



HON. ROGER T. BENITEZ '78



MORRIS S. CASUTO

## Two New TJSL Trustees Announced

Federal Judge Roger T. Benitez and the founding director of San Diego's Regional Office of the Anti-Defamation League, Morris S. Casuto, are the newest members of the Thomas Jefferson School of Law (TJSL) Board of Trustees. The election of the new trustees was announced by Randy M. Grossman, TJSL Trustee and Chair of the Board's Governance and Long Range Planning Committee.

"Judge Benitez is a highly respected member of the Federal Bench and brings a sharp legal mind and sound judgment to an already strong Board," according to

Professor Grossman, a San Diego attorney and sports agent who graduated from TJSL in 1994 and also is an adjunct at the law school. "His multifaceted local background as a 1978 alumnus of the law school, private practitioner, state court judge and federal judge, gives Judge Benitez a unique perspective that will greatly benefit the TJSL community."

Regarding the election of Casuto, Grossman noted, "Morris Casuto has been recognized nationally as an expert on hate crimes during a career that has spanned more than 40 years. He graciously served as an outside member on the recent TJSL Dean Search Committee responsible for the hiring of new Dean Thomas Guernsey and impressed everyone with his dedication and integrity. Mr. Casuto knows San Diego and the Board looks forward to his service and input in the areas of leadership and development."

The Honorable Roger T. Benitez was first appointed to the Superior Court of California in 1997, after previously working in general practice with a law firm. He served as Presiding Judge of the Appellate Division before being appointed as a United States Magistrate Judge for the Southern District in 2001. In 2004, he was appointed to the District Judge position he now holds. Judge Benitez has sat by designation numerous times with the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals and also has sat on assignment in Arizona, Guam and Saipan. He is a charter member of the Wallace Inn of Court, currently chairs the Southern District's IT Committee and is a member of the U.S. Judicial Conference Committee on Financial Disclosure, having been appointed by Chief Justice John Roberts.

Morris Casuto retired in 2010 after serving for 37 years as a member of the Professional Staff of the Anti-Defamation League (ADL). During his tenure with the ADL, he developed a national reputation as an expert on hate crimes as well as on extremist and terrorist organizations. For more than 10 years, he taught for the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center, where he helped conceive, write and teach a unique multi-day hate/bias crime seminar. Casuto also served as Chair of the U.S. Attorney's Hate Crimes Working Group, which was awarded a \$100,000 grant from the Bureau of Justice Assistance to develop a hate crime victim assistance project.

Casuto and Judge Benitez join an impressive group of TJSL Trustees, including: Randy K. Jones, Board Chair and Assistant U.S. Attorney for the Southern District of California in San Diego; the Honorable William McCurine, Jr., Federal Magistrate Judge for the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of California; San Diego Superior Court Judges Browder Willis, a 1983 TJSL graduate, and Lillian Y. Lim (Retired), a 1977 TJSL graduate; Charles Abdelnour, former longtime San Diego City Clerk and a 1974 TJSL graduate; Fred Gerson, former San Diego Padres Executive Vice-President and Chief Financial Officer; J. Dennis Burks, former Executive Vice-President and General Manager of SeaWorld San Diego; Mark C. Zebrowski, Managing Partner of the San Diego office of Morrison Foerster; Kendall DeMatteo Berkey, a San Diego attorney specializing in municipal, public and redevelopment law and a 1994 TJSL graduate; Richard D. Prochazka, a prominent San Diego labor law attorney; Bryant Garth, a UC Irvine law professor and former Dean of Southwestern Law School and the Indiana University-Bloomington School of Law; and Grossman, whose sports clients include Padres Hall of Famer Dave Winfield.



CENTER FOR SPORTS LAW & POLICY CONFERENCE

# STARTING WOMEN'S FOOTBALL



AND AN UPDATE REGARDING HEAD INJURIES  
AND DEVELOPMENTS IN SPORTS LAW

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2013**



## **Sports Law Conference 2013:**

***Starting Women's Football and an Update Regarding Head Injuries and Developments in Sports Law***  
***Hosted by the Center for Sports Law & Policy at Thomas Jefferson School of Law***

***Friday, September 20, 2013 Room 325, 3rd Floor***

**[Click here for more information and to register](#)**

## ***Starting Women's Football and an Update Regarding Head Injuries and Developments in Sports Law***

Universities across the country continue to struggle to comply with Title IX and provide women with opportunities to participate in intercollegiate athletics. The NCAA has suggested adding opportunities for women in bowling, equestrian and rowing. States like Florida sponsor strong and growing interscholastic women's football programs. Which is the better approach? That issue and more will be discussed at this Conference presented by the Center for Sports Law and Policy at the Thomas Jefferson School of Law. The law school will be issuing its first white paper regarding the issue of starting women's intercollegiate football. The white paper examines whether the NCAA, NAIA and other intercollegiate athletic associations should sponsor women's football and concludes that women's football will help solve Title IX issues, increasing participation opportunities for women in a manner that is racially equitable, and address the kind of stereotyping that often occurs in athletic opportunities for women.

