

Jennifer McCollough Accepts Post-Graduate Judicial Clerkship in Texas



Law Journal, president of the Intellectual Property Law Association, and one of TJSL's four IP Fellows. She attended the U.S. Naval Academy and her undergraduate degree is in Aerospace Engineering. Up until the beginning of 2012, McCollough was active duty with the U.S. Navy, where she was a helicopter pilot and a legal officer. In her spare time, she participates in triathlons and ultra-marathons, plays piano and volunteers at elementary schools.

"It is a huge relief to know that I have a job right after graduation," notes McCollough. "I'll be back in job search mode again in a couple years, but I am very excited about the doors that will open following this clerkship."

"As a school we have much to be proud of, and Jennifer is someone who is a shining example of that," said Bracker.

Third-year student Jennifer McCollough is on a roll when it comes to working with U.S. District Court Judges. She has just accepted a post-graduate judicial clerkship with Judge John D. Love, a U.S. Magistrate Judge with the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Texas. She currently is interning with Judge Roger Benitez, a 1978 TJSL alumnus, and previously interned for Judge Anthony Battaglia, both in the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of California.

"I am ecstatic to have this opportunity," McCollough said. "Judge Love is highly respected and I know I am going to learn so much from him. Also, I am hoping to practice in patent law and intellectual property after graduation, so being able to focus in patent litigation during my clerkship is a unique opportunity."

Beverly K. Bracker, Director of Career Services at TJSL, put McCollough in touch with TJSL alumnus, Ray Warner, who graduated in the late 90's and is now a career clerk in the Eastern District of Texas. "He was a big

help and great resource for Jennifer as she prepared for the interview," Bracker said.

"Ms. Bracker has been nothing short of amazing," McCollough says. "She is the perfect person in her position, both as a counselor and motivator. She has been such a calming force when I was freaking out about how I was going to balance my studies with getting all these applications done."

McCollough also recognized Professors Bryan Wildenthal, Priscilla Vargas-Wrosch and Ellen Waldman for helping her prepare for the interview, Professors Julie Cromer Young and Steve Semeraro for their work and mentorship through the IP Fellows Program, Professor Brenda Simon for her career advice and patent law expertise, and Professor Judybeth Tropp for her assistance as the Director of the law school's externship program.

"I am scheduled to start on August 1, 2013,"

McCollough explains. "So I will have a week after the bar exam to get settled and prepare to hit the ground running. The term of the clerkship is for one year, and Judge Love indicated that I may be able to extend for a second year, so we will see."

For McCollough, a major perk of earning this post-graduate clerkship is reuniting with her family. "After nearly fifteen years in the military, being close to my family for a year makes this the perfect clerkship for me," she says. "I am very excited to play golf with my eighty-year old grandmother, hear my Mom sing in the choir on Sundays, eat my Dad's awesome steak and attend my little brother's football games on the weekends!"

Just recently she was a Summer Law Intern with the U.S. Department of Justice, Antitrust Division in Washington, D.C. She also has been a Research Assistant and a Teacher Assistant for four different professors, co-founder of the Intellectual Property



L to R: Barry Berkowitz '75, Brook Baquila '3L, Dean Rudy Hasl and David Majchrzak '02



Ryan Larson '2L



SBA Presidents L to R: Jeremy Evans '11 (2010-2011), Chris Paulos '10 (2009-2010), Gabe Baldini (Current)



Nicole Heffel '3L



The 17th Annual Alumni Golf Tournament

The 17th Annual Thomas Jefferson School of Law Alumni & Friends Golf Tournament fielded winners in several categories on Friday, October 4, 2012, but the biggest winner of all is the TJS� Veterans Legal Assistance Clinic (VLAC).

The proceeds fund scholarships for TJS� students who provide pro bono legal services for struggling San Diego veterans through the VLAC, a collaborative effort with Veterans Village of San Diego.

At the awards dinner, TJS� Professor and VLAC Director Steve Berenson said a few words to the golfers present. "The proceeds from the Golf Tournament go into a fund that provides scholarships for the most outstanding students in the Veterans Clinic each semester," Berenson said. "These are students who go above and beyond the already high expectations that all clients have a right to have for their attorneys, and that TJS� professors have of their students. They are our best and brightest students, and are very deserving of the support they receive."

This year's tournament at Rancho Bernardo Inn Golf Course in Rancho Bernardo attracted 88 golfers, from TJS� alumni to current students to professors and friends.

Before the golfers hit the links they were invited to purchase additional raffle tickets to help boost the net proceeds. The donated raffle prizes from individuals and businesses included Taylor Made golf clubs; golf balls, restaurant gift certificates, two Kindle Fires, an iPad2 and various gift baskets.

Vanessa Vandever Alumni Relations Director said she is grateful that the 17th Annual Alumni Golf Tournament went off without a hitch and that everyone appeared to have an amazing time. "A special thanks goes out to the co-chairs of the Golf Committee Sabrina Green '02 and Aaron Hicks '04," said Vandever. "I truly appreciate the two of them helping to organize the entire event."

The net total proceeds from the 2012 tournament have not yet been finalized.

TJSL ADR Teams Excel at Entertainment Negotiation Competition

TJSL students Tara Almazan and Tee Ho, coached by Matt Juhren and Sam Ehrlich, beat twenty other teams in the preliminary rounds to advance to the final four of the Southwestern Entertainment Law Negotiation Competition held in Los Angeles on October 6 and 7.

This marked the second time in the three years that a team from TJSL has reached the final four of this competition. Among the teams that Tara and Tee bested were teams from Hastings, UC Irvine, Chapman, California Western, Western State, among others.

The team of Elizabeth Chu and Yvonne Ruiz, coached by Tim Thiel and Alexander Green, also performed well in the competition, besting both of its opponents in the preliminary rounds, but not scoring well enough to qualify for the final four.

Professor Paul Spiegelman, faculty supervisor of the ADR team, noted that "it is always gratifying when our teams

receive recognition in these competitions, but the real wins are the incredible learning that the teams and their coaches do in preparing for and then competing in these events. I am immensely proud of the dedication, effort, thought, practice and ability that each of our competitors and coaches put into this competition. It sure showed. And the skills they learned will be enormous assets in their careers after law school."

After the ADR Society acted as co-hosts for the highly successful National Sports Law Negotiation Competition last week, this was the opening competition for TJSL's ADR Society which will also be competing in San Francisco in November at the ABA Negotiation Competition, in Los Angeles in January at the 9th Circuit Bankruptcy Negotiation Competition; in Phoenix in February at the ABA Representation in Negotiation Competition; and in the California State Bar Environmental Negotiation

Competition in San Francisco in March.

In the ADR Society, team members learn skills in communication, analysis and strategy for negotiating and mediating cases which are invaluable for the practice of law.

Tryouts to join the ADR Society will be held on Sunday, November 18, 2012. Students who are thinking of participating should attend one of the informational meetings on November 1 at noon and 5:00 pm.

If you have any questions, contact a member of the ADR Executive Board, Tim Thiel, Matt Juhren, Tee Ho, or Tara Almazan or Professor Spiegelman.



Texas Tech, Texas Tech, UC Davis, TJSL



Professor Paul Spiegelman, Tara Almazan 2L, Tee Ho 3L, Matt Juhren 3L and Sam Ehrlich 2L

"The ticking time bomb has arrived."

That's the sub-title of the MCLE event at TJSJL on Saturday, October 20, "Music Copyright Terminations."

This panel discussion, from 11 a.m. – 2 p.m. - is about the 1978 Copyright Act which provides that artists can terminate and regain copyrights assigned to record labels and music publishers 35 years after the copyright is granted.

The first court case involved composer Victor Willis, who wrote the Village People hit "YCMA." He successfully sued to terminate the copyright of the publisher. The Willis case is going to lead to a "tidal wave" of music artists seeking to terminate copyrights currently held by the record companies and producers on 1970's era recordings and published music. Willis' attorney Brian Caplan will make a pre-recorded appearance at the event.

This discussion at TJSJL will explore the impact of the copyright terminations on the record labels – is this the death knell for the labels? Or is this a new era for artist's rights?

"There is, to paraphrase Marx, a specter haunting the music industry--the specter of copyright terminations from pre-1978 musical works," said TJSJL Entertainment Law Professor K.J. Greene, who is hosting the event. "How this battle will turn out none can say, but at stake is a massive trove of music with astonishing financial worth. This forum brings perspectives from leading participants from both sides of the trenches, and promises to be fascinating and contentious. It is befitting a school like TJSJL, which sits on the cutting edge of intellectual property and is unique in its student-faculty-and practitioner's collaborations."

The moderators will be Professors Jeff Slattery and Julie Cromer Young

The sponsors are TJSJL's Entertainment Law Society and the Center for Law and Intellectual Property



Cost: **Free for Students**

For MCLE Credit:
 \$15 for TJSJL alumni and
 \$25 others

RSVP by October 17
<http://alumni.tjsl.edu/events/>



Michael E. Tigar

The TJSJ community is invited to hear Professor Tigar speak on worker's rights in

Room 323
from
11:30 a.m. -12:50 p.m.

