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A banner image for the Cardozo Law News Brief. It features a photograph of a city street with tall buildings, including the Empire State Building in the background. The text 'CARDOZO LAW' is at the top in white serif font. Below it, 'Cardozo Law News Brief' is written in a larger white serif font, and 'Spotlight on News from the Cardozo Community' is in a smaller white sans-serif font. A blue vertical bar is on the right side, and a blue horizontal bar is at the bottom.

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CAMPUS NEWS

[Dean Leslie Comments in *Los Angeles Times* Regarding #MeToo and Moonves](#)

Dean Melanie Leslie is quoted in the *Los Angeles Times*, regarding former CBS Corp. Chief Executive Leslie Moonves and his fight against CBS' decision to strip him of his \$120-million severance package following his dismissal due to an escalating sexual harassment scandal. Dean Leslie said, "You used to see companies make a decision based on: 'How do we make this go away?' There's been a cultural shift. Allowing Moonves to walk away with \$120 million would be tone-deaf."

[Professor Deborah Pearlstein Offers Perspective of Coan's Book on Presidential Accountability](#)

Professor Deborah Pearlstein provides analysis on Andrew Coan's new book "Prosecuting the President: How Special Prosecutors Hold Presidents Accountable and Protect the Rule of Law" on *Take Care*: "While organized around the institution of the special prosecutor, the history and legal limits of that office, the book unmistakably asks us to think about the broader question of presidential accountability. What should a constitutional democracy do about a President who violates the law?"

[Cardozo's Two-week Courtroom Boot-Camp Trial Course Finishes 36th Year](#)

Cardozo's ITAP is one of the toughest trial advocacy programs in the country. This month 55 Cardozo students spent two weeks experiencing every aspect of conducting a trial—and they did it in front of judges, prosecutors, and defense attorneys from around the country who critiqued each student's performance.

[Cardozo Adjunct Professor and Alum Michael Wildes '88 Elected Mayor of Englewood](#)

Michael Wildes '88 was officially sworn in on as the new Mayor of the City of Englewood. Wildes, an immigration attorney and published author, begins a three-year term as Mayor.

TALKS AND WRITINGS

- Professor Michel Rosenfeld will speak at a symposium called Antisemitism, Hate Speech and social media on February 5 at Columbia University's Italian Academy for Advanced Studies.

EVENTS

Friends and Family: A Taste of New York
Open to Cardozo Students
January 27, 2019
11 a.m.