The second panel of the conference deals with the continuing problem of head and related injuries in sports at all levels: professional, intercollegiate and interscholastic. This session brings leaders at the professional, collegiate, interscholastic and youth levels together to address latest developments in the area and to discuss how we can best address these serious issues in the future.

**Cost:** **FREE to all Attendees without lunch and MCLE credit.** You may purchase lunch for \$10.00. If you are requesting MCLE credit, the cost is \$10.00.



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

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

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

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

Gilbert is thrilled that this opportunity will take her back to her hometown of Austin, Texas where she can be near her family. "Getting a clerkship required some planning and preparing," said Gilbert. "I knew that I wanted to be a judicial clerk, so I applied for as many judicial externships as possible. I had completed three judicial externships by my 3L year, and I believe those experiences are why Judge Lane hired me."

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

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



## Cameron Oxberry's Internship with the Department of Homeland Security

Cameron Oxberry (2L) recently completed an intensive, 10-week externship with the Department of Homeland Security's Office of Principal Legal Adviser (OPLA). Oxberry commuted daily from San Diego to OPLA's flagship office in downtown Los Angeles.

"I want to thank everyone in Career Services because without them, this experience would not have been possible," said Oxberry. "Director of Career Services Beverly Bracker played an integral part in helping me prepare for my interview and without Associate Director of Career Services Maysa Eissa's encouragement, I never would have attended the Southern California Public Interest Career Day."

During the summer, Oxberry researched and drafted multiple memoranda, motions, briefs and other moving papers on a variety of immigration law issues. "In particular, my motion to reconsider successfully moved the Immigration Judge to vacate her prior judgment," Oxberry said. "I composed an appellate brief for the Board of Immigration Appeals and often accompanied trial attorneys to court as second chair. I observed civil rights litigation in U.S. District Court pertaining to Immigration & Customs Enforcement's (ICE) detention policies and conferred with members of ICE's National Security Team as well.

"I came to law school because I want to litigate," said Oxberry. "At 55,000 cases, OPLA Los Angeles has the largest docket of any public office in the U.S. This externship afforded me the opportunity to gain tangible experience as a litigator. I am grateful to OPLA for teaching me a great deal about legal analysis and synthesis as well. I also had the privilege of meeting former ICE Director John Morton. Director Morton met with the legal interns privately and allowed us a question and answer period. He is a highly charismatic individual with an infectious personality. It was exhilarating to speak with him."

Oxberry said that the highlight of the summer occurred when he litigated as the attorney on record on behalf of the government against opposing counsel in U.S. Immigration Court.

The SES Chief Counsel Los Angeles, Sandra Anderson, awarded Oxberry a certificate of appreciation at the conclusion of his summer tenure with OPLA.

[Click here](#) to learn more about the Department of Homeland Security's Office of Principal Legal Advisor.

Oxberry secured this internship through the 2013 Southern California Public Interest Career Day. Registration details for the 2014 Southern California Public Interest Career Day will be available in December.



Black Law Students Association Members



Stephanie Ferguson Intellectual Property Law Association Member



Andrew Halbert, Phil Shapiro '85, Milena Celentano SBA President &amp; Michelle Ribaud



Business Law Society Members



Phi Alpha Delta Members

## TJSL Student Org Fair

The student organization room on the 5th floor was buzzing on Thursday, August 29, as TJSL students gathered at the fall semester Student Organization Fair.

"The fair was a great success in that we were able to meet a number of board members from other orgs and get some preliminary plans for future collaboration together," said Brittany Nobles (3L) OUTLaw Co-President. "I think cooperation is going to be a big trend this coming year and we definitely started that today."

"The Org Fair is crucial to getting the word out to new students about WLA and letting them know the opportunities the orgs offer," said Katie Smith (2L) Women's Law Association President. "Today went really well as we got to share our mentorship program and upcoming events with new and returning students."

Over 30 student organizations showcased the reasons they believe that potential members should join their organization.

"The student organization fair helped us to sign up dozens of new members," said Kath Rogers (1L) Student Animal Legal Defense Fund member. "Our members volunteer to exercise shelter pets, help homeless animals and enact policies for animal welfare."

Representatives of each organization said they are proud of their orgs and that the student org fair is a fun way to meet, attract and recruit new members.

"Reaching out to new and returning students to let them know that the goals of Sports Law Society are to help them find their home here at TJSL is so rewarding," said Michelle Evenson (2L) Sports Law Society President.

"Everyone has been excited to hear about what we have planned for the upcoming year and how they can benefit from our society while in law school as well as during their professional careers," said Jeremy Elias (3L) Business Law Society President and Founder.

"The student organization fair is so important to our organization because we finally get an opportunity to meet the incoming students and tell them what are the objectives of the Armenian Law Students Association," said Najda Aslanyan (3L), Armenian Law Students Association President. "It is always great to meet those who are passionate about the law and come from similar backgrounds and cultures. Today, a good number of Armenians and non-Armenians showed interest in the organization and we welcome the opportunity for those who are interested in ALSA to join and be part of it!"