Later in the afternoon, from 3 – 5 p.m., Professor Tigar will do a cross-examination skills training for students, alumni and other local attorneys in the Moot Courtroom. 2 hours of MCLE Credit is available.

Michael E. Tigar, who is considered to be one of America's greatest lawyers, will be on campus on Tuesday, October 23, for two separate presentations, one of them an MCLE Event.

The TJSJ Center for Law and Social Justice, the TJSJ Faculty Colloquium Committee, the National Lawyers Guild-TJSJ chapter, and the National Lawyers Guild-San Diego chapter will be co-sponsoring these events.

Tigar is Emeritus Professor at Washington College of Law and at Duke Law School.

"Michael Tigar is one of the most prominent criminal defense attorneys in the United States," said TJSJ Professor Marjorie Cohn. "A brilliant speaker, Professor Tigar's work encompasses both incisive legal-political analysis

and practice strategies for lawyers. This is a great opportunity to learn from a legal legend."

Here is information about his first presentation:

WORKER RIGHTS UNDER ATTACK: OUTSOURCING AND GLOBALIZATION In the past twenty years, the traditional legal analysis of worker rights has been altered. Labor law, as traditional understood, is now transnational. Militant unions have worked to organize low wage and vulnerable workers in the United States. Powerful public and private forces, including major multinational corporations, have resisted these campaigns in four ways:

- outsourcing jobs within the United States,
- globalization – sending jobs to foreign countries where worker rights are fragile
- legislation to curtail or eliminate worker rights
- litigation attacks on union organizational campaigns

Professor Tigar has recently worked with labor and community organizations who are seeking a new set of legal protections for worker rights, nationally and globally. In this struggle many of the same themes can be seen that dominate discourse about transnational standards of accountability in other areas – environmental protection, financial fraud, and violation of human rights norms. As a new generation of lawyers prepares for practice, the "new" labor law provides them tools and opportunities.

Time for a Little Mid-Term Breakaway



Jessica Lockett 3L

It happens every semester just before Mid-Term exams begin.

Mid-Term Breakaway is a chance for students to take a break from studying, get a free lunch and get in a little social time before they bear down on exams.

"Turkey is my favorite! Nom-Nom," said Jessica Lockett 3L.

"It's great, because during exams a lot of us forget to eat, grocery shop and do

essential things," said Sara Denton 2L. "It's great to have people who care about your health. I appreciate it."

"It's great that Student Services encourages us to take time to take care of ourselves," said Lynn Marie Morski 2L.

The students all lined up for complimentary sandwiches and drinks in the fifth floor Student Lounge and, at one point, the line was out the door.

Among the people in line were Phillip Jackson 1L and Mike Newnam 1L. They both were studying in the library when they thought "let's go get some food."

"It's a nice change," said Newnam.

Mid-Term Breakout is always a hit ... and a welcome break from the study grind.



Phillip Jackson 1L and Mike Newnam 1L

If you have thought about a career in bankruptcy law, you will want to attend the panel discussion at TJSL on October 24, "Developing a Successful Bankruptcy Career: Judges and Lawyers Share Their Secrets."

The National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges (NCBJ) is holding its conference in San Diego from October 24-27, and one of the highlights is the panel at TJSL on the 24th from 3:30 p.m. – 4:45 pm.

Everyone who attends will have the opportunity to meet the panelists and network with judges and attorneys at a reception on the 8th floor after the event hosted by the NCBJ-National Bar Association Liaison Committee."T"Thomas

Jefferson School of Law's bankruptcy and financial law professors are delighted that federal judges attending this year's annual National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges (NCBJ) have selected us to host part of the conference," said TJSL Professor Chris Guzelian. "This is a rare and outstanding opportunity for all San Diego-area law or business students. Students can network with distinguished federal bankruptcy judges and practitioners and will learn about professional opportunities in the field of creditor and debtor relations."

Who is invited?

According to the invitation, "Law students from the region's law



schools and students from any of the undergraduate colleges in and near San Diego who are interested in business law, restructuring, insolvency, bankruptcy, or corporate or consumer debt solutions are welcome. If you have only the slightest interest in becoming an attorney, or if you are already in law school and you are unsure of which area of law you wish to practice in, you should come to this program."

It was a Great Day to Watch the San Diego Padres WIN!

The second TJSL Alumni Tailgate Party of the year was held on Saturday, September 29 at Petco Park, within sight of TJSL.

This fun event always draws a lot students, faculty, staff and Alumni and this time was no exception!

They got to watch a 7-3 Padres victory over the San Francisco Giants.





**TJSL
Professors
Lee and Deo
Cited in
Amicus
Briefs for
Major
Supreme
Court Case**

Two Thomas Jefferson School of Law Professors, Rebecca K. Lee and Meera E. Deo, have had their scholarly articles cited in the amicus curiae brief filed by the California Attorney General's Office in *Fisher v. University of Texas*. The parties in *Fisher* will present oral arguments to the U.S. Supreme Court on October 10.

According to Professor Lee, "*Fisher v. University of Texas* has attracted attention because it reopens a previously settled question regarding whether it is constitutional for our nation's colleges and universities to consider race when selecting students for admission."

Professor Deo adds, "*Fisher* is the first time the Supreme Court has taken up the issue of affirmative action in higher education since the landmark ruling in *Grutter v. Bollinger*. I was a named Intervening-Defendant in that case. In *Grutter*, the Court upheld the consideration of race as one factor among many in making admissions decisions. *Fisher* is slightly more complicated since it includes the state's 'Top 10 Percent' plan, which affords students another avenue for admission to the state's flagship university. Nevertheless, *Fisher* provides the Court an opportunity to confirm support for affirmative action or to limit or even abandon *Grutter* altogether."

"*Grutter* also affirmed Justice Powell's controlling opinion in an earlier case, *Regents of the University of California v. Bakke*, and thus there is

precedent for *Grutter's* holding," says Professor Lee. "*Fisher* deals with an undergraduate admissions process and *Grutter* dealt with a law school admissions policy, but the issue presented in both cases is essentially the same. A contrary ruling in *Fisher* would surely impair the ability of higher education institutions to diversify their student bodies and to fully equip their students with diversity-related skills for later workplace and civic participation."

Amicus briefs are "friend of the court" briefs filed by non-parties to add perspectives to the case. A number of private individuals, public institutions, professional organizations, and civic groups filed amicus briefs in *Fisher*, most in support of Respondents. The State of California was one of these entities that offered its perspective in support of the University of Texas and affirmative action. The State of California in its amicus brief cites Professor Lee's article, *Implementing Grutter's Diversity Rationale: Diversity and Empathy in Leadership*, 19 DUKE J. GEN- DER L. & POL'Y 133 (2011), as support for their argument that diversity in the school setting is necessary to prepare students for leadership in diverse environments, including in the work setting. The State of California's brief also quotes Professor Lee's work, referring to her analysis of the amicus briefs filed by various business employers in *Grutter* on the advantages that universities have in familiariz-

ing students with diverse perspectives.

Two of Professor Deo's articles were cited in a total of five amicus briefs filed with the Supreme Court. "The State of California relies on one of my articles to support its argument that diversity provides unique benefits in the context of higher education. The State of California brief quotes my article for assertions that diversity leads to both improved learning outcomes in school and better preparation for practice in the profession." The article quoted in the State of California brief is *Paint by Number? How the Race & Gender of Law School Faculty Affect the First Year Curriculum*, 29 Chicano-Latino Law Review 1 (2010).

In addition, four additional briefs in support of the University of Texas cite to another article Professor Deo wrote for support of the assertion that racially diverse classrooms improve learning in the higher education context. This particular article, *The Promise of Grutter: Diverse Interactions at the University of Michigan Law School*, 17 Mich. J. of Race & L. 63 (2011), draws on an empirical study that she recently conducted at the University of Michigan Law School. The amicus briefs quoting and citing to this particular article of Professor Deo's were filed by 17 U.S. Senators, The American Education Research Association (AERA) and Seven Additional Research Associations, 444 American Social Science Researchers, and the Asian American Center for Advancing Justice.

Both professors feel honored to have been cited in these amicus briefs.

"It is very gratifying that my research can contribute support for California's arguments in *Fisher* for the Supreme Court's consideration," says Professor Lee. "Although my contribution is modest, I am pleased to have my scholarship used to help inform the key interests at stake in such an important case.

"I am thrilled that I can continue to have a voice in the ongoing debate surrounding affirmative action," says Professor Deo. "When the challenge was made against the University of Michigan's affirmative action policy, I was a law student there. I immediately joined a movement to intervene as a named defendant and support affirmative action through grass-roots and legal advocacy. I continued working on the *Grutter* case as a young attorney, at trial, on appeal, and when it was in the U.S. Supreme Court. Today, my advocacy takes shape in my interdisciplinary empirical research -- which shows why diversity continues to be a compelling state interest and affirmative action remains necessary."

