

2019 Access to Justice Conference

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Every year, legal academics, professionals, and advocates come together to attend the Access to Justice Conference. This conference focuses on accessibility to legal services initiatives from across the country, including programs designed to help young attorneys develop their law practices. This year, the conference was held at the University of Utah S.J. Quinney College of Law in Salt Lake City.

I had the pleasure of not only attending the conference, but also presenting on the Toledo Bar Association's Fellowship Collaborative. Rob Salem from the University of Toledo College of Law and I discussed how three organizations in

Toledo (the Toledo Bar Association, the University of Toledo College of Law, and the Toledo Legal Aid Society) came together to develop the Fellowship Collaborative. We encouraged those in attendance to think critically about the resources in their community, and to develop partnerships similar to ours to help young attorneys receive the mentoring, training and resources they need to succeed.

It was wonderful to share the success we have seen with our program, and to highlight the collaborative nature of our legal community in Toledo.





Salt Lake City Selfie: Maggie Humphrey, Esq. and Rob Salem, Esq. take a second to grab a quick selfie on campus of the University of Utah during the Access to Justice Conference.

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