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PRESTIGIOUS PEGGY BROWNING FELLOWSHIP

PHILADELPHIA, PA - The Peggy Browning Fund has awarded a 10-week summer fellowship to Gregory Ainsley, a second-year student at the University of Wisconsin Law School. Mr. Ainsley will spend the fellowship working at the union-side law firm Levy Ratner, P.C. in New York, NY. The application process is highly competitive, and the award was based on his/her outstanding qualifications.

In 2011 The Peggy Browning Fund will support nearly 60 public interest labor law fellowships nationwide. With more than 460 applicants from 125 participating law schools, securing a Peggy Browning Fellowship is not an easy task. Peggy Browning Fellows are distinguished students who have not only excelled in law school but who have also demonstrated their commitment to workers’ rights through their previous educational, work, volunteer and personal experiences. Gregory Ainsley is no exception.

Mr. Ainsley attended Cornell University where he obtained his bachelor’s degree in Industrial and Labor Relations, with a formal concentration in Law and Society. After completing his studies at Cornell he obtained a Master’s degree in Management from Wake Forest University’s School of Business. Mr. Ainsley currently writes for the Wisconsin Journal of Law, Gender & Society and holds the position of Note and Comment Editor. He is also a member of the Black Law Students Association, and spent last summer working for the Dane County Corporation Counsel’s Office.

The Peggy Browning Fund is a not for-profit organization established in memory of Margaret A. Browning, a prominent union-side attorney who was a Member of the National Labor Relations Board (NLRB) from 1994 until 1997. Peggy Browning Fellowships provide law students with unique, diverse and challenging work experiences fighting for social and economic justice. These experiences encourage and inspire students to pursue careers in public interest labor law.

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