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Langley attended 2009 Mid-Winter Academic Enhancement Seminar

Durham, NC - DeWarren K. Langley was selected to attend the 2009 Mid-Winter Academic Enhancement Seminar of the Council on Legal Education Opportunity Thurgood Marshall Legal Educational Opportunity Program held January 2 - 4, 2009 at the Hyatt Regency Crystal City Hotel in Arlington, Virginia.

The Council on Legal Education Opportunity Thurgood Marshall Legal Educational Opportunity Program is federally funded through a grant from the U.S. Department of Education. The Mid-Winter Academic Enhancement Seminar is specifically designed to reinforce analytical, reading, writing, studying and test-taking skills that were introduced in the pre-law preparatory programs (Summer Institutes and Attitude Is Essential programs) for first and second year law students. The purpose of the seminar is to improve student retention, graduation and bar passage rates.

Langley says, "the Seminar provided useful information on preparing for law school examinations, developing legal writing skills, time management strategies, developing good study habits, and class preparation – skills which are critical to the success of all law students."

Langley is a first year law student at North Carolina Central University School of Law (Class of 2011). He also plans to earn a Certificate in Dispute Resolution from the Dispute Resolution Institute at NCCU School of Law.

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ABOUT DEWARREN K. LANGLEY

A native of Durham, North Carolina, Langley holds a degree in Business Management and Economics with a minor in Leadership Studies from Hampton University (2007). With a strong commitment to helping others, DeWarren is dedicated to being a resource to his community and serving as a mentor for the younger generation. Currently, he serves as a Member of the NC Bar Association – Law Student Division, a Thurgood Marshall Associate with the Council on Legal Education Opportunity, Member of the Watkins Chapter of Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity, International, Vice Chair of the Board of Directors for Partners for Youth, a Member of the Board of Directors for Calvary Ministries of the Westend Community, Inc., a Member of the Citizens Advisory Committee, At-large representative on the Criminal Justice Partnership Advisory Board, Precinct Judge for the Durham County Board of Elections, a Member of the MLK Steering Committee, a Member of the Kids Voting Durham Advisory Board, a fall 2007 graduate of the Durham Neighborhood College, and a spring 2008 graduate of the Citizens' Police Academy. He also serves as a mentor. For more information, please visit, www.dewarrenklangle.com.

ABOUT THE COUNCIL ON LEGAL EDUCATION OPPORTUNITY

In 1968, the Council on Legal Education Opportunity was founded as a non-profit project of the ABA Fund for Justice and Education to expand opportunities for minority and low-income students to attend law school. In 1998, Congress passed the Higher Education Amendments Act, creating the Thurgood Marshall Legal Educational Opportunity Program, which is administered by the Council on Legal Education Opportunity. For more information, please visit, www.cleoscholars.org.

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