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**CITI EXPANDS LEGAL RECRUITING PROGRAM, "CITISELECT":
2009 Summer Class Includes Extended Roster of Schools and Law Firms**

New York, NY – Citi announced today that three outstanding law students have been selected as members of the 2009 summer associate class of CitiSelect, an innovative program offering top law students an opportunity to obtain legal training at a leading law firm in New York as well as an in-house position at Citi.

"We are pleased and excited to continue our commitment to CitiSelect with an extended roster of schools and law firms participating this summer," said Michael Helfer, Citi's General Counsel. "This will mark our third accomplished summer class for a program that has become a tremendous success for the associates, the participating law firms and Citi as we train the next generation of talented Citi lawyers."

Students enter the program after their second year of law school and split their summer as Citi employees between Citi Legal and one of seven associated top-tier law firms. Upon graduation, students who are offered and accept a permanent position spend up to three years at the same law firm as Citi attorneys where they receive top-flight training before ultimately coming in house.

During their training at the respective law firms, CitiSelect associates are expected to work on a mix of Citi and non-Citi matters and to complete a structured legal development program comprising Citi training sessions on the businesses and legal structure of Citi, major practice areas across Citi Legal, and management and leadership skills.

The 2009 CitiSelect summer class includes **Ama Karikari** of the University of Pennsylvania Law School, **Mitzie Moore** of Howard University Law School, and **Edward Mullen** of New York Law School. Ama, Mitzie, and Ed will spend part of their summer sessions at Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton LLP, Bingham McCutchen LLP, and Shearman & Sterling LLP, respectively.

"The CitiSelect program is a great way for me to experience the best of both worlds," said Ed Mullen, 2009 CitiSelect summer associate. "I will have an opportunity to learn and develop my skills at a top law firm while also being part of a global financial services firm. As I think about my career over the next several years, I'm excited about what awaits me at Citi."

“This has truly been an amazing and enriching experience so far,” said Charlene Jones, a member of CitiSelect’s inaugural summer class who began training in September as a CitiSelect associate at Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP. “As a summer associate, I was given an opportunity right away to get hands-on experience dealing with important Citi-related matters both at the law firm and during my time at Citi. Now I’m excited to have started the next phase of my career knowing I’ll ultimately join Citi as an in-house lawyer.”

In addition to the law firms previously mentioned, the other law firms associated with CitiSelect are Davis Polk & Wardwell; Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP; and Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLP.

The members of the CitiSelect Associate classes listed by year of hire include:

CitiSelect Class of 2008:

- Vincent Hull – American University Washington College of Law
- Charlene Jones – New York University Law School
- Yin Wu – University of Pennsylvania Law School

CitiSelect Class of 2009:

- Haewan Bae – Georgetown Law School
- Jeffrey Clinton – Harvard Law School
- Allam Taj – University of Pennsylvania Law School

To learn more about CitiSelect, visit the program’s website at www.citiselect.citigroup.com.

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