Visit our website to [learn more about individual organizations](#).

## TJSL Hosts “Supreme Court Preview” Panel on September 17

The San Diego Lawyer's Chapter of the Federalist Society, the TJSL Federalist Society and the Federal Bar Association are co-sponsoring a “Supreme Court Preview” panel on Tuesday, September 17, from 11:45-12:50 in room 225.

TJSL Professor Bryan Wildenthal will be on the panel accompanied by local Professors Glenn Smith and Michael Ramsey. Professor Smith of California Western School of Law is the creator of a nationally-recognized seminar that teaches law students about the Supreme Court. Professor Ramsey of the University of San Diego School of Law clerked for Justice U.S. Supreme Court Associate Justice Antonin Scalia.



Professor  
Bryan Wildenthal

“This is an exciting preview of all the hot button issues the court may decide next year, said Professor Wildenthal. “If you thought this year was great, stay tuned,”

Panelists will discuss cases the court has or may grant Certiorari on for the upcoming term beginning in October. Some of the anticipated topics include: political campaign finance, Indian gaming, derivatives under the Immigration and Nationality Act, age discrimination, affirmative action, abortion-inducing drugs, the separation of church and state, and presidential recess appointments.

The Hon. Larry Alan Burns will be moderating this event. Judge Burns was nominated by President George W. Bush and currently serves as a Federal District Judge for the Southern District of California. Most recently, Judge Burns was selected to be a visiting Federal District Judge for the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals to preside over the trial of Jared Lee Loughner. Loughner was sentenced to life after pleading guilty to 19 murder and attempted murder charges in connection to his shooting spree that severely injured Congresswoman Gabrielle Giffords and fatally injured the late U.S. District Court Judge John Roll.

Lunch and 1 hour CLE credit will be provided.

For questions regarding the event, visit <http://fbasd.org/> or contact Adam Van Susteren at [adam@vansusteren.com](mailto:adam@vansusteren.com).

***The Marriage Decisions: The Impact for Your Clients***  
***September 17, 2013***  
***5:30 - 8:45 p.m.***

**Presented by the San Diego County Bar Association and the Tom Homann LGBT Law Association**

**Featuring:**

**TJSL Professor Julie A. Greenberg, Esq.**  
**Larry A. Conway, Esq.**  
**Merrienne E. Dean, Esq.**  
**Lisa A. Frank, Esq.**  
**Ginger E. Jacobs, Esq.**  
**Mattheus E. Stephens, Esq.**  
**Bridget J. Wilson, Esq.**



**TJSL Professor  
Julie A. Greenberg**

Join the panel for an overview of the recent Supreme Court decisions on Prop 8 and DOMA, and the implications for California couples. During this presentation, you will learn how to best advise couples in California. This 3 hour program will provide not only an overview, but will address specific questions in a variety of areas of law including:

- Tax implications including the marital deduction, estate tax and property transfers;
- Estate planning implications for married same-sex couples;
- Employment law implications for same-sex spouses;
- Impact on military service members and their families;
- The status of federal benefits and privileges available to same-sex couples; and
- Immigration law and sponsorship of a same-sex spouse.

[Click here to register](#)

**Registrations must be received by noon on September 12, 2013 to avoid the late fee.** By registering, you are agreeing not to record, photograph or otherwise capture any video or audio of this seminar. The SDCBA has the right to refuse registrations. Late registrants and walk-ins will incur a \$10.00 late registration fee. Registration fees apply to the actual program being purchased and are not transferable to another seminar attendee or online program. Walk-ins will be accommodated as space allows and are not guaranteed meal service. Registrations will be held until 15 minutes after the published seminar start time. The SDCBA certifies that this activity has been approved for MCLE by the State Bar of California.

**Location:**

SDCBA Conference Center  
401 West A St., Ste. 120 (1st Fl.)  
San Diego CA 92101

**This CLE is worth: 3.0 GEN**

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# FACULTY SCHOLARSHIP

Citations Added August 25, 2013 - September 4, 2013

## Julie A. Greenberg

### Presentations:

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

### Presentations:

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

## Marjorie Cohn

### Presentations:

*Bombing Syria Would be Illegal*, San Diego Coalition for Peace & Justice Peace Rally, Balboa Park, San Diego (August 31, 2013)

### Radio:

Impending US attack on Syria, The Burt Cohen Show, WSCA, New Hampshire and Vermont (September 3, 2013)

### Radio:

Obama's impending military attack against Syria, Take Action News, React Radio, Washington DC (August 31, 2013)

### Radio:

Impending US bombing of Syria, The Michael Slate Show, KPFK (Pacifica), Los Angeles (August 30, 2013)

### Radio:

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

### Radio:

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

# MEDIA WATCH

## August 22, 2013

TJSL is mentioned in UT San Diego article on the new Mammoths and Mastadons exhibit at the Natural History Museum.

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

## August 28, 2013

Professor Marjorie Cohn's blog appeared in the Huffington Post regarding the illegality of possible war on Syria.

