



EQUAL JUSTICE WORKS WELCOMES TIM WIERZBICKI AS CHIEF DEVELOPMENT OFFICER

Washington, D.C., July 20, 2015 – Equal Justice Works is pleased to announce that Tim Wierzbicki will be joining the organization’s senior leadership team as its new Chief Development Officer, effective August 24, 2015. Mr. Wierzbicki brings 25 years of nonprofit management and development experience to Equal Justice Works, along with an unwavering commitment to our mission of creating a just society by mobilizing the next generation of public interest lawyers.

Mr. Wierzbicki will help establish our newly restructured Institutional Advancement department. He will spearhead our efforts to expand our Public and Private Fellowships while exploring new development opportunities, including previously untapped resources and constituencies for new programs and services.

Mr. Wierzbicki has extensive nonprofit development experience with special expertise in the field of public interest law from having started his career as Executive Director of the Minnesota Chapter of the American Civil Liberties Union to serving as Chief Development Officer and Deputy Director of Lawyers’ Committee for Civil Rights Under Law. His creative problem-solving strategies and visionary leadership led to significant advancements in fundraising within the sector. Immediately prior to joining Equal Justice Works, he served as Chief Development Officer and Vice President of the EastWest Institute, an international think tank focusing on conflict resolution in the service of global stability.

“We are thrilled to welcome Tim to our leadership team,” said Equal Justice Works Executive Director David Stern. “His creativity and talent for developing relationships are exceptional, and his track record is nothing short of extraordinary. He is a seasoned fundraiser with a dogged passion for justice, which is exactly what we need to bring Equal Justice Works to the next level. He is a perfect fit with our dedicated Board members, volunteers and staff as we continue on our ambitious growth trajectory here at Equal Justice Works,” Stern said.

Equal Justice Works is the national leader in creating public interest opportunities for law students and lawyers. Collaborating with the nation’s leading law schools, law firms, corporate legal departments, and nonprofit organizations, Equal Justice Works offers a continuum of opportunities that provide the training and skills that enable attorneys to provide effective representation to underserved communities and causes. Equal Justice Works is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. For additional information about Equal Justice Works, please visit www.equaljusticeworks.org.

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