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# TODAY AT CARDOZO

Wednesday, October 23, 2019

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JLSA and Reservists on Duty invites you to:

3 Religions, 1 Stage

A diverse group of peacemakers who tour America to enlighten various communities and students on the importance of dialogue, tolerance, peace and combating extremist and militant ideologies that target everyone; regardless of faith, color or gender.

Speakers include:

Imam Tawhidi -Shia

Jonathan Elkhoury - Christian Israeli / Lebanese

Ali Adi - Bedouin Sunni Muslim Zionist

Wednesday, October 23

Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law - Moot Court Room

4:30PM

Light refreshments will be served following the event.

Reservists on Duty is a non-profit organization established in 2015 by IDF veterans who felt a duty to expose and counter the BDS movement and new forms of anti-Semitism erupting on US college campuses.

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Please join the Women's Law Initiative at our Brown Bag Lunch series on Wednesday, October 23, from 12- 1pm in Room 420. Bring your own lunch and get ready to chat about dealing with gendered comments and micro aggressions in classes and social settings in law school. We'll be talking about things we've experienced and how to deal with these kinds of comments productively.

All are welcome.

Brown Bag Lunch

October 23, 12-1pm

Room 420

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"2020 Class Gift Kick-Off"

Attention 3L and LL.M. students!

We invite you to join the 2020 Class Gift Committee and Dean Leslie for our,

"Class Gift Kick Off"  
Wednesday, October 23rd  
12:00 - 1:00 pm  
Room 1008

Meet with this year's committee as they discuss initiatives, goals, and the importance of your participation in the 2020 Class Gift Program. Students will also have the opportunity to make their gift onsite and ask Dean Leslie any questions they may have.

We hope to see you there!

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The Jacob Burns Center for Ethics in the Practice of Law invites you to:

**Client Selection and #MeToo: Questions Raised by the Sullivan Controversy**

Wednesday, October 23, 2019  
12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.  
Third Floor Lounge

Please Register to attend [HERE](#)

In the spring of 2019, Professor Ronald Sullivan of Harvard Law School agreed to join the group of lawyers representing Harvey Weinstein, whose alleged crimes and tortious conduct against women helped launch the #MeToo Movement.

At the time, Professor Sullivan also served as the resident dean of one of Harvard College's residential houses. When his decision became public, he was fiercely criticized by many who considered his defense of Weinstein incompatible with his role as faculty dean. The panel will address the ethical questions presented by the Sullivan case, including to what extent lawyers should consider their other professional and personal commitments before electing to represent a client.

Lunch will be served, please register to attend.

**Panelists**

**Lara Bazelon**, Director of the Criminal Juvenile Justice and Racial Justice Clinical Programs,  
University of San Francisco School of Law

**Lucy Caldwell**, Founder of Mockingbird Lab and Harvard College '09

**Ellen Yaroshefsky**, Howard Lichtenstein Distinguished Professor of Legal Ethics, Maurice A.  
Deane School of Law at Hofstra University

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**Upcoming Events and Announcements**

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ISG 2019 Lemkin Award and Lecture  
October 24, 2019 at 5:30PM in 1008  
CLIHHR

The biennial Lemkin Award honors Raphael Lemkin, the originator of the term "genocide" and exponent of the UN Genocide Convention. The award recognizes the best non-fiction work focusing on genocide, crimes against humanity and other gross human rights violations, and on strategies of prevention.

This year's award recipient is Professor Geoffrey Robinson, Department of History at UCLA, for "The Killing Season: A History of the Indonesian Massacres, 1965-66." The Killing Season explores one of the largest and swiftest, yet least examined, instances of mass killing and incarceration in the twentieth century-the shocking antileftist purge that gripped Indonesia in 1965-66, leaving some five hundred thousand people dead and more than a million others in detention.

Introduction and comments by CLIHHR Director Jocelyn Getgen Kestenbaum (Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law); ISG President Joyce Apse (NYU); and ISG Executive Director Ernesto Verdeja (University of Notre Dame).

The lecture will be followed by a question and answer session open to the audience, as well as a reception.

\*Co-sponsored by the Cardozo Law Institute in Holocaust and Human Rights (CLIHHR)\*

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**Center for Rights & Justice Moot Court Session: Vega v. Semple  
Tuesday, October 29 at 2 PM in the Fifth Floor Faculty Lounge**

During this moot court session, John Boston (former director of the Legal Aid Society's Prisoners' Rights Project), Professor Anthony Moffa (University of Maine), and Cardozo Professors Kate Levine and Alex Reinert will serve as mock judges for Lori Welch-Rubin (Lori A. Welch LLC), an attorney who will be arguing an appeal in Vega v. Semple, a civil rights case in the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit. Vega involves the rights of people in prison not to be exposed to radon, a radioactive gas.

Lawyers use moot sessions to prepare for oral arguments, and the Center for Rights and Justice regularly schedules these sessions in important civil rights cases. After the mock judges ask Ms. Welch-Rubin questions and provide feedback, some of them will remain in the Faculty Lounge to answer any questions you may have about the case and the issues.

By attending the moot, you agree to treat as confidential anything said during the session. If you are currently interning or working for the Attorney General's Office of the State of Connecticut, you unfortunately may not attend.

Please note that seating in the Faculty Lounge is limited, so if you are sure you want to attend this session, please arrive on time.

