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Campus News

[Dean Melanie Leslie Quoted in NYLJ in Support of NY State Bar Decision on Mental Health](#)

Law school administrators in New York state were pleased that the state bar application was changed this week to remove a question about mental health history. Dean Melanie Leslie told *The New York Law Journal*, "I want to send the message to my students that seeking help is a sign of strength, not a sign of weakness."

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[Professor David Rudenstine, In ARTNews, Undermines Britain's Case for Not Returning the Parthenon Statues to Athens](#)

Professor David Rudenstine commented to *ARTNews*: "The British position just didn't sound right, and I realized that central to their legal claim was this Italian document. Parliament has published a report that their translation is a complete and accurate representation of the Italian document, but it's altered."

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[Professor Jessica Roth talks about Roger Stone on Bloomberg Radio](#)

Professor Jessica Roth was a guest on Bloomberg's *Balance of Power* to discuss the Roger Stone sentencing: "the judge made it clear she knew she wasn't bound by what the Justice Dept. recommended and wasn't bound by sentencing guidelines."

[Listen here>>](#)

[Professor Deborah Pearlstein To Testify Before the House Rules Committee](#)

Professor Deborah Pearlstein will testify before the U.S. House Rules Committee on Tuesday, March 3, on steps Congress can take to rein in growing executive power.

[Watch the hearing here>>](#)

[Professor Ed Stein Talks to NBC News about Legal Rights within Polyamorous Relationships](#)

HGTV's *House Hunters* focused for the first time on a polyamorous relationship. Professor Ed Stein told NBC News, from a legal perspective, such relationships are unlikely to be supported by the Courts.

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[Designer Sam Edelman Talks Fashion, Business and Shoes](#)

Designer Sam Edelman visited Cardozo to speak about the success behind his legendary shoe brands and his experience with fashion lawyers. Barbara Kolsun '82, Director of the FAME Center, interviewed Edelman about his career and journey to success. [Footwear News](#) published a piece about the event.

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TALKS AND WRITINGS

- Professor Myriam Gilles is presenting a paper at the annual Institute for Law and Economic Policy Symposium at Fordham University School of Law on February 28.
- Professor Michel Rosenfeld will be a panelist at NYU Law School's panel discussion on Poland's Constitutional Breakdown on February 28.
- Professor Deborah Pearlstein will speak at a Georgetown symposium on presidential emergency power on March 3.
- Professor Betsy Ginsberg's testimony is part of the United States Commission on Civil Rights' report "Women in Prison: Seeking Justice Behind Bars."
- Professor Richard Weisberg has a new article in *Villanova Law Review* titled "Binaries: Remarks on Chaim N. Saiman's 'Halakhah.'"
- Professor Christopher Buccafusco's article "Disability and Design" was accepted for publication by *NYU Law Review*.

EVENTS

Courts and Constitutions Under Stress

Sunday-Monday, March 1-2

Cardozo/Columbia Colloquium with

Professor Seyla Benhabib

Thursday, March 5

4:20 p.m. - Room 407

Rethinking Shareholder Primacy

Thursday, March 5

Women in Entertainment:

The Realities and Strategies of Negotiating as a Female Entertainment Attorney

Wednesday, March 11

International Comparative, Policy & Ethics Law Review

Spring Symposium

Monday, March 16

Stand-Up Comedy and the Law

Wednesday, March 18

Friday, March 20

Advertising Law Symposium

Monday, March 23

The 31st Annual Uri and Caroline Bauer Memorial Lecture
Wednesday, March 25