

**Event Overview: Law Annual Conference 2018 (Theme: Be Intentional)**

**Date:** 13th September 2018

**Time:** 12.00 – 17.30

**Venue:** White & Case LLP, 5 Old Broad Street London EC2N 1DW

**Capacity:** 100 - 120

**Event Synopsis:**

For the first time, WCAN will be hosting an Annual Conference specifically focusing on prospective Law graduates and those interested in pursuing a career in Law.

The Law Annual Conference will focus on connecting the students, graduates and early year professionals in our network to inspiring black female trailblazers within the Legal industry. The day encompasses career talks by inspiring women speakers, a series of skills-building workshops, interactive panel discussions and meeting and networking with our partner law firms. Its aim is to empower, educate, elevate and encourage our members. This exclusive event aims to provide the women in attendance with the practical skills necessary to step into success, both personally and professionally, within the Legal industry.

**Attendee Profile:**

- 1st year to final year black female university students
- Possess an interest in working in Corporate Law
- Preparing to secure vacation schemes and training contracts

**Agenda (TBC):**

11.30 – 12.00	Arrival & Registration
12.00 – 12.10	Introduction from WCAN / White & Case
12.10 – 12.40	Keynote Speaker 1
12.40 – 12.50	Break
12.50 – 13.30	Graduate & Intern Panel: Securing a Training Contract
13.30 – 14.00	White & Case Presentation
14.00 – 14.30	Break (with food)
14.30 – 15.30	Intense Application Workshop: CV + Careers Workshop
15.30 – 16.00	Session: Successful Careers - Power of Being Intentional
16.00 – 16.30	Keynote Speaker 2
16.30 – 16.40	Break
16.40 – 17.15	Real Women, Real Experiences: During & After the Corporate World
17.15 – 17.15	Closing Comments from WCAN / White & Case
17.30 Onwards	Networking with Law Sponsors

**About WCAN:**

WCAN is a non-profit organisation that specialises in working with black female students and young professionals in progressing their careers within a number of different, corporate sectors. The ultimate aim of WCAN is to create a network of ambitious women who are both students and young professionals that will offer encouragement, development, and empowerment to black women hoping to enter the workplace in the corporate world. WCAN hosts tailored events that are specific to the requests of our members resulting in a mix of female leadership and personal development events and also career orientated and workplace networking events. Previous events have included our WCAN Conference at Goldman Sachs, Herbert Smith Freehills, J.P. Morgan and Citi, networking afternoon teas held at Citi and also Women in Innovation event held at Google. As a non-profit, we rely on support from corporate firms to help us increase our offerings to our members and further our agenda to create honest and targeted insight into being an impactful woman in the workplace but also a black female leader.

