



Left to Right: Stephen Rothschild, David Branfman, Michelle Ribaud, Chanel DiBlasi, K.J. Greene, Joseph Re, Fred Hernandez and Brenda Simon

## Panelists in Sharp Focus at the "Blurred Lines" Forum on Trolling for Patents

The attorney representing singer Robin Thicke in a preemptory lawsuit related to Thicke's "Blurred Lines" hit song joined three other prominent patent and copyright law attorneys to focus on the new phenomena known as "patent trolls" at a forum at Thomas Jefferson School of Law on Friday, October 18. **"From Patents to Porn: The #Blurred Lines Between Intellectual Property #Trolls and Legitimate Intellectual Property Enforcement"** was presented by TJSL, in association with the law school's Entertainment Law Society, the Center for Law and Intellectual Property and the Intellectual Property Law Association.

In the patent world, a troll is an entity that obtains patents for inventions it never intends to market. The forum, featuring four highly accomplished patent and copyright lawyers, explored the phenomena of IP trolls, from the world of technological inventions under patent law, to pornography and musical works under copyright law. "

The panelists included: Stephen D. Rothschild, Esq., a partner with King, Holmes, Paterno & Berliner, the firm representing Robin Thicke, Pharrell Williams and Clifford Harris, Jr., in the "Blurred Lines" action; Fred Hernandez, Esq., Of Mintz, Levin, Cohn, Ferris, Glovsky, and Popeo, P.C.; David Branfman, Esq., of the Branfman Law Group, P.C.; and Joseph Re, Esq., Litigation Partner with Knobbe Martens.

"The patent panel, which included both an experienced patent prosecutor and high-stakes litigator, discussed some of the most controversial issues surrounding the patent troll debate," said TJSL Professor Brenda Simon, the panel's moderator and an experienced IP practitioner. "The panelists talked about how to define patent 'trolls,' suggesting that using the term 'patent assertion entity' might be a less inflammatory way to describe the actors that are using questionable tactics in patent enforcement. The panel also discussed whether recent actions by the courts and Congress were more likely to be helpful or harmful to the patent system."



Stephen Rothschild



David Branfman



(L) Fred Hernandez (R) Joseph Re



Joseph Re



Professor Brenda Simon



Professor K.J. Greene

*"Blurred Lines" Forum continued...*

Steven Rothschild is representing singer Robin Thicke in the pending legal battle over Thicke's huge summer hit "Blurred Lines." (View the lawsuit <http://images.eonline.com/static/news/pdf/thicke.pdf>.) Rothschild explained that the preemptory lawsuit against two of Marvin Gaye's relatives and Bridgeport Music was filed to quash claims that his clients borrowed parts of the "Blurred Lines" song from Gaye's "Got to Give It Up" and "Sexy Ways" by Funkadelic.

Regarding the "Blurred Lines" lawsuit, Rothschild said, "After comparing all of the songs that are involved and because of the style of Blurred Lines, we believe that the songs do sound similar, but the artists who wrote this song will tell you that they paid homage to those artists because they respect those artists, they grew up with those artists and they love those artists. With this case, the musicologist used graphs and machines that they time everything with. They are familiar with prior art and with things that are in the public domain, and they develop an opinion. With this case, they determined that this is not an infringement. They said although it is in the same genre and sounds similar, it wasn't copied. I am not the judge or the jury, but this is our view after working with experts in this area."

"The legal system is always trying to keep up with technology," said panelist David Branfman.

"Because our world is ever evolving, it is important that our generation of lawyers have a general understanding of 'patent trolls,' patents in general and copyrights," said Entertainment Law Society Industry Liaison Vinecea Edwards (2L). "It is a mission of ELS to bring these subjects to the forefront to provide fellow students with firsthand knowledge of these important and ever growing topics, beyond the scope of a book. I think we successfully reached our goal with the Blurred Lines event."

TJSL alumnus Eric Bernsen '12, who is a patent counsel with Knobbe Martens, one of the top intellectual property law firms in the nation, found the panelists to be quite informative. "I thought Friday's forum was wonderful - well-organized with top professionals and a great audience," said Bernsen.

"On the patent side, I am slightly conflicted by the NPE/troll (non-practicing entity) phenomenon; I can see both sides of the issue but it was exceptionally useful hearing opinions from two of the patent world's heavy hitters. And that is important to me, being a part of the patent industry.

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### "Blurred Lines" Forum continued...

As far as the copyright portion of the forum, I was not aware that the same trolling problems existed to such a degree. That was eye-opening, but the issues completely make sense, especially given the business-centric, as opposed to artist-centric, nature of many aspects of copyright law."

Professor K.J. Greene, who has represented a number of prominent clients in the music industry, worked with TJSJ student Chanel DiBlasi (2L) to organize the event and panelists.



"TJSJ has a passion for intellectual property across the spectrum of faculty, students and graduates, and this event on a cutting-edge IP topic was enjoyed by all," said Professor K.J. Greene. "The panels were riveting and the speakers spell-binding. Chanel DiBlasi and the Entertainment Law Society did a great job organizing the event, and Professor Brenda Simon was a fabulous moderator. Panelist Steve Rothschild has already told us he wishes to return."



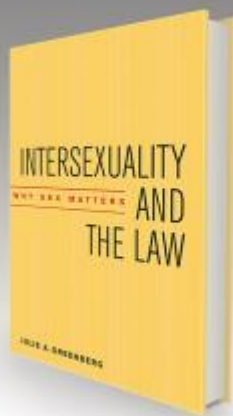
"Chanel DiBlasi and the Entertainment Law Society set the bar incredibly high by bringing in some serious players in the intellectual property world to have a candid discussion about something that needs to be talked about," said Stephanie Ferguson (3L), Vice President of the Intellectual Property Law Association and an IP Fellow. "I was truly impressed by the turn out, and even more impressed by the amount of interested students and members of the San Diego community in attendance that knew very little about patent or copyright trolls. That was one of the goals of the evening, to allow interested individuals to learn more about an increasing problem in the field of intellectual property litigation. Sometimes people tend to shy away from asking the tough questions but Friday's atmosphere provided the perfect forum for students and professionals alike to explore a hot topic many of us in the intellectual property world will face in our careers."

ELS Executive Board Members: Michelle Ribauda (2L), Chanel DiBlasi (2L), Bradley Sorrentino (3L), Phylicia Coleman (2L), Vinecea Edwards (2L)

The panel discussion was followed by a reception on TJSJ's 8<sup>th</sup> floor terrace, where those who attended the event had an opportunity to further discuss.

"As the director, it was wonderful to see everything, including our incredible panelists, come together so nicely," said DiBlasi. "And, as a spectator, I learned so much. I truly enjoyed the Blurred Lines event. All of the hard work that went into it was well worth the effort. I can't wait for the next one."

The next Entertainment Law Society event at TJSJ is scheduled for Friday, November 15, and is titled "**From the Catwalk to the Courthouse: Business, Law & the Fashion Industry.**"



## Professor Julie Greenberg Receives Prominent Book Award

Professor Julie Greenberg has been awarded the 2013 Bullough Book Award by the [Foundation for the Scientific Study of Sexuality](#) for her book, *Intersexuality and the Law: Why Sex Matters* (NYU Press).

The Foundation is presenting Professor Greenberg with the Bullough Book Award, given for the most distinguished book written for the professional sexual community published in a given year.

