

ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY



**MOCK NBA TRADE DEADLINE
COMPETITION**



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PURPOSE

The purpose of this event is to provide students a hands-on experience working in an NBA front office scenario. All employers prefer candidates with experience directly related to the role they are seeking to fill; this competition will provide such experience. The high demand and limited supply of internship positions within NBA front offices creates an informational gap between those fortunate enough to land an internship that provides this knowledge and experience and those that aren't as fortunate. The goal of the Mock Trade Deadline Competition is to bridge this gap by providing an opportunity for students looking to learn the integral parts of the industry and improve on translatable skills essential to providing value to an organization.

There are very few resources for students that simulate working in a front office. While some schools host competitions related to a specific skill or aspect such as contract negotiations, they do not provide greater insight into the layers of executive operations. Additionally, sports classes can only go so far. For most classes, students get a little taste of a specific position and then move to another topic because courses cannot be that individualized without excluding some academic interest. Most people do drastically different things with their education, and it is unrealistic to assume that a program would be capable of catering that education to each individual student. This issue is why there needs to be events where students can gain direct work experience in the role they pursue. The Mock Trade Deadline will allow students to focus on the aspect of roster construction they hope to pursue in their own careers, whether it be scouting, team building, salary cap management, or CBA knowledge.

At Sandra Day O'Connor, we have the opportunity to provide an opportunity for students to understand how departments must work together to be effective. There are currently no all-encompassing competitions that involve integration between multiple departments and education levels. Most if not all multi-school competitions consist of only law schools or only graduate programs. This divide does not accurately depict the integration and range of front office positions. As both a Law program and a Sports Masters program, we can create an event that is beneficial to a wide range of our students. We have students looking to break into operations, analytics, media, legal, scouting, and more. This event provides an opportunity for students to learn about various front office departments, how they operate together, and the importance of cohesion between them.

For example, if a team has one scout, one basketball analyst, and one salary cap expert, it is highly unlikely any one person could make offseason decisions and be able to logically back them across all departments. The team needs to collectively determine an objective; the analyst needs to find players that statistically fit with what the team is looking to accomplish; the scout needs to watch film and determine the player's fit with the roster and provide context to the numbers; the cap expert needs to ensure that it is feasible to make the acquisition.

There is no clear path to becoming an NBA executive. The best way to open the most doors to an NBA position is to become skilled across various departments. The goal of this competition is to provide students with an opportunity to build these skill sets.



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Overview:

- **Mock NBA Trade Deadline: Graduate and Undergraduate teams operating as NBA Front Offices**
 - The application for the event will include a statement of interest that will allow us to be selective and gauge the team's interest/relevant experience
 - Participation will cost \$300 per team - we are looking into funding to potentially lower this cost for teams whose schools refuse to fund
 - Teams can be anywhere between 3-6 students and are encouraged to try to build a team of students with various backgrounds (scouting, legal, analytics, etc.)
 - Maximum 30 teams - if there aren't 30 schools that apply to compete our competition founders will operate as the remaining teams
 - The goal is to give students an opportunity to gain authentic NBA front office experience and improve their understanding of how the different departments in an organization work together to accomplish their objectives
 - The competition is to be judged by a panel with a variety of relevant NBA front office experience (salary cap, operations, scouting, analytics, etc.)
 - Judges will be invited to stay in a Scottsdale resort for two nights and will have free time to utilize resort amenities during their time in the area (travel/flight costs undetermined)
- **Competition Dates**
 - Before event
 - Two weeks before the event, students will be placed in a group message and given their teams
 - Each team will be instructed to analyze their current situation and determine short-term and long-term objectives
 - One week before the event, they may begin communications with other teams about potential deals, but no deals will be official until they are officially logged (Friday of the competition)
 - Thursday (optional)
 - Recommended, but not mandatory day of the event
 - Teams will have the opportunity to meet the other teams and potentially judges that have arrived early
 - Teams will get time to work and discuss unofficial deals with other teams
 - Our competition workers will keep an ear out for deals and leak real and fake news to all teams
 - Teams will be encouraged to prepare for as many different scenarios as possible prior to the official trade deadline period on Friday
 - Friday
 - Teams will all meet for a brief reception and have a meet and greet opportunity with the judges
 - There will then be a four hour period where teams can officially make moves
 - Teams must send a representative to the logging table where competition workers will log and announce the trade to the other teams
 - If a deal gets logged and later we find out it does not comply with the CBA, then it will be reversed along with any other trades involving the moved players
 - Saturday
 - Teams will get the afternoon on Friday and the morning on Saturday to prepare presentation materials - Maximum 8 minute presentation
 - Judges will provide feedback to teams following their presentation and will score the teams to determine a winner after all of the presentations are given (scoring details below)
 - Following the announcement of the top three teams, there will be a reception where students can interact with one another and the judge

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- **Scoring:** The competition will be judged on a variety of criteria. The primary grading criteria will be the quality of the moves made based on how they align or don't align with the team's vision. Other scoring criteria will include knowledge of the NBA CBA, reasoning behind the moves made, and the execution of the final presentation.

