

# **Birmingham Bar Association New Lawyer Mentoring Program**

## **MENTORING CURRICULUM**

The Mentoring Curriculum addresses five components that the Mentor and Mentee will share and experience over the course of mentoring year. Within the Mentoring Curriculum there are both required and elected activities. The Mentee and Mentor can elect one or all of the elected activities, as best suits the needs of the new lawyer. Participants are encouraged to think broadly and creatively about additional ways to approach each component to make the mentoring year as meaningful as possible.

### **Mentoring Curriculum**

- I. Professionalism
- II. Legal Ethics and Civility
- III. Career Development
- IV. Basic Skills Practice Areas
- V. Courtroom Sessions

As this program continues to develop, we hope that both Mentors and Mentees will share their ideas for improvements to the Curriculum.

The Mentoring Plan, which includes a checklist for each of the five required components, along with the certificate of satisfactory completion are to be submitted to the Chair of the Mentoring Program by December 1.