

## Register Now for the Gladiators in the 21st Century: Violence and Injuries in Sports Conference Coming to TJSL on Saturday, November 10

They are the modern gladiators. They participate in society's most violent, bone-jarring spectator events. They are today's athletes.



They risk battered bodies and shattered limbs and, much worse, depression, dementia and possibly death as a result of traumatic brain injury, all the unnecessary consequence of the culture of violence that is pervasive in sports at all levels in today's world.

Sports at the pro, college, high school and even the grade school levels, especially football, have become blood sports. Athletes inflict intense and intentional bodily force upon each other, quite often with the encouragement of coaches, peers and, worse yet, parents. A "win at all costs" mentality prevails in today's sports world at great cost: physically, mentally, emotionally and financially.

This gladiatorial culture of violence plays itself out on American football fields each fall. If we fail to deal with this inexcusable but preventable problem, the death knell may be sounding for football and other injury-prone sports as we now know them.

Thomas Jefferson School of Law's Center for Sports Law & Policy is tackling this critical problem by presenting "Gladiators in the 21st Century: Violence and Injuries in Athletics", a daylong conference at the law school on Saturday, November 10. This conference will examine the violence and devastating injuries that pervade sports and focus on finding solutions on the medical, legal, policy and cultural levels. What are the effects of this violence, both short-term and long-term? And, what can we do to change this culture of violence and protect today's athletes?

The event will feature highly engaging panels of distinguished legal and medical professionals as well as pro athletes. It is through well intentioned and well informed discourse, such as this conference, that acceptable and practical solutions will emerge.

The keynote speaker is legendary sports agent **Leigh Steinberg**, who has played a highly active role in getting the National Football League to address the problem of concussions among players.

In introducing this cutting edge conference, Professor Rod Smith, who Directs the Center for Sports Law and Policy at Thomas Jefferson said, "I am thrilled to announce that we are bringing leaders in medicine, law and sport to the law school to discuss and find solutions to the crisis of violence and injuries in sport." Smith added, "I fear that, if those who love sport fail to address these excesses, other will do the work for us and we will not like the result. We must find solutions."

This conference is funded through the generosity of an anonymous donor. For more information and to register: <http://www.tjsl.edu/conferences/gladiators-conference-2012>



## TJSL Launches Solo Practice Incubator Program

Patrick Long '10 was the first lawyer to move into his office at Thomas Jefferson School of Law's new Center for Solo Practitioners on November 1.

"It feels good," Long said. "It feels like I am working toward something productive and meaningful."

Indeed, the goal of the new program is meaningful. It is an incubator to give the TJSL alumni who participate the skills and experience they need to be productive and successful in solo practice. And it will provide affordable legal services to people who are underserved by the legal profession.

The new offices are located in downtown San Diego in the National Family Justice Center Alliance suite and the solo practitioners will work closely with the FJCA, which founded Family Justice Centers nationally and internationally to serve people and families who are victims of domestic violence.

The program's director, TJSL Professor Lilys McCoy, said she is "thrilled" to be getting started," after months and months of planning and working with TJSL Professor Luz Herrera, who along with Professor Steve Semeraro, helped to lay the groundwork for the incubator program as faculty advisors. It is modeled on a similar program at CUNY Law School in New York.

Professor McCoy feels that working with the FJCA is an excellent collaboration, because the solo practitioners in the program will be able to do pro bono work with the San Diego Family Justice Center's clients.

"Lawyers have an ethical obligation to perform pro bono work," said Professor McCoy. "Placing the incubator at the FJCA provides a nice opportunity for office space in a pleasant environment along with the opportunity to receive training in how to do pro bono work successfully and competently."

"This is such a fantastic opportunity," said Hannah Bingham '10. "There is a clear need for this program. There is a huge population that needs legal services and it's exciting to be part of that. This is a really great model."

When Jill Cremeans '05 showed up to move into her new office at the center, she had her four-month-old son Max with her in a baby stroller. "It feels great," she said. "This is really exciting."

Cremeans has been working at the Imperial County Public Defender's Office for the past several years. For her, being part of the solo practitioners program is the perfect opportunity. "I always wanted to start my own law firm," she said. "When I got the email about this program, it was perfect timing."

What kind of lawyer were they looking for to join the solo practitioners program?

"We looked for people committed to solo practice and committed to providing legal services to traditionally underserved populations," said Professor McCoy. "In so doing, we hope to help 'bridge the justice gap.'"

"It's a great way to stay connected with the school," said Ben Aguilar '11. "I can continue to give back. I'm really excited to be part of this new TJSL venture. I plan to practice Immigration and Family Law to start."



Orientation Day at the Center for Solo Practitioners

TJSL Launches Solo Practice Incubator Program continued ...

“Having the opportunity to work with FJCA makes it a full circle for me,” said Antoinette Gonzalez '09. “In my prior life, I worked at two different domestic violence/sexual assault services nonprofits. Those experiences piqued my interest in the law.”

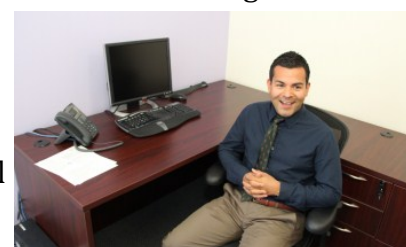
Professor Herrera is happy to see the incubator program up and running. “I sat through the orientation of the new solos thinking ‘I sure wish I had this type of support when I started my law practice in 2002.’ I am thrilled to be involved in TJSL’s effort to support its graduates as they establish their own practices.”

“The community will surely benefit from energetic, new lawyers reaching out in a secure mentored environment to provide legal services at rates middle income folks can afford,” Professor Semeraro commented.