JUDGE INTEREST



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ASU MOCK NBA TRADE DEADLINE POTENTIAL JUDGES

BUDDY SCOTT - CELTICS
BOBBY MARKS - ESPN
DAVID MORWAY - FORMER NBA GM
JIM PAXSON - FORMER SUNS
RYAN MCDONOUGH - FORMER SUNS
CHRIS ROBINSON - JAZZ
CHRIS FELLER - KNICKS
ANDREW BAKER - MAVERICKS
RYAN MILNE - NBA LEAGUE OFFICE
BLAISE ROSS - NBA LEAGUE OFFICE
TYLER WASSERMAN - NBA LEAGUE OFFICE
MAKAR GEVORKIAM - NETS
ANIL GOGNA - NO TRADE CLAUSE
OLIVER ARRUDA - NO TRADE CLAUSE
TED WU - PACERS
ERIC PINCUS - SBC
JOEY RUDIN - SSE
JAMES JONES - SUNS
TREVOR BUKSTEIN - SUNS
CHANELLE MANUS - SUNS
HIROKI WITT - SUNS
ONSI SALEH - WARRIORS
SAM KAPLAN - WIZARDS
BRETT GREENBERG - WIZARDS
TOMMY SHEPPARD - WIZARDS

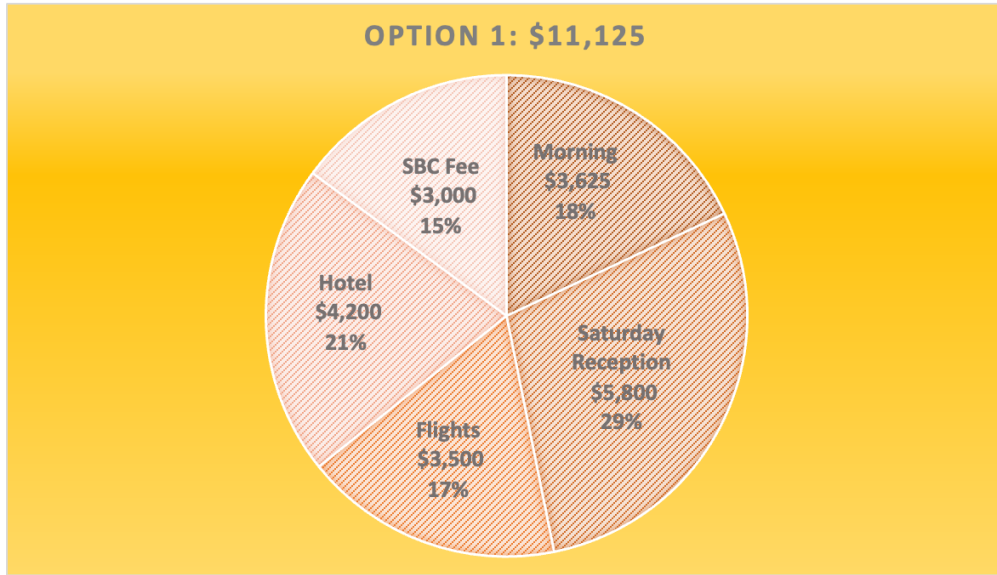
COST BREAKDOWN (ESTIMATES)

- **Participant Total**
 - 3 to 6 per team x 30 teams = 90 to 180 students
 - 10 judges (5 local & 5 flown in)
 - 100 to 190 total
- **Revenue:** \$300 per team
- **Mornings:** Coffee, muffins, fruit, etc.
 - \$25 per person = \$2,500 to \$4,750
 - x2 Days = \$5,000 to \$9,500 (could only provide coffee the day of the event)
- **Saturday Reception:** Food & drinks at the school for a closing reception
 - \$40 per person = \$4,000 to \$7,600
- **Flights:** Out of state judge airfare
 - \$500 per judge
- **Hotel:** Out of state judge hotel stays (2 nights)
 - \$600 per judge
- **SBC Partnership:** Services of Eric Pincus & tools to make the event happen
 - \$3,000



