

HOW TO SURVIVE LAW SCHOOL: WORDS OF WISDOM FROM THE WISE

By Chelsea Halpine-Berger 3L

On Tuesday, September 18, Phi Alpha Delta (PAD) presented its first academic panel of the semester, "How to Survive Law School," for a group of wide-eyed 1L ingénues eager to learn how to survive the most hellacious year of their lives. PAD President and presenter, Chelsea Halpine-Berger 3L, came ready to drop some knowledge on the new kids, joined by panelists Sevy Fisher 3L, Mike Klitzke 2L, Nicole Heffel 3L

How to Survive: The Basics.

The first lesson to learn is that law school is high school all over again.

and Jessica Lockett 3L.

Think about it - you have a locker, all of your classes are in one building and you are forced to see the same people for several years before you are (finally) rid of them. 1L's are freshman all over again, as 3L "seniors" lord the smug superiority that comes from being at the top of the food chain. Cliques and allegiances form rapidly and intensely. You may have visceral flashbacks of the terror that comes with finding a socially acceptable table to eat your lunch in the cafeteria ("You can't sit with us!") Gossip spreads faster than the flu during finals. Remember kids: What happens at Bar Review does NOT stay at Bar Review. This is not Vegas - come Monday, everyone will know the horrible decisions tequila forced you to make. Party at your own peril; all those late night pizzas and copious amounts of cheese will catch up with your metabolism. Law School is also a bit like College- BEWARE the 1L fifteen! Ladies, I know all too well the comfort of a pair of stretchy leggings or sweatpants. But there is inherent danger in an elastic waistband - in fact, it is designed to accommo-



PAD President and presenter, Chelsea Halpine-Berger 3L



Panelist Sevy Fisher 3L



date the evidence of your late night cheese binging.

To Brief, or not to brief? That is the question. At this point in the game, all 1L's should be reading AND briefing cases out of sheer, unadulterated terror. When that begins to subside, 1L's need to read for respect. What does that mean, you ask? It means we all owe our first born child to the government to finance our legal education, and it literally costs us money to sit in class. That being said, respect your classmates and don't waste their time and money with your unpreparedness. Even worse, don't try to fake it – it's uncomfortable for everyone. Of course, there is always reading just to actually learn something, or to evaluate the analysis the Court uses when reaching their decision – but that's just crazy talk.

How do I remember all of this for an exam? 1L's are assaulted with obscene amounts of information on a daily basis. You can only absorb so much before your brain starts forgetting other, important things to make room...like the necessity of deodorant, the date of your girlfriend's birthday, or the number for wings from Domino's. Your brain needs to filter and process the wealth of information in a logical fashion. To accomplish this, consider the value of mnemonic devices. Make acronyms using the first letter of each element for a claim, crime or defense. For example, the elements for adverse possession: Open and notorious, Continuous and uninterrupted, Exclusive, Actual, Non-Permissive, for the Statutory period = OCEANS. Visual learners will benefit from turning their outlines into a flowchart. The neurotic and crafty among us will turn this into a guilty pleasure using markers, construction paper, cat drawings and maybe some glitter.

The most important piece of advice for 1L's? PRACTICE EXAMS. Do them. There is virtually no other way to test your skills and gain feedback outside of an exam setting. Furthermore, it's the only way to discover the format your professor wants to see when grading exams. IRAC? ARAC? No-rac? You won't know until you try.

PAD will be hosting a public speaking seminar, presented by TJSL's Associate Career Services Director Maysa Eissa, on Tuesday, September 25th from 12- 1 pm in Room 227. PAD's annual soiree, Wine, Cheese and Judges' Pet Peeves, will be held at TJSL on November 2nd at 6:30 pm, with a networking reception with the local judiciary.

For more information on our organization or our events, please visit: www.tjsl.edu/phialphadelta.



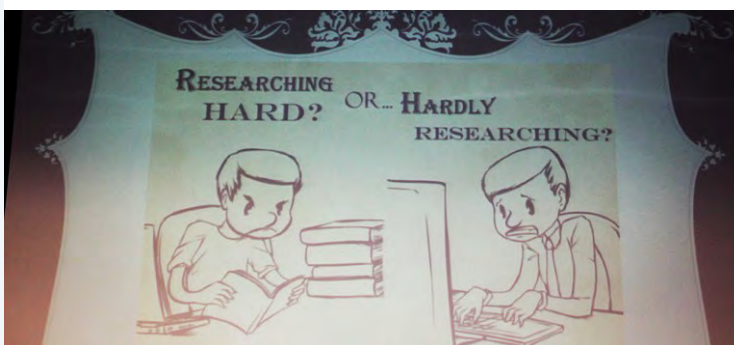
Panelist Nicole Heffel 3L



Panelist Michael Klitzke 2L



Panelist Jessica Lockett



In-House Counsel Event Draws Large Audience

Thomas Jefferson School of Law hosted the 1st Annual ACC In-House Counsel Day on Saturday, September 21. The event was co-sponsored by the Association of Corporate Counsel, Thomas Jefferson School of Law and California Western School of Law.

TJSL Adjunct Professor and Vice President, Programs at San Diego ACC, Randy Berholtz, opened the event by providing a welcoming address via Skype and encouraging future participation on behalf of the schools and the employers to make this an annual event.

