We are excited that you are visiting Concordia University School of Law in beautiful Boise, Idaho! We appreciate that Idaho’s Treasure Valley offers world-class recreational opportunities paired with a myriad of concerts, shows, and cultural events. We’re confident that after spending a few days here you will see why Boise is consistently ranked as one of the best areas to live.

**DAY ONE: WALKING TOUR**
Spring is a delightful time of the year in “The City of Trees”. You will appreciate the mild weather accompanied by beautiful, blooming flowers, and trees. After your campus visit, head to lunch at Bleubird (224 N 10th) which features specialty sandwiches, hearty soups, artisan salads, and a fun atmosphere.

After lunch, take a walking tour of Boise’s Historic Hyde Park Neighborhood on 13th Street. Make sure you stop by Goody’s (1502 N 13th St) for some old-fashioned ice cream and then head to Camel’s Back Park. Once at the park, hike up to the top of the hill for a fabulous view of Boise. From Camel’s Back Park you can walk west a few blocks and take a stroll down Harrison Boulevard, one of Boise’s oldest and most picturesque thoroughfares.

**DAY TWO: HIKING & BIKING**
Today you will learn more about why Boise is consistently ranked as one of the best cities in the U.S. to live in. Your first stop is breakfast at Goldy’s Breakfast & Bistro (108 S Capitol Blvd), a downtown favorite that uses fresh, local ingredients. After breakfast head to Zoo Boise, located in the beautiful Julia Davis Park. Zoo Boise is a service of the City of Boise and it is supported by the Friends of the Zoo, a non-profit organization (zooboise.org).

Next you will head to Boise’s amazing foothills for a hike. Boise’s Ridge to Rivers Trail System features over 130 miles of trails for hiking, mountain biking, and trail running. In the spring you will find wildflowers blooming and domestic sheep migrating through the area (ridgetorivers.org).

For a fun and unique dining experience, check out Barbacoa Restaurant (276 Bobwhite Ct). This local fine-dining experience offers a whimsical and artistic environment and delicious open-fire grilled cuisine (barbacoa-boise.com).

**DAY THREE: CULTURAL EXPERIENCE**
Fishing is a favorite springtime activity for many Idahoans. Idaho’s Treasure Valley offers world-famous rivers as well as local ponds where you can catch trout, salmon, and other fish. Many city parks in Boise have their ponds stocked with fish by Idaho’s Department of Fish and Game.

After spending time enjoying Boise’s many outdoor activities, it’s time for you to explore Boise’s unique cultural scene. Spend the evening attending a performance by the Boise Philharmonic, Idaho’s largest and oldest performing arts organization. This 70-member professional orchestra traces its roots to as early as 1885 and they perform for over 50,000 people annually (boisephil.org).

**NEED MORE IDEAS?**
- Morrison Knudsen Nature Center, interactive museum, underwater viewing window
- Boise River Greenbelt, connects parks and natural areas along its 30 mile route
- Bown Crossing (adjacent to the Boise River Greenbelt), shopping and dining
- Capital City Market and Boise Farmers’ Market, two markets in the same downtown area, open April through October