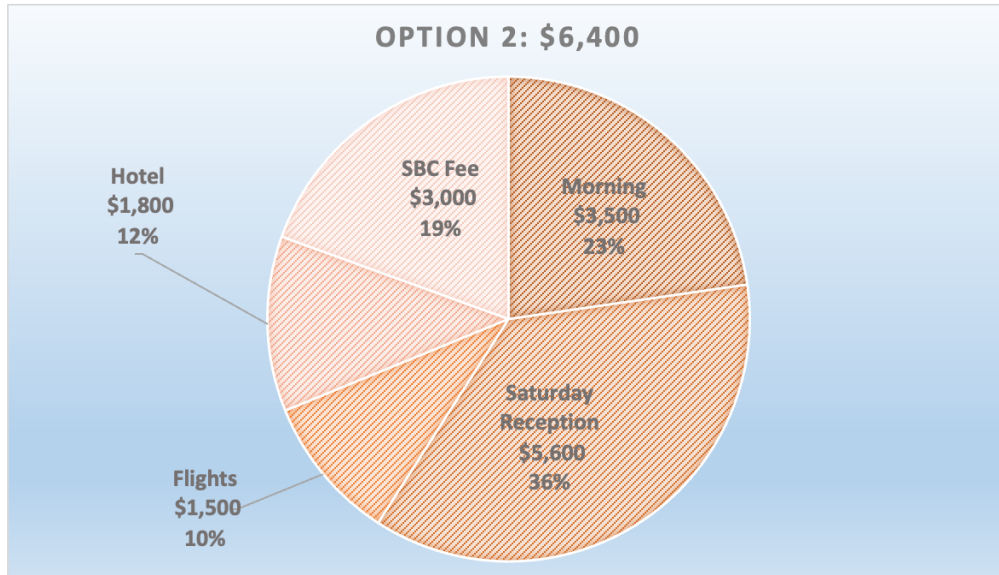
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Option 1: \$11,125 (30 teams & 10 judges) - 7 out of state judges



