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Keating Muething & Klekamp PLL (KMK Law®) in partnership with the University of Cincinnati College of Law's Center for Professional Development is pleased to host the second annual Diversity Case Competition for first-year minority law students comprised of 17 teams from 8 area law schools.

This competition is part of KMK Law's ongoing commitment to inclusion and diversity. KMK Law is dedicated to partnering with law schools, clients, and community leaders to make this a tangible and rewarding experience that provides students with first class learning opportunities that go beyond the classroom, internships, or summer experience.

We invite each of you here today to showcase your talents and engage with our attorneys, volunteers, and judges.

Good luck to the 2020 teams!

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2020 Case Competition Participants

We are honored to have participants from:

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