Following Professor Berholtz, Janine Sarti, President at San Diego ACC and General Counsel of Palomar Health, spoke and encouraged employers to participate in legal internship programs at the schools. She gave two examples of a student and a recent graduate who currently work with her and how both the company and the student benefitted. She also encouraged students to find their dream and apply for in-house counsel positions after graduation.

Professor Steve Semeraro welcomed everybody to Thomas Jefferson and stressed the importance of gaining experience through internships and the clinical programs. Following the introductions, there were three panels which focused on in-school internships, summer jobs, and direct hiring into local companies. Local attorneys shared their individual and inspiring stories of the paths of their careers and how those paths led them to be in-house.

The highlight of the program was the keynote speaker, William Sailer, Senior Vice-President & Legal Counsel at Qualcomm. He spoke of his background and how that path brought him to Qualcomm. He also shared the benefits of working in-house and what it takes to be a successful attorney.

Approximately 90 students and 12 employers attended the three panel sessions, which were geared toward fostering relationships between the students and the employers.

The event successfully concluded with lunch and a networking reception on the 8th floor. Randy Reliford, TJSL's Associate Director of Career Services, stated "It was encouraging to see such a great turnout from the students and in-house counsel employers. I think the students really grasped the importance of networking and understand how great an opportunity to intern in-house can be."



The ACC Event was Well-Attended



Professor Randy Berholtz Via Skype



Professor Steve Semeraro Welcomes At-



Panelists Randy Reliford and Matthew Lab



Panelists JB Tropp (Left) and Mark Weinstein

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As **2Ls**, you can make a deposit to lock in your price for the Bar Secrets TJSL California Bar Program now, and you'll receive materials to help with your studies in the second year (your deposit counts toward your final registration cost).

September 30, 2012 is the last day to make your 2L deposit

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1Ls and 3Ls may still sign up too!



**Excitement is building for the
2012 National Sports Law Negotiation
Competition and Sports Law Symposium
that will be held at
Thomas Jefferson School of Law
September 28 – 30.**

This marks the second year of this prestigious competition that features teams from top law schools across the nation.

The success and rapidly spreading reputation of the inaugural competition in 2011 has resulted in twice the number of participating teams for 2012. This year, 80 students will comprise 40 teams representing 28 different law schools, including Harvard, Notre Dame and UC-Berkeley. They will compete by negotiating real sports law issues in an academic setting.

Tickets to the Sports Law Symposium are \$55 for the general public and can be purchased through the NSLNC website. Discounted tickets are available for members of the San Diego County Bar Association and the TJSL community.

**Law students may purchase tickets to the
symposium for \$25.**

[Click here to buy tickets!](#)



Notes from Tunisia: Professor Winchester's Fascinating Presentation

“Do they like us?” Professor Richard Winchester said of the Tunisian people. “I’m going to tell you – they don’t hate us! My Tunisian friends are apologetic about the violent demonstrations going on.”

“Notes from Tunisia: Life in the Aftermath of the Arab Spring,” was Professor Winchester’s presentation at Thomas Jefferson School of Law on Tuesday, September 18.

During a fascinating hour-long lunchtime talk, he recounted his experiences and the insights he gained during his recent seven-month assignment as a Fulbright Scholar, teaching at the University of Carthage.

“What you see on TV is not so much about the U.S. as it is about religion,” he says about the latest violent protests in Tunisia that began on September 14.

He believes the Salafis, the conservative branch of Islam behind the protests, are a small slice of Tunisia and don’t represent the views of the vast majority of Tunisians.

“They are a minority. They are vocal, aggressive and they will do these kinds of things to assert their position,” Professor Winchester said. “They are trying to slam their views down everyone’s throat.”

The cultural cross-currents in Tunisia are basically three competing forces, he feels, making it a “fractured society.” There are those who want things the way they were before the Jasmine Revolution when the dictator fled the county; the secular, which is the majority; and those, like the Salafis, who are pushing for a strict Islamic form of government.

“There is a national ambivalence in Tunisia over what their identity should be,” said Professor Winchester. “There is no strong leader now – the president is not terribly strong. So there are some real risks ahead, but I think a moderate government will replace the dictatorship they had, not a religious one.”

However, the turnout in Tunisia’s election was only about 52 percent, a very low turnout considering there hadn’t been elections in the country for some 50 years. And Professor Winchester feels it was very much a split outcome and was not in line with popular opinion.

“Here’s the real civics lesson,” Winchester said. “You have to show up to vote if you want control over your destiny.”

The event was presented by the International Law Society and the Mideast Law Students Association.



Professor Tim Dennison and Professor Luz Herrera (center) in the TJSL Small Business Law Center booth at the first annual San Diego Entrepreneur Day, Saturday September 21, in the streets of the East Village.

Historic Set of Botanical Prints Donated to TJSL

A set of beautiful and historically significant botanical prints arrived at Thomas Jefferson School of Law on Wednesday, September 19, and are now on display on the third floor.

There are 32 plates in the collection, titled *The Temple of Flora*. They are the creation of British medical doctor and plant illustrator Robert John Thornton and were first published in 1799.

The plates, all of them beautifully framed and mounted reproductions, are a gift to the law school courtesy of Dean Rudy Hasl and Julie Hasl, his wife.