Total Cost (\$20,125) - Thirty Team Revenue (\$9,000) = \$11,125

Option 2: \$6,400 (30 teams & 5 judges) - three out of state judges

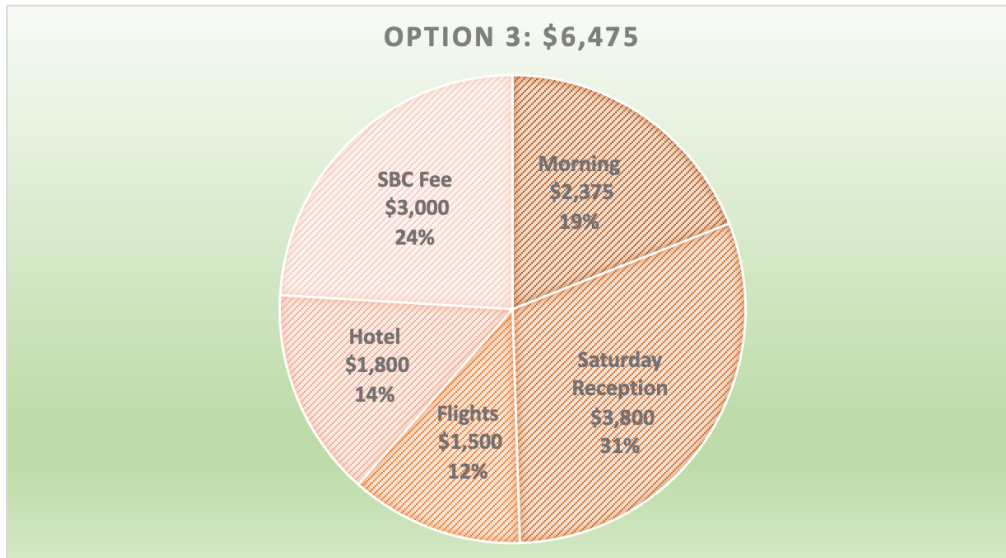


Total Cost (\$15,400) - Thirty Team Revenue (\$9,000) = \$6,400



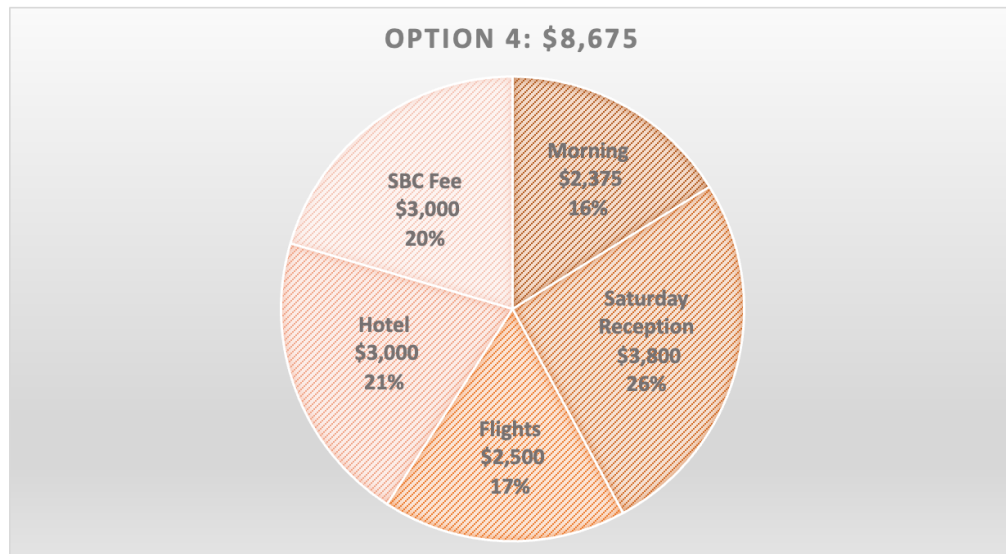
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Option 3: \$6,475 (20 teams & 5 judges) - three out of state judges



Total Cost (\$12,475) - Twenty Team Revenue (\$6,000) = \$6,475

Option 4: \$8,675 (20 teams & 5 judges) - five out of state judges



Total Cost (\$14,675) - Twenty Team Revenue (\$6,000) = \$8,675

- **Takeaway:** The cost of the competition is heavily contingent on how many out of state judges we bring in and the balance we receive from application fee revenue. We will be able to get more participating schools in our first year if we bring in more judges for students to network with. In the long run, it will be more beneficial to establish the competition with legitimate executives at a higher cost because we will increase the demand for the event. After the event is well-established (it took only two years for Tulane and they had a far smaller starting network), we can begin to charge more and be more selective about the participating schools.



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COMPLETE LOGISTICS

- **Team communication**
 - All teams will be put in a league slack message 2 weeks before the competition
 - Teams can communicate with an agent we have assigned to represent all free agents
 - Rumors of trades and signings will be placed in the slack message as our competition workers hear of them - including fake rumors
 - As moves are made during the official allotted time, our workers will upload them onto a shared excel doc with all information - this doc will be projected during the event
- **Legitimacy of trades and signings**
 - We will have our own team members standing by checking legitimacy of trades live during the competition
 - We are also looking to outsource some of the work in checking for CBA nuances from professionals that work outside of of a team and other students with CBA backgrounds
- **Rosters, statistics and cap sheets**
 - Teams will be required to utilize statistics gathered from the official website of the NBA for their presentations (however they can use advanced statistics from other sources in negotiations - it will be up to the other teams to check legitimacy before making a deal)
 - We will select one platform to ensure uniformity among the teams' cap sheets (the website will likely be either Spotrac or No Trade Clause)
- **Presentation**
 - Students will have just 6 minutes to present their team evaluation, mock moves they made and justifications for moves (or lack of moves) to the panel of judges
 - There will be at least one break in the presentations if we have the full 30 teams for judges and participants to get food etc.
- **Score sheet**
 - Adheres with CBA - team's will lose points for illegal moves
 - Identification of team objectives that align with current situation
 - Team moves alignment with team's long term objectives
 - Team moves alignment with team's short term objectives
 - Justifications of team moves (utilization of scouting and analytics)
 - Presentation in general
- **Location**
 - All competition events will take place at the law school: Presentations and negotiations in the Great Hall
- **Lodging**
 - We will reach out to downtown hotels to see if they would be willing to offer deals for students traveling
 - Judges will be placed in a resort
- **Transportation**
 - Students are expected to cover their own transportation costs, but we will provide an overview of recommendations to help them save on travel expenses