"I am so pleased that people are becoming more aware of the critical life-altering issues affecting members of the intersex community," said Professor Greenberg. "I hope that this book serves to educate and inspire people to assist this relatively new, underserved, and underfunded civil rights movement. I have donated all the royalties from the book to Advocates for Informed Choice (AIC), an organization devoted to using legal avenues to assist people with an intersex condition."

According to a recent book review by Professor Jessica Knouse in the *Law and Society Review*, "Intersexuality and the Law provides a definitive account of the history and present of intersex issues, artfully interweaving stories from the lives of intersex individuals with explanations of complex legal doctrine and suggestions for future litigation and legislation. Few authors have illustrated such sustained commitment to understanding how intersexuality interacts with existing legal regimes, and Greenberg provides invaluable description, analysis, and critique."

This distinction follows earlier positive reviews of the book. Shannon Minter, Legal Director of the National Center for Lesbian Rights (NCLR) and lead counsel for same-sex couples in the landmark California marriage equality case, wrote: "This volume solidifies Greenberg's reputation as a thinker of uncommon clarity and, unquestionably, the leading legal scholar on intersex issues...Based on her unparalleled knowledge of the nuances and internal debates among intersex advocates, Greenberg provides a richly detailed and masterful account of the legal issues affecting intersex people, enlivened by a keen appreciation of the tensions and potential conflicts between legal advocacy for intersex and transgender people."

The FSSS annual meeting is being held in San Diego in November, where Professor Greenberg will receive her award.



## New Edition of Professor Richard Scott's Co-authored Book on *The Law of the European Union* is Published

TJSL Distinguished Professor of International Law Richard Scott has announced that his new co-authored publication, the second edition of *The Law of the European Union*, has just been published by the Carolina Academic Press. His co-authors are Alain Levasseur and Christine Corcos of Louisiana State Law Center, and Arnaud Raynouard and Joel Moninger of the University of Paris-Dauphine. The new

edition reflects both American and French legal cultures, and its format is designed for use in the U.S. and abroad.

According to Professor Scott, "The new edition is an update across the board, featuring the impact of the new Treaty of Lisbon throughout, with many enlarged topics, including the broadening of European Union (EU) economic law, competition law and enforcement, trade relations between the EU and the U.S, and financial systems. There is major new material on the EU Charter of Fundamental Rights, foreign direct investment in the EU and the new system on external relations with the EU diplomatic service. Particularly noteworthy are the revision of the basic structure of the EU, the continuing movement toward greater integration of EU member states and the increase of democratic control through the enlarged legislative powers of the European Parliament."

An international lawyer, Professor Scott's impressive career includes service as Deputy General Counsel to the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development and as the founding General Counsel for the International Energy Council in Paris. He also is the co-author of several books, including *The International Legal System*, one of the most respected and widely used casebooks in the world, and the acclaimed author of the three-volume *History of the International Energy Agency*. His courses at TJSL have included European Union Law, International Economic Law, International Law and World Trade Organization Law.

His newest work is available for ordering at [www.cap-press.com](http://www.cap-press.com). Professor Scott notes that the acknowledgments in the new edition include a tribute to the "very dedicated librarians who worked silently, efficiently but anonymously to support" the authors.



Professor Bryan Wildenthal, Rachel Weckhorst Espejo, Samantha Morales and Colin Cloud Hampson



Professor Bryan Wildenthal



Panelist: Colin Cloud Hampson, Judge Anthony Brandenburg '79 and Professor Bryan Wildenthal

## Experts Talk Tribal Sovereign Immunity & Tribal Courts

"Don't ever speak to Indians about the law - talk justice with them. Laws have taken their land and children."

Those were the frank words of the Honorable Anthony J. Brandenburg, a 1979 graduate of the law school, the Chief Judge of the Intertribal Court of Southern California and a recognized leader in tribal communities. As someone who works tirelessly to improve the legal standing of Native Americans and the quality of life on reservations, he knows what he is talking about.

Judge Brandenburg spoke as one of the three panelists at a special event on Friday evening, October 4, at Thomas Jefferson School of Law that focused on "Tribal Sovereign Immunity and Tribal Courts." Presented by TJS�, in association with the school's Native American Law Students Association (NALSA), the panel also included TJS� Professor Bryan Wildenthal, who wrote a book titled *Native American Sovereignty On Trial: A Handbook With Cases, Laws and Documents*, and attorney Colin Cloud Hampson, of Sonosky, Chambers, Sachse, Endreson & Perry LLP, who has represented tribes in litigation in federal, state and tribal courts, as well as before federal agencies.

"Indian law is a fascinating specialty spanning everything from criminal to civil law issues," said Samantha Morales, NALSA vice-president. "There are 109 federally recognized tribes in California, 18 of which are here in the San Diego area alone. I was pleased that NALSA was able to co-sponsor this panel to help educate existing practitioners about tribal sovereignty issues."

"This MCLE event highlighted a very important and confusing area of the law: tribal jurisdiction," added Rachel Weckhorst Espejo, president of NALSA. "It was a great opportunity for our members to meet local practitioners and learn something, too."

And the NALSA members and practitioners present in the audience could not have had a group of more informed panelists from which to learn.

Professor Wildenthal teaches American Indian Law at TJS� is now at work on a series of articles that will eventually form his second book, offering a sweeping reinterpretation of the Fourteenth Amendment and its application of the Bill of Rights to the states.

Judge Brandenburg's career has included more than 16 years of service on the bench in both the Municipal and Superior Courts at the Vista Courthouse. He has published a host of articles and has written and presented several programs on subjects including Indian Law, diversity training, tribal community relations and the legal and social issues facing Native Americans today. He works closely with tribal leaders, local state courts and law enforcement, and the Southern California Tribal Chairman's Association as a community resource, educator and mentor.

Hampson advises and represents on a wide range of matters, including federal Indian gaming law, gaming regulation, water adjudication, Indian Self-Determination Act contracts, jurisdiction, recognition, environmental law, employment matters, leading and national resource development, tax, health and cultural resources. He represented a California tribe in a successful lawsuit in federal court to speed up the Department of Interior's processing of a petition for recognition as an Indian tribe.

# CONGRATULATIONS

TJSL's 2014 Who's Who Among Students  
in American Universities and Colleges

Randy Abreu  
Joscelyn B. Campbell II  
Bryana Carey  
Milena Celentano  
Shantelee Christie  
Daniel Tucker Dowling  
Jeremy Elias  
Samantha Eyde  
Cristina Kinsella  
Michael Klitzke  
Sean Conor Leedom  
Stuart Mellman

Samantha Morales  
Arthur S. Moreau IV  
Troy Michael Ortiz  
Meghan Powell  
Kimberly Roth  
Yvonne Ruiz  
Robert Sagerian  
Emily Shank  
Brad Sorrentino  
A. William Tanoury  
Tristin E. Sullivan-Leppa  
Javier Vargas



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!



7TH ANNUAL NATIONAL BASEBALL ARBITRATION  
COMPETITION: JANUARY 22-24, 2014

The TJS� Intraschool tryouts for the Tulane National Baseball Arbitration Competition are being held Thursday, November 14, 2013  
6:00 - 8:00 p.m.  
Room 217 at TJS�.

Please email Baseball Arbitration Committee member Jeremy Evans '11 [Jeremy@CSLlegal.com](mailto:Jeremy@CSLlegal.com) to tryout, by Friday, November 1, 2013, 5:00 p.m.  
ONLY 2Ls and 3Ls can tryout per TJS� and ABA rules.

For more information, visit  
<http://www.law.tulane.edu/tlsOrgs/sportslaw/index.aspx?id=11368>

The Tulane Competition is being held January 22-24, 2014 in New Orleans, LA.