The articles cited by Professors Lee and Deo can be viewed on the following links:

<http://www.utexas.edu/vp/irla/Documents/ACR%20State%20of%20California.pdf>

<http://www.utexas.edu/vp/irla/Documents/ACR%20Senators.pdf>

<http://www.utexas.edu/vp/irla/Documents/ACR%20Asian%20American%20Center%20for%20Advancing%20Ju.pdf>

<http://www.utexas.edu/vp/irla/Documents/ACR%20American%20Social%20Science%20Researchers.pdf>

<http://www.utexas.edu/vp/irla/Documents/ACR%20Asian%20American%20Center%20for%20Advancing%20Ju.pdf>



**Deadline is
October 11 by 3 p.m.**

[Click here to learn more about the Lawyers Club of San Diego.](#)

TJSL Students Can Apply Now for 2012 TJSL/Lawyers Club Scholarship

Applications are now being accepted for the TJSL Women & the Law Project Scholarship with Lawyers Club of San Diego. Thomas Jefferson School of Law established this scholarship in collaboration with Lawyers Club, a non-profit specialty bar association seeking to advance the status of women in the law, to support and improve the administration of justice and to promote equality of women and men in our society. Catrina Skor '11 was selected by Lawyers Club as the first recipient of this scholarship in 2010 and Elizabeth Knowles '12 as the 2011 recipient.

The scholarship provides \$2,000 to a TJSL student **who demonstrates support of the mission of Lawyers Club, is academically among the top 50% of her or his law school class and has completed one full year of law school (30 units minimum).**

Please be certain you meet these requirements before submitting an application. The scholarship is to be used for tuition and/or books.

The scholarship will be officially awarded at the Lawyers Club annual Holiday Luncheon in December. Thomas Jefferson School of Law demonstrates its support of Lawyers Club as a "Benefactor." TJSL will have a table at the Holiday Luncheon, at which our scholarship recipient and guest(s) will sit.

Applications for the 2012 Thomas Jefferson School of Law Women & the Law Project Scholarship with Lawyers Club of San Diego are **due on Thursday, Oct. 11, by 3 p.m.**

The completed application should be converted to a pdf and emailed, along with a resume, to Faculty Assistant Randy Ward at rward@tjssl.edu by the deadline.

Applications will be evaluated by a TJSL Lawyers Club Scholarship Committee and then forwarded to the Lawyers Club for final evaluation.

[To download the application click here.](#)

Lawyers Club welcomes student members and has a Student Committee that helps foster relationships among students, lawyers and judges.

An announcement from Alex Kreit the Director of the Center for Law and Social Justice

The Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights Under Law, the San Diego offices of DLA Piper, California Common Cause and the American Civil Liberties Union need your assistance on Election Day, November 6, 2012!

The Election Protection program is the nation's largest, **nonpartisan**, voter protection coalition and ensures that eligible voters across the country are guaranteed their right to cast a ballot on Election Day.

We are looking for attorneys, paralegals, law students and other interested volunteers to serve as nonpartisan poll monitors in San Diego County on November 6th. As a poll monitor you will identify and troubleshoot any issues confronting voters and you

will have support from the attorneys on the national Election Protection hotline and the San Diego command center at DLA Piper.

Volunteers simply must attend a 90-minute training the week before the election and sign-up for at least one, 4-5 hour shift on Election Day.

Shifts will begin as early as 6:30 a.m. so it's easy to volunteer and still get to work at a decent hour.

To volunteer, sign-up for a training and one or more Election Day shifts at <http://volunteer.866ourvote.org>.

Everyone, even those who are not lawyers or

law students, should click on the lawyer sign-up button in order to pull up the San Diego trainings and shifts.

For your convenience you will see that we have midday, evening and weekend training options.

Lawyers, law students and law firms please contact Nancy Anderson, Director of Pro Bono at Lawyers Committee, at 202-662-8354 or nanderson@lawyerscommittee.org

Thank you for your support and we look forward to working with you to protect everyone's right to vote on Election Day 2012.

Special Library Midterm Hours:

The 4th & 5th floors will be open until 1:45 a.m. beginning Wednesday Night / Thursday morning, October 3 / 4 and continuing through Monday night / Tuesday morning, October 8 / 9.

2012 Cap & Gown Portraits

Date: October 18 & 19

These photos will be placed in the December Commencement Program.

*Location: The Student Lounge on the 5th floor.
Time: 2:30 - 5:30 p.m.*

*No appointment necessary.
No sitting fee.*

Grad Fair

Date: October 18 & 19

Time: 2:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Location: The Student Lounge on the 5th floor.

A.D. live scan and notary services

Schedule your exit interview with Career Services

And more...

MPRE Workshop

Date: October 13

Time: 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Location: Room 323

"Live MPRE lecture provided by Barbri.

Students with Barbri books should bring them. All others must attend by 8:30 a.m. to receive free books and Materials.

MPRE Workshop

Date: October 25

Time: 6 - 9 p.m.

Location Moot Court Room

Live MPRE lecture provided by Themis Bar Review.

Students must arrive by 5:30 p.m. to receive free books and materials.

An announcement from Alex Kreit the Director of the Center for Law and Social Justice

I'm pleased to announce two upcoming Center for Law and Social Justice events this month. Next Wednesday, October 10, TJSJ will host a moot court argument in an important medical marijuana appeal. On Monday, October 22nd, we will host a debate on Proposition 34--a ballot measure that would replace the death penalty with life without parole in California.

Medical Marijuana Moot Argument October 10, 2:30 - 3:30 p.m., Moot Courtroom

Next Thursday, Joe Elford, chief counsel for Americans for Safe Access, will be arguing an appeal in an important medical marijuana case here in San Diego. The day before--on October 10th--he will be doing a moot argument at TJSJ. In the case, Jovan Jackson was convicted in state court of operating a medical marijuana dispensary that was found to be out of compliance with California law. The case concerns the meaning of California's law authorizing medical marijuana collectives and cooperatives. At the event, Joe Elford will try out his arguments before a panel of three moot judges (TJSJ faculty), who will provide him with feedback. The event is open to all to attend. We will leave time for audience members to ask questions and provide their own feedback. Joe Elford's bio is available here: <http://safeaccessnow.org/article.php?id=2585> . **Please RSVP at:** <http://bit.ly/SH26gP>

Are you interested in pursuing a Certificate in Law and Social Justice? If you are a 1L or 2L interested in social justice, please consider signing up for TJSJ's Certificate in Law and Social Justice. To find out more information and to enroll in the program, visit the Center's webpage: <http://www.tjsl.edu/law-social-justice>.

Proposition 34
debate October 22,
6 - 7:30 pm,
Room 227

This November, Californians will be voting on Proposition 34, a ballot measure that would repeal the death penalty and replace it with life without parole. Come to hear the arguments on both sides as Justin Brooks (Director of the California Innocence Project) and Brenda Daly (Deputy District Attorney) debate the proposal. The debate will be moderated by TJSJ's Professor Rod Smith. Food will be provided to this who RSVP. **Please RSVP at:** <http://bit.ly/RhsXS9>

Judicial Officers Mixer

Thursday, October 18,
6 - 7:30 p.m.

The TJSJ Alumni Association hosted the first Judicial Officers Mixer in 2008 to provide students with the opportunity to network with members of the San Diego Bench in an informal setting. Don't miss out on this popular and fun judicial networking event. RSVP to alumni@tjsl.edu or [619-961-4353](tel:619-961-4353) by Friday October 12, 2012.

SBA Halloween Party

This year's Party will be held at one of the newest and most exciting nightclub in San Diego, at the Pussycat Doll's Dollhouse Nightclub!

TJSJ students receive an exclusive VIP area with our own entrance, starting at **9 p.m. on October 26.**

Tickets will be sold for \$25 each, including two drink tickets and entry into the club. Tickets will go on sale soon!

The Jeffersonian

The Jeffersonian: If you would like to write for the ONLY Student-Run Newspaper on campus, please email Kevin Donovan (donovakk@tjsl.edu), Editor-in-Chief, cc, Lindsey-Shannon Lee (leelo@tjsl.edu), Managing Editor. This is a great opportunity to write about your passions and concerns.

Please send all Objections, thoughts and comments to: www.tjsl.edu/the-jeffersonian/objections

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Password: Chosen individually when you self-register

After logging in you'll be guided to the Catalog page to start filling out the business card form. Your info can be saved by using the Autofill option. Review a proof to the right and add your business card to the shopping cart. This will lead you to the checkout page where you enter your billing information and a requisition email will be sent. When all orders are approved, we'll gang the printing and deliver to TJSJ.

Extra Library Hours for Midterm Studying

The TJS� Library will be open extended hours leading up to midterms.

The 4th and 5th floors will be open until 1:45 am beginning Wednesday night/ Thursday morning, October 3rd / 4th and continuing through Monday night/ Tuesday morning, October 8th / 9th.

