

# Danielle Gilbert Lands Federal Clerkship in her Hometown of Austin, Texas

Danielle Gilbert (3L) will be clerking for U.S. Magistrate Judge Mark Lane in the Western District of Texas in Austin next year.

"I am thrilled to share the news that Danielle Gilbert, our Law Review Editor in Chief, has landed a federal clerkship," said Director of Career Services Beverly Bracker. "Danielle set her mind on a clerkship pretty early on in law school, and she worked extremely hard to make this happen."

"I am so excited about this clerkship," said Gilbert. "Working for a judge is my dream job. I enjoy the neutral, contemplative writing that a judicial clerkship entails. When I got a post-graduate clerkship offer from Judge Mark Lane, a U.S. magistrate judge in the Western District of Texas, I immediately accepted. Judge Lane's 25 years of experience in Austin's legal community made clerking in his chambers very desirable to me."

Gilbert is thrilled that this opportunity will take her back to her hometown of Austin, Texas where she can be near her family.

"Getting a clerkship required some planning and preparing," said Gilbert. "I knew that I wanted to be a judicial clerk, so I applied for as many judicial externships as possible. I had completed three judicial externships by my 3L year, and I believe those experiences are why Judge Lane hired me."

This summer Gilbert held a prominent internship with the Department of Justice Executive Office for Immigration Review in San Francisco, through its Summer Law Internship Program (SLIP).

Gilbert says that she will miss San Diego and all of her TJSL friends and colleagues when she leaves next May, but that she is "excited to see all of our careers begin."

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Left to Right: Lacy J Lodes '08, Andrew Skale, and Emile Nicolaou '06

# Skilled TJSL Alums and other Top San Diego Attorneys talk Entertainment and Sports Law Licensing

By Jeremy M. Evans '11

New Lawyers Division, Board of Directors, SDCBA CLE Co-Chair

On Thursday, August 22, 2013, the New Lawyers Division (NLD) and the Entertainment and Sports Law (ESL) Section of the San Diego County Bar Association (SDCBA) hosted a continuing legal education (CLE) panel on "Licensing: Protection of Entertainment and Sports Law Assets" at the SDCBA Bar Center. The event was well-attended by an engaged audience and included a webcast of listeners as well.

Eric Eastham of Mintz Levin, Co-Chair of the ESL section of the SDCBA and a *San Diego Daily Transcript* 2012 Outstanding Young Attorney, introduced each of the panelists. Eastman assisted NLD Board of Director and CLE Co-Chair Jeremy Evans '11, the organizer of the event, in putting the program together. Thomas Jefferson Alumna Amanda Thompson '07 also aided with logistics for the panel.

Andrew Skale of Mintz Levin, a 2013 San Diego Super Lawyer, started off with a discussion on the foundation of intellectual property and ways to protect a client's image proactively and after infringement has occurred. Skale added that Junior Seau's estate is one of the firm's clients, which involves issues surrounding postmortem rights in California. Winnie the Pooh is also a client of Mintz Levin. Skale mentioned that there is no such thing as a "poor man's copyright" and advised that clients and lawyers should be active in monitoring and protecting their client's images and work by simply handling the easy and relatively inexpensive registration process of trademarks and copyrights. Skale closed by stating that the industry is small and stressed the importance of maintaining credibility and professionalism as "you will likely work with the same folks again."

Thomas Jefferson alumna Lacy J Lodes '08 of LacyJLaw presented after Andrew Skale. Lodes manages a voluminous IP portfolio and is currently assisting CONSOR in the NFL retired player's right of publicity litigation. She began with some practical examples, specifically a story about Paris Hilton and her image on a Hallmark Card that was not approved for licensing (permission to use) prior to the card being sent out to the public for purchase. Lodes added that Hilton made a small fortune in a rights of publicity recovery showing how an image can be litigated and protected, with a profit to show from it. In addition to other comments, Lodes gave some practical advice. When she begins a client matter, she first looks at the law and compares what one state does as compared to another. She says that California is far ahead of other states in protecting a person's image, but noted that there are no rights of publicity laws on the books in any state.

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Entertainment and Sports Law Licensing continued...

Ionathan Hadaya of Autosport Development, LLC spoke next. Hadaya is the Co-Chair of the ESL Section of the SDCBA and represents NASCAR driver Kyle Busch, among other top race car drivers. Hadaya's client Kyle Busch currently holds several records, one of which is for most race wins in a season across the top three NASCAR series with 24 wins, which he accomplished in 2010. Hadaya spoke on the financial aspects of licensing and added that licensing is not only a great way to actively protect your client's image, but also a way to make money in endorsement and sponsorship deals. He provided numerous examples of how licensing can cut across different industries and tie products and multiple clients together. One question he received from the audience was whether there is a conflict of interest when representing clients (i.e., an athlete for example) while creating and developing relationships with



Eric Eastham of Mintz Levin, Co-Chair of the ESL section of the SDCBA

businesses and companies as sponsors. Jonathan quickly quipped that there is not a conflict because you are representing one client (the athlete), while advocating for that client with a non-client business or company. He closed by saying that companies and athletes benefit each other and that it is a very lucrative industry.

Thomas Jefferson alumnus Emile Nicolaou '06, Senior Director of Business & Legal Affairs at Playboy Plus Entertainment, Inc., closed the presentation. Prior to law school, Nicolaou worked with the NFL, Pacific-10 Conference (now PAC-12) and EA Sports, organizing and executing national sports tournaments. Nicolaou spoke in depth about "Fair Use" exceptions to copyrighted and protected images and things. He gave some practical examples of fair use exceptions and discussed what each exception meant. He encouraged the audience to research the exceptions, but added that it would be better to just ask for a license and pay for it or offer a credit in a book or movie rather than to risk getting sued when banking on an exception.

Overall, the event was a terrific learning experience.