Here is the player assigned for the TJS� Tryout:

Ronald Belisario, LAD RP. 30 years old. Arbitration eligible 2013-2016. 2nd year arbitration eligible. \$1.45M salary in 2013.

Player Demand: \$1.95M Salary for 2014

Club Offer: \$1.65M Salary for 2014

You will be assigned to either the player or club side once you email [Jeremy@CSLlegal.com](mailto:Jeremy@CSLlegal.com) to confirm you would like to tryout and the GPA confirmation is received. Again, only 2Ls and 3Ls can tryout per TJS� and ABA rules. Tryouts will last about 15-20 minutes total. Each side will prepare a five (5) minute opening, and a two (2) minute rebuttal.

The top three participants will be chosen by three independent judges that day and a decision will be released by email after the tryouts.





## ***Taking the MPRE on November 2, 2013?***

Thomas Jefferson School of Law and BarBri® have teamed up to offer a review workshop aimed at teaching the strategies needed for MPRE success. The workshop will be taught by Chuck Shonholz, BarBri's Director of Legal Education and renowned multiple choice expert. Mr. Shonholz will review the format of the MPRE and the traps that students fall for during the exam.

**Instructor: Chuck Shonholz Date: October 23, 2013 Time: 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. Room: 229**

Take the MPRE and ***pass it the first time.*** Don't let the MPRE be a barrier to obtaining your law licenses. Join Mr. Shonholz and get tuned up for the exam on November 2<sup>nd</sup>. See you there! NO RSVP necessary.



**Thomas Jefferson School of Law Graduation to be held on Saturday, December 14, 2013  
at Copley Symphony Hall 10 a.m.**

**The Valedictorian is Tristan Sullivan-Leppa**



The Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security and Campus Crime Statistics Act, also known as the Campus Safety and Security Report, is provided to all enrolled students and current employees. The report informs the campus community about campus crime statistics. The report can be accessed on the school website at:

<http://www.tjssl.edu/student-consumer-information>.

Hard copies of the report are available in the Security Desk on L1.

Prospective employees and students are afforded the same information at the time they obtain an application for employment or admission.



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## SCHOOL of LAW

The Witkin Legal Institute sponsors the Witkin Award for Academic Excellence. CALI sponsors the CALI Excellence for the Future Award and Thomas Jefferson School of Law awards the Jefferson Medal in recognition of academic excellence. Award certificates are presented to the student with the highest grade in a course. Congratulations to the award recipients for Summer 2013.

### *High Grade*

#### Business & Compliance Issues in Sports

Lindsey R. Dorval

#### Business Associations

Devin B. Jacobsen

#### Business Associations

Thomas J. Jarboe

#### CA Pre-Trial Preparation

John T. Sylvester

#### Community Property

Yana A. Loboda

#### Criminal Procedure

Pedro Garcia

#### Criminal Procedure

Edward J. Southcott

#### Entertainment Law Transactions

Christina Aghajanian

#### Evidence

Matthew J. Monaco

#### Intellectual Property Practicum

Chanel A. DiBlasi

#### Intellectual Property Practicum

Peter J. Hackmann

#### Intellectual Property Practicum

Katherine R. MacFarlane

#### Jurisprudence

Ann K. Atherly

#### Legal Principles

Aria Fadakar

#### Pre-Trial Preparation

Tristin E. Sullivan-Leppa

#### Professional Responsibility

Rachel J. Baum

#### Professional Responsibility

Tritisa K. Leonard

#### Professional Responsibility

Kimberly M. Roth

#### Remedies

Shea E. Connelly

#### Remedies

Diana Lopez

#### Small Business Clinic Seminar

Tara M. Almazan

#### Small Business Clinic Seminar

Jacqueline A. Nicolas

#### Small Business Clinic Fieldwork

Tara M. Almazan

#### Small Business Clinic Fieldwork

Jacqueline A. Nicolas

#### Trademark Clinic Seminar

Alexander C. Green

#### Trademark Clinic Fieldwork

Alexander C. Green

#### Trial Practice

Jillian K. Devlin

#### Trial Practice

Edward J. Southcott

#### Veteran's Clinic Seminar

Kristiana N. Erthner

### *Honors*

#### Client Interviewing & Counseling

Kristina M. Alev

#### Client Interviewing & Counseling

Dominique L. Aljabi

#### Client Interviewing & Counseling

Blake P. Farion

#### Client Interviewing & Counseling

Aeyoung Kim

#### Client Interviewing & Counseling

Nathan N. Kiyam

#### Client Interviewing & Counseling

Eva B. Kobi

#### Client Interviewing & Counseling

Jacqueline E. McNally

#### Negotiation Theory & Skills

Jeffrey D. Anson

#### Negotiation Theory & Skills

Rachel J. Baum

#### Negotiation Theory & Skills

Tyler L. Miles

#### Patent Clinic Fieldwork

Sumant Pathak

#### Sports Law Externship

Jonathan M. Stahler

#### Technology Law Externship

Steven V. Davies

#### Technology Law Externship

Rodney G. Eales

#### Technology Law Externship

Sumant Pathak

### *China*

#### Chinese Legal System & Recent Reforms

Jeremy M. Schneider

#### Comparative Trial Advocacy

Nicholas V. Williams

#### Intl Business Transactions

Pauline E. Isidro

#### Intl Environmental Law

Bryana R. Carey

#### WTO Law & China

Anthony J. Perez

### *France*

#### Intl & Comparative Drug Control Law

Jason M. Barmasse

#### Intl Human Rights

Richard L. Andrews, Jr.

#### Intl Intellectual Property

Jason M. Barmasse

#### Intl Trade & Finance

Richard L. Andrews, Jr.

## *Congratulations!*

# MEDIA WATCH

**September 18, 2013**

Professor Luz Herrera was quoted in the Law firm incubators help both grads and needy clients, Fred Rooney story that appeared in the ABAJournal.com story. [http://www.abajournal.com/legalrebels/article/2013 legal rebel profile fred rooney/](http://www.abajournal.com/legalrebels/article/2013%20legal%20rebel%20profile%20fred%20rooney/)

**September 23, 2013**

Two students have been selected to represent Thomas Jefferson School of Law at The Peggy Browning Fund's 15th annual National Law Students Workers' Rights Conference in Baltimore Oct. 25-26 story appeared in The Daily Transcript.

**September 24, 2013**

See Professor Marjorie Cohn's Video <http://vimeo.com/75341783> of her debate on Syria with Northwestern professor Ian Hurd, hosted by American University in Washington DC.

**September 26, 2013**

Marjorie Cohn was a guest on Uprising. US Faces Criticism From Many Fronts at UN Meeting Even As Obama Reiterates US Exceptionalism. <http://uprisingradio.org/home/2013/09/26/us-faces-criticism-from-many-fronts-at-un-meeting-even-as-obama-reinterates-us-exceptionalism/>

**September 26, 2013**

National Sports Law Negotiation Competition, held last weekend at Thomas Jefferson School of Law story appeared in The Daily Transcript <http://www.sddt.com/news/article.cfm Source-Code=20130926czb&t=Chapman+University+wins+TJSLhosted+sports+law+event>

**October 3, 2013**

Alex Kreit partnered with a non-profit on an animated video on drug policy that was recently released. <http://learliberty.org/war-on-drugs-video/>

**October 9, 2013**

Professor Alex Kreit was quoted in the Daily Journal article titled Skeptics cast doubt on marijuana legalization drive

**October 10, 2013**

TJSL's incubator program was mentioned in the Lawyerist <http://lawyerist.com/legal-incubators-helping-hatch-solo-practices/>

**October 17, 2013**

Professor William Slomanson was quoted in the Los Angeles Daily Journal. The story refers to fed consideration of whether to add sexual orientation to gender & race as bases for monitoring void dire in fed cases.