“The Center for Solo Practitioners has the potential to become a replicable national model,” said Casey Gwinn, President of the National Family Justice Center Alliance and former San Diego City Attorney. “The civil legal needs of domestic violence victims are immense. This amazing team of lawyers will not only be able to provide tremendous pro bono support but we should be able to have a large number of clients paying for legal services on a sliding scale.”

“I think that is a wonderful idea,” said Professor McCoy. “I’m honored they see such potential in Thomas Jefferson’s program. It’s something that would be great if it could evolve from what we’re doing.”

“The Center for Solo Practitioners will provide a much needed service to hurting families in San Diego by providing help with court representation at contested hearings, ensuring clients receive the full protection of the law and holding batterers accountable when court orders are violated,” said Gael Strack, CEO of the National Family Justice Center Alliance. “Thanks to Thomas Jefferson School of Law, victims of domestic violence and sexual assault will have a small army of civil attorneys to help keep them and their children safer and ultimately help break the generational cycle of abuse. The Alliance is honored to be working with Thomas Jefferson School of Law on this innovative and exciting program.”



Ben Aguilar '11 tries on his new office for size

Patrick Long’s first order of business on move-in day was to figure out where the electrical outlets were. Then he was ready to roll up his sleeves and pitch in.

“I’ve been working my practice from my home,” Long said. “I’ve been missing the collaborative office atmosphere. I’m looking forward to working with and learning from the other lawyers and also giving back to the community through the Family Justice Center.”

“This Center will be a win-win,” said Gwinn. “The new lawyers will help support the San Diego Family Justice Center’s clients and the Family Justice Center Legal Network will refer its family, housing, and personal injury cases to these lawyers.”

“This is really going to be great, it really is,” said Professor McCoy. “We’re at the beginning of a world of opportunity.”

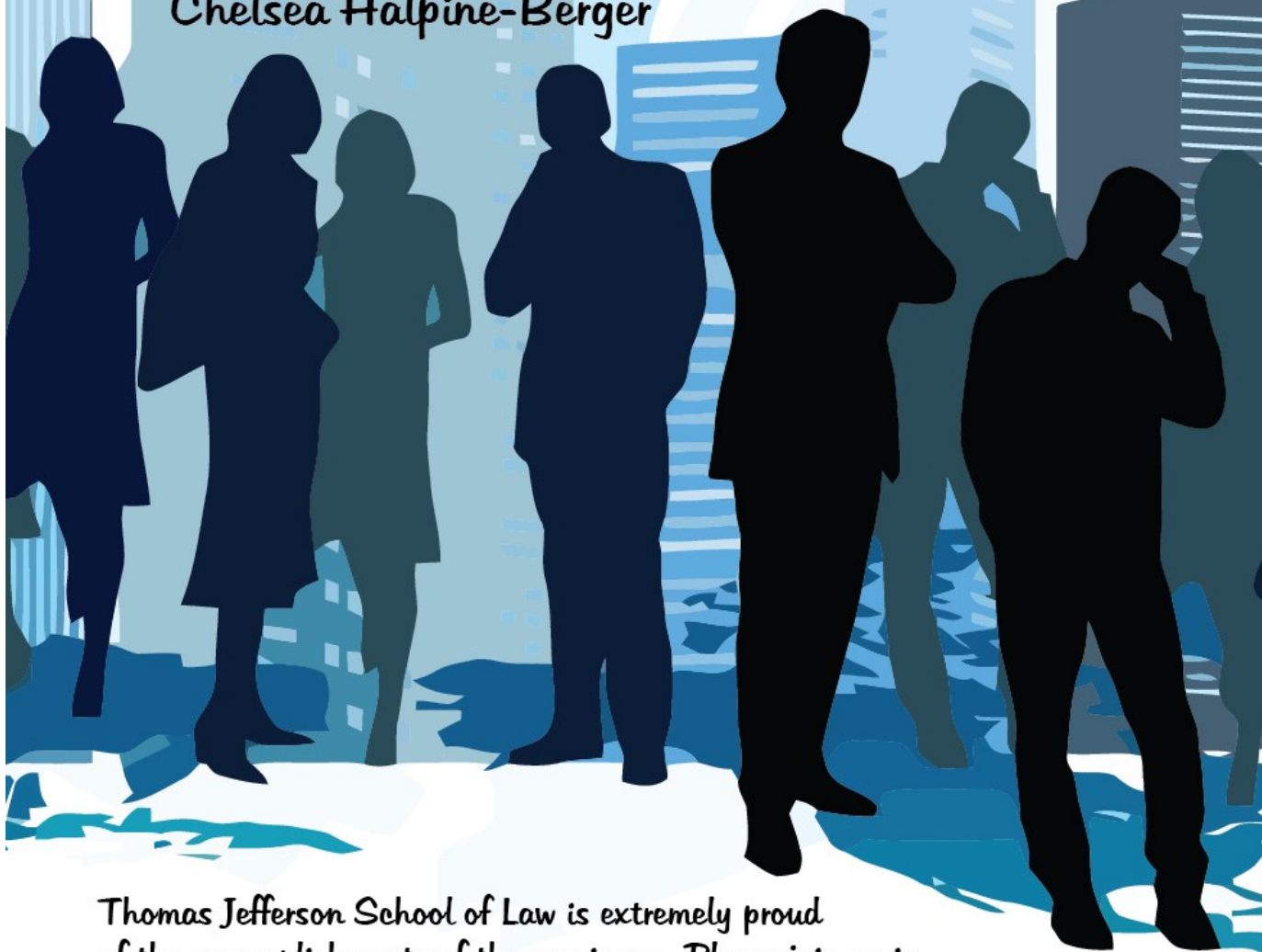
As she looked at the directory in the lobby of the office building where the new offices are, Hannah Bingham said, “I can’t wait to see our names up on this directory!”