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# Dean William Byrnes Has Three New Books Published

National Underwriters released two tax books authored by TJSL Associate Dean William Byrnes and Adjunct Professor Robert Bloink of the Graduate Tax Program.

"These market leaders mark a milestone of a major re-organization of material for ease of research and understanding" according to National Underwriters.

2014 TAX FACTS ON INVESTMENTS
2014 TAX FACTS ON INSURANCE & EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

"We have included a new section on captive insurance, on reverse mortgages, on international tax and estate issues DOMA, as well as expanding the section on ETFs and on precious metals & collectibles," Byrnes said. "Moreover, we will soon announce the newest title of Tax Facts that will publish in Fall - addressing entrepreneurs and their small business tax issues.

"Tax Facts has attracted over 20,000 subscribers – and the Tax Facts Online portal has been well received by financial planning professionals. I think this is a testament to National Underwriter's approach of contextualizing client problems in a Question – Answer format."

Both publications are now available as e-books, as an alternative or in combination with print.

Dean Byrnes is also pleased to announce the publication of INTERNATIONAL WITHHOLDING TAX TREATY GUIDE, SECOND EDITION by LexisNexis.

The second edition of International Withholding Tax Treaty Guide, authored by Dean Byrnes and Dr. Robert J. Munro, includes new binders with new chapter structures of completely rewritten tax information and analysis. The second edition of Foreign Tax & Trade Briefs includes a new structure for all 110 country chapters to reflect the evolution of national tax systems since 1948. The International Withholding Tax Treaty Guide has been expanded to include many new countries to match the robust list of Foreign Tax & Trade Briefs, and its footnote numbering has been amended for brevity and modern coherence.

Moreover, International Withholding Tax Treaty Guide subscribers will receive new chapters of analysis and planning based on the OECD Model DTA articles and major trading country jurisprudence that are most relevant to corporate tax counsel, addressing topics such as capital gains, dividends, interest, rents, leasing income, royalties and permanent establishment, as well as developing topics such as new standards of information exchange. Corporate counsel may combine these publications with the LexisNexis Matthew Bender publication Tax Havens of the World to form a complete international tax planning and risk management library.

Dean Byrnes said, "The Second Edition completes my re-write process of this book to re-structure the citation architecture for a modern approach to tax treaty analysis. Over the next two years I will author an in-depth, comparative analysis of tax treaty articles, to provide practitioners and arbitrators a go-to treatise for global corporate planning.

In 1974, Matthew Bender added a third binder to Foreign Tax & Trade Briefs, the International Withholding Tax Treaty Guide, to specifically address the important role of tax treaties in tax risk management that had developed in the sixties. By 1975, nearly one thousand tax treaties had been signed between countries based on the OECD's Model with an additional 200 treaties in force based on the League of Nations Models. Moreover, many (former) territories had become independent, developing countries with the ability to establish their own tax treaties. There are now more than 3,200 tax treaties, of which 2,900 are signed and in effect with the remaining 300 yet to become effective by official legislative approval."

Dean Byrnes noted that Jason Miller, a third year Thomas Jefferson student, just returned from an embedded externship, called a stagier in Europe, with PriceWaterhouseCoopers in Istanbul, where he was working with a managing tax partner and Dean Byrnes on the Lexis publications.

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# **FACULTY SCHOLARSHIP**

Citations Added August 18 - August 26

# **Aaron Schwabach**

### **Presentations:**

Fan Fiction and Copyright Law, Professor Speaker Series CLE, Cryptozoic Entertainment, Irvine, CA (June 15, 2013)

# Julie A. Greenberg

### **Presentations:**

Advancing the Intersex (DSD) Movement Through the Courts, National LGBT Bar Association Lavender Law Conference, San Francisco, CA (August 24, 2013)

### **Presentations:**

Plenary Speaker, *Still to Come: Looking Forward to the Next 25 Years*, National LGBT Bar Association Lavender Law Conference, San Francisco, CA (August 24, 2013)

# Marjorie Cohn

### **Presentations:**

*Three Reasons for the Not Guilty Verdict*, The Intersection of Race and Law: Response to Trayvon Martin Tragedy and Zimmerman Not Guilty Verdict, Sponsored by TJSL BLSA chapter, NAACP of San Diego, Earl B. Gilliam Bar Association, at San Diego Foundation Center for Civic Engagement, San Diego (August 9, 2013)

### Radio:

Bradley Manning's sentence as it was pronounced, Up Front, KPFA (Pacifica), Berkeley, CA (Aug. 21, 2013)

### Radio:

Compensation for victims of Agent Orange, NY Mayor Bloomberg's criticism of judge's ruling requiring body cameras for police, George Zimmerman verdict and protection against racial profiling, Unwrapped, WRFG, Pacifica, Atlanta, GA (Aug. 21, 2013)

### Radio:

Compensation for victims of Agent Orange, NY Mayor Bloomberg's criticism of judge's ruling requiring body cameras for police, George Zimmerman verdict and protection against racial profiling, Unwrapped, WAOK, Atlanta, GA (August 19, 2013)

## Radio:

U.S. spraying of Agent Orange during Vietnam War and efforts to compensate victims, Law & Disorder, WBAI, New York (August 19, 2013)

### Radio:

Compensation for victims of U.S. spraying of Agent Orange in Vietnam, rtv America, Russia and international (August 16, 2013)

### Radio:

Bradley Manning case, American Edition, Voice of Russia, Washington DC, New York, Chicago, Miami (August 8, 2013)

# Rebecca K. Lee

### **Articles**:

SONIA SOTOMAYOR: ROLE MODEL OF EMPATHY AND AMBITION, 98 MINN. L. REV. HEADNOTES (forthcoming 2013) (reviewing SONIA SOTOMAYOR: MY BELOVED WORLD (2013))

### **Articles:**

Fisher v. University of Texas at Austin: Promoting Full Judicial Review and Process in Applying Strict Scrutiny, 4 Hous. L. Rev. HLRe (forthcoming 2013)

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# August 20, 2013

Professor Alex Kreit appeared on KUSI News on the 6 p.m. newscast.