Facilities Director Dennis Sable Hangs a Print

“The inclusion of the Temple of Flora prints as a part of the School’s art collection is particularly appropriate because Robert John Thornton was a contemporary of Thomas Jefferson and some of the new world specimens that are the subject of the collection are part of the plantings on the 5th and 8th floor terraces,” said Dean Hasl. “Julie and I are very pleased to make these prints available to the law school community.”

The Temple of Flora collection is more than two centuries old, but is still highly regarded and prized for its uniqueness. The species Thornton illustrated were very new and exotic to English eyes in 1799, including New World plants like the Bird of Paradise.

“Thornton’s large-format plates, with their allegorical depictions and stunning floral portraits, number among supreme achievements of botanical illustration. Thornton engaged the most renowned flower painters of his age and spared no cost in the creation of this unique work,” according to one online description.

The plates were framed by the San Diego art dealer Artrageous!, owned by Rob and Barbara Markoff.

John Ford of Artrageous!, who delivered the plates to TJSL after mounting them, says he is very impressed with the prints.

“I have spent a lot of time looking at them,” Ford said. “Every time I look at them, I see something different in each one.”

The Hasls are hoping that everyone has the same experience as Ford as they enjoy this fascinating collection, which is on permanent display in the third-floor corridor that leads from the eastern side of the lobby to the IT helpdesk.

“They’re gorgeous,” said Crystal Salumbides 3L when she saw the prints. “They look just beautiful.”



“Gorgeous! Definitely brightens up the place,” said Janmari Hueso 2L. “It makes you feel like you are outside.”



“Very, very nice,” said Jonathan DeLeon 3L as he checked out the new artwork. “The new pictures look great on what used to be just bare walls.”

First CLIMB Culture Night Teaches Personal Finances to Crawford High Students

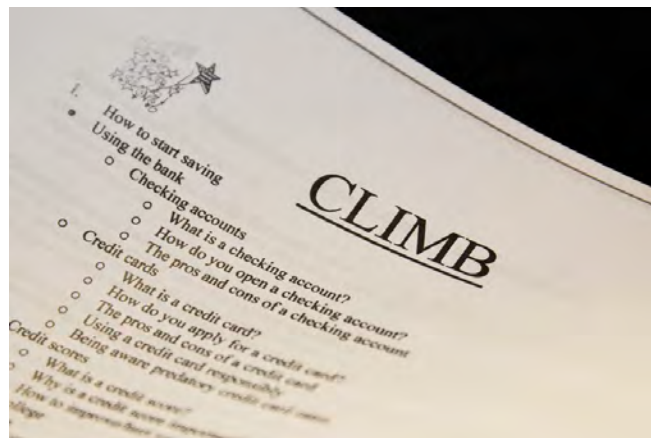
By Lee Vernon 2L

The purpose of the Crawford Law Institute Bond and Mentorship (CLIMB) program is to stimulate the minds of the youth that have expressed an interest in the legal profession. CLIMB gives TJSL students the opportunity to provide mentorship to Crawford High School students.

On Thursday, September 20, the CLIMB program hosted the first of three “Culture Night” events scheduled for this semester. TJSL students joined students from Crawford High School’s Law Academy for a discussion that focused on financial literacy. The purpose of this particular “Culture Night” was to help the youth take a look at the various ways in which to obtain financial independence.

The discussion covered a wide variety of topics, including personal finances, student loans, scholarships, and grants. Crawford students participated in a lively and enlightening discussion about the importance of understanding interest rates and ways to make interest work in their favor.

It was inspiring to see the youth discuss their opinions with law school students because one purpose of hosting “Culture Night” events is to expose the youth to opportunities that will assist them in building confidence and professional skills.



Roberto Blanco Crawford Student



Sara Abdalla Crawford Student



Diana Vasquez and Lee Vernon with the CLIMB Students



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the Sports Law Symposium
at TJSL

Sunday, September 30

www.tjssl.edu/Conferences/NSLNC

Fabulous Friday a Relaxing Experience

There's No Place Like "Om"

"Ten minutes a day can transform your life," said Dean Leah Christensen as she welcomed students, faculty and staff to the First Fabulous Friday session. "That's my Mantra."

And Professor Christensen, who is also TJSU's Assistant Dean of Academic Success and Bar Preparation, hopes it will become every law student's mantra by teaching them yoga, relaxation and meditation techniques.

"We want you to incorporate balance into your law school studies," said Dean Christensen. "We want to teach you to control your emotions so you can sleep better, feel better and perform better. We don't want you to go through half of your career before you get these skills – we want you to have them now."

The first session was really an introduction to the types of techniques they will learn. The facilitator was Tammy Moretti, who is a yoga teacher and health coach. She works with groups of attorneys who belong to the Lawyers Club of San Diego and knows how stressful the legal profession can be and how it can throw their lives out of balance.

"These tools can help lead you to an amazing career, without sacrificing your health or your relationships," she told the group.

Moretti began by asking students to express what the practice of yoga is. Some answers: "Relaxation," "Inner peace," "Balance," and "It's for flexible people."

She also asked about their feelings regarding the upcoming mid-term exams, and many said they felt anxious, scared, unprepared and overwhelmed.

