Heather Harrigan Leads Career Services Office

Heather Harrigan has been named assistant dean for career services at the University of New Mexico School of Law.

Already, she has begun building relationships with law students and others in the New Mexico legal community, developing marketing strategies with employers and creating professional development plans for students. She also looks forward to building upon the school’s commitment to serving its alumni in their job searches.

Along with her infectious energy, Harrigan brings to the position five years of career counseling at the University of San Diego School of Law. For the past two years, she was the school’s associate director of career services. In that position, she developed an extensive monthly programming schedule of events, workshops and programs for students and kept track of data for more than 300 graduates every year, among other duties.

“I know that for a lot of students, their post-graduate job search is one of the biggest stress-inducing aspects of law school – even more than the Socratic Method,” said Harrigan. “I hope to do all I can to ease that stress and see them find their place in the legal profession.”

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