**Segment Topic:** 

If police officers arrest you, do they have the right to search your smartphone? The Obama administration believes the answer is yes, but two federal courts have disagreed. Now the White House wants the Supreme Court to settle the issue. Law Expert discusses if this goes beyond your constitutional rights.

# August 21, 2013

Professor Alex Kreit appeard on NBC Channel 7on the 5 & 6 p.m. newscast.

Segment Topic:

Professor Kreit appeared in Reporter Sherene Tagharobi's story about the recall process. In particular, having to do with petitions being signed for the recall of Mayor Bob Filner.

## August 22, 2013

Professor David Steinberg appeared on ABC Channel 10 on the 11 p.m. newscast.

Segment Topic:

A Channel 10 reporter interviewed Professor Steinberg about possible terms of a settlement the City of San Diego may have reached with Mayor Bob Filner.

### August 22, 2013

TJSL is mentioned in  $U\sim T$  San Diego article on the new Mammoths and Mastadons exhibit at the Natural History Museum.

http://www.utsandiego.com/news/2013/aug/22/san-diego-natural-history-museum-mammoths/

# Academic Success & Writing Center Workshops Fall 2013

All workshops will be held on Wednesdays from 11:30 am to 12:45 pm

## 8/28/2013 Room 227

### Back to School and Back on Track

This workshop provides an overview to the Writing Center Workshop Series. Students will learn about the process of law learning, Bloom's taxonomy (development of higher order thinking skills), evidence-based effective study habits, evaluating past semester study habits and whether the study habits were effective in creating the desired outcome. Students will have the opportunity to prepare a weekly calendar for the semester as well as complete a self-assessment of their learning style.

## 9/4/2013 Room 227

### Smarter Outlines

This workshop discusses "outlining" and other organizational learning schemes, such as traditional, schemas, concept maps, flowcharts, timelines, and other types of graphic organizers. Students will focus on the process of outlining – when to start, how to get started, and what to include. Students will have the opportunity to modify an "ineffective" outline to an "effective" outline.

# 9/11/2013 Room 323

Transitioning to Legal Writing II (from Objective to Persuasive Writing)
This workshop begins with a brief lecture o the basics of legal writing, including inferential analysis and analogical reasoning and helps students transition from using these strategies in an objective writing context to a persuasive writing context.

## SATURDAY, 9/14/2013 Room 323 - 9 to 12 noon

### Multiple Choice Workshop

This workshop will focus on effective strategies and tactics for multiple choice questions. Learn about the anatomy of multiple choice questions and how to weed out distractor answers from the best answer. Students will practice the strategies learned during the workshop to assist in honing their M/C skills.

## 9/18/2013 Room 227

### Advanced Essay Exam Writing

This workshop reviews the elements of IRAC and emphasizes the importance of using mini-IRACs and headings in essay exam writing. It walks students though ondemand pre-writing and outlining strategies to help students prepare for writing more organized and analytical essays during exams. Students are offered the opportunity to complete a practice exam and submit it to the Writing Center for individualized meetings and feedback.

### Continued...

# Academic Success & Writing Center Workshops Fall 2013

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# 9/25/2013 Room 227

## A is for Analysis

This workshop discusses "practicing" application – using practice questions to learn, not just to study for exams. This workshop illustrates using multiple choice questions, short answer questions, in-class hypotheticals, and practice questions from supplemental sources such as Examples & Explanations. Students will participate in an Explanation Bee game and construct an explanation or application of one of the issues/elements using the facts from the hypo.

# 10/2/2013 Room 323

# GRAMMAR BOOTCAMP #1: Punctuation: Demystifying the Comma and Semicolon

This workshop reviews the correct use of the comma and semi-colon. The comma is most frequently used form of punctuation, but yet also the misused form. The workshop will discuss the basic comma rules that readers expect, the necessary commas that affect meaning and clarity, and commas for sophisticated writing. Further, students will review rules for using a semicolon effectively.

# 10/16/2013 Room 227

# **GRAMMAR BOOTCAMP #2: Writing in Agreement**

This workshop focuses on correct writing skills, and specifically, subject-verb agreement, subject-noun agreement, verb tense, parallel structure and possessives. Students will complete practice problems to reinforce correct writing and agreement.

# 10/23/2013 Room 227

### **GRAMMAR BOOTCAMP #3: Writing with Clarity**

The Writing with Clarity workshop is intended to hone the students' writing skills in a manner that makes the content easy for the audience to read. The workshop will include lecture and practice relating to misplaced modifiers, vague referents, tricky pronouns, and transitional words.

### Continued...

# Academic Success & Writing Center Workshops Fall 2013

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# 10/30/2013 Room 227

# **Moving On After Miserable Midterms**

This workshop focuses on evaluating and correcting midterm mistakes, bolstering student confidence in exam skills after disappointment, and looking ahead to finals. The workshop uses research on deliberate adjustments – critically examining mistakes, understanding how mistakes were made, coaching on how to correct mistakes, and practice application of corrections. Students will participate in reviewing and critiquing a student midterm essay exam.

# 11/6/2013 Room 323

## **GRAMMAR BOOTCAMP #4: Using Your Words Effectively**

This workshop focuses on word selection for precision and conciseness. The bulk of the workshop will be spent completing practice problems, including word choice selection problems and editing wordy, cluttered statements for conciseness

# 11/13/2013 Room 227

# **Countdown to Final Exams**

This workshop begins with a brief overview of time management and planning strategies for the last month of classes, leading up to finals. Students participate in a reverse-scheduling and calendaring exercise to plot out what they need to do to successfully prepare for exams.