# CONGRATULATIONS

TJSL's 2013 Who's Who Among Students  
in American Universities and Colleges

Jesse Allen  
Walter Araujo  
David Askander  
Elizabeth Chu  
Lindsay Demery  
Danielle Gilbert  
Adeyinka Glover  
Chelsea Halpine-Berger

Nicole Heffel  
Kevin Kampschorr  
Aarti Kumar  
Jennifer McCollough  
Ian McMenemy  
Jessica Mulvaney  
Susanne Prochazka



Thomas Jefferson School of Law is extremely proud of the accomplishments of the nominees. Please join us in congratulating them on their contributions to the Thomas Jefferson community!

## It's an Honor to Honor our Students

Honoring our honor roll students has become a tradition at Thomas Jefferson School of Law.

The students who are on the Distinguished Honor Roll and Honor Roll for the Spring and Summer 2012 semesters were given a ceremony on October 29 and photographed holding their certificates with Dean Rudy Hasl.

"This does not happen without an enormous amount of effort on your part," said Dean Hasl at the ceremony. "Today we are putting the spotlight on your accomplishments – congratulations to each of you."



Dean Rudy Hasl with Rachel King 2L, husband Dan Olszk, daughter Kaya and Son Adam



Dean Rudy Hasl and Sevy Fisher

The dean also spoke to the honor students about the law school's new incubator program to help establish graduates in solo practice.

"It may be the ideal opportunity to build a set of skills to build the kind of career you desire," the dean said. And speaking of our Career Services Department, he urged the students to "use our resources to help you get to where you want to be career-wise."

The students were all smiles while getting their picture taken with the dean. One of the honorees, Rachel King 2L was photographed with her husband and two children.

"My honors award is for my family," said King. "Without them, I wouldn't be successful in life or in law school. I couldn't do any of this without the support of my husband, or from my children who continuously remind me to take breaks and add balance to my life. I always make sure to take time off. I study during the week, but take the weekends off to play and I think that helps me focus better. I am so happy that they get to see that everything they do for me is paying off. I really think the award is for them. I love bringing them to the award ceremony so they can receive the award also."

"It's an honor to be recognized for academic achievement!," said honor student Sevy Fisher 3L. "It makes it even more special when you have other things to balance in your life, such as a significant other and/or a job. I do not have any children but I think the majority of the credit should be given to those rare few who are on this list and do have the obligation of children and/or a spouse and job. "

"The honor means a lot as is it is really nice to be recognized for all of the hard work myself and others have put in during the semester," said honor student Lindsay Demery' 3L. "Excelling in school in addition to work, family and social commitments and involvement in other extra-curricular activities takes a lot of dedication. It is nice to see that the school supports its students and recognizes our dedication and commitment to our studies."



Lindsay Demery and Dean Rudy Hasl

After the ceremony, the honor students were treated to a special champagne and dessert reception on the 8th floor board room and terrace. It was a chance to unwind together and reflect on their great achievements.



**L to R: Randy Reliford, Associate Director of Career Services, Lance Henery 2L, Ryan Davis 2L**

## ***Amazing Honors at the The Earl B. Gilliam Bar Association's Awards Dinner***

The Earl B. Gilliam Bar Association's 36<sup>th</sup> Annual Awards & Scholarship Dinner held on Saturday, November 3 at The Westin Gaslamp Quarter in downtown San Diego was a shining night for Thomas Jefferson School of Law.

According to the Earl B. Gilliam Bar Association's website "the Annual Awards & Scholarship Dinner serves as an opportunity to celebrate and recognize the exceptional achievements of attorneys, judges, community leaders, businesses and organizations that have enhanced the quality of life in the Greater San Diego community. Financial scholarships are awarded to law

students who have attained academic excellence and demonstrated a commitment to community and public service."

TJSL's two scholarship recipients are Lance Henry 2L and Ryan Davis 2L, both of whom are not only excellent students, but very active in campus organizations.

"To receive an honor like this is very humbling and inspiring," said Davis. "It was an honor to be recognized at a dinner with so many established and successful attorneys. A quote I like to live by is preparation + opportunity = success".

"It means a lot to gain recognition from such a reputable organization of black attorneys," said Henry. "The scholarship required the candidates to display academic excellence and to describe their goals and involvement in minority communities. I think the association was really impressed with my community efforts in the past such as the "Stand Your Ground Panel" event I held at TJSL for the Trayvon Martin case, and the tsunami relief efforts from Project Japan. Personally, it meant a lot to me to be recognized by people I look up to. Many of these people are very successful Judges and attorneys. The whole event was a serious honor."

"With two faculty members, two senior staff, 12 students and 2 scholarship award winners, and a service award winner and several alumni in attendance, it was an extraordinarily successful event for the law school," said Associate Dean for Student Affairs Beth Kransberger.

Randy Reliford, Associate Director of Career Services, was awarded the 2012 Earl B. Gilliam Bar Association – Frederick Douglass Community Service Award for his involvement in the organization and volunteer efforts in San Diego. Randy is committed to community service and assisting law students and attorneys with developing their legal careers. About the award, he stated, "[g]iven the fact that my parents were adamant about my faith and service to the community, it was an honor to be recognized for serving my new community. Getting involved has enabled me to meet a lot of people in San Diego and it feels good to be an active member of our society. I enjoy being involved in my community and helping our students."

"It was a delight to see Mr. Reliford honored for his service to the organization- his dedication to the TJSL students and greater EBGB community has been most impressive!," said Dean Kransberger.

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The Earl B. Gilliam Bar Association's 36<sup>th</sup> Annual Awards & Scholarship Dinner continued....

Others in attendance were Professors Bill Slomanson and Brando Starkey, along with Dean Beth Kransberger, Admissions Director Tim Spearman and Associate Career Services Director Randy Reliford. Among the alumni who attended were TJSJ graduate Kim Carter and Judge Garry Haehnle '89.