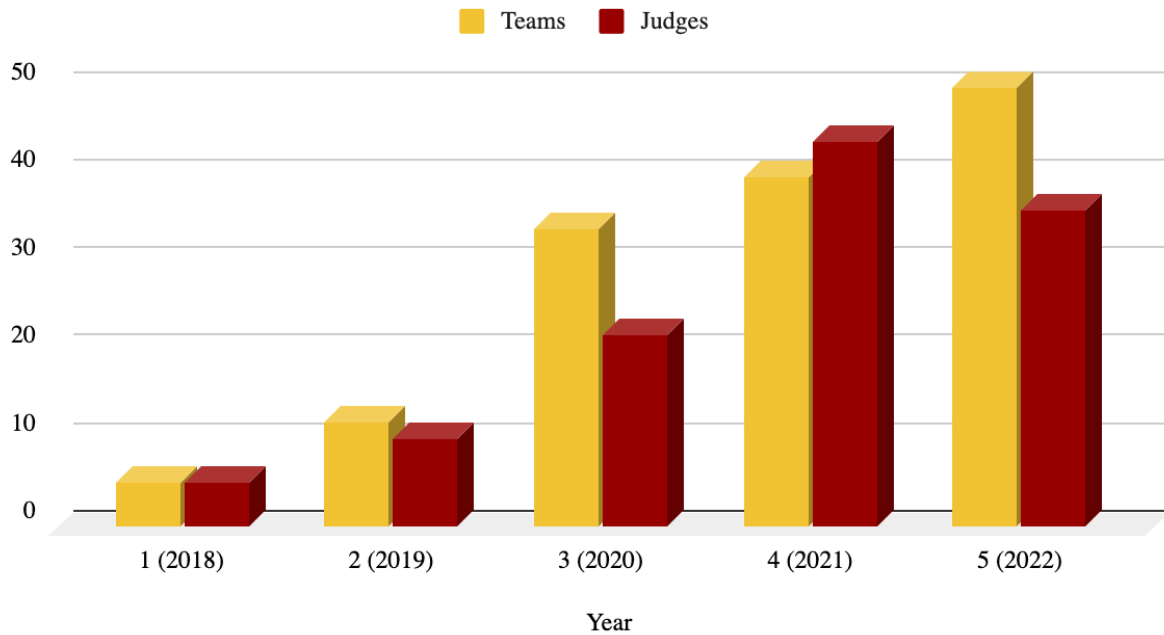


ASU MOCK NBA TRADE DEADLINE TULANE LAW'S COMPETITION SUCCESS

Tulane's 5-Year Competition Growth:

Tulane Law's Mock Contract Negotiation Competition saw immaculate growth within even the first two years of the competition. The founders started with only five teams and one judge in the first year of the competition. Only five years later, Tulane has the most recognized NBA educational experience, bringing in over 50 team applicants and 40 judges each year. Every NBA front office executive is aware of the competition and many have made the trip or at least participated virtually.

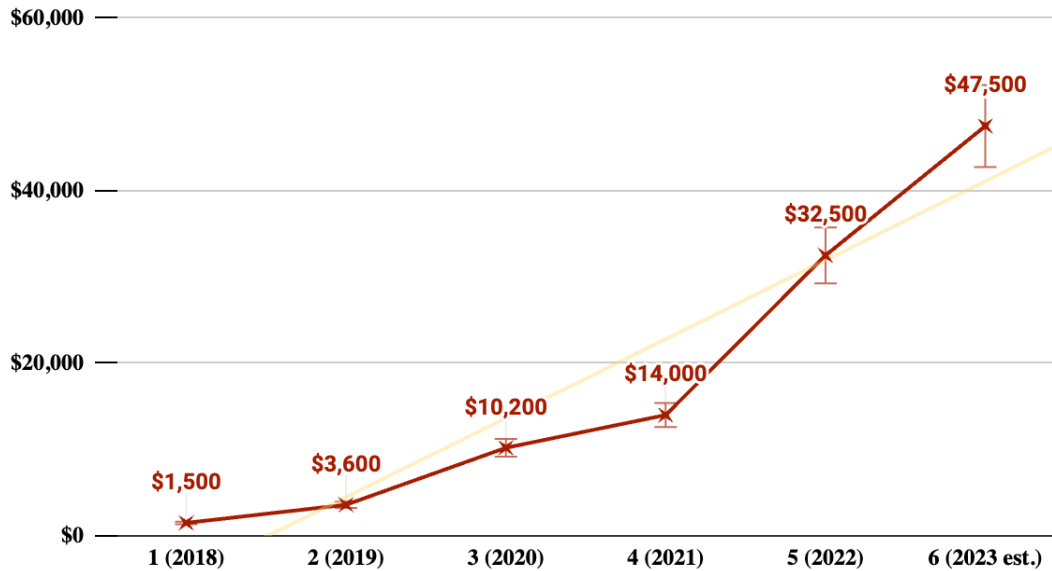
TEAMS & JUDGES





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TULANE REVENUE GROWTH



➤ Students that got jobs in sports

- Every NBA Executive that myself and my team have spoken with has been familiar with Tulane's Competition
- Twenty-three Tulane Law students ended up finding NBA or NBA-related roles across front office and legal departments (could be more than 23)