# 1L ORIENTATION Tuesday, September 24 11:30-12:30, Rm 323

Come and learn about the benefits of your free San Diego County Bar membership from a representative who will talk about what you can gain from active involvement in the County Bar. All students are encouraged to attend. Lunch will be provided. To attend, RSVP in the events tab of Symplicity.

Activate your free membership today! Visit www.sdcba.org and go to the Membership tab. Follow the instructions for Law Student Membership. This benefit is available to ALL LAW STUDENTS AND RECENT GRADUATES at no charge.

# Thomas Jefferson School of Law



# LATINOS IN THE LAW: WELCOME BACK NIGHT

Welcome to the Fall 2013 semester TJSL!

Come eat and network with

La Raza Law Students Association
Tuesday August 27 from 4:30pm-6:30pm
in the 8th floor conference room

For more info. email laraza@tjsl.edu

# THE CAREER SERVICES OFFICE AND WESTLAW PRESENT









FOR YOUR
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Discover how online resources can help you locate and research employers.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 27 11:45, ROOM 225

LUNCH PROVIDED.

TO ATTEND, RSVP IN THE EVENTS TAB OF SYMPLICITY.
FOR QUESTIONS, CONTACT CAREERSERVICES@TJSL.EDU

# **APPLY FOR FUNDING**

# THE PEGGY BROWNING FUND'S 15<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL NATIONAL LAW STUDENTS WORKERS' RIGHTS CONFERENCE

OCTOBER 25-26, 2013



Peggy Browning Fund's 15<sup>th</sup> Annual National Law Students Workers' Rights Conference, taking place in Linthicum Heights, MD this October 25-26th, is a terrific opportunity to network with fellow law students, labor lawyers, professors, union leaders and government officials.

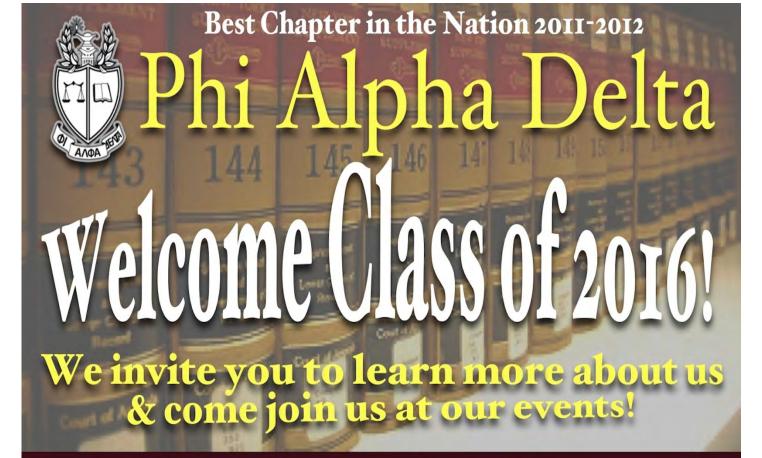
Together, with the Fund's support, TJSL will select and cover expenses for two students to attend the conference!

# \*\*\*To Apply for Funding\*\*\*

Submit (1) a brief one-page statement explaining your interest in the conference and your interest/background in labor or employment law, along with (2) a copy of your current resume, via e-mail to meissa@tjsl.edu by 5 PM, Tuesday, August 27th.

The selection committee will consider several factors in their selection, including applicants' demonstrated interest in workers' rights issues, labor law or public interest law.

For information about the conference, go to: www.peggybrowningfund.org.



# Wednesday, 8/21

12:00p.m. in Room 323

So You Got Into Law School,

Now What? Panel

6:00p.m. at the Entrada rooftop (453 13th St.)

Meet the Neighborhood BBQ

# Wednesday, 8/28

11:30a.m. in Room 323

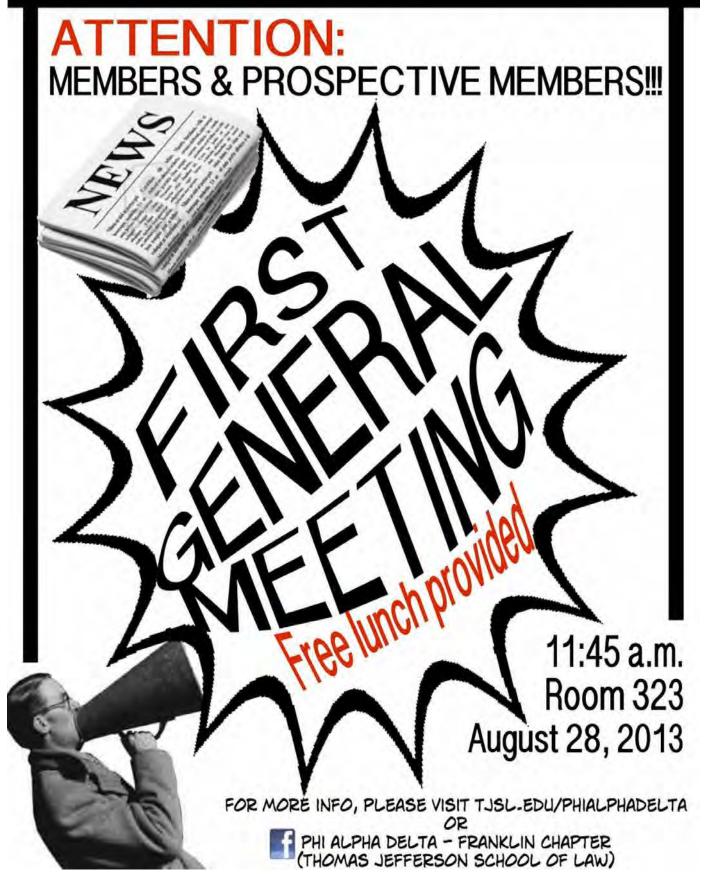
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# KEEP CALM AND JOIN US FOR HAPPY HOUR

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For more info, please visit tjsl.edu/phialphadelta or

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# New Lawyer Division's SUMMER DIVERSITY SOCIAL



RSVP at www.sdcba.org's Calendar of Events

Thursday, Aug. 29th 5:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m.

