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My name is Lindsey Laveaux, JD/MA, class of 2013, French track. I am currently a criminal defense attorney in New York, NY with a deep-rooted commitment to building community, fostering relationships, and creating dynamic programming to support the goals and needs of my counterparts. To bring the Law/Lauder community together, I organized our first alumni dinner in 2018 and hope to continue this tradition under Lauder's most recent leadership. As an attorney with NY County Defender Services, I drafted the first-ever bylaws for the creation of affinity groups and founded Black@NYCDS in 2020 to attend to the growing diversity within the office. Since 2022, I have served as co-chair of the Criminal Law Committee as part of the NY Women's Bar Association. In this role, I have organized programming focused on various legal issues to give platform to legal voices with unique perspectives.

In the continued spirit of leadership, innovation, and collaboration, I wish to join the LIAA Board to support the Institute and fellow alumni. I am eager to further the goal of engaging all alumni, including Law/Lauder graduates, through varied programming and events and to develop strategy to encourage and support all alumni activity. I wish to offer my time and skillset to strengthen an already successful LIAA Board, and to foster a robust, engaging, and supportive alumni network.

When not on trial, I enjoy spending time with family and friends, adventuring with my partner, and perfecting my mother's Haitian recipes.