If you have any questions, please contact Leigh Inman at glinman@tjssl.edu.”

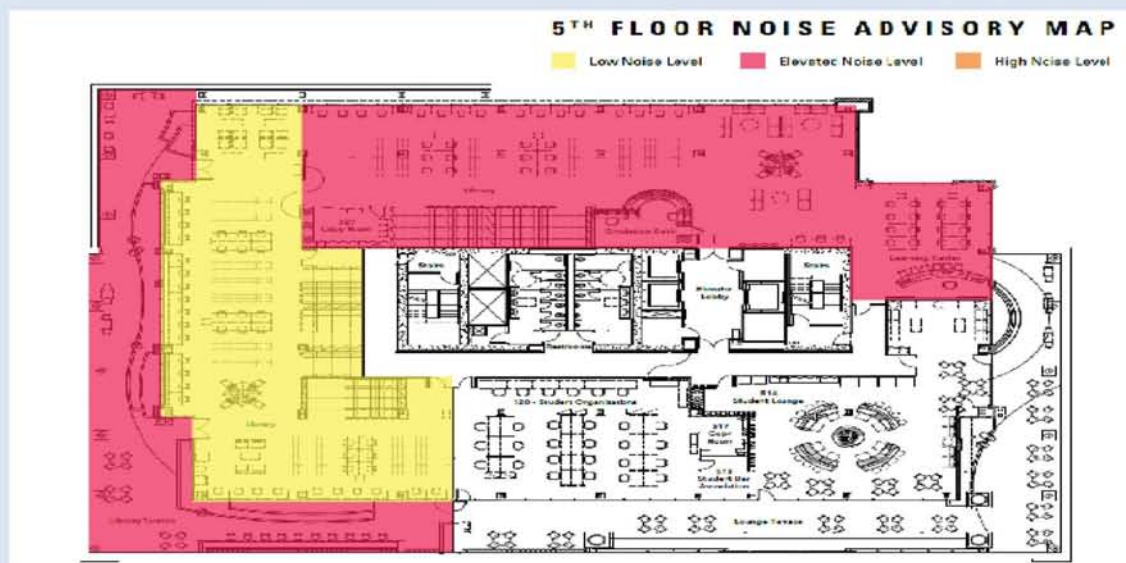
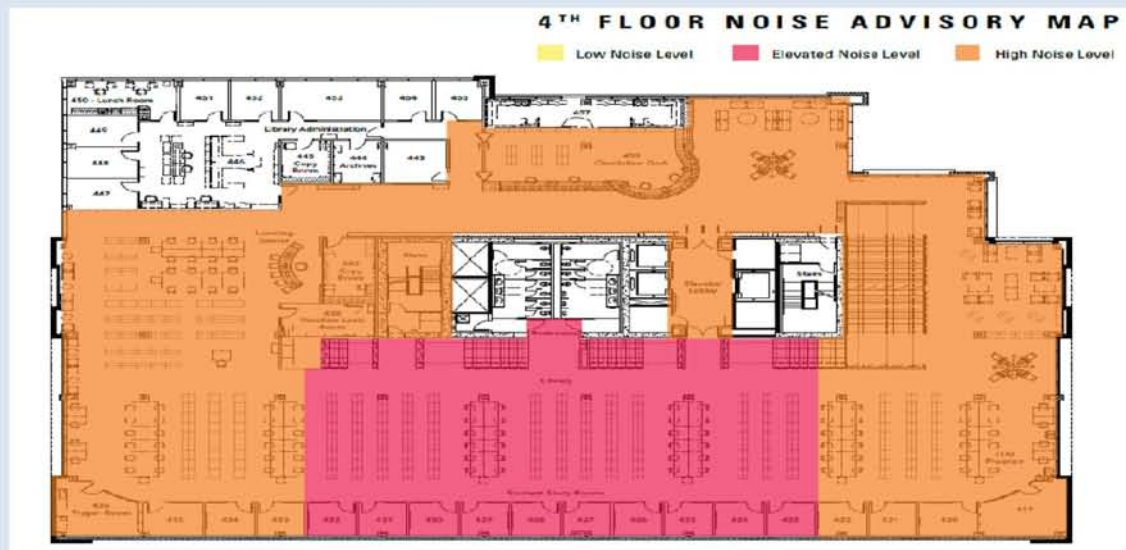
Studying In The Library-Noise Levels

You will notice some changes in the library this semester. We are striving to take full advantage of the design and technology in our library, both of which provide opportunities for collaborative learning. The Learning Centers on both the fourth and fifth floors will be used for classes, training sessions, vendor table days and group study more often. **The fourth floor will now be actively used for collaborative learning, meaning that you should expect this area to be noisy. The fifth floor library will be the quieter study space, especially the rear portion on the South side.**

We hope to have spaces in the library to meet everyone's needs for their own individual learning style. I do ask that everyone please be respectful of those around you. To help you decide where you might enjoy studying most, we've included a map with areas color coded to their expected noise level. You can also find this map on the Library webpage.

I am here for any suggestions, concerns or complaints you may have about your library. Feel free to contact me in person, via email at glinman@tjsl.edu or by phone at 619-961-4278.

Leigh Inman, Acting Director of the Library



Help Those Less Fortunate!

Donate Toiletries for the Homeless the week of October 8th!



When: Any day October 8-12, 2012

**Where: Drop off @ 1st Floor Administration Office
any time 8am-6pm**



**Organized By: TJSU Alumni Board to Benefit those served by
Alpha Project (www.alphaproject.org)**

**Who Can Participate?: Current Students, Past Students, Faculty,
Staff, any of your friends and family**

What can I bring?:

- shampoo, body wash, soap**
- toilet Paper and tissue in packaging**
- toothpaste and/or toothbrushes**
- deodorant, hair gel,**
- shavers, shaving cream**
- anything else similar to these :)**



**Note: items must be closed but can be travel size or from a hotel...everything helps. Thanks for donating!*





EXTERNSHIPS & PRO BONO

THOMAS JEFFERSON SCHOOL OF LAW

JUDICIAL EXTERNSHIPS AVAILABLE FOR SPRING 2013

Deadlines are September 28 and October 9

What is the judicial externship program? Our program offers students a unique opportunity to work directly with judges and their law clerks. It is highly competitive, but provides firsthand exposure to the world behind the bench. Students will be awarded academic credit upon successful completion of the program.

Requirements: You must have completed 30 units by the time the externship starts, and have completed Evidence if you are applying to Superior Court. You should be in the top 20% of your class, and it is strongly preferred that applicants be on Law Review and/or the mock trial or moot court team. A MINIMUM OF 20 HOURS PER WEEK IS REQUIRED. If you do not meet the class-ranking requirement, but feel you have applicable life or professional experience that would make you a qualified candidate, please contact Career Services to discuss best strategies for success.

What do I need to do to apply and what are the deadlines? Research the judges and courts that are listed in the Judicial Externship Informational Packet that seem best suited for you. You can pick up a copy at the Law Clinic/Externship Office located at 495 11th Avenue. The packet will walk you through all the steps necessary to apply for these prestigious positions.

Deadlines: Order official transcripts by (September 21st) and recommendation letters by (September 25th). Submit your completed packages to Alexandra Rosa in the Externship Office by October 9, 2012.

You must submit a cover letter and resume to Career Services at careerservices@tjssl.edu or Professor Tropp, Externship & Pro Bono Director at jtropp@tjssl.edu prior to applying for the job. Please be advised that by applying there is no guarantee that you will be offered an interview or an externship with these organizations. If you have questions about the Externship Program, please contact Alexandra Rosa, our Externship Coordinator, at arosa@tjssl.edu.

- The Externship Office is located at 495 11th Avenue, entrance is on 11th Avenue
- The TJSJ contact person is: Alexandra Rosa, Externship & Pro Bono Coordinator
- Email Ms. Rosa at arosa@tjssl.edu or call 619-961-4341 for further information

THOMAS JEFFERSON SCHOOL OF LAW

OUTLAW

LESBIAN, GAY, BISEXUAL, TRANSGENDERED, AND ALLIES STUDENT GROUP

Be Out! Be Proud!

OCTOBER 11th IS
NATIONAL COMING OUT DAY

Help promote public awareness for
the LGBT community by encouraging
honesty and openness. Show your
support and promote equality.

Please join us on the 5th floor in the Student Lounge between
12:00pm & 5:00pm for further information on how to support the
LGBT community and to enjoy cake and coffee.

TJSL's OUTLAW Supports You. Be OUT. Be Proud.

TJSL Unite!

A networking event for TJSL students, alumni, faculty & staff.



