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Law school still seeks home

New school will have temporary home first

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uptown is best, dean says Charlotte School of Law has a new seal, a new logo, and new faculty.

What it still doesn't have is a permanent place to call home.

Dean Eugene Clark said the school is close to announcing a temporary facility.

The school scrubbed initial plans to lease a building in a suburban location and has focused on renting something close to downtown while it drafts plans for a permanent campus.

"The courts are here; most of the law firms are here," he said. "To get the maximum benefits and synergies, we needed a central location."

The school is accepting applications for the fall semester, which begins Aug. 28. Clark said the school has received about 950 applications from 46 states. Semester tuition is \$12,860.

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Faculty Chosen

The school announced its new faculty lineup Tuesday. The eight instructors have prior legal and teaching experience.

- **Duncan Alford**, professor and associate dean of library and information services. Currently head of reference at Georgetown University Law Library. Previously served as law librarian at Princeton and Columbia universities.
- **Scott Broyles**, professor. Has served as adjunct professor in political science and American studies at Queens University in Charlotte for past two years. Is a former assistant U.S. attorney specializing in terrorism and organized crime.
- **Malik Edwards**, professor. Currently a Fontaine Fellow at the University of Pennsylvania's graduate school of education, where he's completing his doctorate.
- **Meredith Jeffries**, professor. Is head of Charlotte labor and employment practice group at Alston & Bird.
- **Howard Katz**, professor. Is a visiting professor at Cleveland-Marshall College of Law and the Senior Fellow at the American Architectural Foundation in Washington. Got his law degree from Harvard.
- **Jacki Knapman**, professor. A mediator since 1989, she is a visiting professor at Michigan State University's College of Law.
- **Susan Rowe**, professor. Has practiced at a number of firms in Columbia, including Nexsen Pruet. • **Denise Spriggs**, professor and associate dean for students. Currently associate dean for student affairs at Howard University.

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