Ruocco Park (located between Seaport Village and Midway)

Please join us for a casual kick-off of the long weekend! Come learn more about our legal community's specialty bar associations as well as NLD's resources.

-Generously hosted beverages and finger foods!

-Ruocco Park is a leash-on dog park, so please feel free to bring your furry friend!

# Scales of Justice, LLP Presents

# HOT SUMMER NIGHTS

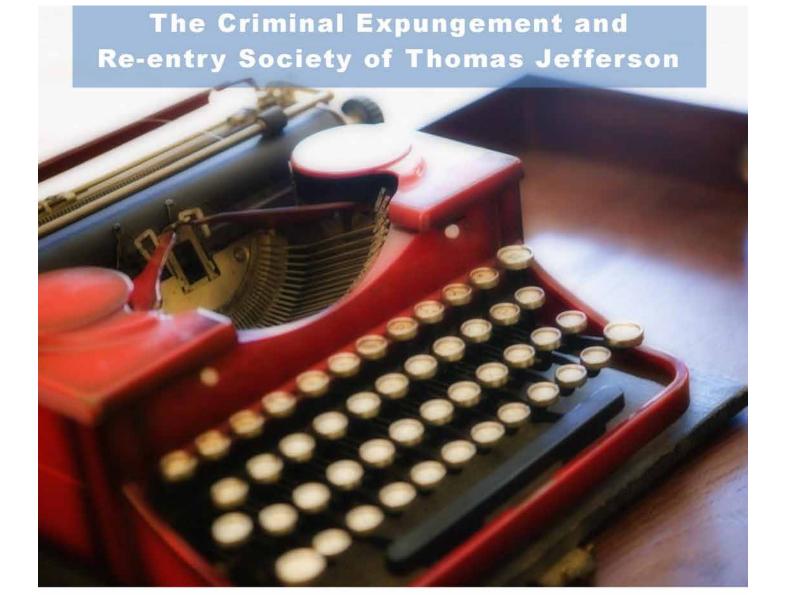
Friday, August 30th @ 6 p.m.

Where: Dragon's Den 315 Tenth Ave San Diego, CA

Come join us and your fellow colleagues, friends, and students in a night of laughter, socializing, and relaxation.

Food will be hosted by Scales of Justice, LLP and drink specials will be on hand to keep your bodies cool.

RSVP encouraged but not required: zamora@tipthescalesforme.com



# Interested in learning about the expungement process?

Would you like to help others expunge their criminal records? Then join the Criminal Expungement and Re-entry Society!

The Criminal Expungement and Re-entry Society will have discussions on the expungement process, train students on how to expunge records, allow students to partake in assisting clients expunge their records, as well as have a panel about the misconceptions in the expungement process.

Attend the student organization fair to join!

# CALLING ALL CURRENT AND PROSPECTIVE SPORTS LAW & POLICY FELLOWS

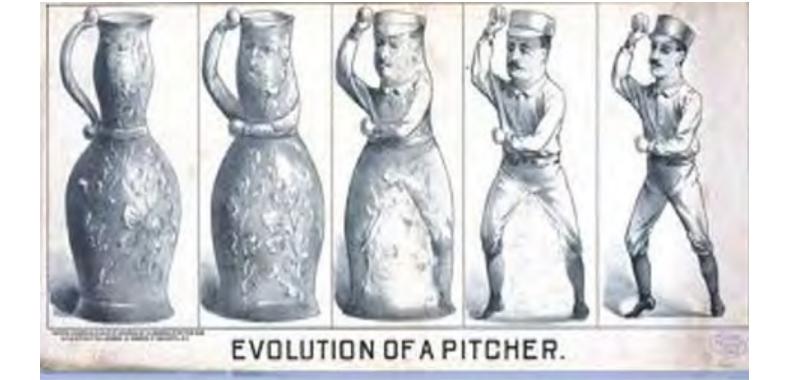
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- Meet other students and the faculty in the CSLP Fellowship Program.
- Learn about new CSLP committees and how to get involved through networking, volunteering, and attending events.

Light refreshments will be served

RSVP TO JONATHAN STAHLER: STAHLEJM@TJSL.EDU

> SEPTEMBER 5 6-8:30 PM 8<sup>TH</sup> FLOOR CONFERENCE ROOM



# SPORTS LAW SOCIETY

Informational Meeting and Welcome Back

Featured Speakers:

Rodney Smith: Director, Center for Sports Law and Policy

Jeremy Evans: Director, National Sport Law Negotiation

Competition

Get information on the Certificate in Sports Law and Policy, Volunteer opportunities for the NSLNC.

Wednesday, September 4 at 11:30

Room 225



# Law Student

And

# New Lawyer Mixer

California Attorneys for Criminal Justice

is the largest private association of criminal defense professionals in the State!

Join us at Bootlegger for our San Diego Networking Mixer and get to know your regional representatives!

Learn how CACJ programs support new Criminal Defense Attorneys seeking professional development.

Ask about our mentorship program and apply for available scholarships!

Integrate yourself into the CACJ Network and join hands with professional allies who have your back!

LOCATION: Bootlegger

804 Market St. San Diego, CA 92101

DATE: Sept. 6, 2013

TIME: 6:30-8:00 PM

WHAT: A SD good time over Happy Hour beer and cocktails while mingling with the most established Criminal Defense Attorneys in the game!

Contact shay kelly@cacj.org for more details



# THOMAS JEFFERSON SCHOOL OF LAW AT PETCO PARK



SATURDAY, SEPT. 07, 2013 3:30 PM

\$25 STUDENTS / \$30 ALUMNI



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# ENTERTAINMENT LAW SOCIETY

JOIN US FOR OUR FALL 2013 MEET AND GREET!

