CSU Pre-Law Association students win $16,500 in John Marshall Law School Mock Trial Competition

Chicago (March 9, 2009) — Members of the Chicago State University Pre-Law Association captured first, second, third and fourth place prizes in the John Marshall Law School Midwest Regional Undergraduate Diversity Mock Trial Competition, held Saturday, March 7 at the law school.

CSU students were assigned to teams composed of students from other colleges. Each member of a winning team received tuition waivers toward their first semester at John Marshall Law School.

According to Pre-Law Association President Diane Kitt, the following CSU students won a total $16,500:

Contessa Houstan, first place team member ($7,500)  
Keocco Larry, second place team member ($5,000)  
Lenise Stanton, third place team member ($3,000)  
Arthea Pleasant, fourth place team member ($1,000)

The team is advised by Assistant Professor Marian Perkins, Esq.