"It's just a feeling," Moretti said. "Tell yourself 'I feel, not I am' - that you feel anxious, not that you are anxious. Then it loses its power."

"If you don't learn to manage your emotions, you're going to have trouble down the road." She noted that studies have shown that 24 percent of people in the legal profession are alcoholic.

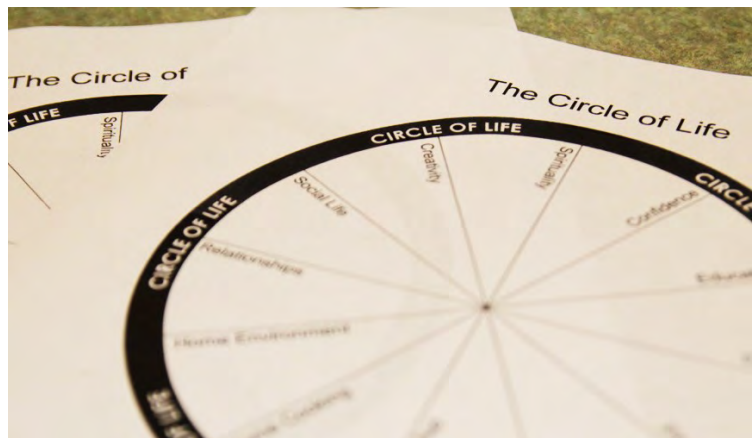
Moretti got the group to participate in a series of group exercises – breathing, calming and stretching exercises. They seemed to work well for everyone.



Tammy Moretti



Leah Christensen



Fab Fridays Continued...

“These are simple exercises with big results,” Moretti said.

If you ask some of the people who attended what they thought of the First Fabulous Friday event, they think it was, well, fabulous!

“I love it,” said 3L Diana Malkin. “It’s great and I can’t wait to come back.”

“This sounded interesting,” said 2L Mike Klitzke. “I like the idea of not needing caffeine. This is a good idea.”

Adjunct Professor Jennifer Cooper, who is part of the Academic Support Team, says she does yoga regularly because it helps her to filter out daily annoyances and allowing her to focus on what’s important.

“It’s really great,” she said of the class. “It’s really timely because students are starting to get anxious over mid-terms.”

Professor Christensen announced that the next Fabulous Friday will be on October 5 on the 8th floor, where there’s plenty of room to spread the yoga mats she will provide.

“Our goal is to have a little bit of fun and to feel better,” she said.

Again, take a deep breath. Hold it. Now let it out. Do you feel better?





Be sure to check out TJSL's
Alumni Spotlight

The versatility of a J.D. degree has opened the door to a wide spectrum of interesting and satisfying employment opportunities for our more than 6,000 alumni.

They live and work both internationally and nationally, using the quality education they received at Thomas Jefferson School of Law in both the public and private sectors. They are at leading law firms, corporations and non-profits. They are judges, elected officials, sole practitioners and business owners.

We are proud to shine a spotlight on some of TJSL's alumni whose career paths are representative of the many exciting employment options to which a law degree from Thomas Jefferson School of Law can lead!



Hallie L. Tremaine '10

"I feel very fortunate to be a graduate of Thomas Jefferson School of Law.

I learned from some of the brightest professors, and several of my former classmates have become life-long friends. Also, I met my husband at TJSL!"

In early August of 2011, Tremaine found herself at the Guantanamo Naval Base in Cuba to participate in a mock trial – but it was very different from the mock trials in which she participated here at TJSL. This mock trial was a run through for the upcoming military commission trial of Khalid Sheikh Mohammed, the alleged mastermind of the 9-11 attacks, and four others - all being held at the Guantanamo prison.

Hallie Tremaine works in the Contracts Department at Washington Headquarters Services, which is a part of the Department of Defense. She attained her J.D., from TJSL in 2010, and a B.A., in Political Science and Anthropology from San Diego State University in 2006. Hallie lives in Arlington, Virginia with her husband, Alexander Balkin '11. Hallie and Alexander married in San Diego on September 9, 2011.

Michael Jonas '09 Shows Some Respect

After Michael Jonas walked across the Thomas Jefferson School of Law graduation stage in June 2009, he decided to use his “lawyering skills” to make a change.

Jonas has always had an interest in social change. By combining mediation, law, community outreach, and communication-based problem solving, he started a company called GRASP Mediation, which is a San Diego-based public interest conflict resolution company (www.graspmediation.com).



“Our team has extensive conflict resolution experience combined with skills and training relating to anti-violence educational program development, litigation, restorative justice, community outreach, and non-profit program development,” Jonas explains.

The goal of GRASP is to offer not just traditional mediation services for legal cases, but also business and community services. One of the community services, called “istandup4respect,” focuses on youth and conflict resolution. To give back to the community, the company is trying to start an annual tradition in San Diego called “Respect Week”.

“Respect Week” will take place the week of October 15,” says Jonas. The program focuses on anti-violence education, youth services and peer training. “Respect Week” educates against bullying and promotes respect by encouraging students to keep an open mind, to speak freely of issues that affect them, and to hear from others that they are not alone.”