The Earl B. Gilliam Bar Association is named in honor of the late Earl B. Gilliam, who was the first African-American United States District Court Judge for the Southern District of California, and the first African-American to serve as a San Diego County Superior Court Judge. The organization was established in 1976. The EBGBA "strives to honor Judge Gilliam's legacy of community service."

Judge Gilliam was also an adjunct professor at the Thomas Jefferson School of Law for many years. In 1995, TJSJ dedicated the original Honorable Earl B. Gilliam Moot Courtroom at the school's Old Town Campus and, on June 22, 2011, the Moot Courtroom at TJSJ's new East Village campus was also honored in his name.

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## TJSJ's ADR Teams go to San Fran

By Professor Paul Speigelman

Thomas Jefferson's ADR Society sent three teams to the ABA Negotiation Competition in San Francisco last weekend.



Our top-finishing team, Matt Juhren and Jared Drucker, finished tied for fifth out of 24 teams competing. Our other teams of Te Ho and Matt Odgers and Alexander Green and David Keith also put in strong performances. The teams were coached by Lawrence Kleinman, Garrett McLearn, Sam Ehrlich, Tara Almazan and Elizabeth Chu.

All told, TJSJ teams finished ahead of teams representing U.C. Berkeley, UCLA, UC Davis, University of Colorado, University of Denver, UNLV, Pepperdine, Santa Clara, Southwestern, BYU and Western State.

Faculty Supervisor Professor Paul Speigelman was very pleased with the performances of all teams. "Our teams represented TJSJ extremely well, with judges commenting in glowing terms on their professionalism and poise in working with their opposing counsel to achieve results that worked in both sides' interests, he said.

The ADR Society will be holding its annual tryouts on Sunday, November 18. Applications, including a resume, statement of interest and the name, if any, of your partner (we will pair you up if you do not have a partner) must be submitted to the ADR Society [adr@tjsl.edu](mailto:adr@tjsl.edu) before midnight November 9.

## Informative Immigration Law Society Panel

By Samantha Morales 2L

The Immigration Law Society's panel hosted Immigration Judge C. Zsa Zsa De Paolo along with six other immigration attorneys on October 25.

"One of our main goals at ILS is to promote the practice of immigration law," said Immigration Law Society President Francisco Vicente-Vidal 3L. "Not only is it a growing area of law that offers a vast array of career opportunities for recent law school graduates but it also deals with key issues that shape our society and the future of our country as a whole. We decided to bring this panel to TJSJ to promote the practice of immigration law."



ILS Panel



Immigration Law Society President,  
Francisco Vicente-Vidal 3L

The panelists shared their experiences across private, corporate, and public practices in business immigration, government, immigration and naturalization and asylum specialties. "Immigration is more than people crossing the border," said Ismael Iniguez 2L, who attended the event.

"I never knew until recently about business immigration," shared Jimmy Nguyen 2L, who was excited to learn it was used in corporate entities, educational institutions and pharmaceutical/biotech industries.

Tammy Lin, Esq., from San Diego Jewish Family Service, spoke about the Prins Asylum Program, which holds a high asylum grant rate for scientists, musicians, artists, scholars and professionals around the world hoping to rebuild their careers free from persecution.

Iniguez asked the panel for advice for dealing with the emotional part of unfavorable outcomes. Judge De Paolo explained the difficulties of having to send someone back to a country where they may be persecuted. "Truth is the only thing you have some days," she said. "The only way I can live with myself deporting people is by making a personal connection with every human being that walks into my courtroom."



L to R: Judge Honorable C. Zsa Zsa De Paolo, Elizabeth Chapman and Dalin Holyoak

The panel successfully highlighted the opportunities in immigration law. "It made me realize immigration law is very complex after hearing there is a lot of need and you can really distinguish yourself in the field because it is so complex that nobody wants to touch this topic," said Guadalupe Alvarado Luna 1L.

Following the panel, students and panelists attended a networking reception on 8<sup>th</sup> floor.



Panelists L to R: Dax Deason &  
Diana Vellos Coker



## CLIMBing to the Top with PALS

by Federico Campo, 2L

On Thursday, October 25, PALS volunteers attended a class taught by Mr. Luttbeg, a former attorney turned school teacher, as part of Crawford High School's Law Academy. The class was divided into two groups; each acting as a law firm involved in the sale and purchase of a building. Through this exercise the Crawford students learned legal concepts related to property law. The Crawford students were sharp and were quickly able to learn the appropriate legal terms related to the exercise.



TJSL volunteers participated by helping students understand the legal terminology, think about how to prepare for their upcoming quiz, and making sure they paid attention in class. It was truly a rewarding and positive experience for both the TJSL volunteers and the Crawford students.

TJSL student volunteers from The Crawford Law Institute Bond and Mentorship (CLIMB) program regularly enjoy the unique opportunity to connect with the students of Crawford High School, in City Heights, through the Professional Advice and Leadership System (PALS) program. CLIMB and PALS facilitate connections between law school and inter-city high school students that have aspirations to pursue a legal career. Acting as role models, TJSL volunteers encourage Crawford students to think beyond high school by sharing experiences and giving advice on how to approach future life, academic, and professional challenges.

If you are interested in participating with CLIMB of PALS in the future, please contact TJSL Student Lee Vernon the Program Coordinator of CLIMB.

## Resume Building and the Doors it Opens

By: Matthew Green,

Crawford Law Academy Student

Recently, the Crawford Law Academy students learned about the importance of building a resume and the opportunities that can arise when you have a solid resume. First, we learned what a resume is.



A resume is basically a list of accomplishments, skills, volunteer work, previous work experience and education that allows a potential employer to evaluate you as a candidate for an open position. A resume is required for virtually every job, so it is important to know how to properly put one together.