[http://www.huffingtonpost.com/marjorie-cohn/syria-civilians-violence\\_b\\_3826961.html](http://www.huffingtonpost.com/marjorie-cohn/syria-civilians-violence_b_3826961.html)

## September 3, 2013

TJSL adds 2 members to board of trustees story appeared in the San Diego Daily Transcript.



Academic Success & Writing Center Workshops  
Fall 2013

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

**9/4/2013 Room 227**

**Back to School and Back on Track**

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

**9/11/2013 Room 323**

**Smarter Outlines**

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

**9/18/2013 Room 227**

**Transitioning to Legal Writing II (from Objective to Persuasive Writing)**

This workshop begins with a brief lecture on the basics of legal writing, including inferential analysis and analogical reasoning and helps students transition from using these strategies in an objective writing context to a persuasive writing context.

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

**Multiple Choice Workshop**

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

**9/25/2013 Room 227**

**Advanced Essay Exam Writing**

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

**Continued...**

Academic Success & Writing Center Workshops  
Fall 2013

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**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.

**Continued...**

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.

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## FIRST GENERAL MEETING

**THURSDAY,  
SEPT. 5, 2013  
11:30-12:30  
RM. 225**



### Discuss Annual Events:

- Public Interest Career Fair [Fall]
- Adopt a Family in Need [Fall]
- Annual Silent and Live Auction [Spring]

### Sign-up for the Small Claims Clinic

### Scholarships and Grants Available (must be active member)

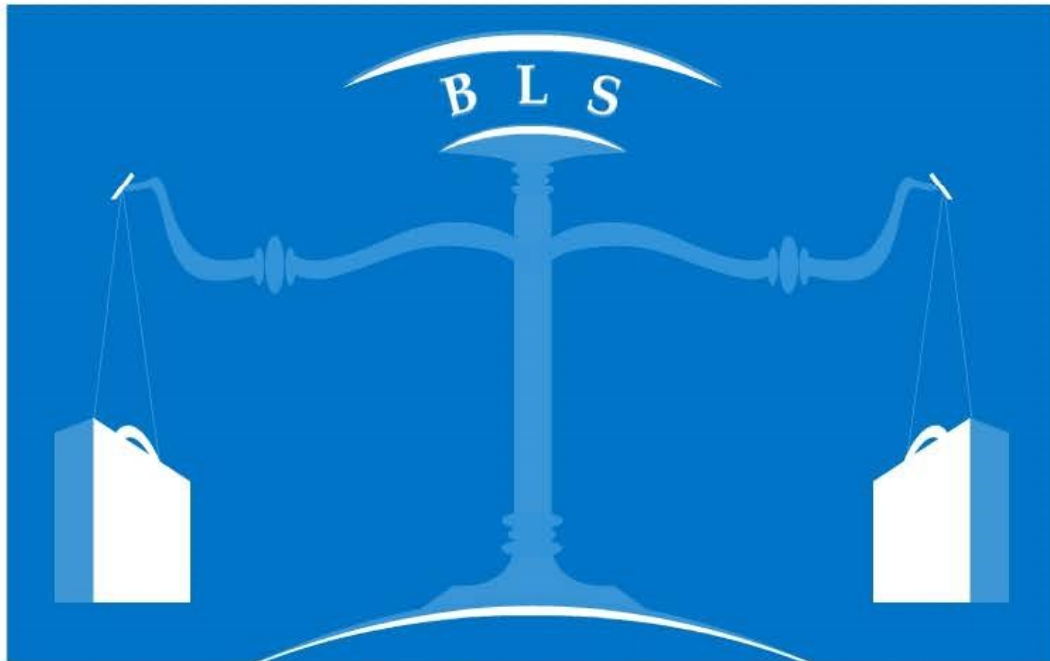
- 2013 Equal Justice Works Conference and Career Fair in Washington, D.C.
- Summer 2013 Unpaid Internship Scholarships

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Everyone is invited to the  
Business Law Society's  
First General Meeting!



**THOMAS JEFFERSON SCHOOL OF LAW**  
**BUSINESS LAW SOCIETY**

Where: Room 229

When: 11:30-12:30pm, September 5, 2013

RSVP appreciated by September 4th, 2013

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**12pm-1pm**

**Room 216**

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*For more information email Rachel King at [kingra@tjst.edu](mailto:kingra@tjst.edu)*

# **NATIVE AMERICAN LAW STUDENTS ASSOCIATION (N.A.L.S.A.)**

1st General Meeting – Monday, September 9, 2013

Noon – 1:00 pm -- Room 316

**Lunch will be provided!**

Come learn about this exciting organization  
and the events we have planned.

Get off campus and into the community!