**October 21, 2013**

[3D printers: The next intellectual property game changer](#) Philly.com

Deven R. Desai from the **Thomas Jefferson School of Law** and Gerard N. Magliocca from Indiana University look at how 3D home printers could change legal guidelines for patent, copyright, and trademark laws and even internet content rules.

Academic Success & Writing Center Workshops  
Fall 2013

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

**10/2/2013 Room 323**

**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.

**10/16/2013 Room 227**

**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.

**10/23/2013 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.

**10/30/2013 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.

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Academic Success & Writing Center Workshops  
Fall 2013

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**11/6/2013 Room 323**

**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.

**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.

**11/20/2013 Room 227**

**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



PRESENTS

**BROWN  
BAG  
SERIES**

**The first installment of the 2013 Thomas Jefferson School of Law Attorney Brown Bag Series was a success.**

Special thanks to Alumnus Loren Casuto (Class of 2009) for speaking to the group about the job search process on the East Coast, networking, and how to find work utilizing out-of-the-box thinking and strategy. The students and alumni who attended were treated to a spirited discussion on keeping a positive and light-hearted attitude during the job search process and how to find opportunities in compliance work. The next installment of the Brown Bag Attorney Series will be Monday, October 28, 2013 with attorney L. Marcel Stewart who works in San Diego as a solo attorney in federal and state criminal defense. Space is extremely limited and it goes to the first people who RSVP. We encourage those who RSVP and cannot make the program to contact career services and give your seat to someone on the waitlist. The intimate experience created by the Brown Bag setting is useful to attendees and makes for excellent networking.

If you have any topics that you would like to see addressed in the Brown Bag Series, please contact [careerservices@tjssl.edu](mailto:careerservices@tjssl.edu). We look forward to many more successful programs. Please RSVP by **October 24, 2013** in the Events tab of Symplicity.



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## INITIATION

October 22, 2013 at 8:00p.m.  
Moot Court Room

\*\*\*Please RSVP to [grovercf@tjssl.edu](mailto:grovercf@tjssl.edu)\*\*\*

*Dress in Business Attire*

### MEMBERS:

Come join us in welcoming our new brothers & sisters.

**FRIENDLY REMINDER:** To earn graduation cords, you must attend  
TWO initiations other than your own.

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### NEW INITIATES:

Please complete the following & arrive at 7:30p.m.:

1. Fill out an application

(Download from [www.pad.org/join-pad](http://www.pad.org/join-pad))

2. Pay \$80 National dues

(preferably online at [www.pad.org/join-pad](http://www.pad.org/join-pad) or by check at initiation)

3. Pay \$40 Chapter dues

(preferably online at [www.tjssl.edu/phialphadelta](http://www.tjssl.edu/phialphadelta) or by check at  
initiation)

\*\*\*If you are paying dues by check, separate checks must be made out for each dues\*\*\*



# Thomas Jefferson School of Law



## GENERAL MEETING

Featuring:

Hon. Irma E. Gonzalez,  
Anna M. Jauregui-Law, and Lilia Garcia  
from Latinas in the Law

TUESDAY OCTOBER 22, 5-7PM  
8TH FLOOR CONFERENCE ROOM

*Food will be provided!*

*Email [laraza@tjsl.edu](mailto:laraza@tjsl.edu) + add us on TWEN*



# OUTDOORS CLUB

THOMAS JEFFERSON SCHOOL OF LAW

General Meeting 10/24

@ 11:30-12:30

ROOM 229







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**FEATURING L. MARCEL STEWART, ESQ.**

**Monday, October 28, 11:30 - 12:30**

**Conference Room 231**

Join us for an informal conversation with Mr. Stewart about his career path in federal and state criminal defense matters and opening his own practice.



Marcel Stewart, Esq. is the founder of The Law Offices of Marcel Stewart in San Diego, CA. His practice includes federal and state criminal defense, civil rights, and other civil litigation matters. Prior to opening his private practice, Mr. Stewart served as an Assistant U.S. Attorney in the San Diego Criminal Division.

**THE BROWN BAG SERIES IS SERIES OF INFORMAL CONVERSATIONS WITH LOCAL ATTORNEYS IN A SMALL GROUP SETTING WHERE STUDENTS CAN ASK QUESTIONS AND GARNER REAL WORLD INFORMATION AND ADVICE ON THEIR PRACTICE AREAS AND INSIGHT ON HOW TO GET THERE. SPACE IS LIMITED AND RSVP IS MANDATORY. RSVP IN THE EVENTS TAB OF SYMPPLICITY. PLEASE FEEL FREE TO BRING YOUR LUNCH.**

Join the Family Law Society for...



**FLS Attorney/Student  
Roundtable Dinner  
@ The Spaghetti Factory, 275 5th Ave, San Diego**

October 30, 2013

Seating/Introductions – 6:45 pm

Dinner – 7:00 – 8:30 pm

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

Cost:

Members – FREE

Non-Members - \$ 10

(\*\*\*Note: Non-Members who wish to join the FLS and attend the dinner  
May pay their \$20 annual dues and dinner is FREE. \*\*\*)



**STUDENT ACADEMICS  
COMMITTEE**

*presents...*

**STATE OF THE ACADEMICS  
PANEL**

*10.22.13*

*5:00 P.M.*

*RM 325*

*Panelists:*

*Assoc. Dean Linda Keller*

*Prof. Steve Semeraro*

*on the following topics:*

**Intersessions  
1L Program Initiatives  
Trimester Proposal**

*For more info, please contact:  
SBA@tjssl.edu*





Thomas Jefferson School of Law Chapter of

# PHI ALPHA DELTA

*cordially invites all TJS� students to...*

# Network to Get Work

**HAPPY HOUR  
SPECIALS!!  
\$2 OFF  
WELL,  
WINE, &  
DRAFT BEER**

**Wednesday, October 23, 2013**

**6:00 p.m.**

at

**THE CORNER**

(10th Ave. & J St.)

This event will give you an opportunity to learn from TJS� Alumni and local professionals on