We also learned about the numerous ways you can get your resume to a potential employer as well as how to make sure you present your resume as professionally as possible. You can email, fax, mail, or personally deliver your resume. When you send out your resume, it is important to make sure the resume is paper clipped and not stapled if there are multiple pages, because a paper clip looks more professional and allows someone to review multiple pages easily. Finally, if you don't have a lot of previous work experience, you should highlight community work, as it can help you spotlight qualities an employer values.



# FACULTY SCHOLARSHIP

**Citations Added Oct. 28, 2012 - Nov. 5, 2012**

## **Catherine Deane**

### **Presentations:**

*Creating and Marketing Research Guides with the User in Mind*, Special Libraries Association - San Diego Chapter Fall Seminar: Spotlight on the User: Enhancing Value Through User-Centric Design and Innovation, Marina Village Conference Center, San Diego, CA (October 5, 2012), *available at* <http://sdrv.ms/XMoA6j>

### **Presentations:**

*Learning Centers in the Library: What can we do with them?*, CALI Conference for Law School Computing: Some Assembly Required, Thomas Jefferson School of Law, San Diego, CA (June 23, 2012), *available at* <http://media.tjssl.edu:8080/ess/echo/presentation/5d9abcb8-4b69-4b3b-a1bc-33f2b7ca8872>

## **Meera E. Deo**

### **Presentations:**

*Two Sides of a Coin: Safe Space and Segregation in Race/Ethnic-Specific Law Student Organizations*, Association for the Study of Higher Education (ASHE) Annual Meeting, Cosmopolitan Hotel, Las Vegas, NV (November 16, 2012)

## **William Slomanson**

### **Articles:**

*Nagorno Karabakh: An Alternative Legal Approach to its Quest for Legitimacy*, 9 MISKOLC J.I.L. 69 (2012), *available at* <http://www.uni-miskolc.hu/~wwwdrint/mjil18/20121slomanson1.pdf>

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## **Professor Luz Herrera Inducted into the College of Law Practice Management**

TJSL Professor Luz Herrera was inducted into the College of Law Practice and Management on October 27 at a ceremony in Washington, D.C.

It is a distinct honor for Professor Herrera, who started up her own solo practice in Compton California, and is the co-founder of Thomas Jefferson School of Law's Center for Solo Practitioners, which opened on November. 1. She is also the co-founder and board president of Community Lawyers, Inc., a non-profit organization that provides low and moderate-income people access to affordable legal services and develops innovative opportunities for attorneys and law students in underserved communities.

"The College of Law Practice Management is broadening its conversation to consider how technology can help solo and small firm lawyers create new sources of income while also providing greater options for legal services to underserved communities," said Professor Herrera.

"I am honored to be invited to join such a dialogue."

According to the event program, "The College of Law Practice Management was formed in 1994 to honor and recognize distinguished law practice management professionals, to set standards of achievement for others in the professions, and to fund and assist projects that enhance the highest quality of law practice management."



Professor Herrera (R) at the Induction Ceremony in Washington, D.C.



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The TJSL contact person is: Ms. Alexandra Rosa, Externship & Pro Bono Coordinator  
Email Ms. Rosa at [arosa@tjssl.edu](mailto:arosa@tjssl.edu) or call 619-961-4341 for further information.

# The Great TJSL Presidential Debate!

**Hosted by JLR, PAD, PILF, OUTLAW, SVA, NLG, and ILS with new clubs signing on every day, a debate will be held November 5th, 6:00-7:50 in room 227. Moderated by professors Herald and Greenberg.**

**There will be 7 topics of debate:**

- 1) Engery policy**
- 2) Welfare policy**
- 3) Foreign Policy**
- 4) Balanacing the budget/ Fiscal Policy**
- 5) Healthcare**
- 6) Potential Justices up for appointment (4 Justices up for retirement in the next 4 years)**
- 7) Gun policy**

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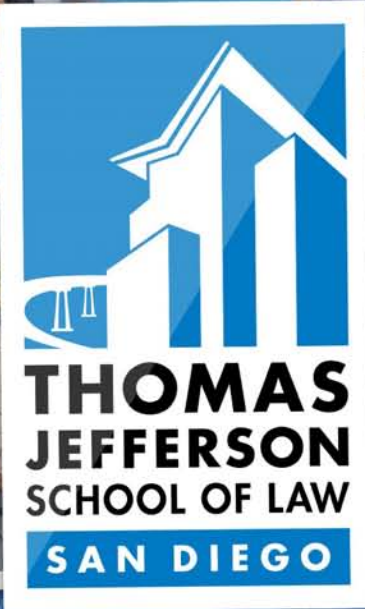
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Attorney Brian Rawers of Lewis Brisbois will discuss and demonstrate one of his most effective *voir dire*s, which lead to a defense verdict in a wrongful death case where the claimed economic and non-economic damages exceeded \$100,000,000. Judge Joan Lewis, Judge Frederic Link, and Judge Linda Quinn (Ret.) will offer the perspective from the bench, and Jury Consultant Jilien 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.*