Thomas Jefferson
School of Law
1155 Island Avenue,
San Diego CA 92101



No matter which building reminds you of your experience at TJSL, please join us for a fun evening of meeting, greeting, uniting, reuniting, mixing, mingling, teaming up and general networking with TJSL students, alumni, faculty and staff at **Galente Ganci, APC and Arizmendi Law Firm.**

**Co-hosted by the TJSL Alumni Relations Office
and the TJSL Alumni Association**

Thursday, October 11, 2012 from 5:30-7:30.
110 West C Street, Suites 707 and 712,
San Diego, CA 92101

Free street parking or 3 hour parking
at Horton Plaza

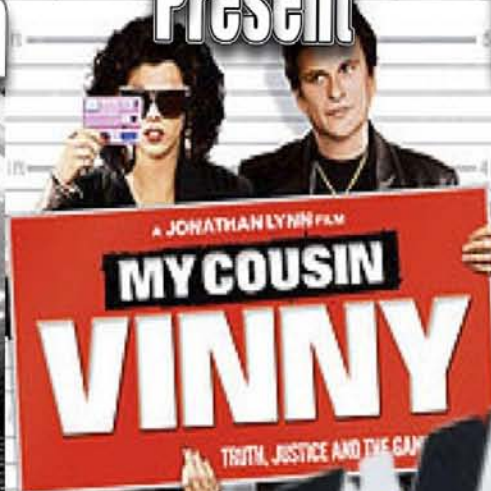
RSVP to Renee Galente: Renee@GandGTrialLawyers.com by October 4, 2012

Academic
Success
Program



Present

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MOVIE NIGHT

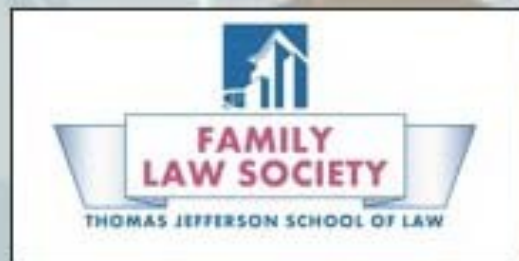
MOVIE SNACKS PROVIDED!!

WHEN 10/10/2012, Wednesday

TIME 7:30 PM

WHERE 5TH FLOOR
Student Lounge Patio

Bring blankets/beach chairs



Family Law & Fondue

**Thursday,
October 11th
6:30 p.m.**

**at
The Melting Pot
Gaslamp**

Come enjoy wine,
cheese and chocolate fondue
with local family law
attorneys.



**Limited Seating
RSVP to FLS@tjssl.edu**

**\$5 Members
\$15 Non-Members**



JEWISH STUDENT UNION

PRESENTS

SHABBAT HAPPY HOUR

& NETWORKING EVENT

WHEN: FRI., OCTOBER 12, 2012

WHERE:
BASIC
410 10TH AVE.

TIME: 5:30 TO 8:00 P.M.

PLEASE RSVP TO BAUMRJ@TJSL.EDU

FOR MORE INFO, PLEASE VISIT OUR FACEBOOK GROUP PAGE: JSU-TJSL



**AMERICANS FOR
PROSPERITY**



**Want a FREE trip
to Las Vegas??**

The Jefferson Law Republicans are sponsoring:

Americans for Prosperity is offering PAID positions on their campaign to support conservative candidates in Nevada and they want TJSL students!

RSVP by 10/15/12!

- 10/19-10/21
- Transportation to and from Vegas will be provided.
- Hotels and food will be paid for.
- \$100 paid per day!
- Free 3 Doors Down Concert on 10/20!
- Email Brittany Walker to RSVP!
walkerbj@tjssl.edu

The TJS� Center for Global Legal Studies and the International Law Society present an information meeting on:

The 2013 TJS� China and Nice Summer Abroad Programs

Come one, come all!

Professor Susan Tiefenbrun, Director of the China and Nice Study Abroad Programs, and the Center for Global Legal Studies, and students who attended last spring will give you all the information you need to learn about TJS�'s most popular China and Nice Programs. Applications will be available!



This is a unique experience not to be missed.
Contact Professor Tiefenbrun for more information!

*Wednesday, October 17, 2012
11:30-12:45 in Room 225*

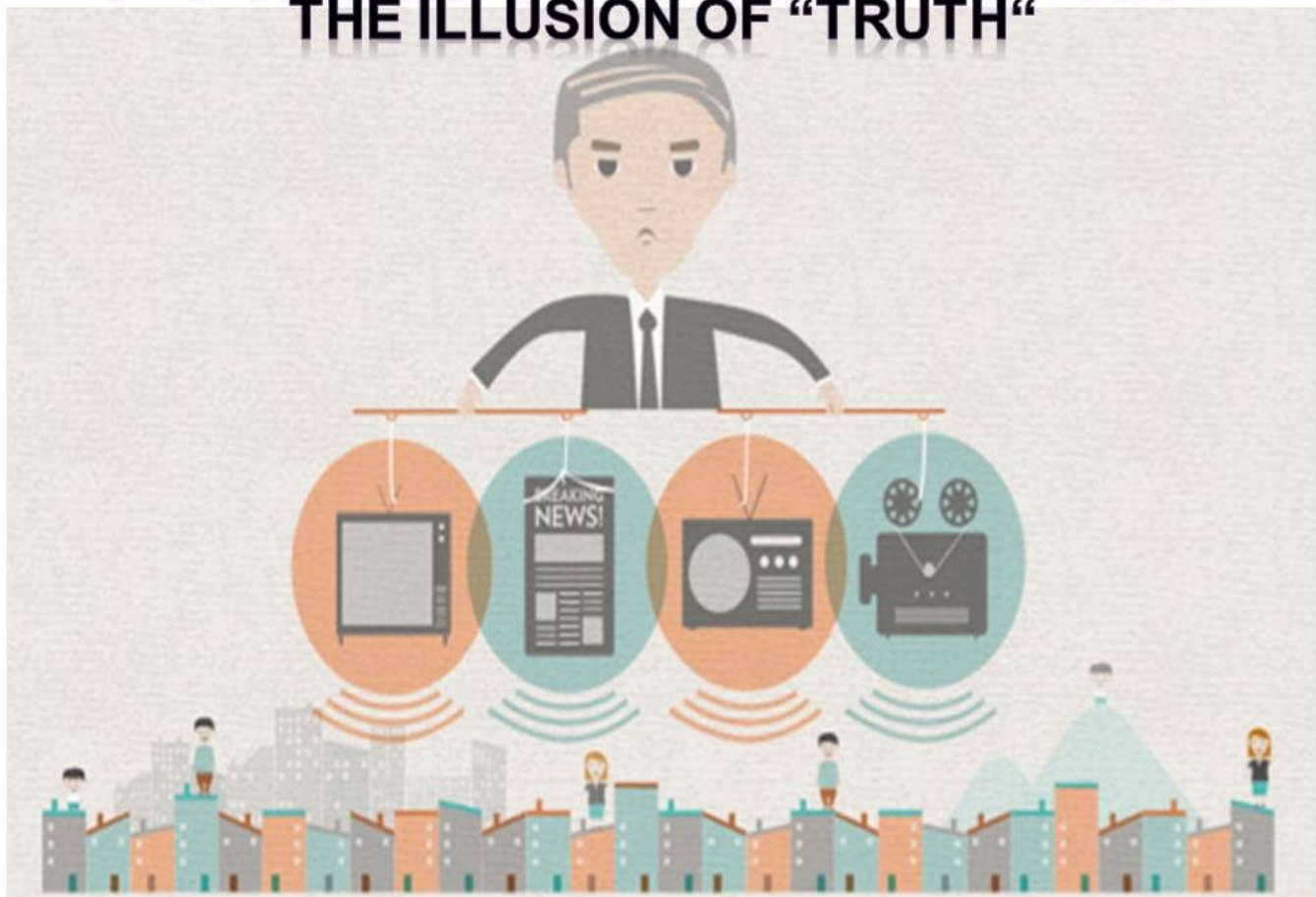
Pizza & Drinks will be served!
RSVP: Randy Ward at rward@tjst.edu



Culture Night *Presents:*

MEDIA CONGLOMERATION:

THE ILLUSION OF "TRUTH"



Thursday, October 18, 2012

4:00-5:30 pm

Room 316

Food will be provided

For more information contact Lee Vernon

vernonlm@tjisl.edu

http://www.facebook.com_climb_tjisl

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The MPRE is November 4, 2012.

Are you ready?



LET US HELP!

TJSL has arranged for two MPRE Review Workshops

Lecture 1:

When: Saturday, October 13th, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., in Room 323.

Who: “Live” MPRE Lecture provided by Barbri.

How: Students with BarBri books should bring them.

All other students need to come by 8:30 a.m. to receive free books and materials.**

Lecture 2:

When: Thursday, October 25, 6 to 9 p.m.,
in the Moot Court Room.

No food or drink permitted in the Moot Court Room

Who: “Live” MPRE Lecture provided by Themis Bar Review.

How: Students must arrive by 5:30 p.m. to receive free books and materials.**

Whether you’re taking the MPRE now or in the spring,
or whether you simply want to begin reviewing your
Professional Responsibility Rules now,
this is a great opportunity.
Please take advantage of these courses!

Any questions?