Student	NBA Team/Agency	Position	School
Chelsey Antony	76ers/NBAPA	In House Attorney/Agent	Tulane Law
Andrew Baker	Nets/Mavericks	Salary Cap Strategy	Tulane Law
Marshall Rader	Pacers/Lakers	Salary Cap Strategy	Tulane Law
Onsi Saleh	Spurs	Basketball Strategy/Team Counsel	Tulane Law
Chris Robinson	Jazz	Basketball Operations	Tulane Law
Tim Edwards	Pacers/Spurs/Siegel Sports	Basketball Operations	Tulane Law
Schuyler Corbin	Pelicans/Saints	In-House Intern	Tulane Law
Stephen John	Pelicans/Spurs	Legal Intern	Tulane Law
Harrison Fleisig	NBA	Consumer Monetization	Tulane Law
Aaron Pearlstein	UNLTD Sports	Basketball Ops Intern	Tulane Law
Morgan Miller	NBA	Media Intern	Tulane Law
George Kernochan	Siegel Sports Agency	Basketball Ops Intern	Tulane Law
Sophia Urrutia	NFLPA	Legal & Business Affairs Intern	Tulane Law
Russell Schmidt	NBA/BSE Global	Statistics/Legal	Tulane Law
Jack Brouwer	Fanatics	In-House Counsel	Tulane Law
Summer Roberson	Rockets	Basketball Operations Intern	Tulane Law
Tracey Grant	Pelicans/Saints	Sales Intern	Tulane Law
Sydney Tonic	Pelicans/Saints	Legal Extern	Tulane Law
Victor Labiosa	Spurs	Salary Cap/Legal Extern	Tulane Law
Breard Snellings	Spurs/Draft Kings	Basketball Operarions/Legal Extern	Tulane Law
Julie Bartens	Spurs	Salary Cap/Legal Extern	Tulane Law
Adam Birnbaum	Spurs	Salary Cap/Legal Extern	Tulane Law
Robert Gallagher	Spurs	Analytics Research Extern	Tulane Law



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SBC PARTNERSHIP/ENDORSEMENT

What is Sports Business Classroom?

Sports Business Classroom is the only immersive educational experience dedicated to helping students expand their knowledge of the NBA in all front office perspectives. The program is owned and operated by co-founders of NBA Summer League, Albert Hall and Warren LeGarie, along with the author of the CBA FAQ, Larry Coon. SBC has created a tremendous network that consists of NBA professionals across every aspect of the industry. Each year, SBC selects roughly 100 students from a competitive application pool to participate in a comprehensive NBA course with majors that include scouting, analytics, media/broadcasting, and salary cap strategy. The program is notorious for helping passionate students work their way into the NBA and consistently places dozens of SBC graduates into sports roles.





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Partnership/Endorsement with ASU:

SBC has expressed interest in partnering with ASU to assist in the quality of the competition. Each year, SBC hosts a Mock NBA Offseason Competition that is very similar to what we are trying to bring to ASU. Capologist Eric Pincus assists in operating multiple mock teams and acts as an overarching agent for all players. Additionally, they utilize several other competition workers to ensure moves that are made align with the CBA. The reason that competitions like Tulane's have had such success is because they adhere as tightly as possible to the rules and regulations of the league. We would like to do the same, but the extent of CBA knowledge is increased in a trade deadline setting.

SBC NETWORK/INSTRUCTORS

Front Office Management:

ROB PELINKA: Los Angeles Lakers General Manager
TOMMY SHEPPARD: Washington Wizards President/General Manager
DARYL MOREY: Philadelphia 76ers President of Basketball Operations
KOBY ALTMAN: Cleveland Cavaliers General Manager
RAFAEL STONE: Houston Rockets General Manager
BOBBY WEBSTER: Toronto Raptors General Manager
JOHN HAMMOND: Orlando Magic General Manager
CHAD BUCHANAN: Indiana Pacers General Manager
MASAI UJIRI: Toronto Raptors President
ANDY ELISBURG: Miami Heat Sr VP of Basketball Operations / General Manager
KIKI VANDEWEGHE: NBA Executive VP of Basketball Operations
JUSTIN ZANIK: Utah Jazz General Manager
TRAJAN LANGDON: New Orleans Pelicans General Manager
BRYAN COLANGELO: Former General Manager with Philadelphia 76ers
RYAN MCDONOUGH: Former Phoenix Suns General Manager
NED COHEN: Philadelphia 76ers Assistant General Manager
KIRK LACOB: Golden State Warriors Assistant General Manager
MIKE ZARREN: Boston Celtics Assistant General Manager
PETE D'ALESSANDRO: Orlando Magic Assistant General Manager
BUZZ PETERSON: Charlotte Hornets Assistant General Manager
JOE BRANCH: Former Minnesota Timberwolves Assistant General Manager
MATT LLOYD: Orlando Magic Assistant General Manager
MALIK ROSE: NBA G League Head of Basketball Operations
RICH CHO: Memphis Grizzlies Vice President of Basketball Strategy
R.C. BUFORD: San Antonio Spurs CEO
GILLIAN ZUCKER: Los Angeles Clippers President of Business Operations
SWIN CASH CANAL: New Orleans Pelicans VP of Basketball Operations
WES WILCOX: Sacramento Kings Assistant General Manager
NEIL OLSHEY: Portland Trail Blazers Former General Manager
CHUCK ARNOLD: Seattle Seahawks President
ED STEFANSKI: Detroit Pistons Senior Advisor



