

## **INFORMATION FOR STUDENTS INTERESTED IN APPLYING TO BE MICROSOFT FELLOWS IN LAW AND ECONOMICS**

*Purpose.* To foster student research and study in the area and methodology of law, economics, and technology; and to help to create an environment in which students and faculty interested in law, economics, and technology will be more likely to work together to their mutual benefit.

*Eligibility.* Any student enrolled at Michigan Law School, or any graduate student at University of Michigan who is also pursuing law and economics- or intellectual property-related studies.

*Fellowship Period.* Normally, one academic year. (Successive fellowship years are not ruled out, but re-application would be necessary.)

*Amount of Award.* \$3,000 for the year (\$1,500 per semester).

*Duties of Fellows.*

(a) To make a significant commitment of time and effort to research and writing in the area and methodology of law, economics, and technology. The writing must be in addition to any work done for credit. Either the Fellow could write a paper separate from any paper written for credit or the Fellow could write a paper intended for credit but more substantial than would be required for credit.

(b) To attend occasional meetings of the Fellows.

*Application to be a Fellow.* You must submit:

(a) A copy of a transcript of your undergraduate record (and your graduate record if you went to graduate school), plus a transcript of your Michigan Law School record (official transcripts are not required).

(b) The attached Basic Information form.

(c) A short description of your background and interest in the area of law, economics, and technology.

(d) A synopsis of the research and writing you intend to accomplish. (A detailed proposal would not hurt, nor would attachments of papers previously written in economic analysis of law or economics of intellectual property. But it is certainly realized that a well-qualified applicant might well not have either a detailed proposal or some previously written paper in economic analysis of law or economics of intellectual property.) The interpretation made of acceptable topics in economic analysis of law and economics of intellectual property will be quite broad.

*Submission of Applications and Notification.* Applications can be submitted at any time up until **September 28, 2007** to Al LaGrone, Administrative Assistant, Olin Center for Law and Economics (764-4034/fax 764-8309/ alagrone@umich.edu). A committee will decide whether to accept the applications. Notification is normally made in September.

**STUDENT MICROSOFT FELLOWSHIP APPLICATION**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Applying for Academic Year:

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address:

Mailing Address:

In the Fall, applicant will be: IL      2L      3L      LLM Candidate      SJD Candidate  
If not registered at Michigan Law School, where?

Undergraduate at:

Undergraduate major:

Degree beyond Undergraduate:      Yes      No  
If yes, what?  
From what school?

Applicant is in a Ph.D. program?      Yes      No  
If yes, what?

Member of any student journal(s)?      Yes      No  
If yes, which one(s)?

Michigan Law School grade average is:

Applicant has taken:      Grade:  
Economic Analysis of Law  
Law and Economics Workshop  
Intellectual Property Workshop  
Other L&E-related course (specify: \_\_\_\_\_)      \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant intends to take the following L&E or IP Course(s):      When:  
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Adviser for any paper written at Michigan Law School is:

Intended adviser for fellowship paper is:

Proposed topic (you may attach a separate sheet to describe in greater length your proposal):

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