Please contact Leah Christensen,

Dean of Academic Success and Bar Preparation at

lchristensen@tjssl.edu.

National Baseball Arbitration Competition

Try-outs

Tuesday, October 16

5 - 8 p.m.

Room 331



**TJSL students are invited to try-out for the
6th Annual National Baseball Arbitration
Competition being held in New Orleans at
Tulane University School of Law on
January 23-25, 2013**

TJSL won 1st place last year!

If you are interested, please email

Jeremy Evans at

Jeremy@CSLlegal.com

or Professor Randy Grossman at

grossman@lawrmg.com

THOMAS JEFFERSON SCHOOL OF LAW & THE ENTERTAINMENT LAW SOCIETY,
IN ASSOCIATION WITH THE CENTER FOR LAW AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY,



present **MUSIC COPYRIGHT
TERMINATIONS**
THE TICKING TIME BOMB HAS ARRIVED

FREE ADMISSION · PUBLIC INVITED
OCTOBER 20, 2012, 11AM-2PM
ROOM 325 · RECEPTION ON
THE 8TH FLOOR AFTER THE EVENT

The 1978 Copyright Act provides that artists can terminate and thereby regain copyrights assigned to record labels and music publishers after thirty-five years from the grant. The first case involved Village People composer Victor Willis, writer of the hit YMCA, and led to a federal district court terminating the publisher's copyright grant. We will now see a tidal wave of music artists seeking to terminate copyrights currently held by major record labels and music producers from the 1970's era sound recordings and music publishers. This panel will explore whether the tick tock of copyright terminations sounds the death knell for record labels, or a liberty bell for artists' rights.

PRODUCED & HOSTED BY
Professor K.J. Greene

MODERATORS
Professor Julie Cromer Young
Professor Jeff Slattery

DIRECTED BY
Najmah Brown, TJSL '13
Camara Mathis, TJSL '13

SPECIAL GUEST RECORDING WITH
Brian Caplan, Caplan & Ross, LLP, Attorney
for Victor Willis of the Village People
(Recorded 10/19/12)

LIVE SPEAKERS
David Branfman, Branfman Law Group, P.C.
Lisa A. Cervantes, Cervantes Entertainment Law
Valerie A. Dearth, Lapidus, Root & Sacharow, LLP
Michael Hoisington, Higgs, Fletcher & Mack LLP
Donald Jasko, Digital Economics, LLC
James Leach, SESAC
Lacy Lodes, Consor Intellectual Asset Management
Steve Marks, RIAA



RSVP BY OCTOBER 17, 2012 AT
<http://ALUMNI.TJSL.EDU/EVENTS>

COST FOR 2.0 HOURS OF MCLE CREDIT:
\$15 TJSL ALUMNI \$25 OTHERS

2012
Graduates

NO SITTING FEE
CAP & GOWN PROVIDED

Cap & Gown Portraits



WANT TO BE IN THE
COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM?

THE STUDENT LOUNGE
OCTOBER 18-19TH
2:30PM-5:30PM

No appointment necessary. No sitting fee.

**CLASSIC**
PHOTOGRAPHY



GRAD FAIR!

Thursday, October 18

&

Friday, October 19

2:30pm-5:30pm

Student Lounge

- * Graduates can take photos in graduation regalia and business attire
- * A.D. Live Scan & Notary Services will be available for fingerprinting services
- * Herff Jones will be available to assist with ordering regalia and/or memorabilia items
- * Schedule your exit interview with Career Services
 - * Get information on Financial Aid exiting
 - * Receive information from Alumni Relations
- * Submit your name for two raffles: Diploma Frame & 1 Standard package of Cap & Gown Portraits (2-8x10's, 2-5x7's, 8 wallets)



**The One You Have All Been Waiting For:
Prosecution v. Defense**

*San Diego County District Attorney & San Diego County
Public Defender*

Moderated Debate About: Gang Enhancements, Death
Penalty, 3 Strikes Law, Drug Offenses

Lunch will be provided.

October 19, 2012

Room. 323, 11:30 a.m. - 12:50 p.m.

Rachel Cano, Wil Rumble, Michael Runyon, Mary Ellen
Attridge, Sophia Roach, David Lamb



Come and see some of the best trial attorneys in
San Diego!

Please Join the
Law Students for Reproductive Justice and the TJSL Team
at Making Strides Against Breast Cancer on
October 21



Hi, we're LSRJ For The Cure

Event: 2012 Making Strides Against Breast Cancer of San Diego
on Sunday, October 21, 2012



Support LSRJ For The Cure

DONATE NOW

JOIN OUR TEAM

Meet our team members ★ Denotes Team Leader

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Team Gifts	\$0

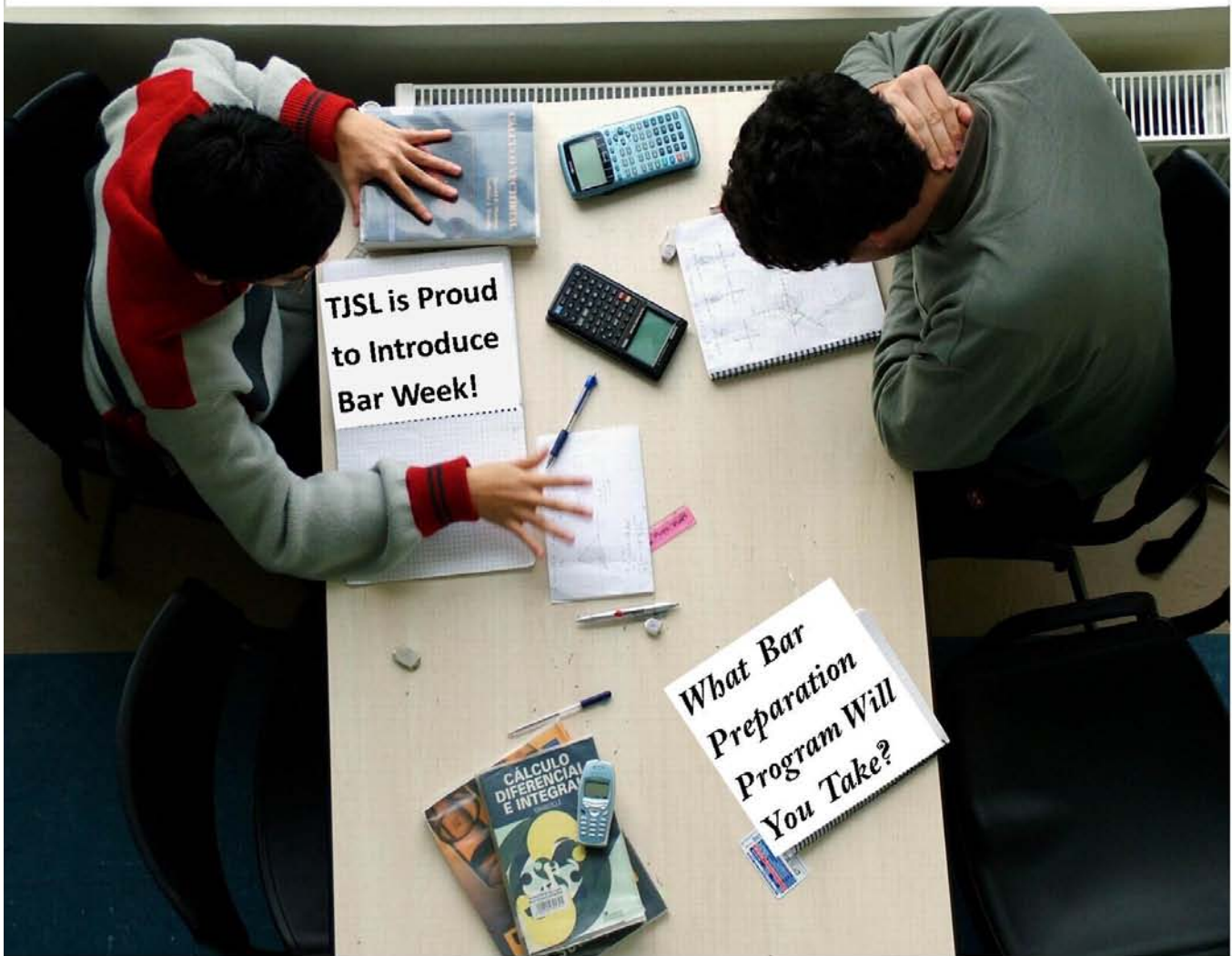
For More Information,
contact
**Law Students for
Reproductive Justice at
lsrj@tjsl.edu**

Thank you to our supporters!

To donate log onto
[http://
makingstrides.acsevents.org](http://makingstrides.acsevents.org)

The event is sponsored by the
American Cancer Society

Got Bar Prep Questions?



During the week of October 22-29
TJSL will host the major bar preparation providers at our school to
answer your questions.