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AMBER NICHOLS: Capital City Go-Go General Manager

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ADRIAN WOJANAROWSKI: ESPN NBA Insider

BOBBY MARKS: ESPN NBA Front Office Insider

ZACH LOWE: ESPN Senior Writer

HOWARD BECK: Sports Illustrated Senior NBA Writer

DAVID ALDRIDGE: Turner Sports Reporter

MIRIN FADER: Bleacher Report Staff Writer

ERIC PINCUS: Bleacher Report Capologist and Writer

DAVE DUFOUR: The Athletic Podcast Host & Writer

KEVIN PELTON: ESPN NBA Writer

RAMONA SHELBURNE: ESPN NBA Insider

KEITH SMITH: Spotrac / NBA Front Office Show Contributor & Writer

DANNY LEROUX: The Athletic Salary Cap & CBA Writer

NEKIAS DUNCAN: BasketballNews.com Writer and Podcaster

NATE DUNCAN: Dunc'd On Podcast Podcast Host

KATE HEINDL: Freelance Basketball Writer / Dishes and Dimes Podcast Co-Host

SIMON CHERIN-GORDON: NBA Associate Manger of Social Content

ALEX KENNEDY: BasketballNews.com Chief Content Officer

J.A. ADANDE: Medill (Northwestern) Director of Sports Journalism

Media/Broadcasting:

KRISTEN LEDLOW: NBA TV & TNT Host & Sideline Reporter

MARK JONES: Sacramento Kings & ESPN Play-By-Play Announcer

ERIC JACKSON: NBA Digital VP / Content Operations

BEAU ESTES: NBA TV Anchor/Host

SAGE STEELE: ESPN Host

RENEE MONTGOMERY: WNBA Champion / TMZ Sports

CHINEY OGWUMIKE: WNBA Player / ESPN Host & Analyst

CASSIDY HUBBARTH: ESPN Host/Reporter

ROB PEREZ: The Action Network Sr. NBA Producer

MIKE BREEN: NBA on ABC / New York Knicks Play-by-Play Announcer

RACHEL NICHOLS NBA Insider and Host

ANDREA KREMER: NFL Networks / HBO Sports Correspondent

CASSY ATHENA: Sports Photographer & Content Creator

AMINA HUSSEIN: ESPN Coordinating Producer

JEREMY LEVIN: Turner Sports Coordinating Producer

Coaches:

JIM BOYLEN: USA Basketball (World Cup) Head Coach

MIKE BROWN: Sacramento Kings Head Coach

RICK CARLISLE: Indiana Pacers Head Coach



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SCOTT BROOKS: Portland Trail Blazers Assistant Coach
ALVIN GENTRY: Former Sacramento Kings Head Coach
SHAWN RESPERT: NBA Assistant Coach
NATALIE NAKASE: Las Vegas Aces Assistant Coach
MIKE D'ANTONI: New Orleans Pelicans Coaching Advisor
JASON HILLMAN: Cleveland Cavaliers Basketball Chief of Staff
DAVE SEVERNS: LA Clippers Director of Player Development
QUIN SNYDER: Former Utah Jazz Head Coach
LINDSEY HARDING: Sacramento Kings Player Development Coach

Agents:

BERNIE LEE: Thread Sports Management NBA Agent
KATE FOLEY: The Epic Consulting Group President
TODD RAMASAR: Life Sports Agency NBA Agent
SHEA DAWSON: Overtime Head of Athlete Relations
OMID FARHANG: Chief Creative Officer at Crispin Porter Bogusky & CAA

Scouts:

RYAN WEST: Detroit Pistons Scout
BRIAN PAUGA: Utah Jazz Midwest Scout
ALEX KLINE: New York Knicks Scout
DAVE TELEP: San Antonio Spurs Director of Player Personnel

Analysts:

DAN ROSENBAUM: Detroit Pistons Sr. Director of Analytics
LAYNE VASHRO: Denver Nuggets Senior Analyst
DENNIS SCOTT: NBA TV Analyst / Founder of Shooter's Paradise
SEKOU SMITH: Former Senior Analyst and Reporter at NBA
KIRK GOLDSBERRY: NBA Analyst on ESPN / Professor at University of Texas
JAY BILAS: ESPN College Basketball Analyst
KEVIN O'CONNOR: The Ringer NBA Analyst
SETH PARTNOW: The Athletic: NBA Analyst / StatsBomb: Director of Basketball
SETH GREENBERG: ESPN College Basketball Analyst