Our Goal is to get off campus and into the community as much as possible. We have plans to visit the Intra Tribal Court as well as local Tribal Nations

Save the Date for Our First Community Trip:  
September 14, 2013 for the 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Sycuan Pow Wow

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AT BASIC PIZZA  
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9TH



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

MONDAY SEPT. 9<sup>TH</sup> 4PM -6PM

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# HELPING VETERANS WITH THEIR LEGAL NEEDS

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STUDENT TRAINING  
SEPTEMBER 10, 2013, 6:00-7:50 PM  
CLASSROOM 318  
1155 ISLAND AVENUE  
SAN DIEGO, CA 92101



For years, the Thomas Jefferson Veterans Legal Assistance Clinic (TJVLAC) has helped struggling veterans affiliated with the Veterans Village of San Diego recovery program with a wide range of legal issues. Unfortunately, the TJVLAC has not been able to provide any assistance to the broader community of veterans struggling with various legal needs. Since March 2013, the TJVLAC has offered monthly, self-help, or limited assistance clinics to a broader range of low to moderate income veterans who are representing themselves in various legal matters. The TJVLAC is seeking volunteer law students to help to staff such clinics. This is a great opportunity for law students who have not had the chance to enroll in the TJVLAC to get “hands on,” “real world” experience working with actual lawyers and actual veterans.

No particular course prerequisites or state bar certification are required in order to participate. However, students do need to participate in this training session, as well as view an MCLE class that is available online. The MCLE class focuses on the substantive issues that are likely to arise in the clinic. This session will focus on client interviewing and counseling skills, particularly in the context of self-help or limited legal assistance clinics. Space is limited.

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**Time ..... 11:30 am to 12:50 pm**

**Location ..... Room 325**

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by Wednesday,  
September 4, 2013**

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**DATE/TIME**

**Wednesday, Sept. 11 at Noon in Rm. 227**

# Thomas Jefferson School of Law



## FIRST GENERAL MEETING

WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 11, 2013  
IN ROOM 229 FROM 11:45AM -12:45PM

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Mentoring program  
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09/11/13

Where:  
Room 325

Time:  
11:45-12:45p

# SALDF'S FIRST MEETING OF THE SEMESTER!



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

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

DATE: Thursday September 12<sup>th</sup>, 2013

TIME: 12pm-1pm

ROOM: TBA

Lunch will be served with vegetarian options available!

Contact us with any questions:

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

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

# FAMILY LAW SOCIETY'S FIRST GENERAL MEETING

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What: FLS's First General Meeting  
When: Thursday, September 12, 2013  
Where: Room 318  
Time: 12:00 pm - 12:30 pm

Pizza lunch will be served.

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

We look forward to seeing you there!

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



# ACC 2ND ANNUAL IN-HOUSE COUNSEL

WORKSHOP / NETWORKING RECEPTION / CAREER FAIR

THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 12 / 4:00 P.M. — 7:30 P.M.  
CALIFORNIA WESTERN SCHOOL OF LAW  
350 CEDAR STREET, SAN DIEGO

## PROGRAM

- 4:00** Welcome, Event Overview, Opening Remarks
- 4:15** Keynote Speaker, Erik Greupner, San Diego Padres VP/GC
- 4:30** “Pathways to a Career In-House”  
Panel Discussion w/Q&A
- 5:15** Networking Break & Hors d’oeuvres
- 5:30** “Challenges and Rewards of Being an  
In-House General Counsel”  
Panel Discussion w/Q&A
- 6:15** Q&A—Career Services Representatives
- 6:30** Closing Remarks
- 6:35** Career Fair/Networking Reception

Students, alumni, and San Diego attorneys are invited to attend this dynamic informational and networking event featuring in-house counsel from local corporations including the San Diego Padres, SONY, Jack in the Box, QUALCOMM, Palomar Health, Union Bank, Petco Park, Cubics, AMN Healthcare, Life Technologies, EDF Renewable Energy, and more.

Co-sponsored by:



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## About ACC

*The Association of Corporate Counsel (ACC) is a global bar association that promotes the common interests of in-house counsel who work for corporations, associations and other private-sector organizations through information, education, networking opportunities and advocacy initiatives.*

*The San Diego Chapter serves the needs of in-house counsel throughout the greater San Diego metropolitan area. Founded in 1992, the members have built the San Diego Chapter to be the preeminent bar association serving San Diego's corporate counsel.*

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**MAKE AN APPOINTMENT BY CALLING (619) 961-4371**



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**NEXT CLINIC IS ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2013**