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The Floersheimer Center for Constitutional Democracy invites you to:

**Hate Speech, Fake News, and Post-Truth in the Age of Trump**

**Monday, October 28, 2019**

9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Jacob Burns Moot Court Room & Lobby

View the Conference Schedule and Register to attend [HERE](#).

How does the First Amendment really work? Is it a principle or a value? What is hate speech and should it always be banned? Should social media companies police the exchange of thoughts, ideas, and opinions? From the rise of fake news, to the role of tech companies, to demands for safe spaces and trigger warnings on campus-a new age has raised all new questions about first constitutional principles.

Join the Floersheimer Center for an exploration of First Amendment-protected speech in celebration of the publication of Professor Stanley Fish's latest book, *The First*.

Stanley Fish is the Floersheimer Distinguished Visiting Professor of Law at Cardozo School of Law and a New York Times bestselling author and columnist.

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**Antitrust Enforcement in the Law**

We will be holding a panel that will be held on Monday, October 28th from 6pm to 8pm in Room 1008. The panel will consist of a Department of Justice, Antitrust Division attorney (Steven Tugander) and a New York Attorney's General Office, Antitrust Bureau attorney (Robert Hubbart). Our moderator will be our Faculty Advisor, Samuel Weinstein (who is a former DOJ antitrust attorney).

We are delighted to have these two panelists join us to discuss the basics, as well as the intricacies, of enforcing our nation's and this state's antitrust laws. Please bring both an appetite for learning and more generally just an appetite; food and drinks will be provided after the panel, and our panelists will be hanging around to get to know all of you.

Hope to see you there!

# TODAY AT CARDOZO

Thursday, October 24, 2019

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Please join the Cardozo Federalist Society today, Thursday October 24th in room 205, from 12pm to 1pm for a discussion on the electoral college and related political issues.

We will be hearing from Professor Richard Duncan of Nebraska Law featuring commentary by Professor Huigens of Cardozo Law School.  
Food will be served. We look forward to seeing you there.

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PLAW Planning Meeting

Monday, October 28th  
Room 1008, 12pm

Be a part of the Public Interest Law Advocacy Week Student Planning team! P\*LAW is a week-long series of inspiring workshops, panels, and projects (held from January 27 - 30, 2020) focused on lawyering and advocacy in the public sector.

Come and share your ideas and participate in organizing this great series of events!

We're Serving Pizza!

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Title: Patent Issues in Artificial Intelligence. Your Chance to be Heard!

Date: October 28th, 2019

Location: Room 102

Sponsoring SBA group: IPLS

Please join Cardozo's Intellectual Property Law Society as we discuss the upcoming issues relating to the patentability of Artificial Intelligence technologies. The United States Patent and Trademark Office has requested comments from members of the patent community to

help determine how patent examiners should best address patent applications on Artificial Intelligence technologies.

Cardozo IPLS will be drafting a formal comment, based on our discussion during this event, to be submitted to the Patent Office on behalf of Cardozo students.

This is your chance to shape the future of AI Patent Law!

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The Heyman Center on Corporate Law & Governance invites you to a Heyman Lunch Speaker Series event:

A Pharmaceutical and FDA Regulatory Compliance Overview\*

Speaker: Benjamin Zegarelli '13, Associate, Mintz

Date: Monday, October 28, 2019

Time: 12:00 pm

Location: Rm 205

Lunch will be provided.

Please join us for a lunch talk with Cardozo alumnus, Benjamin Zegarelli '13, Associate at Mintz! Mr. Zegarelli will discuss his role advising on compliance and regulatory issues for clients in the pharmaceutical, medical device, and biotech industries. His practice focuses on FDA regulatory counseling and includes advising health care industry clients on the federal and state laws surrounding manufacturer product development and marketing, representing medical device companies in responding to significant unfavorable inspection observations, and guiding companies with compliance issues through the development stage of action plans and implementing corrective actions. Mr. Zegarelli has also assisted in the process of developing policy positions and submitting comments to the FDA, as well as analyzing and drafting 510(k) applications for submission to the FDA.

\*This event is part of the Compliance Speaker Series and will qualify towards the Compliance Concentration requirement.

This event is open only to the Cardozo community. If you register and can no longer attend, please let us know so that we have an accurate headcount for catering purposes.

# TODAY AT CARDOZO

Friday, October 25, 2019

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The Library will be closing today at 5:00pm.  
The Building closing time for today is 5:45pm.

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There were no requests at this time.

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## Upcoming Events and Announcements

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Violence and Impunity in the Brazilian Amazon  
Monday, October 28 at 12PM  
512  
CLIHHR

Join CLIHHR Faculty Director Jocelyn Getgen Kestenbaum for a conversation with Professor Fernanda Frizzo Bragato (Universidade do Vale do Rio dos Sinos (Unisinos)) and Paulo Celso de Oliveir (Pankararu Indigenous Lawyer, Azambuja - Oliveira - Law Firm, Partner) about how current events in Brazil are affecting indigenous and other communities in the Amazon. Lunch will be served.

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South Asian Law Student Association's Annual Diwali Celebration  
Monday, October 28 at 6:00 PM  
3rd Floor Lounge

SALSA would like to invite you to our hallmark event of the year - Diwali! This year, our Diwali event is on Monday, October 28th at 6:00pm in the Third Floor Lounge. We will have a henna station, diya painting station, DJ, Indian food, and open bar!

More details to follow, but for now - **please save the date!** Trust us, it is a fun time and not to be missed.

We are also looking for volunteers to help with set up and serving food. If you are available to help between 4:00PM and 8:00PM, please contact us!