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There were no events requested at this time.

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Innocence Project Application Deadline: Current 1Ls and 2Ls interested in applying to the 2018-19 Innocence Project clinic: Please submit a resume and a statement of interest no later than Friday January 26, 2018 to Rana Sahar. Your statement of interest (about 1-2 pages) should address why you are interested in the Innocence Project, your background and motivations, and what skills and experiences make you a strong candidate for the clinic. If you have any questions (about the time commitment, credits, stipends, or anything else) please feel free to reach out to Rana Sahar. Information about the clinic is also included in Cardozo's course catalog. **\*Our students have a variety of interests, so please do not think you need any specific experience or background to apply!** 

#### P\*LAW week is here!

P\*LAW is an annual event with panels exploring emerging issues in public interest legal work. Please join us and add your voice to these important contributions!

P\*LAW Events for Tuesday, January 23, 2018

#### <u>12 p.m.</u>

## Workshop: Bridging Gaps: How to Interview Low-Income Clients

#### Room 1008

**Presenter:** Leslie Salzman, Director of Clinical Education, Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law **4 p.m.** 

## Postgraduate Fellowships in New York State and City Government

## Room 1008

## Speakers:

- Harbani Ahuja '16, Agency Attorney, New York City Commission on Human Rights
- Leslie Brown, New York City Social Justice Post-Graduate Fellowship Program Manager, New York City Department of Citywide Administrative Services
- Kara Pangburn, Director of Recruitment and Appointments, New York State Center for Recruitment and Public Service, Governor's Appointments Office
- Kendall Sale, Appointments Counsel, New York State Center for Recruitment and Public Service, Governor's Appointments Office

**Moderator:** Jacqueline Cheney, Director, Center for Public Service Law, Office of Career Services, Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law

## Section 1983 Police Brutality Claims

## Moot Court Room

Speakers:

- Debra S. Cohen, Co-Chair, Civil Rights Practice Group, Newman-Ferrara LLP & Adjunct Professor of Law, Elisabeth Haub School of Law at Pace University
- Elie Mystal, Executive Editor, Above the Law
- David Thompson, Attorney, Stecklow & Thompson

Moderator: Hon. Joseph Kevin McKay, Ret.

# **Upcoming Events and Announcements**

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<u>12 p.m.</u> The Rights of Low-Income Tenants Room 1008

Speakers:

- Addie Alexander, Lead Organizer, Northwest Bronx Community and Clergy Coalition
- Justin La Mort '10, Supervising Attorney, Mobilization for Justice
- Leslie Newman, Professor of Law, Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law
- Corine Ombongo-Golden, Tenant Leader & Member, Northwest Bronx Community and Clergy Coalition **Moderator:** Lauren Rose, 2L

## Wrongful Convictions: How to Make the Justice System More Just

#### Moot Court Room

#### Speakers:

- David Bertan '85, Attorney at Law
- Susan Friedman, Staff Attorney, Innocence Project
- Laurie Korenbaum, Assistant U.S. Attorney, U.S. Department of Justice, Southern District of New York
- Gina Mignola, Chief, Conviction Integrity Unit, Bronx County District Attorney's Office
- Jill Shellow, Attorney at Law

Moderator: Alison Bertan, 2L

#### <u>4 p.m.</u>

## LGBT Youth and Homelessness Room 1008

#### Speakers:

- Cathren Cohen, Law Fellow, Lambda Legal
- Brett Figlewski, Legal Director, LeGaL (New York City's LGBT Bar Association)
- Joey Lopez, Director of Outreach and Health Services, Ali Forney Center

Moderators: Juan Basadre & Judy Dahl, 1Ls

## Women's Access to Reproductive Healthcare in the United States

#### **Moot Court Room**

#### Speakers:

- Rebekah Diller, Clinical Associate Professor of Law, Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law
- Taylor Frazier, MPH and Policy Associate, Community Service Society: Health Initiative
- Pilar Herrero, Human Rights Counsel, Center for Reproductive Rights

Moderator: Jaclyn Kleban 1L

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Dear Colleagues and Future Litigators,

Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law has been selected to host the New York regional Mock Trial competition for the New York State Bar Association, Trial Lawyers Section. We are excited to have two teams competing in this prestigious competition.

As hosts, we are responsible for providing witnesses and bailiffs for the competition which is taking place from February 9th - February 11th at the Courthouse located at 100 Centre Street. This is a wonderful opportunity to get exposure for our amazing school and also an amazing opportunity for students to gain valuable experience in trial advocacy.

Please consider supporting our teams and school by volunteering to participate as a witness or bailiff. Both, witnesses and bailiffs, are needed for the following times:

Friday, February 9th, evening rounds begin at 5:00 p.m.

Saturday morning, February 10th, rounds begin at 9:00 a.m.

Saturday afternoon, February 10th, rounds begin 1:00 p.m.

Sunday, February 11th, morning rounds begin at 9:00 a.m.

Sunday, February 11th, afternoon rounds begin at 1:00 p.m.

All the best,

Cardozo's Mock Trial Team

Join Chabad serving Cardozo at 12:10pm for Ten Minutes of Torah in room 425. Pizza will be served. Looking forward to seeing everybody there.

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The Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law is hosting the Americas Round of The Price Media Law Moot Court Competition from Thursday, February 1 through Sunday, February 4.

