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## CDO: Additional WIP Prep Tools

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### WIP Orientation Recording

The recording of our WIP Orientation/Mechanics presentation from earlier this month is now available via our [Programs & Resources webpage](#).

### Bidding Report from 2019's EIW

The promised Bidding Report from last year's EIW is also now available via the Documents Library of b-Line. It contains bidding, callback, and offer data from 2019's OCI -- as well as (if available) recent summer class sizes for EIW firms. Among other things, it can be useful in evaluating a firm's relative "popularity," which is a factor in determining your WIP bid ranking. **[NOTE: you can read more about bidding strategy in the 2021 WIP Guide, also available in the Documents Library.]**

Some things to know about this Report:

1. Zeros, dashes and blanks on the spreadsheet simply means an employer has not provided any information. They do not necessarily mean "none."
2. Information related to the sizes of summer classes and the numbers of 2Ls considered for and given permanent offers (the last 5 columns) refers to an office's entire summer program and not just to Berkeley law student program participants. On the other hand, the number of bids, OCI interviews, callback invitations, acceptances, summer offers and summer acceptances includes only Berkeley Law students.
3. Much of the summer 2021 expected class size data has not yet been released, but we have included that information to the extent it is currently available.

### Other WIP Prep Resources

1. Remember to regularly check our [Private Sector Employer Events and Resources page](#).
2. Same for the [Diversity Opportunities webpage](#).
3. You can find all our prior WIP-related emails in our [Email Archive](#).
4. **Meet the (WIP) Employer Events** – an opportunity to meet with attorneys at WIP-participating firms and ask questions relevant to your job search. You can sign up for up to twelve 10-minute slots with particular firms (with up to 3 other students per slot). Here are the dates and registration links:

**Tuesday, October 27, 5pm-7pm, PST: Northern California offices**

[SIGN UP HERE](#)

**Thursday, October 29, 5pm-7pm, PST: Southern California offices**

[SIGN UP HERE](#)

To help you get the most out of these events, we developed "[Virtual Networking/Table Talk Tips](#)" with a few key points to keep in mind as well as a list of sample questions.

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