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# JEWISH STUDENT UNION

## GENERAL MEETING!!!

*When: Thurs., Nov. 8, 2012*

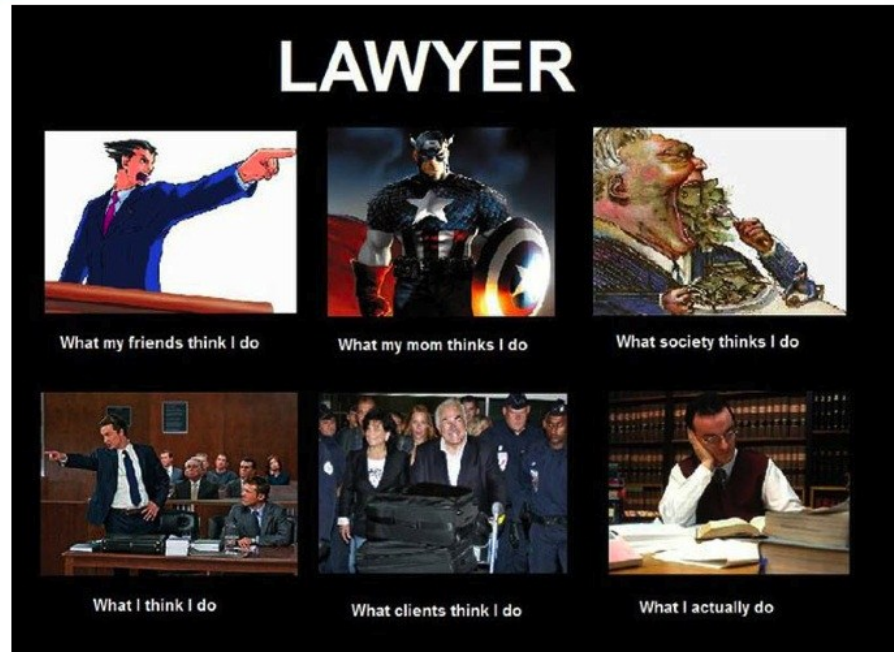
*Where: Room 217*

*Time: 12:00 to 1:00p.m.*

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- **ROBERT HERREIRA**, Associate, Luna & Associates
- **NELLWYN VOORHIES**, VP for Sales & Marketing, Rust Omni

**WHERE:** Thomas Jefferson School of Law, 1155 Island Avenue, San Diego, CA, 92101  
Moot Court Room (Room 219, Second Floor)

**WHEN:** Thurs., Nov. 8, 2012, 6:00-7:00 p.m. (panel); 7:00-7:30 p.m. (reception)

**COST:** FREE

**RSVP:** [kaba.sd@gmail.com](mailto:kaba.sd@gmail.com)

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# INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW ASSOCIATION

THOMAS JEFFERSON SCHOOL OF LAW

## INTRA SCHOOL MIXER

Thursday, Nov. 8, 2012

6-8 p.m.

Quality Social

789 6<sup>th</sup> Ave

Appetizers provided

For more information, contact  
Jennifer McCollough, IPLA President, at  
[McCollJe@TJSL.edu](mailto:McCollJe@TJSL.edu)



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**Culture Night *Presents:***

# HEALTH CONSCIOUSNESS



Join us to discuss Health and Lifestyle choices and the impact they have on quality of life with Crawford High School Students.

**Friday, November 9, 2012**

**Time: 4-5:30PM**

**Room 227**

**FOOD PROVIDED**

For more information contact Lee Vernon

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# GLADIATORS IN THE 21<sup>ST</sup> CENTURY: VIOLENCE AND INJURIES IN ATHLETICS

Thomas Jefferson School of Law and the Center for Sports Law and Policy present

## GLADIATORS IN THE 21<sup>ST</sup> CENTURY: VIOLENCE AND INJURIES IN ATHLETICS

NOVEMBER 10, 2012 8:30 A.M. - 6:00 P.M. ROOM 325

They are the modern gladiators. They participate in society's most violent, bone-jarring spectator events. They are today's athletes.

They risk battered bodies, shattered limbs and, much worse, depression, dementia and possibly death as a result of traumatic brain injury. Debilitating injuries are the unnecessary consequence of the culture that promotes deliberate roughness and playing through injuries. This culture manifests in sports at all levels in America.

Thomas Jefferson School of Law's Center for Sports Law & Policy is tackling this critical problem at a daylong conference that will examine the violence and devastating injuries that pervade sports. Speakers will focus on finding solutions at the medical, legal, policy and cultural levels.

### KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Leigh Steinberg, *Renowned Sports Agent, Steinberg Sports & Entertainment*

### PANELISTS

Dr. David M. Reiss, *Expert Witness for Concussion Litigation, DMR Dynamics*  
Dr. Jacob E. Resch, *Director, Brain Injury Laboratory, University of Texas, Arlington*  
Dr. Dwight Zach Smith, *Medical Director, Beyond Wellness Talent Protection; Executive Director, New England Psychiatric Consultants, Plymouth, MA*  
Dr. Kristen Willeumier, *Director of Research, Amen Clinics*  
Jordan Kobritz, *Professor and Chair of the Sport Management Department, SUNY Cortland*  
Travis Leach, *Attorney at Law, Sports Agent, Jennings Strouss*  
Jeff Levine, *Professor, Southern Illinois University*  
Gary Wolensky, *Attorney at Law, Hewitt Wolensky, LLP*  
Matthew Mitten, *Professor of Law and Director of Sports Law Institute, Marquette University*  
Rodney K. Smith, *Distinguished Professor and Director of TJSL Center for Sports Law and Policy, Thomas Jefferson School of Law*  
Shandrea Williams, *Professor of Law, Phoenix College of Law*

### REGISTER NOW

[www.tjsl.edu/conferences/gladiators-conference-2012](http://www.tjsl.edu/conferences/gladiators-conference-2012)

3 Hours of MCLE Credit are available



This conference is free for everyone and is funded through the generosity of an anonymous donor.