AT BASIC PIZZA MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9TH



Food will be served while current ELS members discuss the goals of ELS, up-coming panels, and events!

MONDAY SEPT. 9TH 4PM -6PM

FOR MORE INFORMATION EMAIL CHANEL DIBLASI AT DIBLASCA@TJSL.EDU

# **Thomas Jefferson School of Law**

# LAW STUDENTS!



# THE ART OF TEST TAKING

**Guest Lecturer: Law Professor Jeff A. Fleming** 

Date Tuesday, September 10, 2013
Time 11:30 am to 12:50 pm
Location Room 325

by Wednesday, September 4, 2013 Email Us at

For more information, call FFQL at

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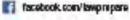
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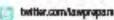
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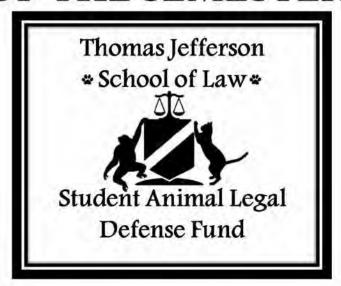
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# SALDF'SFIRST MEETING OF THE SEMESTER!



Come learn about Thomas Jefferson's Student Animal Legal Defense Fund Chapter and all that we do!

We will be discussing our planned events and programs for this semester as well as membership advantages and dues!

DATE: Thursday September 12th, 2013

TIME: 12pm-1pm

ROOM: TBA

Lunch will be served with vegetarian options available!

Contact us with any questions:

saldf@tjsl.edu

https://www.facebook.com/tjsl.saldf

# FAMILY LAW SOCIETY'S FIRST GENERAL MEETING



What: FLS's First General Meeting When: Thursday, September 12, 2013

Where: Room 318

Time: 12:00 pm - 12:30 pm

Pizza lunch will be served.

- Meet the FLS Board and current members
- Learn how to become a member and get involved
- Preview the upcoming schedule of FLS events
- Discuss volunteer, internship, and networking opportunities
  - Order your FLS T-Shirt and Graduation cords

We look forward to seeing you there!

Please RSVP to: fls@tjsl.edu

# FREE LEGAL ASSISTANCE

Did your employer fail to pay you your proper wage?

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If you have any of the problems above or a related employment issue, the Employee Rights Self-Help Clinic may be able to provide you with free legal assistance. Call to schedule a brief consultation with licensed lawyers and law students. Remember that the clinic will provide limited legal assistance only and will not provide ongoing representation. The purpose of this program is to equip you with information and resources and be able to adequately represent yourself.

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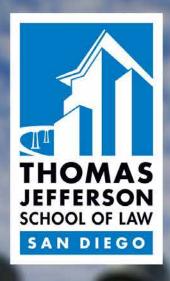
9:30 AM TO 12:30 PM, BY APPOINTMENT ONLY

# CLINICAL PROGRAMS

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THE NSLNC & CENTER FOR SPORTS LAW AND POLICY AT THOMAS JEFFERSON SCHOOL OF LAW PRESENT

# 2013 NATIONAL SPORTS LAW NEGOTIATION COMPETITION

FRIDAY TO SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 20-22, 2013

FRIDAY: SPORTS LAW CONFERENCE

PADRES vs DODGERS GAME IN LUXURIOUS SUITES

SATURDAY: PRELIMINARY ROUNDS

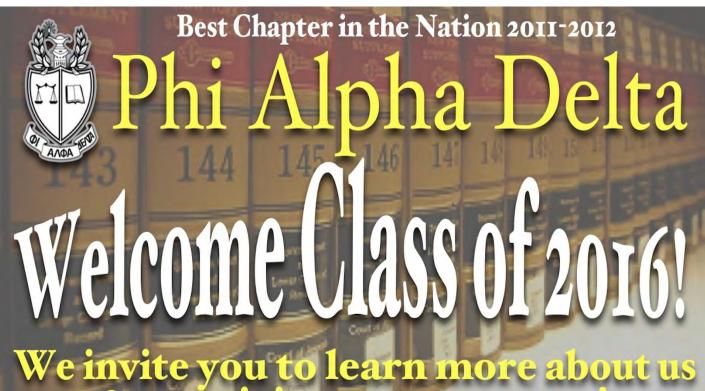
SUNDAY: CHAMPIONSHIP FINAL ROUND

QUESTIONS & INFORMATION, PLEASE VISIT: WWW.TJSL.EDU/CONFERENCES/NSLNC









& come join us at our events!

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- Differences Between the A, B and C Essay
- Issue Spotting Methods
- Differences Between Major and Minor Issues
- Outlining and Organizational Skills
- To Develop Legal Arguments (Fact to Element Analysis)

- ▶ To Properly Interpret Calls of Questions
- ▶ To Use Public Policy Analysis
- Casebook and Legal Exams Relationship
- How to Get the Most Out of Class and Study Time
- ▶ To Write the "A" Answer
- Student Will Write Three Exams for CD Critique



# FALL 2013 SEMINAR SCHEDULE

### SAN DIEGO

- Saturday, September 28, 2013 : 9:00 am 4:00 pm
- Sunday, September 29, 2013: 9:00 am 4:00 pm
- All sessions will be given LIVE at California Western School of Law, 350 Cedar St., San Diego. Room LH 1.

### **ORANGE COUNTY #1**

- Saturday, October 5, 2013 : 9:00 am 4:00 pm
- . Sunday, October 6, 2013 : 9:00 am 4:00 pm
- \* All sessions will be given LIVE at Hope International University, 2500 E. Nutwood Avenue at Commonwealth, Fullerton (across from California State University, Fullerton). Second Floor, Room 205.

### Los Angeles

- Saturday, October 19, 2013: 9:00 am 4:00 pm
- Sunday, October 20, 2013 : 9:00 am 4:00 pm
- All sessions will be given LIVE at the Courtyard by Marriott, Los Angeles Westside, 6333 Bristol
   Parkway, Culver City. Westwood Room.