**Networking, Interviewing,  
Finding Internships, &  
Social Media Etiquette**

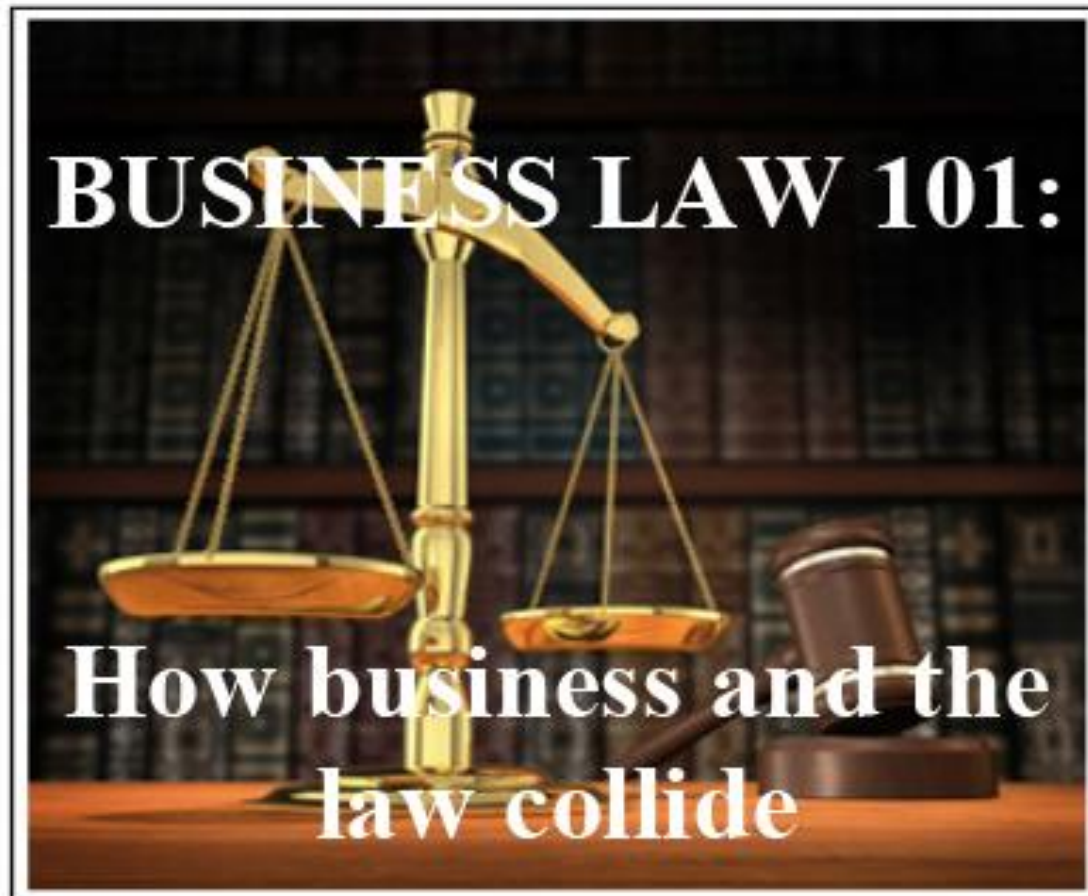
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For more info, please visit [tjsl.edu/phialphadelta](http://tjsl.edu/phialphadelta) or email [pad@tjsl.edu](mailto:pad@tjsl.edu)



Phi Alpha Delta - Franklin Chapter (Thomas Jefferson School of Law)

**The Thomas Jefferson Federalist Society &  
The Business Law Society  
Present**



**Featuring National and Local Business Leaders:**

**Sean O'Hare  
Ray Hivora**

**October 23, 2013  
7:00 PM  
Room 320**

**Light Refreshments Will Be Served**



**Thomas Jefferson School of Law  
Federalist Society**



# Chess Match Challenge

with Chess Expert

# Dr. Dennis Saccuzzo



***CAN YOU TOPPLE THE CHECKMATE KING OF TJS�?***



**DR. DENNIS SACCUZZO**, co-founder with Dr. Nancy Johnson of TJS�'s Bar Secrets Program, studied under famed Chess Master George Koltanowski, and has played as many as 20 opponents at once. In 2011, Dr. Saccuzzo took on 12 TJS� students simultaneously, besting the final competitor after 1 hour and 59 minutes of play.

This year's challenge is open to Students, Alumni, Faculty, Adjunct Faculty, Staff and the Board of Trustees – the entire TJS� community. Spectators are welcome at each session! If there are open seats at the chess boards, walk-ins are invited to play.

**WHERE:** Student Lounge (5th Floor)

**DATE:** Thursday, October 24, 2013

**TIME:** Two sessions, 3 - 5 p.m. and 6 - 8 p.m.

Each session limited to the first 15 people who sign up. Chess boards and pieces provided.

Prospective competitors should contact Dr. Nancy Johnson at [njohnson@tjssl.edu](mailto:njohnson@tjssl.edu) by Oct. 21 to reserve a seat. Please specify which session.

**RECEPTION:** 5 -6 p.m. Food and drink provided.

**PRIZES:** Will be available for each of the two sessions and include:

1. \$100
2. A one-hour private tutorial with Dr. Saccuzzo on the subject of your choice - chess or law or memorization or stress reduction techniques
3. A basket of fresh food, including baked goods
4. A head shot photography session with the Communications Office
5. Chess books
6. Restaurant gift cards

# BURGERS, BEER & BANTER



*Truth Is Better Than Fiction*

*Come here Professor Slomanson &*

*Professor Templin tell their truthful tales*

**Tilted Kilt**

**October 24,**

**4 -6 p.m.**

**Appetizers will be served**





THE NORTH COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION INVITES  
YOU TO THE 4<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL LAW STUDENT & NEW  
LAWYER MIXER

OCTOBER 24, 2013  
5:30 P.M. – 7:30 P.M.

Meet new  
people

Networking  
&  
Advice

Learn how the  
NCBA can help  
your career!!!!

ATTENTION NEW  
AND CURRENT  
LAW STUDENTS

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: Call Aaron C. Hanes, Esq. at  
(760) 758-4261,

Or by email: [ahanes@wpwlaw.com](mailto:ahanes@wpwlaw.com)



**CALLING ALL LAW STUDENT AND  
RECENT GRAD VOLUNTEERS**

**“Open the Doors to Justice” Day at the South Bay County Court** will be on **October 25th** from 9:30 am to 1:30 pm. High school students will be visiting the court and taking part in mock trials.

Judge Ana Espana and Commissioner Terri Roberts invite law students and recent law school grads to volunteer to assist students throughout the day.

If you are interested in volunteering or have any questions, please email Lizzette Herrera Castellanos at [Lizzette.herrera@sandiego.edu](mailto:Lizzette.herrera@sandiego.edu).



# ANIMAL COSTUME CONTEST



SUBMIT PHOTOS TO [SALDF@TJSL.EDU](mailto:SALDF@TJSL.EDU) OF YOUR ANIMAL IN THEIR BEST COSTUME (BY OCTOBER 28) THAT WILL BE POSTED ON OUR FACEBOOK PAGE FOR VOTING. YOU MAY SOLICIT 'LIKES' FOR YOUR ANIMAL AND/OR DONATE FOOD, TOWELS OR BLANKETS FOR VOTES ON THE 5<sup>TH</sup> FLOOR STUDENT ORGANIZATION ROOM. INDICATE YOUR NAME, ANIMALS NAME, AND ITEMS DONATED ON A POST IT AND LEAVE ON SALDF DESK. ALL ITEMS DONATED WILL GO TO PETS OF THE HOMELESS!!

1 FACEBOOK LIKE = 1 VOTE

1 FOOD ITEM = 5 VOTES

1 BLANKET/TOWEL = 10 VOTES

VOTING GOES FROM NOW TIL OCTOBER 28

# **Bloomberg LAW**

## **UPCOMING TRAINING**

**Food Will Be Provided**

**Tuesday, October 29**

**5:00pm-6:00pm**

**Room 318**

**Wednesday, October 30**

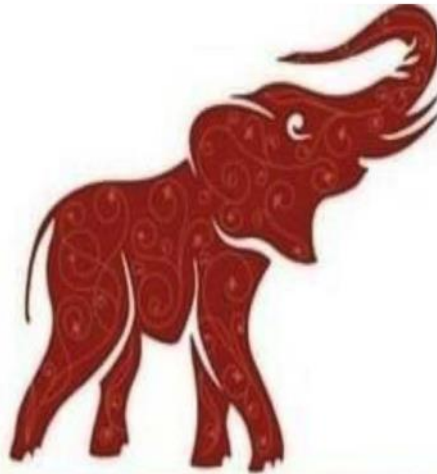
**11:45am-12:45pm**

**Room 318**

**Come Learn How To Use  
Bloomberg Law Research Engine**

**Please RSVP to:**

**[guerraxl@tjisl.edu](mailto:guerraxl@tjisl.edu) or [oranag@tjisl.edu](mailto:oranag@tjisl.edu)**



# **SOUTH ASIAN LAW STUDENTS ASSOCIATION**

**THOMAS JEFFERSON SCHOOL OF LAW**

South Asian Bar Association of San Diego  
in conjunction with  
Pan Asian Lawyers of San Diego  
Thomas Jefferson School of Law Career Services  
and Asian Pacific American Law Students Association  
presents:

**PUTTING YOURSELF IN THE BEST POSITION TO GET A JOB  
WHEN YOU GRADUATE**

Wednesday, October 30, 2013: Thomas Jefferson School of Law, 11:45 a.m. to 12:45 p.m.