Jonas says the reason he and his company are taking this issue on is because GRASP recognizes that, in recent years, bullying among youth has increased exponentially with detrimental impacts. “Bullying has branched out past the traditional ‘sticks-and-stones’ issues that past generations have had to deal with,” says Jonas. “New forms of bullying have emerged due to advances in technology and availability to youth. GRASP wants to go beyond bullying by targeting the root issues and focusing on respecting others and yourself.”

Jonas is inviting public participation from community organizations, businesses, parents and students in this movement.

“We are currently looking for community partners and sponsors for vital components of this program,” he says.

If you would like to get involved in “Respect Week,” visit the GRASP Mediation website at: www.graspmediation.com/main/istand-up-4respect/ and email respect@graspmediation.com.

“Your support can be pivotal to the success and prevention of the damaging effects of bullying,” Jonas says. “I stand up for respect. Please stand with me for the youth of San Diego.”

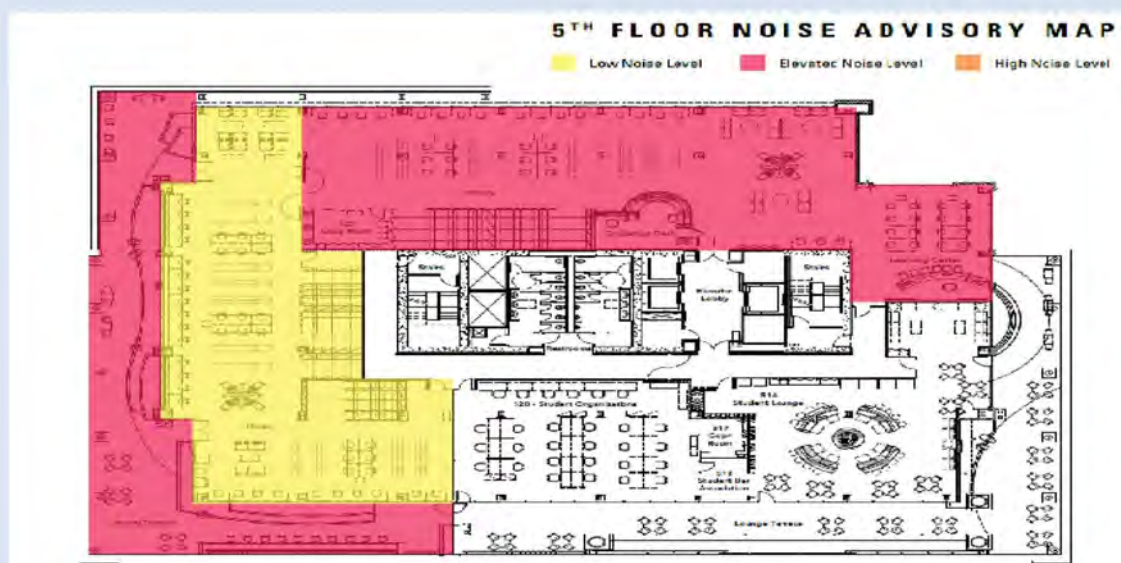
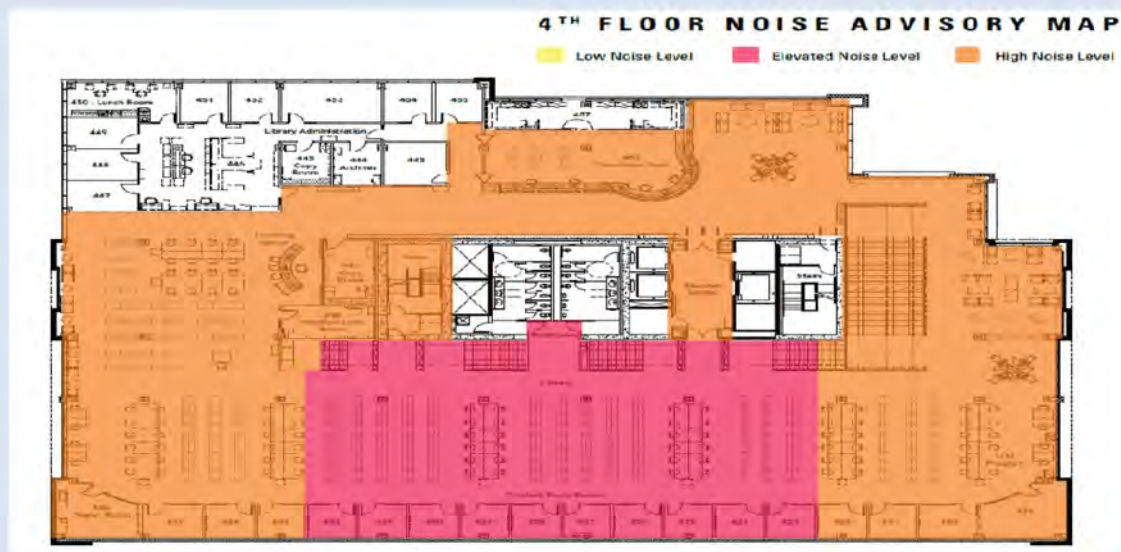
Studying In The Library-Noise Levels

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

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

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

Leigh Inman, Acting Director of the Library



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Monday, September 24

11:30am-12:30pm

Room 227

&

Tuesday, September 25

4:30pm-5:30pm

Room 323

**Receive suggestions on planning out
your final year and preparing for the
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Library Mini-Classes