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~ ATTICUS FALCON,

author of Planet Law School, December 2006

### ORANGE COUNTY #2

- · Saturday, November 2, 2013 : Noon 6:00 pm
- Sunday, November 3, 2013 : Noon 6:00 pm
- All sessions will be given LIVE (Lecturer: Attorney John Couch) at Hope International University, 2500 E. Nutwood Avenue at Commonwealth, Fullerton (across from California State University, Fullerton). Second Floor, Poom 215A.

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# Volunteers Needed For Clean Slate Clinic!!!

The San Diego Reentry Roundtable – Employment Subcommittee is hosting a Clean Slate Clinic on the 1st Saturday of each month. The clinic will assist clients through the criminal record expungement process. Expungement can have a significant impact on the person's employment rights, public housing, and public benefits.

# WHO

We are looking for law students and community members to staff the clinic! Under the supervision of attorneys, volunteers will conduct client intake, assess client eligibility for expungement, assist clients with drafting declarations, and provide clients with legal information after consultation with a staff attorney. This is excellent experience to add to your resume and great way to give back to your community.

# TRAINING

Volunteer training is usually provided on the 1st Friday of the month (the day before the clinic)

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

September 6, 2013

4:00 - 7:00 pm Room 229 October 4, 2013

4:30 - 6:30 pm Room 216

# CLINIC

The San Diego Clean State Clinic is the 1st Saturday of the month

### South Metro Career Center

4389 Imperial Avenue, San Diego, CA 92113 10:00 - 3:00 pm

August 3, 2013 (training at 9:30 - 10:00 am)

September 7, 2013

October 5, 2013

November 2, 2013

December 7, 2013

# \* SPECIAL NORTH COUNTY CLINIC\*

November 16, 2013

10:00 - 3:00 pm

Location TBD

Volunteers are asked to arrive at \$.00 A.M. The training will cover the clinic process and review the statutory laws regulating to expungements. Attending a training session prior to volunteering is not required, but it is strongly recommended. Water will be provided. Food may also be provided, but volunteers are encouraged to bring snacks and/or sack lumbes.

To RSVP for the training and clinic:

contact liars Ausenne at (619) 940-7577 or email us at adreentryclinic@gmail.com



18TH ANNUAL

ALUMNI & FRIENDS GOLF TOURNAMENT FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2013, 10:00 AM SYCUAN GOLF RESORT 3007 DEHESARD, EL CAJON, CA 92019

9:30-11:00 AM	registration & putting contest
11:00 AM	SHOTGUN START, SCRAMBLE FORMAT
4:30-5:30 PM	COCKTAIL RECEPTION
5:30-7:00 PM	awards dinner

\$130 TJSL ALUMNI, FACULTY AND STAFF (\$150 AFTER 9/13)

\$150 FRIENDS OF TJSL (\$170 AFTER 9/13)

\$70 TISL STUDENTS



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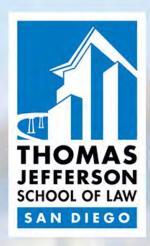
# **Library Mini-Classes**

CLASS	DATE	TIME	
Good Study Habits Tips on developing good study habits to help you in your school classes.	August 26, Monday	11:30-11:45 am	
Using Thomcat Explore the benefits of using the library's online catalogue to find both print and online material.	August 26, Monday	Noon-12:15 pm	
Legal Abbreviations F2d? ALR? CFR? All Greek to you? Learn what the abbreviations mean in citing to references.	September 11, Wednesday	11:30am-Noon	
Secondary Material-Legal Encyclopedias This class looks as what legal encyclopedias can do to help with your research	September 12, Thursday	11:30am-Noon	
Secondary Material –Treatises This class discusses what treatises are and how to locate them in our library.	September 12, Thursday	Noon-12:20pm	
Secondary Material- American Law Reports Explore what ALRs are and how to use them.	September 19, Thursday	11:30-11:45am	
Primary material-Locating a Case and Using a Digest Finding case law can be accomplished many ways. This class will explore the options.	September 23, Monday	11:30-11:50am	
Primary material-Locating a Statute This class discusses finding codes to help with research.	September 23, Monday	Noon-12:15pm	
Tips on How to Research  Developing good research techniques will help with your law school studies. This class will provide tips on organizing and analyzing your research.	September 26, Thursday	Noon-12:45 pm	
Studying for Exams Some pointers on studying for exams may seem redundant, but can be reinforcing!	October 2, Wednesday	12:30-12:45pm	

# Instructed by: June Mac Leod, Reference Librarian and Adjunct Professor

These mini-classes, **located at the 4<sup>th</sup> floor learning center**, will help you understand basic research concepts discussed in your legal writing classes. If these mini-classes conflict with your class schedule, please contact June Mac Leod at <a href="mailto:imacleod@tjsl.edu">imacleod@tjsl.edu</a>. Additional classes may be offered.

Please rsvp to jmacleod@tjsl.edu.



# Dean Thomas Guernsey Invites You To The 6th Annual TJSL Alumni Association

# Judicial Officers Mixer

# Thursday, October 3, 2013

1155 Island Avenue, San Diego, CA 92101

5:30 - 6:00 PM Check-in, 1st Floor

TJSL Judicial Officers Professional Photos

6:00 - 7:30 PM Mixer, 8th Floor

The TJSL 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. We hope you will join our students, alumni and judicial officers for this popular annual event.

# Honoring our Distinguished San Diego County Superior Court Judicial Officers

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# SELF-HELP CLINIC FOR LOW TO MODERATE INCOME —VETERANS—



# THIRD WEDNESDAY OF EVERY MONTH

BY APPOINTMENT ONLY 6:00 - 8:00 P.M.
THOMAS JEFFERSON SCHOOL OF LAW
495 ELEVENTH AVENUE, SAN DIEGO, CA 92101



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Every third Wednesday of the month, Thomas Jefferson School of Law's new Self-Help Clinic will offer limited legal assistance for low to moderate income veterans. The clinic is open from 6:00-8:00 p.m. and appointments are required. No walk-ins will be allowed.