1155 Island Avenue  
San Diego CA 92101  
619-297-9700  
[www.tjsl.edu](http://www.tjsl.edu)



Academic Success and La Raza present

## ***Multiple Choice Workshop***

***Saturday, November 10, 2012***

***9:00 - 10:30 AM in Room 225***

*Prof. Mike Neal*  
Presenter

*Come learn from our resident expert about how to tackle multiple choice questions — for practice, on exams, and beyond. This presentation will identify test-taking strategies and tips and provide an opportunity to put the new skills into practice.*

*This workshop is recommended for all first year students, as well as any student who just wants to improve their multiple-choice test-taking techniques.*

***RSVP*** to [asp@tjssl.edu](mailto:asp@tjssl.edu) or [ricor@tjssl.edu](mailto:ricor@tjssl.edu)

*Light breakfast provided by La Raza*



## La Raza & Law Review, PRESENT

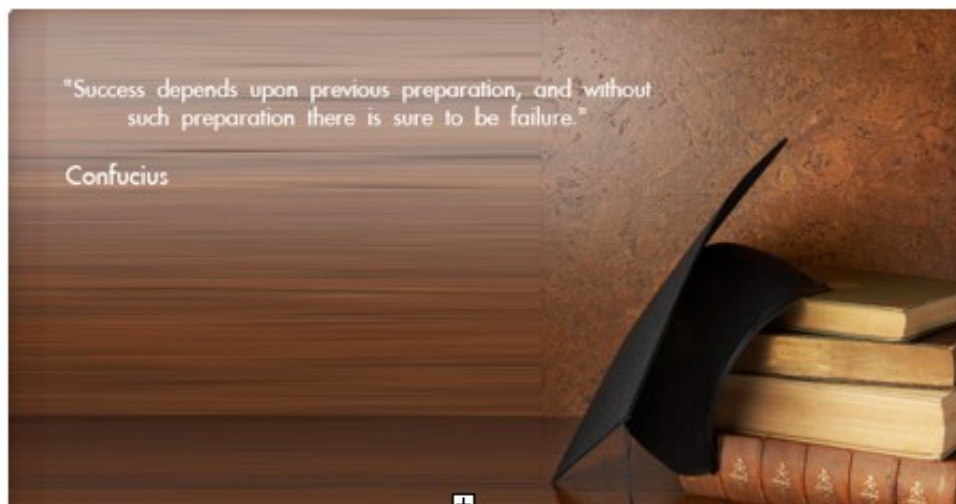
### Final Exam Advice Shown by TJSL's Top Students

Sat. November 10  
11am-12pm, RM 225

Recommended for all first years (2/3Ls- Welcome)

(Held after the Multiple Choice Workshop- same room)

*Rsvp* [ricor@tjssl.edu](mailto:ricor@tjssl.edu)





# VETERANS DAY



## HONORING ALL WHO SERVED

**Ceremony on the 1st Floor  
November 12 - Noon**



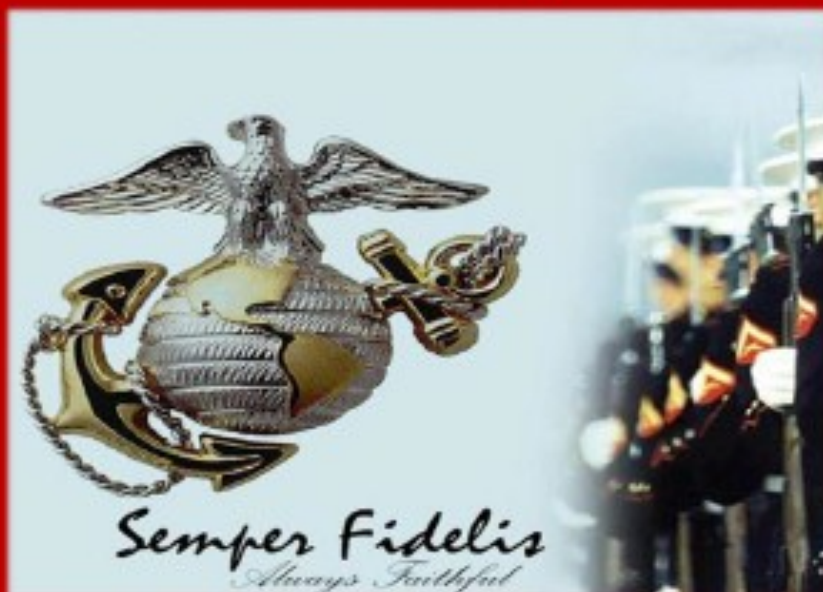
*COME JOIN US FOR THE*

# 237<sup>th</sup> MARINE CORPS BIRTHDAY

Room 216 - November 13, 2012 - Noon

Lunch and cake will be served as we listen to the  
Commandant and Sergeant Major of the Marine Corps  
present their birthday message.

Please RSVP to [sva@tjsl.edu](mailto:sva@tjsl.edu)







PHI ALPHA DELTA

*General Meeting*

When: Tues., Nov. 13, 2012

Where: Room 325

Time: 12:00 to 12:50p.m.

For more info, please visit [tjsl.edu/phialphadelta](http://tjsl.edu/phialphadelta) or email [pad@tjsl.edu](mailto:pad@tjsl.edu)

*Ever wonder the difference between casual & business professional?  
Be prepared for court, interviews, and networking events.*

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# SUCCESS SUITS HIM

Reps from

*Brooks Brothers*  
will teach the basics of  
what to wear  
when to wear it,  
and the proper care  
of these clothes.



When: Wed., Nov. 14, 2012

Where: Room 320

Time: 11:30 to 12:30 p.m.

**\*\*\*Light refreshments will be provided\*\*\***

Please RSVP to [birknsm@tjssl.edu](mailto:birknsm@tjssl.edu)

For more info, please visit [tjssl.edu/phialphadelta](http://tjssl.edu/phialphadelta) or email [pad@tjssl.edu](mailto:pad@tjssl.edu)



**General Meeting**  
**11/14/ 2012**  
**Room 318**  
**4:00-5:00 PM**

The purpose of the Crawford Law Institute & Mentorship Bond (CLIMB) program is to stimulate the minds of the youth that have expressed an interest in the legal profession. Participants get the chance to broaden their vision and develop the skills necessary to excel in their professional life.