Location: Room 323, TJSL

Marguerite Lieu Jonak, Esq., Partner at Manning & Kass Ellrod Ramirez Trester LLP  
Parag Agrawal, Esq., Deputy Attorney General at California Attorney General's Office  
Srinivas Hanumadass, Esq., Associate at Wingert Grebing Brubaker & Juskie LLP  
Samir Patel, Esq., Associate at Lorber Greenfield & Polito LLP  
Gita Varughese, Esq., Staff Attorney, Superior Court, County of San Diego  
John Fiske, Esq., Gomez Iagmin Trial Attorneys

**PLEASE RSVP TO THE EVENTS TAB OF SYMPPLICITY  
SO THAT WE CAN PROVIDE CATERING**

**for more information please e-mail: [CHRISNGO@TJSL.EDU](mailto:CHRISNGO@TJSL.EDU)**

Join the Family Law Society for...



**FLS Attorney/Student  
Roundtable Dinner  
@ The Spaghetti Factory, 275 5th Ave, San Diego**

October 30, 2013

Seating/Introductions – 6:45 pm

Dinner – 7:00 – 8:30 pm

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

Cost:

Members – FREE

Non-Members - \$ 10

(\*\*\*Note: Non-Members who wish to join the FLS and attend the dinner  
May pay their \$20 annual dues and dinner is FREE.\*\*\*)





HEY STUDENTS,

YOUR WESTLAW CAMPUS REPRESENTATIVES WANT YOU TO KNOW THAT WE ARE HERE FOR YOU! SET UP APPOINTMENTS TO DISCUSS ANY RESEARCH QUESTIONS YOU MAY HAVE! STOP BY OUR OFFICE HOURS, EMAIL US, OR CHAT US UP ON G-CHAT!

SINCERELY YOUR REPS,

CHRISTINA AGHAJANIAN- [AGHAJAC@TJSL.EDU](mailto:AGHAJAC@TJSL.EDU)

& TARA ALMAZAN- [ALMAZATM@TJSL.EDU](mailto:ALMAZATM@TJSL.EDU)



\*Images depicted represent an artistic interpretation of Tara and Christina



## **SALDF IS A PETS OF THE HOMELESS COLLECTION SITE!**

**SAN DIEGOS HOMELESS AND THEIR  
FURRY FRIENDS NEED OUR HELP!**

### **WHAT WE NEED:**

- ◆ **DOG FOOD/CAT FOOD**
- ◆ **BLANKETS/TOWELS/BEDDING**
  - ◆ **CRATES**
  - ◆ **DOG/CAT CLOTHING  
FOR THE WINTER**
- ◆ **CLIFF BARS FOR PEOPLE**

**PLACE DONATIONS IN STUDENT ORG ROOM ON 5<sup>TH</sup> FLOOR  
SALDF DESK**

**1<sup>ST</sup> DRIVE DEADLINE OCTOBER 31<sup>ST</sup> QUESTIONS?  
EMAIL [SALDF@TJSL.EDU](mailto:SALDF@TJSL.EDU)**

## **The Art and Entertainment Law Project is now accepting applications for Spring 2014!**

*The application deadline is November 1, 2013!*

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. You will receive 5-6 units for your participation in the AELP. (5 hours is the equivalent of 1 unit [e.g. 15 hours/week of clinic work = 3 units]. You also receive 2 additional units for the weekly seminar.)

### **Pre-Requisites**

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

### **Application**

To apply for a position for the Spring 2014, please submit a formal letter addressed to Professor Jeff Slattery indicating your interest in working with the AELP, a resume, and an unofficial transcript to [bnieman@tjssl.edu](mailto:bnieman@tjssl.edu) no later than November 1, 2013. For additional information about what to include in your formal letter, please visit [www.tjssl.edu/clinics/art-entertainment-law](http://www.tjssl.edu/clinics/art-entertainment-law).

## **The Community Economic Development Clinic is now accepting applications for Spring 2014!**

*The application deadline is November 1, 2013!*

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 Community Economic Development Clinic (CED Clinic). 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 15-20 hours a week to client work and attend a mandatory weekly seminar. You will receive 5 or 6 units for your participation in the CED Clinic. (5 hours is the equivalent of 1 unit [e.g. 15 hours/week of clinic work = 3 units]. You also receive 2 additional units for the weekly seminar.)

### **Pre-Requisites**

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

### **Application**

To apply for a position for Spring 2014, please submit a formal letter addressed to Professor Becky Nieman indicating your interest in working with the CED Clinic, a resume, and an unofficial transcript to [bnieman@tjssl.edu](mailto:bnieman@tjssl.edu) no later than November 1, 2013. For additional information about what to include in your formal letter, please visit [www.tjssl.edu/clinics/ced](http://www.tjssl.edu/clinics/ced).



## **The Patent Clinic is now accepting applications for Spring 2014!**

*The application deadline is November 1, 2013!*

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 credits you can receive for the Patent Clinic can total up to 6 units. (5 hours is the equivalent of 1 unit [e.g. 15 hours/week of clinic work = 3 units]. You also receive 2 additional units for the weekly seminar.)

### **Pre-Requisites**

- Qualifying undergraduate degree for U.S. Patent Office patent practice
- Qualified to sit for patent bar exam
- Successful completion of first year of law school
- Successful completion of Professional Responsibility
- Successful completion or concurrent enrollment in Civil Procedure I and Evidence
- No major commitments to extracurricular organizations

### **Application**

To apply for a position, please submit the following to [bnieman@tjssl.edu](mailto:bnieman@tjssl.edu): a formal letter addressed to Professor Mimi Afshar 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.tjssl.edu/clinics/patent-clinic](http://www.tjssl.edu/clinics/patent-clinic).