Monday, October 22, 2012: Themis

Tuesday, October 23, 2012: Barbri

Wednesday, October 24, 2012: Flemings

Thursday, October 25, 2012: Bar Secrets

Monday, October 29, 2012: Kaplan

Tuesday, October 30, 2012: BarMax

The bar providers will be located at a table on the first floor
in the Lobby during the hours of 10 a.m. & 3 p.m.

For more information, contact Leah Christensen at

lchristensen@tjsl.edu.



CAREER SERVICES PRESENTS...

CAREERS IN THE DEA AND FBI



MONDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2012

ROOM 229

4:30PM - 5:30PM

SPECIAL AGENTS AND RECRUITING OFFICERS WILL BE ON CAMPUS TO PROVIDE INFORMATION ON CAREERS IN THE FBI AND DEA AND HOW TO APPLY.

FBI - INVESTIGATES THE MOST DANGEROUS CRIMINAL AND SECURITY THREATS FACING OUR COUNTRY, DOMESTICALLY AND INTERNATIONALLY. THEY CURRENTLY HAVE JURISDICTION OVER VIOLATIONS IN MORE THAN 250 CATEGORIES OF FEDERAL LAW.

DEA— AN ARM OF THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, THE DEA ENFORCES THE CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES LAWS AND REGULATIONS OF THE UNITED STATES AND BRINGS TO JUSTICE THOSE WHO ARE INVOLVED IN THE ILLICIT TRAFFICKING OF THOSE SUBSTANCES DESTINED FOR, OR WITHIN THE U.S.

TO ATTEND, PLEASE RSVP IN THE EVENT TAB OF SYMPPLICITY.

FOR QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT CAREER SERVICES,
CAREERSERVICES@TJSL.EDU OR 619-961-4233.

ATTENTION DECEMBER GRADUATES



CAREER SERVICES PRESENTS: JOB SEARCH FOR DECEMBER GRADUATES

Attendance at this information session is mandatory for all December Graduates. Please choose a session to attend and RSVP in the events tab in Symplicity. Food will be provided.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 23

AM SESSION: 11:30-12:30 IN ROOM 325

OR

PM SESSION: 4:45-5:45 IN ROOM 323

For more information contact Career Services at Ext. 4233 or careerservices@tjisl.edu

**THE NORTH SAN DIEGO COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION INVITES
YOU TO THE 3RD ANNUAL NEW STUDENT & NEW LAWYER**



MIXER

OCTOBER 23, 2012

5:30 P.M. – 7:30 P.M.

*Networking
&
Advice*

*Meet new
people*

**ATTENTION NEW AND
CURRENT LAW
STUDENTS**

*Learn how the
NSDCBA can help
your career!!!!*

Food and Drinks

**Please join us for hosted food and drinks at the Firefly Grill and Winebar located at
251 North El Camino Real Encinitas, CA 92024**



Questions or to RSVP:

Jennifer S. Creighton, Esq.

by email: jscreighton@wpwlaw.com





*Advancing the status of women in
the law and in society since 1972*

**Lawyers Club's Student Committee and Mentorship Program
invite you to**

Wine & Refine – A Wine Mixer to Hone Your Networking Skills



Wednesday, October 24, 2012

5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Vin De Syrah
901 5th Avenue
San Diego 92101

Join us for the Student Committee's annual mixer, but this year with a twist. Learn networking tips from attorneys in an interactive setting and then put your new skills to work at the mixer.

Students please register soon on the Lawyers Club website as space is limited and open to **Lawyers Club members only.**

For questions email Carla - carlawsanderson@gmail.com or Gayani - w.gayani@gmail.com.



THE NATIONAL
LGBT BAR
ASSOCIATION | AN AFFILIATE OF THE
AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION

**On Thursday, October 25, 2012, please join the
National LGBT Bar Association as we honor**

Tristan Higgins

Director, Law Department
Sony Electronics Inc.

SONY



at the **Out & Proud Corporate Counsel Award Reception**

Thursday, October 25, 2012 | 6:00-8:00 p.m.

Hotel Palomar

1047 5th Avenue

San Diego, California

The Out & Proud Corporate Counsel Award Receptions give LGBT legal professionals and their straight allies the opportunity to honor distinguished colleagues who have worked hard to increase LGBT diversity awareness in the corporate office and in the community. These receptions provide a business casual environment for corporate counsel of all levels to gather and network toward the betterment of diversity in the legal profession.

For sponsorship opportunities and general admission tickets,
please contact Kelly Simon at (202) 637-7661 or

Kelly@LGBTbar.org.

Thomas Jefferson School of Law
Student Bar Association

presents

HALLOWEEN PARTY 2012

PUSSYCAT DOLL'S DOLLHOUSE
OCTOBER 26, 2012 @ 9 P.M.

TWO FLOOR EXCLUSIVE VIP AREA
PRIVATE DJ

ALL NIGHT DRINK SPECIALS
COSTUME COMPETITION WITH PRIZES

Tickets \$25 include VIP entry & 2 drinks
Sold on 2nd & 3rd Floors by Stairs

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Navigating Your Future

2012 Conference & Career Fair

OCTOBER 26 & 27

Crystal Gateway Marriott
1700 Jefferson Davis Hwy
Arlington, VA 22202

IMPORTANT DATES

August 15 – September 13

Student registration and
application

September 20 – October 4

Interview selections announced

\$25 Registration Fee

per student – refundable if
cancelled by October 16

**EQUAL
JUSTICE
WORKS.**

Helping Lawyers Help Community

Join us for the largest national public interest law career fair in the country and be on your way to finding the career that is right for you.

INTERVIEW Connect with over 125 public interest employers from across the country.*

NETWORK Meet thousands of public interest-minded students and practitioners.

PREPARE Have your resume and cover letters reviewed and participate in mock interviews with experienced professionals.

WORKSHOPS Hear professional advice on job searches and applications and learn more about various public interest law career options.

TABLE TALK Make a lasting impression with employers outside the formal interview process.

Visit www.equaljusticeworks.org for more information or contact careerfair@equaljusticeworks.org.

* **Note:** Due to NALP guidelines, 1L students are not eligible to interview with employers during the Equal Justice Works Career Fair. However, 1L students may informally meet with employers during the Table Talk sessions on Friday and Saturday.

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DELTA**

**CELL
PHONE
DRIVE**

In observance of
Domestic Violence Awareness Month

via
HopeLine
from Verizon

THROUGH THE MONTH OF
OCTOBER

**DONATIONS ARE
REFURBISHED
& SOLD
PROCEEDS GO TO
NON-PROFIT
ORGANIZATIONS
THAT PROVIDE
PHONES, SERVICES,
& CASH GRANTS**

**DONATION
BOX**

LOCATED IN THE PAD CUBE
- STUDENT ORG OFFICE
**YOU CAN ALSO
DROP YOUR DONATION
OFF TO A PAD REP/TABLE
MON.-THURS. LUNCHTIME
ON THE 3RD FLOOR**

The SBLC is now accepting applications for Spring 2013!

The application deadline is November 1, 2012

If you are interested in transactional law and working with entrepreneurs, small businesses, and nonprofit organizations, now is the time to apply for a certified law student position in the SBLC. As certified law student, you will provide legal assistance to San Diego County residents who do not have the means to hire legal counsel. Students must devote 15 or 20 hours a week to client work and attend a mandatory weekly seminar. A minimal commitment of 5 units is required to participate in the SBLC.

Pre-Requisites

- Successfully complete first year of law school.
- Successfully complete Professional Responsibility and Business Associations.
- Successfully complete or currently enroll in Civil Procedure II and Evidence.
- No major commitments to extracurricular organizations.
- Preference given to students with prior legal work experience

Application

To apply for a position for the Spring 2013, please submit a formal letter addressed to Professor Luz Herrera indicating your interest in working with the SBLC.

Please submit the letter, a resume, and an unofficial transcript to bnieman@tjssl.edu no later than November 1, 2012. For additional information about what to include in your formal letter, please visit www.tjssl.edu/clinics/sblc.



ART & ENTERTAINMENT LAW PROJECT



The AELP is now accepting applications for Spring 2013!

The application deadline is November 1, 2012

If you are interested in transactional law and working with artists, actors, dancers, writers, musicians, filmmakers and related non-profit organizations, now is the time to apply for a certified law student position in the Art and Entertainment Law Project (AELP). As an AELP student, you will provide legal assistance to San Diego County residents who do not have the means to hire legal counsel. You will devote 15 or 20 hours a week to client work and attend a mandatory weekly seminar. The total number of units you can earn is 5 or 6, at your choosing.

Requirements

- Successfully complete Professional Responsibility
- Successfully complete or currently enrolled in Civil Procedure II and Evidence
- Successfully complete first year of law school
- No major commitments to extracurricular organizations

Application

To apply for a position submit a statement of interest indicating your interest in working with the AELP, a resume, and an unofficial transcript to bnieman@tjsl.edu. For additional information about what to include in your statement of interest, please visit www.tjsl.edu/clinics/art-entertainment-law.