**AND EVERY SECOND SATURDAY OF THE MONTH  
9:30 AM TO 12:30 PM, BY APPOINTMENT ONLY**

**CLINICAL PROGRAMS**  
495 ELEVENTH AVENUE  
SAN DIEGO, CA 92101



# BURGERS, BEER, AND BANTER

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**Professor Winchester**

**Come enjoy not only great  
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we're getting personal!**



**Monday, Sept. 16, 2013**

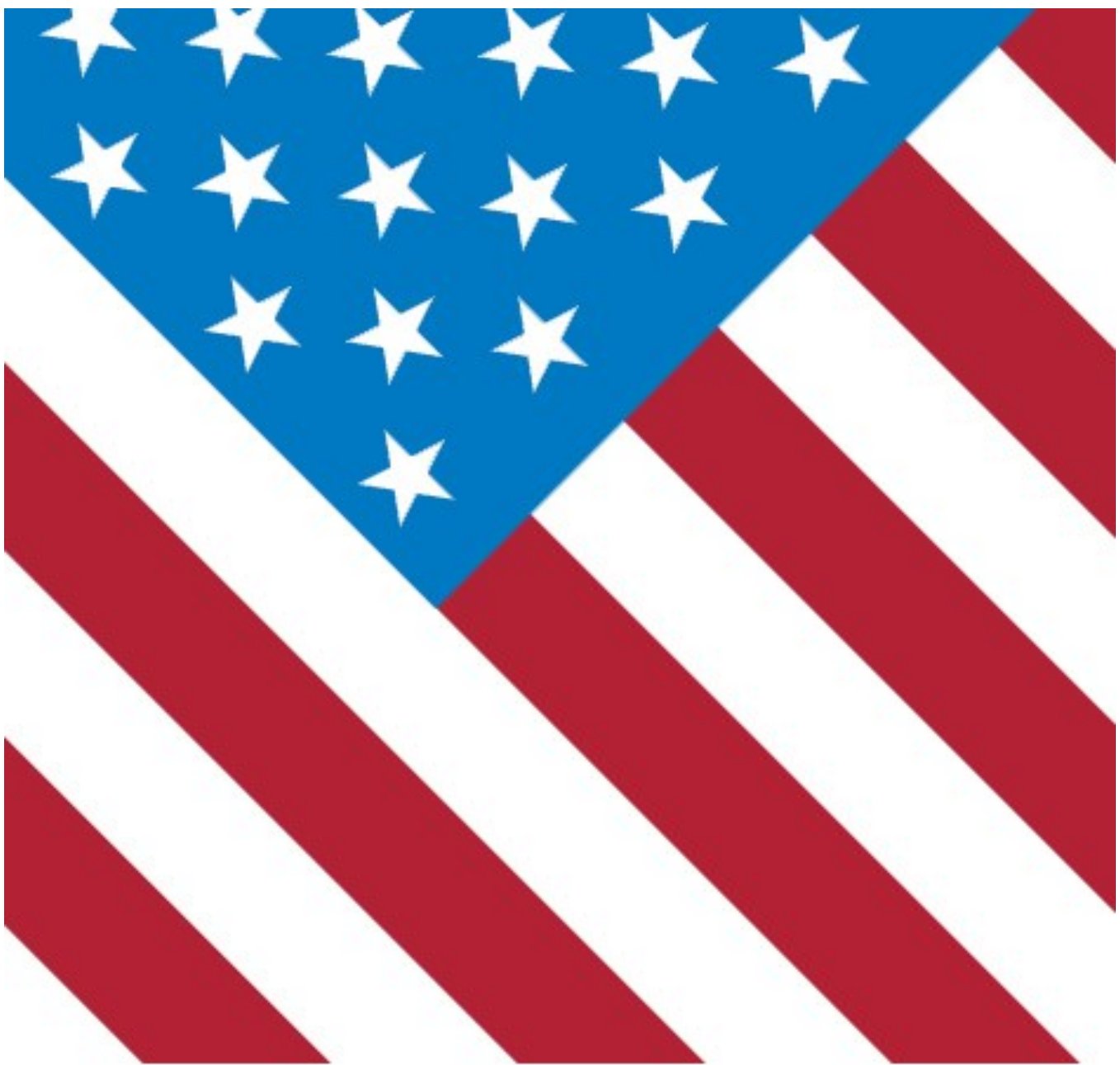
**4:00pm - 6:00pm**

**Tilted Kilt**

**on 10th Avenue**

**Appetizers will be served!!!**

**sponsored by JLI**



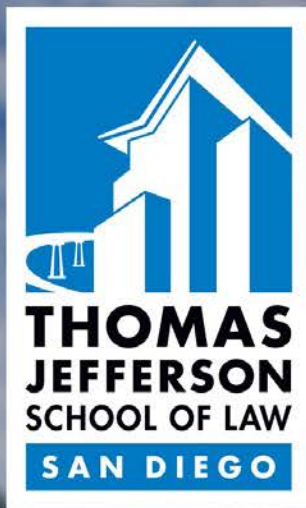
THOMAS JEFFERSON SCHOOL OF LAW CELEBRATES

# CONSTITUTION DAY

SEPTEMBER 17, 2013

“Constitution Day commemorates the formation and signing of the U.S. Constitution by thirty-nine brave men on September 17, 1787, recognizing all who, are born in the U.S. or by naturalization, have become citizens.”