**The Trademark Clinic  
is now accepting applications for Spring 2014!**

*The application deadline is November 1, 2013!*

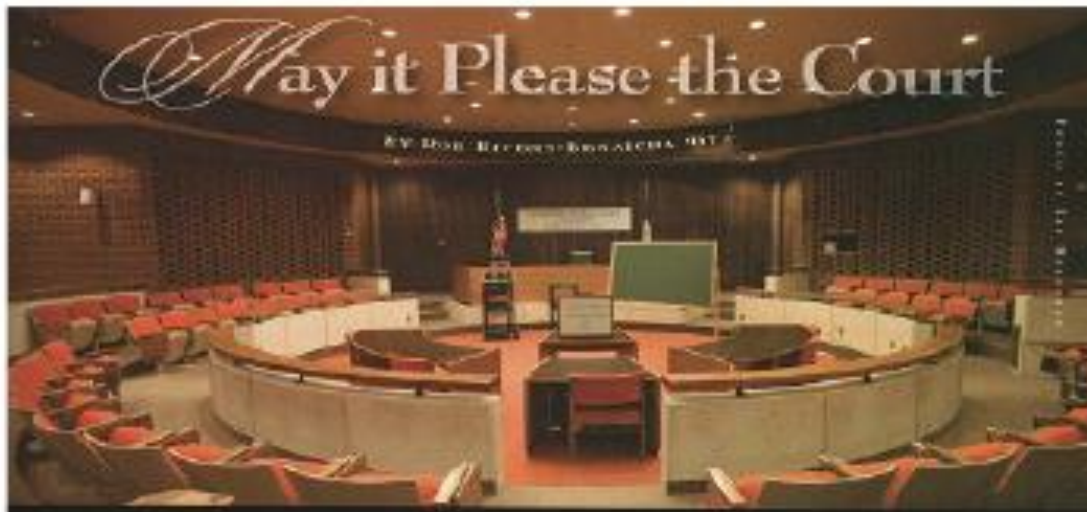
If you are interested in working with artists, entrepreneurs, small businesses and non-profit organizations in the trademark legal area, now is the time to apply for a certified law student position in the Trademark Clinic. As a Trademark Clinic student, you will provide legal assistance to San Diego County residents who do not have the means to hire legal counsel. Students must devote 15-20 hours a week to client work and attend a mandatory weekly seminar. You will receive 5-6 units for your participation in the Trademark Clinic. (5 hours is the equivalent of 1 unit [i.e. 15 hours/week of clinic work = 3 units]. You also receive 2 additional units for the weekly seminar.)

**Pre-Requisites**

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

**Application**

To apply for a position for the Spring 2014, please submit a formal letter addressed to Professor Eric Lane indicating your interest in working with the Trademark Clinic, a resume, and an unofficial transcript to [bnieman@tjssl.edu](mailto:bnieman@tjssl.edu) no later than November 1, 2013. For additional information about what to include in your formal letter, please visit [www.tjssl.edu/clinics/trademark-clinic](http://www.tjssl.edu/clinics/trademark-clinic).



**The Moot Court Honor Society** is pleased to announce that the team will be participating in three (3) Moot Court Competitions this semester:

1. The University of San Diego School of Law's **National Criminal Procedure Tournament**
2. The Sixteenth Annual Pepperdine University School of Law **National Entertainment Law Moot Court Competition**
3. The **National Moot Court Competition**

**Please Join Us** during our dress rehearsals for the three teams competing this semester. Dress rehearsals will be held in the Moot Court Room on the dates below:

- Monday, October 21, 2013 - 11:30 a.m.**  
**Monday, October 28, 2013 - 11:30 a.m.**  
**Monday, November 4, 2013 - 11:30 a.m.**

**In this issue:**

Fall Semester Competitions |

Dress Rehearsal |

**About Moot Court:**

- The Moot Court Team currently has 27 members.
- Our general board meetings are held on Mondays from 11:30 - 12:45pm.
- Tryouts for the team is typically conducted during the Spring Semester.

*Executive Board 2013/2014*

Chair - Paul Helley  
 Vice-chair - Kimberley Roth  
 Competition Coordinator - Rodney Eales  
 Administrative Coordinator - Shantelee Christie  
 Legal Community Liaison - Yvonne Ruiz

Faculty Advisor:  
 Professor Paul Spiegelman



# PUBLIC INTEREST LAW FOUNDATION

THOMAS JEFFERSON SCHOOL OF LAW

## TWELFTH ANNUAL PUBLIC INTEREST LAW CAREER WEEK

Monday, November 4 through Friday, November 8

### Events Include:

- Panels
- Career Fair
- Happy Hour Mixer

### Get Informed:

The Most Up-to-Date Information is Available at  
[www.tjssl.edu/pilf/career-week](http://www.tjssl.edu/pilf/career-week)

View Employer Profiles at  
PILF's TWEN page

### Get Involved:

Email [pilf@tjssl.edu](mailto:pilf@tjssl.edu)

### Co-Sponsoring Student Organizations:

Asian Pacific American Law Student Association (APALSA)  
Black Law Student Association (BLSA) • Criminal Law Society  
Environmental Law Society (ELS) • Family Law Society  
International Law Society (ILS) • Jewish Student Union (JSU)  
Labor & Employment Law Association (LELA) • La Raza Student Association  
National Lawyer's Guild • OUTLaw • Phi Alpha Delta (PAD) • Sports Law Society



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## Win 10,000 Points!

10,000 Points will be given away at each San Diego Law School and the winner could be you! There are multiple chances to qualify for entry throughout the semester, but you must complete three steps before official (and any subsequent) entry is made. All you have to do to enter is:

1. Follow us on Facebook under “Thomson Reuters Westlaw San Diego”
2. Add the “Westlaw at (your schools name)” on TWEN
3. You must have completed WestlawNext Certification 101

\*Additional opportunities for entry will be provided from September 5<sup>th</sup> through November 5<sup>th</sup> via Facebook, email contests, and tables held by your student representatives. Additional entries will not qualify unless the first three steps are complete. See your student representatives for help with entry!



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# FAMILY LAW SELF-HELP CLINIC

PROVIDING LEGAL ASSISTANCE  
TO THE UNDERSERVED



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## FAMILY LAW SELF-HELP CLINIC TRAININGS

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2013  
5:00 PM – 7:00 PM, ROOM 217

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2013  
5:00 PM – 7:00 PM, ROOM 217

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Thomas Jefferson School of Law will be holding limited assistance clinics for low to moderate income individuals through the Family Law Self-Help Clinic. The clinic will assist individuals who are representing themselves in family law related matters. The clinic is currently seeking volunteer law students to help staff the clinic. This is a great opportunity for law students to get "hands on" and "real world" experience working with actual lawyers and individuals from the community.

No particular course prerequisites or state bar certification are required in order to participate. However, students do need to attend BOTH the Nov. 5th and Nov. 7th trainings (or watch both trainings online if they cannot attend in person). If you cannot attend the training and would like to participate, e-mail [self-helpclinics@tjssl.edu](mailto:self-helpclinics@tjssl.edu).

Students who volunteer in the Family Law Self-Help Clinic will work with attorneys assisting clients with a variety of family law related issues, including child custody, child support, divorce, and domestic relations. This assistance will include a consultation with an attorney, assisting the client with legal research, and completing the appropriate forms to take to court.

RSVP TO [SELF-HELPCLINICS@TJSSL.EDU](mailto:SELF-HELPCLINICS@TJSSL.EDU) BY FRIDAY, NOV. 1 FOR A TRAINING SESSION



# THE BATTLE COMES HOME: THE STRUGGLES OF SOME RETURNING VETERANS

**NOVEMBER 6, 2013, 6:00–9:00 PM  
ROOM 229**

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

Large numbers of recently returned veterans from the conflicts in Iraq and Afghanistan struggle with mental health and substance abuse issues. Some of these veterans end up in the criminal justice system, and strain the ability of the system to provide accountability for wrongdoing while recognizing the sacrifices of these veterans on behalf of our country. Mental health and criminal justice experts discuss these complex and overlapping issues.