PATENT CLINIC

The Patent Clinic is now accepting applications for Spring 2013!

The application deadline is November 1, 2012

If you are interested in working with individuals or organizations having patentable ideas, now is the time to apply for a certified law student position in the Patent Clinic. As a Patent Clinic student, you will provide legal assistance to those not having the means to hire their own patent attorney. You will devote up to 20 hours a week performing client work and additionally attend a mandatory weekly seminar. The credit hours you receive for the Patent Clinic can total up to 6 units.

Requirements

- Qualifying undergraduate degree for U.S. Patent Office patent practice
- Successful completion of first year of law school
- Successful completion of Professional Responsibility
(Spring 2013 semester only - may take PR concurrently with Patent Clinic)
- Successful completion or concurrent enrollment in Civil Procedure II and Evidence
- No major commitments to extracurricular organizations

Application

To apply for a position, please submit the following to bnieman@tjsl.edu: a formal letter addressed to Professor Ross L. Franks describing your interest in working with the patent clinic, a resume, an unofficial TJSL transcript, and an unofficial undergraduate transcript. For additional information about what to include in your formal letter, please visit www.tjsl.edu/clinics/patent-clinic.

TRADEMARK CLINIC

**The Trademark Clinic is now accepting applications for
Spring 2013!**

The application deadline is November 1, 2012

If you are interested in working with artists, entrepreneurs, small businesses and non-profit organizations in the trademark legal area, now is the time to apply for a certified law student position in the Trademark Clinic. As a Trademark Clinic student, you will provide legal assistance to San Diego County residents who do not have the means to hire legal counsel. You will devote 15 or 20 hours a week to client work and attend a weekly seminar. The total hours you devote to the SBLC can amount to 5 or 6 units.

Requirements

- Successfully complete Professional Responsibility
- Successfully complete or currently enrolled in Civil Procedure II and Evidence
- Successfully complete first year of law school
- No major commitments to extracurricular organizations

Application

To apply for a position submit a formal letter addressed to Professor Tim Dennison indicating your interest in working with the trademark clinic, a resume, and an unofficial transcript to bnieman@tjssl.edu. For additional information about what to include in your formal letter, please visit www.tjssl.edu/clinics/trademark-clinic.

The San Diego County Bar Association and San Diego Inn of Court present:

Winning in Voir Dire, a Case Study

Wednesday, November 7, 2012 • 5:30 PM – 7:45 PM
SDCBA Bar Center • 1333 7th Avenue, San Diego, CA 92101
2.0 General MCLE Credits

Featuring:

Hon. Joan M. Lewis Hon. Linda B. Quinn (Ret.) Jillien J. Rubin, Esq.
Hon. Frederic L. Link Brian A. Rawers, Esq. Lilys D. McCoy, Esq. (moderator)

Attorney Brian Rawers of Lewis Brisbois will discuss and demonstrate one of his most effective voir dres, which lead to a defense verdict in a wrongful death case where the claimed economic and non-economic damages exceeded \$100,000,000. Judge Joan Lewis, Judge Frederic Link, and Judge Linda Quinn (Ret.) will offer the perspective from the bench, and Jury Consultant Jillien Rubin will provide her perspective from "outside the well." Topics covered will include:

- "Conditioning" jurors vs. effective use of themes during voir dire;
- Mini opening statements;
- The pros and cons of jury questionnaires;
- How to bring voir dire to a graceful close;
- What to do with the prospective juror who you know is set against you and your client;
- What to do with the prospective juror who you know is favorably predisposed to your client;
- How to rehabilitate a favorable juror to save her from a challenge for cause; and
- The lawyers' perspective on judge voir dire.

Light Evening Refreshments will be provided. Registrations are due by noon on November 2, 2012 to avoid the late fee. Late registrations and walk-ins will incur a \$10.00 late fee. Walk-ins will be accommodated as space allows and are not guaranteed meal service.

Winning in Voir Dire, a Case Study

Wednesday, November 7, 2012 • Bar Center • 1333 Seventh Avenue, San Diego, CA 92101

Complete this form in its entirety (only one registrant per form). Payment is required at the time of registration. Send checks to: SDCBA - CLE (address above). Credit Card registrations must be completed online at www.sdcba.org/calendar.

___ \$75 SDCBA or SDIC Member
(\$85 after noon on Nov. 2)

___ \$15 SDCBA Law Student Member
(Meal Service Included)

___ \$110 Non-SDCBA or Non-SDIC Member
(\$120 after noon on Nov. 2)

___ Free SDCBA Law Student Member
(Meal Service Excluded)

NAME _____ BAR # _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____ CHECK # _____ (Payable to the SDCBA)

Credit Card registrations must be completed online at www.sdcba.org/calendar.

Registrations must be received by noon on November 2, 2012 to avoid the late fee. By registering, you are agreeing not to record, photograph or otherwise capture any video or audio of this seminar. The SDCBA has the right to refuse registrations. Late registrants and walk-ins will incur a \$10.00 late registration fee. Registration fees apply to the actual program being purchased and are not transferable to another seminar attendee or online program. Walk-ins will be accommodated as space allows and are not guaranteed meal service. Registrations will be held until 15 minutes after the published seminar start time. The SDCBA certifies that this activity has been approved for MCLE by the State Bar of California. No refunds available within 72 hours of the seminar. SDCBA110712

PALSD



PALSD & FALSD'S 2013 SCHOLARSHIP ANNOUNCEMENT

DEADLINE: WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 2012 postmark or email received date for BOTH application and any supplemental materials. NO EXTENSIONS WILL BE GRANTED. Late applications will be rejected.

The Pan Asian Lawyers of San Diego and Filipino American Lawyers of San Diego will grant five scholarships to eligible individuals to take the California State Bar examination in February 2013 or July 2013. The scholarship will assist in covering the cost of the California State Bar Exam.

Eligible individuals must:

- 1) meet the requirements for taking and will be taking the California State Bar exam given in February 2013 or July 2013; and
- 2) currently attend or recently graduate from any accredited law school in San Diego County; and
- 3) personally attend the PALSD & FALSD Annual Dinner on January 24, 2013 to receive the scholarship

Selection factors include but are not limited to:

- financial need;
- academic achievement, work experience, extracurricular activities, and post law school goals;
- past, current, and future public service to the Asian/Pacific Islander community and other diverse communities as a heavily weighed factor;
- domicile (residence plus intent to remain) in San Diego as a plus; and
- interview (by phone or in person) at the discretion of the Scholarship Committee

the following:

For information, contact any of

Committee Chair

Sandra Chong, San Diego Unified School District at schong@sandi.net

Committee Members:

Amanda Harris, Seltzer Caplan McMahon Vitek at aharris@scmv.com

Honorable Lillian Lim, Superior Court Judge (Retired) at lillianylim@yahoo.com

Lee Patajo, Stutz Artiano Shinoff & Holtz at lpatajo@stutzartiano.com

Honorable Vallera Johnson, Office of Administrative Hearings at valleraj@cox.net



FACULTY SCHOLARSHIP

Citations Added Sep. 30, 2012 - Oct. 6, 2012

Madeline June Kass

Shorter Works:

Room on the Ark? – Species Get Chance at Listing, 26 NAT. RES. & ENVT. 48 (Spring 2012).

Marjorie Cohn

Radio:

Huge government increase in warrantless electronic surveillance, Free Speech Radio, national

October

<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesda</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Saturday</i>
<p>07</p> <p>SBA Twitter Information Please follow SBA at http://twitter.com/tjlsba or @tjlsba if you use Twitter to receive the latest updates.</p> 	<p>08</p> <p>Columbus Day</p> <p>Midterms October 8 & 9</p>	<p>09</p>	<p>10</p> <p>7:30 p.m. ASP & PAD Movie Night Room TBD</p>	<p>11</p> <p>LSRJ Dinner and a Movie Room 216</p>	<p>12</p> <p>5:30 Jewish Student Union Shabbat Networking Event Location: Basic 410 10th Avenue</p>	<p>13</p> <p>9 a.m. MPRE Review Workshop Room 323</p>
<p>14</p> <p><u>Don't forget to check us out on the TJSJ Official Facebook page!</u></p> 	<p>15</p> <p>4:30 p.m. Room 320 Student Org President Meeting</p>	<p>16</p> <p>Noon SBA Meeting Room 323</p> <p>5 p.m. Baseball Arbitration Tryouts Room 331</p>	<p>17</p> <p>11:45 a.m. LSRJ General Meeting</p> <p>Noon MELSA General Meeting Room 316</p> <p>3:30 p.m. CLIMB Meeting Room: 318</p>	<p>18</p> <p>2:30 p.m. Grad Fair Student Lounge on the 5th floor</p> <p>4 p.m. Culture Night CLIMB Room 316</p> <p>5:30 Judical Mixer 8th Floor</p>	<p>19</p> <p>11:30 Fab Friday Workshop 8th floor</p> <p>11:30 a.m. Criminal Law Society Panel Room 323</p>	<p>20</p>
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