding Set Aside eligibility and to assist with applications. For clients who are seeking application assistance, we would encourage them to contact our office at (810) 234-2621 ahead of time for pre-screening and information about collection of the necessary supporting documents. Sponsored by the Genesee County Bar Association and Legal Services of Eastern Michigan.	Flint Farmer's Market	(810) 234-2621
53 11/2/2015		Tax Court Calendar Call	The MSU Low-Income Taxpayer Clinic will be available for consultation and representation	Detroit, MI	Christina Thompson,
54 11/4/2015	8:00a.m12:00p.m.	MSU Chance at Childhood Self-Help Center	for pro se taxpayers before the Tax Court. The Self-Help Center will provide limited consultations/assistance regarding completing forms, motions, or complaints in domestic relations matters. The Chance at Childhood Program is Sponsored by the MSU School of Social Work and the MSU College of Law.	303 W. Kalamazoo St., Lansing, Veterans Memorial Courthouse	cthompson@law.msu.edu palazz39@law.msu.edu
55 11/6/2015		West Michigan Legal Aid Session	The MSU Low-Income Taxpayer Clinic will provide guidance on tax issues for DHS case managers and community mental health workers.	Kalamazoo, MI	Christina Thompson, cthompson@law.msu.edu
56 11/12/2015	3:30p.m.	2015 Pro Bono Recognition	Please join the Pro Bono Committee of the United States District Court, Eastern District of Michigan and the Michgan Chapter of the Federal Bar Association as they honor lawyers and law firms who have provided pro bono legal services to clients in the Eastern District of Michigan. A reception will follow int he John Feikens Conference Center, Room 722. Please RSVP to Charlene Gill no later than November 5, 2015.	Theodore Levin United States Courthouse, 231 West Lafayette Boulevard, Courtroom 733, Detroit	Charlene Gill, (313) 234-5165, charlene_gill@mied.uscourts.gov
57 11/12/2015	5:00-7:00p.m.	Monroe Legal Services of South Central Michigan	Legal Services of South Central Michigan, formerly Michigan Advocacy Program, is celebrating our 50th Anniversary with a dinner event and several open houses in the	McGeady's Town Pub, 39 S. Monroe Street, Monroe	miadvocacy.org
58 11/12/2015	8:00a.m12:00p.m.	Open House MSU Chance at Childhood Self-Help Center	Communities we helo. The Self-Help Center will provide limited consultations/assistance regarding completing forms, motions, or complaints in domestic relations matters. The Chance at Childhood Program is Sponsored by the MSU School of Social Work and the MSU College of Law.	303 W. Kalamazoo St., Lansing, Veterans Memorial Courthouse	palazz39@law.msu.edu
59 11/12/2015	6:00-8:00p.m.	Novemberfest	The Oakland County Bar Association (OCBA) New Lawyers Committee is hosting this year's Novemberfest to help raise money for Lakeshore Legal Aid's Counsel and Advocacy Law Line (CALL). The goal is to expand the OCBA Pro Bono Mentor Match Program to receive cases from CALL. Please RSVP to Catherine Neal at cneal@ocba.org.	Detroit Zoo: Educational Studio	Catherine Neal, cneal@ocba.org. Victoria King, kingv@oakgov.com