Other:

ADAM SILVER: NBA Commissioner
MARK CUBAN: Dallas Mavericks Owner
JERRY WEST: Hall Of Famer / Los Angeles Clippers Consultant
GEORGE RAVELING: Former Executive Director of International Basketball with Nike
RON GARRETSON: Former NBA Basketball Referee
JOEY CRAWFORD: Former NBA Referee
JEFF DORSO: Sacramento Kings & Golden 1 Center Senior VP & General Counsel
STEVE SHENBAUM: Game on Nation President
DENNIS ROGERS: Los Angeles Clippers Director of Communications



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CALIDA TAYLOR: 2020 Winner of NBA TV's GM School

MORGANN MITCHELL: DIRECTV Lead Product Marketing Manager

KEVIN COTTRELL: NBA TV Digital Senior Researcher / Field Producer

BARRY RUDIN: Barry's Tickets Owner

DAN RUBE: Counsel of the NBA Executive VP & Deputy General

JEFF SIEGEL: Klutch Sports Cap Specialist

MATTEO ZURETTI: NBPA Chief International Relations

DEEPAK MALHOTRA: Harvard Business School Professor

JEN TODD: The Basketball Tournament Co-Founder & Vice President

CONCLUSION

➤ Schoolwide Promotion

- No school has an event like this one where students get directly experience that is directly applicable to working across multiple front office departments
- Arizona State University could become the first school that is notorious for providing students a platform to learn about front office roles in sports
- There will also be heightened networking opportunities as we grow the relationship with the executives that judge and with Sports Business Classroom's network

➤ Differentiated From Other Law School Competitions

- Diversity: with only 30 teams allowed and applications open to all students, we should be able to fill the competition with driven and knowledgeable students across an array of different backgrounds
- No Judge limitations
 - Can operate with as few as three judges
 - Vast variety of judge availability (not limited to just salary cap experts)

➤ MSLB/Legal Goal: Getting Students Jobs in Sports

- Strong admissions process - students that participate in the event or even just hear about it through sports business classroom will look into the programs at the law school, which will increase the quality of admissions
- Diversifying SLB - there is interest from teams all over the country and even some outside of the country, which can help further diversify school applications
- Investing in sports relationships - the premise of the event places students in a position to talk shop with executives that know just about everyone in the industry
- Loading dice (nepotism & network) - especially with a partnership with SBC, the network at Arizona State University as a whole will be supplemented with a tremendous amount of industry professionals across a vast array of departments
- An elite locker room - the internal network here will also grow as more students with similar passions assist each other and build their own relationships through the program



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SUCCESSION PLAN & SPONSORSHIP

Dr. Brooks here at Global Sports Institute has expressed significant interest in GSI sponsoring the competition. He loves the idea and expressed that if it does not exist at ASU, something like this needs to exist somewhere. GSI would be a terrific sponsor for the event, and Dr. Brooks has many ties to the NBA. Moreover, we have explored additional sponsorship potential with local law firms. We could potentially honor ASU Law Alum Mike Gallagher who recently passed away by naming the competition after him. Partner of Gallagher & Kennedy, Jeff Pyburn, is a friend that I will be catching up with soon, and could propose the idea to him. Given the go-ahead, myself and members of the committee will work closely with Samantha Williams to explore additional local sponsorship interests as needed.

The competition is ready to be implemented this November. Unlike Tulane, we are ready to run the competition effectively by year one. We have more judges than they did by year three. We also have partnership interest from the biggest front office educational program in the country, in SBC. SBC is also willing to ensure the competition runs smoothly, and will help groom students with operating the competition. The best way to develop a firm succession plan for this competition is to run the competition with SBC. Having run their own version for many years, Eric Pincus and his team can ensure the competition runs smoothly.

Every year, we have many students who are interested in pursuing an NBA career. It took no more than a week to find over forty students interested in working in the league that are willing to volunteer to make this competition a reality. We plan to take this committee and nominate two members from each class to create the board of the committee (including 1Ls and MSLBs). Moreover, we will seek a faculty advisor or sponsorship contact like Dr. Brooks to oversee this committee and work with the board. Additionally, I will have two years to help run the competition and groom a successor. I am also more than willing to return and assist in operating the competition for years to come.

By 2024, we will have multiple members from each NBA team and league office on our contact list. I will work to establish long standing relationships between the school and our judges. All of these front office executives know each other and want to attend these events with one another. Tulane now has to deny many judges annually, and our current list of judges is on pace for even more rapid growth. Myself, my team, and the committee are willing to do whatever necessary to make this competition happen for our students and for the reputation of Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law. This competition is the first of its kind and will set our law school apart from all other legal institutions, including Tulane.

Below is the list members on the committee:

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