The general purposes of DOJ Pride are:

• To identify and address issues particularly affecting lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender (LGBT) employees of the Department;

• To support the Department in the development and implementation of effective policies and practices for the elimination of discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation and gender identity or expression in all Departmental activities; and

• To serve as a resource and point of contact for its members, for those seeking or considering employment with the Department, and for other interested individuals or groups.

Anyone seeking more information should contact DOJ Pride President Marc Salans.

Founded in 1994, U.S. Department of Justice Pride (DOJ Pride) serves as the recognized organization for all LGBT employees and their allies working in the Department of Justice’s offices, boards, bureaus and divisions. DOJ Pride works to make the Department a model employer of LGBT individuals. It works with the Department to create a workplace that is free from discrimination and affirming of all employees, regardless of sexual orientation, gender identity or gender expression. It also serves as an important resource for current and prospective employees. In addition, DOJ Pride sponsors social events such as brown-bag lectures featuring prominent members of the LGBT community. Finally, through its yearly Pride Month Celebration and Award Ceremony, DOJ Pride, in conjunction with the Department, actively recognizes those who have made outstanding contributions toward achieving full LGBT equality.

Become a member today! Visit www.dojpride.org/join
DOJ PRIDE ACTIVITIES

DOJ Pride has numerous educational and social activities you can join:

Annual LGBT Pride & Awards Ceremony in the Great Hall. Past honorees and speakers have included:
- LGBT civil rights leader Dr. Frank Kameny
- Former Assistant Attorney General Eleanor Acheson
- OPM Director John Berry
- U.S. Attorney Jenny Durkan
- U.S. Marshal Sharon Lubinski
- DC City Councilmember David Catania
- Maryland Attorney General Doug Gansler
- Former Solicitor General Ted Olson

Brownbag lunches. Past speakers have included:
- Assistant Deputy Secretary for Safe Schools Kevin Jennings
- Washington Post Editorial Writer Jonathan Capehart
- Author and Brookings Fellow Jonathan Rauch
- Professor Nan Hunter
- NPR Reporter Ari Shapiro
- Assistant Secretary of Labor Kathy Martinez
- Former Solicitor General Walter Dellinger

Social events, including:
- Movie nights
- Happy Hours
- Bowling
- Ice cream socials
- Curator tours at local museums
- Ice skating

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