[www.constitutionday.com](http://www.constitutionday.com)



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

# **2013 NATIONAL SPORTS LAW NEGOTIATION COMPETITION**

FRIDAY TO SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 20-22, 2013

**FRIDAY:** SPORTS LAW CONFERENCE  
PADRES vs DODGERS GAME IN LUXURIOUS SUITES

**SATURDAY:** PRELIMINARY ROUNDS

**SUNDAY:** CHAMPIONSHIP FINAL ROUND

**QUESTIONS & INFORMATION, PLEASE VISIT:**

[WWW.TJSL.EDU/CONFERENCES/NSLNC](http://WWW.TJSL.EDU/CONFERENCES/NSLNC)







# SAN DIEGO COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION

## 1L ORIENTATION

Tuesday, September 24

11:30-12:30, Rm 323

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

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



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# Phi Alpha Delta

# Welcome Class of 2016!

**We invite you to learn more about us  
& come join us at our events!**

## Wednesday, 8/21

12:00p.m. in Room 323

So You Got Into Law School,  
Now What? Panel

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

Meet the Neighborhood BBQ

## Wednesday, 8/28

11:30a.m. in Room 323

First General Meeting



For more info, please visit [tjsl.edu/phialphadelta](http://tjsl.edu/phialphadelta) or  
Phi Alpha Delta - Franklin Chapter (Thomas Jefferson School of Law)

# LEGAL Writing Workshops

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- ▶ Effective Exam Solving Techniques
- ▶ Differences Between Essay and MBE Strategy
- ▶ Differences Between the A, B and C Essay
- ▶ Issue Spotting Methods
- ▶ Differences Between Major and Minor Issues
- ▶ Outlining and Organizational Skills
- ▶ To Develop Legal Arguments (Fact to Element Analysis)
- ▶ To Properly Interpret Calls of Questions
- ▶ To Use Public Policy Analysis
- ▶ Casebook and Legal Exams Relationship
- ▶ How to Get the Most Out of Class and Study Time
- ▶ To Write the "A" Answer
- ▶ Student Will Write Three Exams for CD Critique

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### FALL 2013 SEMINAR SCHEDULE

#### SAN DIEGO

- Saturday, September 28, 2013 : 9:00 am - 4:00 pm
- Sunday, September 29, 2013 : 9:00 am - 4:00 pm
- All sessions will be given LIVE at California Western School of Law, 350 Cedar St, San Diego, Room LH1.

#### ORANGE COUNTY #1

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

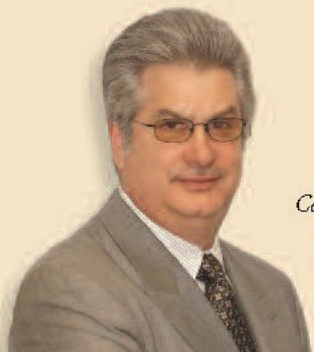
#### LOS ANGELES

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

#### ORANGE COUNTY #2

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

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- ▶ Law Professor



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~ ATTICUS FALCON,

author of Planet Law School, December 2006

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## Volunteers Needed For Clean Slate Clinic!!!

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

### WHO

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

### TRAINING

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

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

**September 6, 2013**

4:00 – 7:00 pm  
Room 229

**October 4, 2013**

4:30 – 6:30 pm  
Room 216

### CLINIC

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

#### **South Metro Career Center**

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

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

**September 7, 2013**

**October 5, 2013**

**November 2, 2013**

**December 7, 2013**

#### **\* SPECIAL NORTH COUNTY CLINIC\***

**November 16, 2013**

10:00 – 3:00 pm

Location TBD

Volunteers are asked to arrive at 9:00 A.M. The training will cover the clinic process and review the statutory laws regulating to expungements. Attending a training session prior to volunteering is not required, but it is strongly recommended. Water will be provided. Food may also be provided, but volunteers are encouraged to bring snacks and/or sack lunches.

To RSVP for the training and clinic:

Please contact Kilara Auzenne at (619) 940-7577 or email us at [sdreentryclinic@gmail.com](mailto:sdreentryclinic@gmail.com)

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## ALUMNI & FRIENDS GOLF TOURNAMENT

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2013, 10:00 AM

SYCUAN GOLF RESORT 3007 DEHESA RD, EL CAJON, CA 92019

9:30 - 11:00 AM

REGISTRATION & PUTTING CONTEST

11:00 AM

SHOTGUN START, SCRAMBLE FORMAT

4:30 - 5:30 PM

COCKTAIL RECEPTION

5:30 - 7:00 PM

AWARDS DINNER

**\$130** TJS� ALUMNI, FACULTY AND STAFF (\$150 AFTER 9/13)

**\$150** FRIENDS OF TJS� (\$170 AFTER 9/13)

**\$70** TJS� STUDENTS



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# Library Mini-Classes

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

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

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

Please rsvp to [jmacleod@tjsl.edu](mailto:jmacleod@tjsl.edu).