4th Floor Learning Center

CLASS	DATE	TIME
<u>Good Study Habits</u> Tips on developing good study habits to help you in your school classes.	September 4 th , Tuesday	Noon-12:15pm
<u>Using Thomcat</u> Explore the benefits of using the library's online catalogue to find both print and online material.	September 4 th , Tuesday	12:15pm-12:30pm
<u>Legal Abbreviations</u> Fzd? ALR? CFR? All Greek to you? Learn what the abbreviations mean in citing to references.	September 6 th , Thursday	11:30am-Noon
<u>Secondary Material-Legal Encyclopedias</u> This class looks at what legal encyclopedias can do to help with your research.	September 7 th , Friday	2:15pm-2:30pm
<u>Secondary Material-Treatises</u> This class discusses what treatises are and how to locate them in our library.	September 7 th , Friday	2:30pm-2:45pm
<u>Secondary Material-American Law Reports</u> Explore what ALRs are and how to use them.	September 10 th , Monday	11:30am-Noon
<u>Primary material-Locating a Case and Using a Digest</u> Finding case law can be accomplished many ways. This class will explore the options.	September 19 th , Wednesday	Noon-12:45pm
<u>Primary material-Locating a Statute</u> This class discusses finding codes to help with research.	September 21 st , Friday	2:15pm-2:30pm
<u>Tips on How to Research</u> Developing good research techniques will help with your law school studies. This class will provide tips on organizing and analyzing your research.	September 25 th , Tuesday	Noon-12:45pm

Instructed by: June Mac Leod, Reference Librarian

These mini-classes will help you understand basic research concepts discussed in your legal writing classes. If these mini-classes conflict with your class schedule, please contact June Mac Leod at jmacLeod@tisl.edu. Additional classes may be offered.

Please rsvp to jmacLeod@tisl.edu.

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WHERE: ROOM 227

TIME: 12:00 - 1:00 P.M.

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Thursday, September 27, 2012

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6:00 - 7:00 PM Panel

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RSVP by Friday, September 21 to alumni@tjst.edu.

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**Thursday, September 27, 2012
5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
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Wondering what the San Diego County Bar Association (SDCBA) and San Diego legal community are all about? Get all your questions answered and more at this special event just for law students!

SDCBA Section, Committee & Division chairs along with leaders from many of the specialty bar associations will be on hand to share their expertise and answer any questions you may have. Judges will also be in attendance to join in welcoming you to our legal community. Don't miss this opportunity to meet with some of the San Diego legal community's most talented attorneys practicing in various areas of the law.

There is no charge to attend this event.

RSVP: www.sdcba.org/lswelcome



Immigration Law Society

Social Mixer

When: Thursday, Sept. 27th @ 7:00 pm

Where: The Village 631

631 9th Ave, San Diego, Ca, 92101

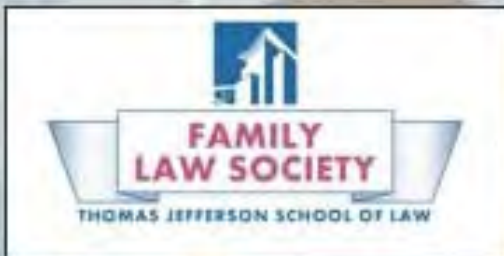
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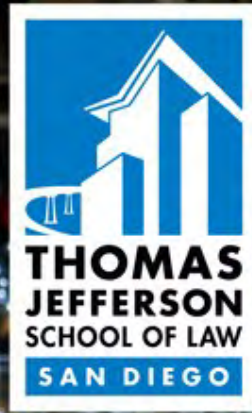
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2012 NATIONAL SPORTS LAW NEGOTIATION COMPETITION