## **SPEAKERS**

**Abigail Angkaw, PhD**, Psychologist, Department of Veterans Affairs, San Diego

**Benjamin Bramer**, Peer Support Specialist, Department of Veterans Affairs, San Diego

**Jay Rosen, PhD**, Psychologist, Department of Veterans Affairs, San Diego

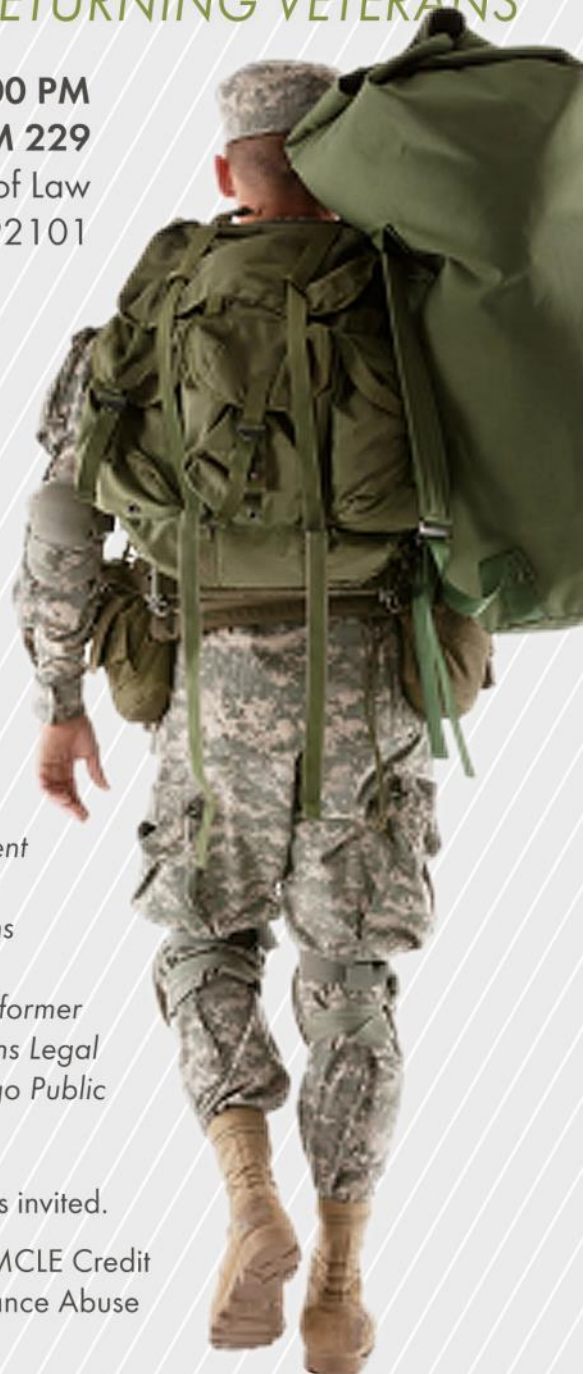
**Adriane Bracciale, Esq.**, Criminal Defense Attorney, former Equal Justice Works Veterans Legal Corps Fellow with San Diego Public Defender office



**No Charge.** Everyone is invited.

**2.0 Hours** of General MCLE Credit and **1.0 Hour** of Substance Abuse MCLE Credit Available.

**RSVP** by November 1 at <http://alumni.tjsl.edu/events/index.asp?eventid=316>





# Next Sports Law Society Meeting

Look at all the fun you're  
Missing!

Wednesday, Nov. 6 11:30-12:45 Room 225



# Attention: TJS� February 2013 Bar Candidates!

*Fleming's Fundamentals of Law in conjunction with  
Thomas Jefferson School of Law presents:*

## A Live 12-Hour Performance Workshop Preparation for the February 2013 CA Bar

### Be a Successful Bar Candidate! Master the Performance Exam!

#### Dates:

Friday, November 15, 2013: 6:00 pm to 10:00 pm

Saturday, November 16, 2013: 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

#### Costs:

TJS� Discounted Price: ..... \$150.00  
(*\$12.50 per hour*)

*\*In order to qualify for the TJS� discounted price of \$150,  
TJS� student must register by November 7, 2013,  
otherwise the price will be \$195.00.*



### A Small Investment to Pass Performance!

Each Performance Question is Equivalent to Two Essays.

You Can't Afford to Miss this Important Workshop!

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**1 (800) LAW EXAM**





## **PALSD and FALSD's 2014**

### **Scholarship Application**

The Pan Asian Lawyers of San Diego and Filipino American Lawyers of San Diego will grant four or five scholarships to eligible individuals to take the California State Bar examination in February 2014 or July 2014. The scholarship will assist in covering the cost of the California State Bar.

#### **ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:**

- Must meet requirements for taking and will be taking the California State Bar exam given in February 2014 or July 2014; and
- Currently attend or recently graduated from any accredited law school in San Diego County; and
- Be available to attend the PALSD & FALSD Annual Dinner on January 30, 2014 to receive the scholarship.

**Deadline: Wed., November 20, 2013, 11:59 PM**

The application is available on Symplicity under the Resources Tab. If you have any questions, please contact the Career Services Office, [careerservices@tjisl.edu](mailto:careerservices@tjisl.edu).

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## THE JEFFERSONIAN

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**INTERESTED IN WRITING FOR THE PAPER? CONTACT BENJAMIN  
WEISS AND HE WILL GET BACK TO YOU WITH MORE DETAILS**

[WEISSBR@TJSL.EDU](mailto:WEISSBR@TJSL.EDU)



# CALLING ALL COOKS!

Are you a  
spectacular  
cook?  
A connoisseur  
of food?

Do you have  
some healthy  
vegan or  
vegetarian  
recipes you  
would like to  
share with  
others?



SALDF is putting together a cookbook full of student recipes that will be bound and sold to raise money for some great projects we have planned for the spring!

If you have a recipe to share please submit it in  
**word document** format to  
[saldf@tjssl.edu](mailto:saldf@tjssl.edu) by December 13<sup>th</sup>, 2013!

Contact us with any questions:

[saldf@tjssl.edu](mailto:saldf@tjssl.edu)

<https://www.facebook.com/tjssl.saldf>

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
20 <b>October</b> <b>November</b> <b>2013</b>	21	22	23 <b>SE</b> Academic Success - Grammar Bootcamp #3: Writing in Agreement 11:30 AM	24	25	26
27	28	29 <b>SE</b> Bloomberg Law - Training 5:00 PM	30 <b>SE</b> Academic Success - Moving on after Miserable Midterms 11:30 AM  <b>SE</b> South Asian Law Students Association - Putting Yourself in the Best Position to get a Job When You Graduate 11:45 AM  <b>SE</b> Bloomberg Law - Training 11:45 AM	31	November 1	2
3	4	5	6 <b>SE</b> Academic Success - Grammar Bootcamp #3: Writing with Clarity 11:30 AM  <b>T</b> "One Book" 6:00 PM  <b>T</b> The Battle Comes Home: The Struggles of Some Returning Veterans 6:00 PM	7 <b>T</b> Alumni Association Mixer 6:00 PM	8	9 <b>T</b> Employee Rights Self-Help Clinic 9:30 AM
10	11	12 <b>SE</b> International Career Panel 11:45 AM	13 <b>SE</b> Academic Success - Countdown to Final Exams 11:30 AM	14	15 <b>SE</b> Performance Exam Workshop 9:00 AM	16 <b>SE</b> Performance Exam Workshop 9:00 AM  <b>T</b> Small Claims Clinic 9:30 AM
17	18	19	20 <b>SE</b> Academic Success - Grammar Bootcamp #4: Using your words Effectively 11:30 AM	21 <b>FE</b> Faculty Colloquium - Speaker: Paula Manning 11:30 AM	22	23
24	25	26	27	28 <b>T</b> Thanksgiving - Holiday	29 <b>T</b> Thanksgiving - Holiday	30