Alumni

Delaware Bar honors Widener alumna for service to children

Widener University School of Law is pleased to congratulate alumna Tania Culley, Esq. …

Mary Allen - Public Relations Officer
Published: Jun 16, 2005

Widener University School of Law is pleased to congratulate alumna Tania Culley, Esq. who was recently awarded the New Lawyers Distinguished Service Award at the 2005 Delaware State Bar Association Bench & Bar Conference in Dover, Del.

Widener alumnae Tania Culley, '95, and Angela Fowler, '99, at their Office of the Child Advocate table during the 2005 Delaware Bench & Bar Conference.

Culley is the Child Advocate for the state of Delaware. Her office works to safeguard the welfare of Delaware's children through educational advocacy, system reform, public awareness, training and legal representation.

The award, given June 9, honored Culley as "a member of the Delaware bar who, by exemplary leadership and service dedicated to the cause of good citizenship in civic and humanitarian service over a period of less than 10 years, has maintained the integrity and honored recognition of the legal profession in community affairs and who, as an outstanding Delawarean, has unceasingly advanced the ideals of citizen participation and community accomplishment, thus reflecting high honor on both country and profession."

Culley graduated from Widener University School of Law in 1995.

"The award was a testament to the value the Delaware bar

Delaware Child Advocate Tania Culley shows off her New Lawyers Distinguished Service Award.

places on pro bono service, and a recognition not of me, but of the over 300 Delaware attorneys who have given their time and energy to make a difference in the lives of Delaware's abused and neglected children," she said. "I am proud to accept it from them and on behalf of them, and hope that more attorneys will volunteer to help."

To learn more about Culley's office, visit the Child Advocate website at http://courts.state.de.us/childadvocate.

Law students interested in Widener externship opportunities with the office should contact Widener Law Associate Professor Lawrence Connell at 302-477-2277 or lawrence.j.connell@law.widener.edu.

Public Interest Resource Center at 302-477-2214 or arlene.r.finkelstein@law.widener.edu.

All images and content © 2007 Widener University School of Law