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Total # offices: **11** Firm size range: **501-700**
NALP member? **Y** Office size range: **11-25**
Total attys in this office: **24**

PRIMARY PRACTICE AREAS:	# Ptrs/Mbrs	# Assoc. & Oth. Lawy.
Business	**6**	**4**
Environmental	**1**	**0**
Finance, Insolvency & Restructuring	**2**	**0**
Labor & Employment	**4**	**3**
Litigation	**2**	**2**

COMPENSATION & EMPLOYMENT DATA:

Lawyers	2011 Compensation	BEGAN WORK IN 2009	BEGAN WORK IN 2010	EXPECTED 2011
Laterals		**3** ( )	**2** ( )	
Post-clerkship		**0** ( )	**0** ( )	
Entry-level	/yr	**0** ( )	**2** (**1**)	
LLMs (US)		**0** ( )	**0** ( )	
LLMs (non-US)		**0** ( )	**0** ( )	
Summer				
Post-3Ls	$/wk	**0** ( )	**0** ( )	
2Ls	$/wk	**2** (**1**)	**0** ( )	
1Ls	$/wk	**0**	**0**	

2010 summer 2Ls considered for associate offers: # offers made:
Hire school term clerks? **CBC**
1Ls hired? **TBD** When after 12/1 should 1Ls apply?
Split summers allowed? If yes, minimum weeks:
Comments:
Accept applications for 2012 summer program from:
Joint degree students graduating in 2014?
Evening students graduating in 2014?
Judicial clerks? Students at non-US law schools?
Hiring Criteria: **Talented, enthusiastic, motivated men & women who share our values have demonstrated outstanding academic achievement; superior writing ability; good character, initiative & interpersonal skills.**

CLERKSHIP/CREDIT/SUPPLEMENTAL COMPENSATION:
Judicial clerkship bonus? **N**
Comp./prog. credit for judicial clerkship? **Y**
Comp./prog. credit for other adv. degrees? **N**
Other compensation comments: **$5,000 stipend for bar study time; bonus; bar review and exam application fees; moving expenses; CLE and bar meeting allowances.**

PARTNERSHIP DATA: Two or more tiers? **Y**
Additional partnership prog. info:

WORK/LIFE INFORMATION:
Part-time allowed? **Y** Part-time avail.to entry-level? **CBC**
 # p-t assoc. 0 (m) **0** (w) **ptrs/mbrs. 0** (m) **0** (w) **oth. lawy. 1** (m) **0** (w)
Elig. for alt. work sched. determined by: **Department Administrator**
Paid non-medical parental leave? **Y**
Comments:

TRAINING AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT:
Coaching/mentoring program? **Y**
Evaluations: **Annual** Upward reviews? **N**
Professional development staff? **Y** Billable hours credit for training time? **Y**
Rotation for jr. associates between departments/practice groups? **N**
Is rotation mandatory?

BENEFITS: see www.nalpdirectory.com

DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION - CURRENT YEAR 2011

As of Feb. 1, 2011		Ptrs/Mbrs	Assoc.	All Oth. Lawy.	Summ Assoc.
Hispanic/Latino	Men	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
	Women	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
White	Men	**14**	**2**	**3**	**0**
	Women	**1**	**3**	**1**	**0**
Black/African American	Men	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
	Women	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Nat. Hawaiian/ Other Pacific Is.	Men	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
	Women	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Asian	Men	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
	Women	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Amer. Indian/ Alaska Native	Men	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
	Women	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
2 or More Races	Men	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
	Women	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
TOTAL	Men	**14**	**2**	**3**	**0**
	Women	**1**	**3**	**1**	**0**
	TOTAL NUMBER	**15**	**5**	**4**	**0**
Disabled	Men	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
	Women	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Openly GLBT	Men	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
	Women	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**

(See www.nalpdirectory.com for historical comparisons.)

DIVERSITY RECRUITMENT & RETENTION EFFORTS:
Activities to increase the presence and retention of under-represented groups:
☒ Minority job fairs ☒ Bar sponsored programs
☒ Outreach to law student groups ☒ Firm diversity committee
☒ Directed mentoring efforts ☒ Rec. at schools w/large min. pop.
Comments: **We are committed to diversity in the workplace, and we value the richness of differences in individuals and cultures.**

CAMPUS INTERVIEWS for past year (see full list online):
schools visited in 2010: **0** # job fairs/consortia attended in 2010: **0**

BILLABLE HOURS:

	2009	2010
Avg annual assoc. hrs worked:	**2065**	**2436**
Avg. annual assoc. billable hrs:	**1952**	**2225**

Is there a minimum billable hours expectation? **Y** If yes, number: **1850**
Hours policy details:

Is billable hour credit given for pro bono work? **CBC**
Is there a maximum that will be credited? **Y** If yes, what? **50**
For bonus consideration, is a pro bono hour equivalent to a billable hour? **CBC**
PRO BONO INFORMATION: ☒ Firm-wide ☐ Office specific
☒ % firm billable hours: **.85** ☐ avg. hrs. per attorney:
Participation: % assoc. % ptrs/mbrs % other lawyers

PUBLIC INTEREST FELLOWSHIPS (see www.pslawnet.org for more information):
Sponsor split pub int. summer and/or post-graduate fellowship? **N**
Comments:

NARRATIVE: The Grand Rapids office of Barnes & Thornburg LLP offers the full spectrum of business legal needs - regionally, nationally and internationally. Founded in 2003, Barnes & Thornburg LLP currently has 24 attorneys in Grand Rapids and continued growth is anticipated. Barnes & Thornburg LLP prides itself on seamless cross-office staffing on substantial matters and regularly competes with money-center firms for important national engagements. Located in the heart of downtown Grand Rapids, Barnes & Thornburg LLP's Grand Rapids office blends the sophisticated practice of a large law firm with the collegiality of a smaller office in a medium-sized city with complex corporate clients. Some of our Michigan-based clients include: Whirlpool Corporation, Dow Chemical Company, Wolverine World Wide, Inc., Bissell Inc., Steelcase Inc., and Gordon Food Service, Inc.
For more detailed information on our firm, please visit www.btlaw.com

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