Each appointment will consist of a half-hour consultation with a licensed attorney and a law student. They will provide limited assistance only – not full or ongoing legal representation.

### SERVICES AVAILABLE

### ATTORNEY CONSULTATION

Half-hour consultation with an attorney and a law student to discuss your legal needs.

### DOCUMENT ASSISTANCE

Assistance with filling out forms to be submitted to the court.

# COMPUTER ACCESS

Access to computers to assist with filling out legal forms and conducting legal research.

### **DOCUMENT REVIEW**

Have your pre-filled out forms reviewed prior to submitting them to the court.

### ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

Receive information on how to move forward with your case.

# ARE YOU INTERESTED IN ISSUES RELATED TO FAMILY LAW?

# WE WELCOME YOU TO JOIN THE:



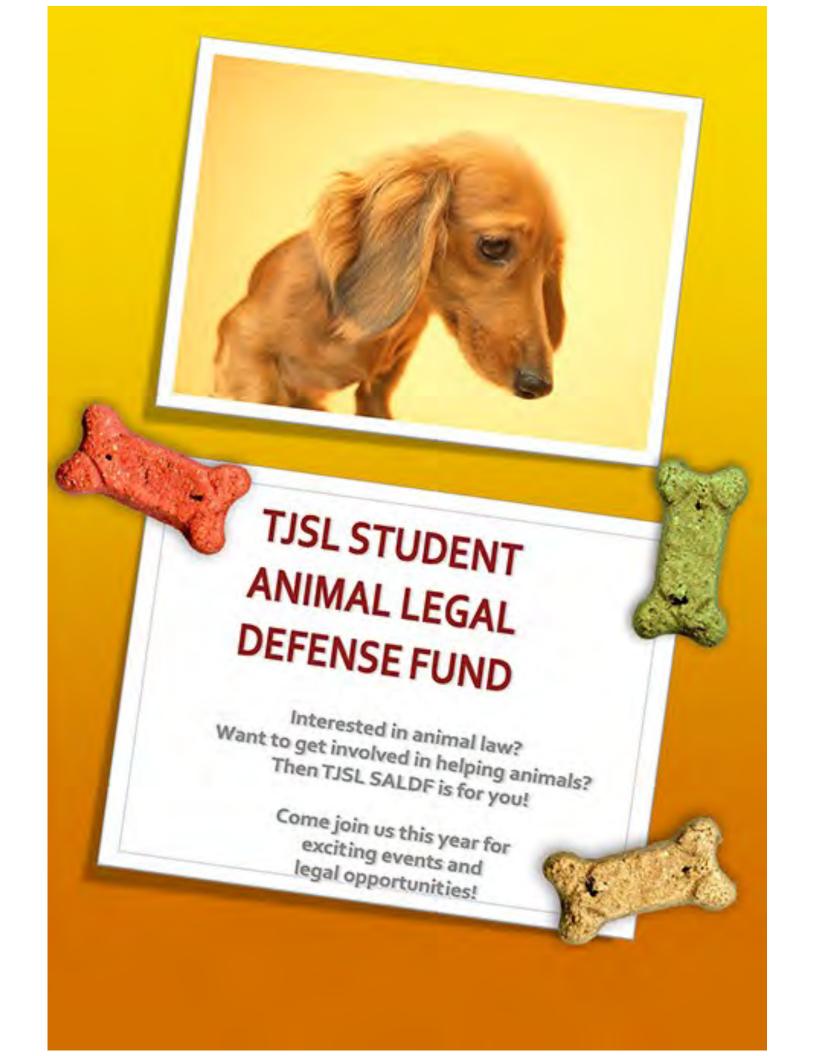
The practice of family law involves a wide range of issues. No two families are alike and each is composed of its own unique circumstances for which they will seek legal counsel.

The Family Law Society's purpose is to inform students as to the various legal issues involved in family law matters, promote fundraising and volunteerism in the field of family law, and facilitate networking and socializing opportunities between students and professionals in the field of family law.

If you are interested in joining the Family Law Society, please add the TJSL "Family Law Society" as a course on your WestLaw TWEN account, join us in August for the Student Organization Fair, and join us in September for our first general meeting.

We hope to meet you soon!

Sincerely, The FLS Board fls@tjsl.edu



# THE TJSL COMMUNICATIONS OFFICE

# Welcomes Our New Students

# ABOUT COMMUNICATIONS

The Communications Office creates content for and maintains the TJSL website, the touchscreens, the weekly student newsletter, The Advisor and the TJSL magazine, The Declaration.

We are always looking for interesting stories about you, our students, and your achievements, as well as your interesting backgrounds and experiences.

All members of the Communications Office can be reached at communications@tjsl.edu.

# TOUCHSCREEN FEATURES

- Event posters and calendar of TJSL events,
- Announcements of pertinent information for students and the TJSL community.
- Detailed floor plan of the TJSL campus.
- Staff and Faculty contact information and
- Detailed local weather information.
- Campus solar energy data.
- East Village map and directory powered



The touchscreens, located on each level of the TJSL campus, are a valuable source of information for new students.



The TJSL student landing page, The Docket, has many features, including the marketplace, news and event posters.



Be sure to check out our online campus newsletter, The Advisor, which comes out every Monday by email.



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
25	26	4:30 p.m. La Raza Networking Event "Latinos in the Law: Welcome Back Night" Location: 8th floor	LA RAZA LAW STUDENTS ASSOCIATION THOMAS ATTRIBUTED THOMAS ATTRIBUTED TO THE PROPERTY OF THE PR	29 11:30 a.m. & 4:30 p.m. Student Org Fair Location: 5th floor	30 SBA Back to School Bash Location: The Corner	31
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