**Dean Thomas Guernsey Invites You  
To The 6<sup>th</sup> Annual TJSL Alumni Association**

# *Judicial Officers Mixer*

**Thursday, October 3, 2013**

**1155 Island Avenue, San Diego, CA 92101**

**5:30 - 6:00 PM**      **Check-in, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor**  
**TJSL Judicial Officers Professional Photos**

**6:00 - 7:30 PM**      **Mixer, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor**

*The TJSL Alumni Association hosted the first Judicial Officers Mixer in 2008 to provide students with the opportunity to network with members of the San Diego Bench in an informal setting. We hope you will join our students, alumni and judicial officers for this popular annual event.*

**Honoring our Distinguished Federal and San Diego County Superior Court Judicial Officers**

<i>Hon. Roger Benitez '78</i>	<i>Hon. William Gentry '94</i>	<i>Hon. Richard Whitney '83</i>
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<i>Hon. Lillian Lim '77 (ret.)</i>	<i>Hon. Robert O'Neill '79</i>	<i>Hon. Charles Ervin '89</i>
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<i>Hon. Browder Willis '83</i>	<i>Hon. Michael Imhoff '78</i>	<i>Hon. Patti Ratekin '91</i>
<i>Hon. Margie Wagner '75</i>	<i>Hon. Dianne O'Connor '75</i>	<i>Hon. Karen Riley '80</i>



**RSVP to [alumni@tjsl.edu](mailto:alumni@tjsl.edu) or (619) 961-4354 by Monday, September 30, 2013.**

*Hors d'oeuvres and other refreshments will be served.*

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



## THIRD WEDNESDAY OF EVERY MONTH

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



### VETERANS SELF-HELP CLINIC

THOMAS JEFFERSON SCHOOL OF LAW

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

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

### SERVICES AVAILABLE

#### **ATTORNEY CONSULTATION**

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

#### **DOCUMENT ASSISTANCE**

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

#### **COMPUTER ACCESS**

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

#### **DOCUMENT REVIEW**

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

#### **ADDITIONAL RESOURCES**

Receive information on how to move forward with your case.

**MAKE AN APPOINTMENT AT (619) 961-4369**



ARE YOU INTERESTED IN ISSUES RELATED TO FAMILY LAW?

WE WELCOME YOU TO JOIN THE:



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

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

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

We hope to meet you soon!

Sincerely,  
The FLS Board  
fls@tjssl.edu



# CLIMB

“Promising Dreams, Practical Steps”

**Vision Statement:** The purpose of the Crawford Law Institute & Mentorship Bond (CLIMB) program is to stimulate the minds of youth that have expressed a keen interest in the legal profession. Through a collaborative effort between the youth participants from Crawford High School and a staff composed of Thomas Jefferson School of Law students, faculty, and affiliates, participants get the chance to broaden their vision and develop the skill set necessary to excel in their professional lives.

**Mission Statement:**

- Teen Court affords participants the opportunity to gain simulated legal experience while reaching out to youth already involved in the juvenile court system by providing them a chance to expunge their legal record through compliance with the program.
- One hour each week, community leaders share their stories of overcoming adversity as well as providing insight on how to meet challenges head-on that they may encounter in their professional endeavors through a series of interactive presentations.
- Youth are enlightened on the subject of professional decorum and are provided with the opportunity to create their overall goal and a vision, with practical steps to achieve that goal.
- Culture Nights assists the youth in building critical thinking skills and expose them to a number of viewpoints that may not be readily available for them in the cultural mainstream. Through the use of music, movies, poetry, comedy, books, speeches, plays, and other relevant forms of media the youth is presented with ideas that challenge conventional thinking and make them think outside the box.
- Incentives for intellectuals incentivize the youth into competing in a number of academic challenges. A culture-themed academic challenge is presented to the youth in order to take on a thought provoking challenge and even stimulate their creativity.
- Educational Explorations allows the youth to visit a number of locations that satiate their curiosity as well as enhance their professional aspirations. Real-world exposure to a variety of legal jobs, observation of professional settings, and cultural experiences such as plays and sporting events throughout the area that enable participants to experience certain aspects of life that they have yet to be exposed to.

Please e-mail Kierre Coghill for more information: [coghilk@tjsl.edu](mailto:coghilk@tjsl.edu)

# SEPTEMBER



<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Saturday</i>
<i>September 1</i>	<i>2</i> <i>Labor Day</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>7</i>  <i>3:30</i> <i>Alumni &amp; Friends Tailgate</i>  
<i>8</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>10</i>  <i>11:30 a.m.</i> <i>Fleming's Presents The Art of Test Taking</i>  <i>6 p.m.</i> <i>TJSL Veterans Self-Help Clinic Student Training</i>	<i>11</i>  <i>11:30 a.m.</i> <i>Academic Success Smarter Outlines</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>14</i>  <i>9 a.m.</i> <i>Academic Success Multiple Choice Workshop</i>
<i>15</i>	<i>16</i>  <i>4 p.m.</i> <i>Burgers, Beer &amp; Banter with Professor Richard Winchester</i> <i>Location: The Tilted Kilt</i>	<i>17</i>  <i>Constitution Day</i>  <i>11:30 a.m.</i> <i>Federalist Society Supreme Court Preview Room 225</i>	<i>18</i>  <i>11:30 a.m.</i> <i>Academic Success Transitioning to Legal Writing II</i>	<i>19</i>  <i>11:30 a.m. – 4:45 p.m.</i> <i>Sports Law Conference 2013</i> <i>Room 325</i>  	<i>20</i>  	<i>21</i>