FRIDAY TO SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 28-30, 2012

FRIDAY: LUXURIOUS SUITE FOR PADRES v. GIANTS GAME

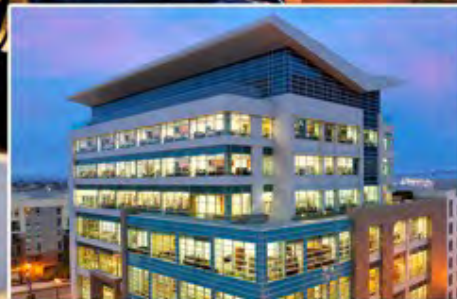
SATURDAY: PRELIMINARY ROUNDS

SUNDAY: CHAMPIONSHIP FINAL ROUND

QUESTIONS & INFORMATION, PLEASE EMAIL: NSLNC@TJSL.EDU

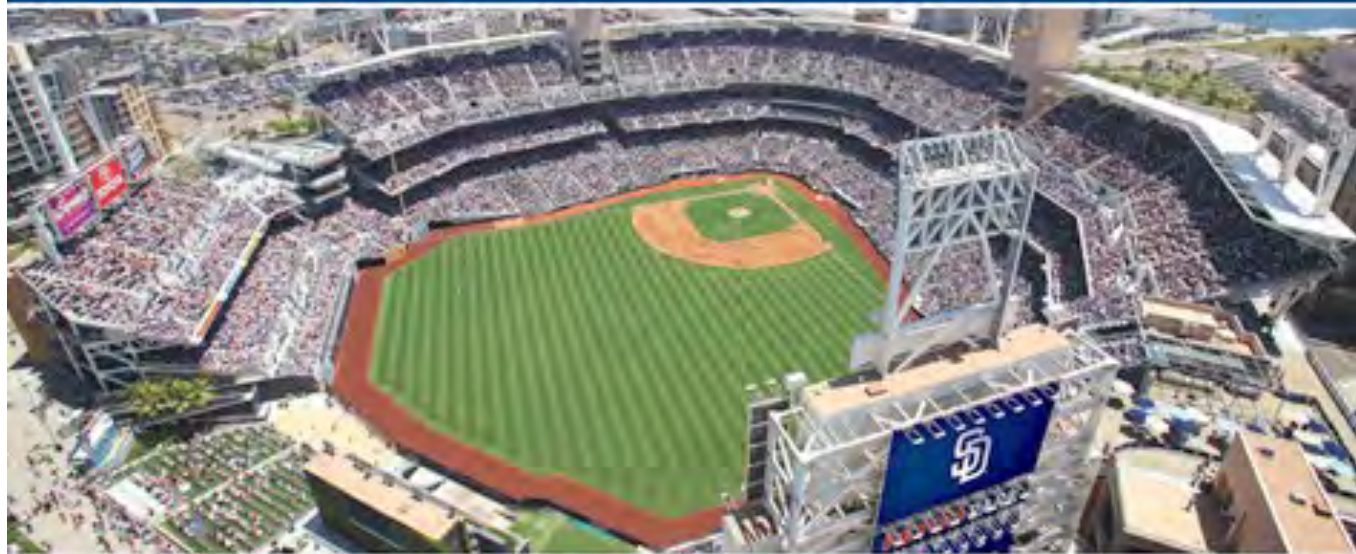
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Thomas Jefferson School of Law AT PETCO PARK



ALUMNI & FRIENDS GAME + TAILGATE



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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2012
3:30 P.M. TAILGATE PARTY
5:35 P.M. GAME

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PETCO PARK
100 PARK BLVD.
SAN DIEGO, CA 92101

\$25 FOR STUDENTS

\$30 FOR ALUMNI, FACULTY,
STAFF & FRIENDS

INCLUDES ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT
& DRINK TAILGATE PARTY,
TICKET TO GAME AND
SNACK BAG!



TICKETS MUST BE PAID FOR IN ADVANCE AT THE
ALUMNI RELATIONS OFFICE ON THE FIRST FLOOR OR AT:

<http://ALUMNI.TJSL.EDU/EVENTS/INDEX.ASP?EVENTID=251>

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, CONTACT VANESSA VANDEVER
AT 619.961.4354 OR ALUMNI@TJSL.EDU

COME NETWORK WITH ALUMNI! GET YOUR TICKETS BEFORE THEY SELL OUT!



EXTERNSHIPS & PRO BONO

THOMAS JEFFERSON SCHOOL OF LAW

JUDICIAL EXTERNSHIPS AVAILABLE FOR SPRING 2013

Deadlines are September 28 and October 9

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

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

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

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

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

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

17th ANNUAL
Alumni & Friends
GOLF
TOURNAMENT
Benefiting the TJSL Veterans Legal Assistance Program

SUPPORT OUR VETERANS

**All tournament proceeds benefit
Thomas Jefferson School of Law
Veterans Legal Assistance Clinic**

FRIDAY

OCTOBER 5, 2012

**Rancho Bernardo Inn Golf Course
17550 Bernardo Oaks Drive
San Diego, CA 92128**

10:00 - 11:30 A.M.

Registration & Putting Contest



12:30 P.M.

Shotgun Start, Scramble Format

5:00 - 7:30 P.M.

Awards Dinner

Early Bird Registration

(Before September 7)

\$130 per person for TJSL Alumni (After 9/7 - \$150)

\$150 per person for Friends of TJSL (After 9/7 - \$170)

\$70 per person for TJSL Students (First Fifteen)

**Entry Fees include putting contest, lunch, green fees,
prizes and awards dinner. A lucky player could win
\$20,000 with a hole-in-one on Hole #11.**

Registration and Sponsorship Opportunities:

<http://www.tjsl.edu/tjsl-alumni/golf-tournament>

For more information, please contact: *alumni@tjsl.edu*

TJSL Unite!

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



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



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

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

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

Free street parking or 3 hour parking
at Horton Plaza

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

Help Those Less Fortunate!

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



When: Any day October 8-12, 2012

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



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

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

What can I bring?:

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



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



National Baseball Arbitration Competition

Try-outs

Tuesday, October 16

5 - 8 p.m.

Room 331



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

TJSL won 1st place last year!

If you are interested, please email

Jeremy Evans at

Jeremy@CSLlegal.com

or Professor Randy Grossman at

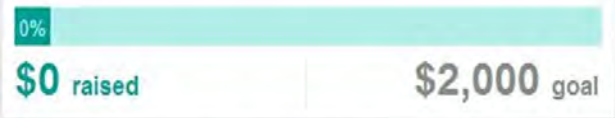
grossman@lawrmg.com

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



Hi, we're LSRJ For The Cure

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



Support LSRJ For The Cure

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Meet our team members ★ Denotes Team Leader

★ LSRJ TJSJ	\$0
Team Gifts	\$0

Thank you to our supporters!