**Give a Lift  
to  
Get a Lift**

For more information, contact  
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**Food will be provided**

# **Dean's Forum**

**November 14th  
11:30am–12:30pm**

**Room 229**

**&**

**5:00pm– 6:00pm**

**Room 323**

**Refreshments will be served.**

**Please RSVP to [studentservices@tjisl.edu](mailto:studentservices@tjisl.edu)  
by November 12th.**

# The Truth About JAG

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*Have you ever wondered what the JAG Corps is really like?*

*Do you want to know what a successful candidate puts on their application?*

*What is the JAG recruiter not telling you?*

Find out the answer to these questions and more at a lecture given by TJS� Adjunct Professor Jane Siegel, a former Marine Corps colonel, military judge, prosecutor, JAG and Chief Defense Counsel of the Marines. If you are considering a life in the military then this lecture will help you decide if this lifestyle is right for you. ***Don't miss it!***

When: November 14, 2012

Time: 1:00 -2:00

Where: Room 316





**The Jefferson Law Republicans**  
working the **San Diego Republican**  
**Lawyers**, are offering an election day  
internship!

**The Election Day Ballot Integrity Operation**  
is a tremendous opportunities for students to  
network with practicing attorneys, gain practical  
knowledge of election law, and help make a big  
difference for our candidates.

**W O T E !**

Contact Chris Garitee at [garitecc@tjssl.edu](mailto:garitecc@tjssl.edu) for more  
information.

Looking for a job? Looking for experience?  
Be sure to attend ...

**PUBLIC INTEREST LAW FOUNDATION'S  
11TH  
ANNUAL  
CAREER FAIR**

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 16TH  
11 A.M.—2 P.M.  
FIRST FLOOR LOBBY**

**Dress to impress!**  
**Business Attire is required to**  
**meet with employers.**

Some of this year's attendees will include ...

- California Innocence Project
- California Rural Legal Assistance
- Casa Cornelia Law Center
- Family Law Facilitator
- Family Justice Center
- Elder Law & Advocacy
- Housing Opportunities Collaborative
- Jewish Family Service, Prins Asylum Project
- Ochoa Legal Group
- Public Defender's Office
- San Diego Teen Court
- San Diego Volunteer Lawyer Program
- YWCA of San Diego County's Legal Program for Domestic Violence Victims

# 11th Annual Public Interest Career Week! November 13-16, 2012

## Movie: Made in L.A.

**TUESDAY**     **3 Latina Immigrants fight for**  
Nov. 13        **their rights against clothing**  
Room 227       **retailer Forever 21**  
11:30-1:30     **Co-Sponsored w/Immigration**  
                         **Law & La Raza**

## Law & Public Service Panel

**WEDNESDAY**     **CLIMB, Street Law &**  
Nov. 14        **SDCBA Community Service**  
Room 225       **President discuss the**  
11:30-12:30     **importance of Public Service**  
                         **in Law School & throughout**  
                         **your career.**  
                         **Co-Sponsored w/CLIMB**

## Alumni Panel

**THURSDAY**     **Meet former TJSL students**  
Nov. 15        **now working in Public**  
Room 229       **Interest Law Firms**  
11:30-12:30

## CAREER FAIR!

**FRIDAY**             **DRESS**  
Nov. 16             **TO**  
**1<sup>st</sup> Floor Lobby**     **IMPRESS!!**  
**11am-2pm**



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# Writing Center

workshops

"A" is for Application

10/25 @ 11:30 AM, Room 227

Moving On After Miserable Midterms

11/1 @ 11:30 AM, Room 227

Legal Writing: The Basics

11/8 @ 11:30 AM, Room 227

Countdown to Final Exams

11/15 @ 11:30 AM, Room 227

Creating an Exam Approach

11/20 @ 11:30 AM, Room TBD



THE  
**WRITING CENTER ON TWEN**

*Study Smarter, Not Harder.*

# INTERNATIONAL HUMANITARIAN LAW STUDENT WRITING COMPETITION

Photo courtesy of Arturo Donate

## CALL FOR PAPERS

American University Washington College of Law Center for Human Rights and Humanitarian Law and the American Society of International Law's (ASIL) Lieber Society seek submissions of papers for the Third Annual International Humanitarian Law Student Writing Competition.

This competition aims to promote interest and enhance scholarship in international humanitarian law among students as well as deepen their understanding of this important area of international law.

### AWARD:

The two winning authors will present their papers at an expert conference at American University Washington College of Law in Washington, DC, with travel and accommodation expenses covered. Winners will also receive a complimentary registration at the ASIL Annual Meeting on April 3-6, 2013 in Washington, DC, and will receive a one-year student membership with ASIL.

### ELIGIBILITY AND REQUIREMENTS:

Students must currently be enrolled in a law degree program at a U.S. or foreign law school as of the submission deadline. Students may choose a topic within the scope of international humanitarian law. Submissions must be unpublished academic papers written solely by the candidate in English. Articles should be submitted online, as Microsoft Word attachments, to [teachinghl@wcl.american.edu](mailto:teachinghl@wcl.american.edu).

The deadline for submissions is Thursday, January 31, 2013, by 12 PM Noon (EST).

FOR DETAILED COMPETITION RULES, PLEASE VISIT [WWW.WCLCENTERFORHR.ORG](http://WWW.WCLCENTERFORHR.ORG)

### CONTACT:

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# NOVEMBER

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
4	5 11:30 a.m. or 4:30 p.m. 1Ls Mandatory Career Services Orientation Room 227	6 <i>Election Day</i>  	7	8	9	10 8:30 a.m. - 7 p.m.  
11 <i>Veterans Day</i>  	12	13	14	15	16	17
18 SBA Twitter Information Please follow SBA at <a href="http://twitter.com/tjlsba">http:// twitter.com/ tjlsba</a> or @tjlsba if you use Twitter to receive the lat- est updates.  	19 Don't forget to <a href="#">check us</a> out on the <a href="#">TJSL Official</a> <a href="#">Facebook</a> <a href="#">page!</a>  	20	21	22 <i>Thanksgiving</i>  	23	24