We have teams coming from all over the United States, as well as from Canada (York University), Jamaica (University of the West Indies at Mona), and Brazil (Universidade de São Paulo, and Universidade Federal do Paraná).

Please join us for:

I. A panel discussion on Thursday evening from 6-8pm in the Moot Court Room, titled "The New Counterterrorism and Countering Violent Extremism: Speech Regulation, Private Companies and Free Expression", hosted by Professor Monroe Price II. Please also join us for the final round taking place from 1-3PM in the Moot Court Room, with awards and a reception after.

#### Information about the final round judges:

#### Ellen Goodman

Ellen Goodman is co-director and co-founder of the Rutgers Institute for Information Policy & Law, joining the faculty of Rutgers Law School at Camden in 2003. She is an expert in information policy law, with research interests including freedom of expression, communications architectures, media and spectrum policy, disclosure as a policy tool, advertising law, and the informational aspects of sustainability policy. Prior to joining the Rutgers faculty, she was a partner with Covington & Burling LLP, a Washington, D.C. firm. She has received grants from the Geraldine R. Dodge Foundation and the Ford Foundation for her media law research, and served as Distinguished Visiting Scholar at the FCC. She has been a visiting professor at the University of Pennsylvania's Annenberg School of Communications, Wharton School of Business, and Law School. She is an alumna of Harvard College and Harvard Law School, and clerked for Judge Norma L. Shapiro at the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

#### Judge Rowan D. Wilson

The Honorable Rowan D. Wilson is an associate judge on the New York Court of Appeals, appointed by Governor Andrew Cuomo in 2017. Prior to becoming a judge on New York's highest appellate court, he joined the firm of Cravath, Swain & Moore in 1986, and served as partner from 1991 until his confirmation in February 2017. After graduating from Harvard College and Harvard Law School in 1981 and 1984, respectively, he clerked for the Honorable James R. Browning, Chief Judge of the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit, from 1984 to 1986. While at Cravath, he was one of the country's leading litigators and spent time overseeing the firm's pro bono work.

#### **Dante Negro**

Dante Negro is the Director of the Office of International Law within the Department of International Legal Affairs of the Organization of American States, and has served in this capacity since 2006, joining the Office in 1995. His work involves advising the OAS and inter-American specialized conferences on legal matters pertaining to international law, coordinating and preparing research, and providing legal education to members. Notably, he is the institutional focal point for the Ibero-American Data Protection Network and the Transparency and Access to Information Network, with this work stemming from emerging importance of data privacy intersecting with his expertise in international human rights law. Before joining the Office, Mr. Negro earned his bachelor's and master's degrees in law at the Pontifical Catholic University of Peru, and earned his Master of Laws from the University of Notre Dame, writing his thesis on internal terrorism and international human rights.

#### **Ona Flores**

Ona Flores serves as a Senior Attorney with the Office of the Special Rapporteur for Freedom of Expression within the Inter-American Commission of Human Rights (IACHR). She provides high-level legal and policy advice related to freedom of expression and access to information to the IACHR and governments within the Americas, as well as conducting and supervising research in these areas. Prior to joining the IACHR, she served as the Women's Rights Program Coordinator within the Human Rights Center at the Universidad de Chile Law School, and was a Senior Attorney with the Inter-American Court of Human Rights. She earned her first law degree from the Universidad Catolica Andres Bello, and her Master of Laws at Columbia Law School, where she was a Fulbright Fellow and a Harlan Fiske Stone Scholar.

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#### Making the Most of the PILC Fair Moot Court Room

#### Speakers:

- Jackie Cheney, Director, Center for Public Service Law, Office of Career Services, Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law
- Lillian Evans '11, Deputy Director of Legal Recruitment, NYC Law Department
- Paige Maier, 2L

**Moderator**: Brad Jarman, Assistant Director, Office of Career Services, Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law **6 p.m.** 

## INSPIRE! Awards Moot Court Room

Missed the <u>SRP</u> New Advocate trainings last semester? RSVP <u>Here</u> to attend the spring 2018 New Advocate training at NYU on Thursday, January 25th, at 630 pm in VH 210.

Can't make it on the 25th? We'll have an additional training here at Cardozo Law on January 31st at 6:30pm in the Moot Court Room.

You <u>must</u> attend at least one New Advocate Training in order to be eligible to take on a case.

SRP advocates represent students at their suspension hearings. You will develop meaningful legal skills: interviewing clients, conducting your own direct and cross examinations, and delivering closing arguments.

Our advocacy routinely helps to shorten the length of suspensions or eliminate them entirely. Last year alone, SRP advocates were able to reduce suspension time by ~2661 days, and last semester, we represented over 80 students at their suspension hearings.

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#### 25Live Trainings

The events room booking system that is used to reserve classrooms and event spaces has been upgraded to a new scheduling tool called 25Live. 25Live is a web-based event publishing and scheduling application that will streamline the process of event scheduling by providing recommended locations based on factors such as attendee count and real time availability. We strongly encourage attendance at the upcoming 25Live trainings as they will help with a smooth transition into the new room booking system.

The next two trainings will be held on Monday, January 29<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday, February 7<sup>th</sup> from 12:15pm-1:15pm in Room 303.