For More Information, contact
Professor Joy Delman at
jdelman@tjsl.edu

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

The event is sponsored by the
American Cancer Society



Navigating Your Future

2012 Conference & Career Fair

OCTOBER 26 & 27

Crystal Gateway Marriott
1700 Jefferson Davis Hwy
Arlington, VA 22202

IMPORTANT DATES

August 15 – September 13

Student registration and
application

September 20 – October 4

Interview selections announced

\$25 Registration Fee

per student – refundable if
cancelled by October 16

**EQUAL
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Helping Lawyers Help Community

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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23rd Annual

AIDS WALK & RUN

The largest one-day HIV/AIDS fundraiser in San Diego County

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5:30 to 9:30A.M. @ BALBOA PARK

Meet at the Volunteer Stand

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Get your community service participation!

SIGN UP ON TWEN

For more info please visit tjssl.edu/phialphadelta or email pad@tjssl.edu

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PHONE
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In observance of

Domestic Violence Awareness Month

via
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from Verizon

THROUGH THE MONTH OF
OCTOBER

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

**DONATION
BOX**

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

PALSD



PALSD & FALSD'S 2013 SCHOLARSHIP ANNOUNCEMENT

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

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

Eligible individuals must:

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

Selection factors include but are not limited to:

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

For information, contact any of

the following:

Committee Chair

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

Committee Members:

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

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

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

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



FACULTY SCHOLARSHIP

Citations Submitted Sep. 16, 2012 - Sep. 24, 2012

Albert Monroe

Articles:

Mitigate Climate Change 30 Pace Envtl. L. Rev. (2012)

Marjorie Cohn

Radio: National Defense Authorization Act, Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act Amendments, The Solution Zone, Progressive Radio Network, national

Radio:

National Defense Authorization Act's indefinite detention provisions, The Solution Zone, Progressive Radio Network, national

Radio:

National Defense Authorization Act, Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act Amendments, and death of Adnan Latif at Guantanamo, TalkBack!, WBAI (Pacifica), New York

Radio:

National Defense Authorization Act and Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act Amendments, Counter-Point, WPKN, Connecticut

Radio:

National Defense Authorization Act and Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act Amendments, The Monitor, KPFT (Pacifica), Houston

Radio:

National Defense Authorization Act and Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act Amendments, Wake Up Everybody, KPOO, San Francisco

Susan Bisom-Rapp

Presentations:

Diverging Doctrine, Converging Outcomes: Evaluating Age Discrimination Law in the United Kingdom and the United States, Seventh Annual Labor and Employment Law Colloquium, Loyola University Chicago School of Law, Chicago, IL (September 14, 2012)

William Slomanson

Presentations:

Remedial Secession in the South Caucasus, American University Armenia, Yerevan, Armenia (August 6, 2012), available at <http://law.aua.am/2012/08/15/international-law-prof-william-slomanson-presents-lecture-on-unilateral-declarations-of-independence>

Presentations:

Remedial Secession in the South Caucasus, Free Tbilisi University, Tbilisi, Georgia (August 2, 2012), available at <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NH2N4NGtbGQ&feature=share&list=UUGsIH8OoAgATLQmfCET-Icw>

September

October



<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesda</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Saturday</i>
<p>23</p> <p>Be sure to keep up with TJSL on the official TJSL Twitter page at www.twitter.com/tjsl</p>	<p>24</p> <p>11:30 AM 3L Advising Session Room 227</p>	<p>25</p> <p>Noon Library Mini Class Noon 4th Floor Learning Center</p> <p>3L Advising Session 4:30 p.m. Room 323</p> <p>SALDF Movie Night 6 - 9 p.m. Room 216</p>	<p>26 Yom Kippur</p>  <p>Noon Lexis Advance Training Room 320</p>	<p>27</p> <p>11:30 a.m. Career Services Presents Distinguishing yours through International Law Opportunities Room 229</p>	<p>28</p> <p>Sept. 28-30 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. National Sports Law Negotiation Competition Location: TJSL</p>	<p>29</p> <p>Alumni & Friends Game & Tailgate Party 3:30 p.m. Location: Petco Park Padres vs. Giants</p> 
<p>30</p> <p>SBA Twitter Information Please follow SBA at http://twitter.com/tjlsba or @tjlsba if you use Twitter to receive the latest updates.</p> 	<p>October 01</p> <p>TJSL's new incoming class has started a Facebook page for new students to get to know each other: Thomas Jefferson School of Law Class of 2015</p>	<p>02</p> <p>Don't forget to check us out on the TJSL Official Facebook page!</p> 	<p>03</p> <p>Attention 1L's: the voting period for 1L representatives has begun on the SBA TWEN page. Please only vote for a representative in your section. (1L Statements of Interest (2012-2013))</p>	<p>04</p> <p>Midterm Survival 11:30 a.m. & 4:30 p.m. Location: Student Lounge</p>	<p>05</p> <p>17 Annual Alumni & Friends Golf Tournament 10 a.m. Location: Rancho Bernardo Inn Golf Course</p>	<p>06</p> 
<p>07</p>	<p>08</p> <p>Midterms October 8 & 9</p>	<p>09</p>	<p>10</p>	<p>11</p>	<p>12</p>	<p>13</p>