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Professor Alex Reinert Testifies on Qualified Immunity Before House Judiciary Committee, Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties

“Qualified immunity interferes with enforcement of the highest law of the land (the Constitution) and in so doing it undermines fundamental rule of law principles,” says Reinert.



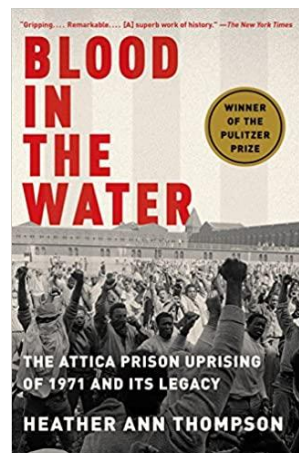
Cardozo Welcomes Six New Faculty Members

“I am delighted to announce the appointment of six new professors to Cardozo's full-time faculty,” says Dean Leslie. “I am confident they will enrich our community with their innovative teaching and scholarship in areas including Tax Law, Alternative Dispute Resolution, Intellectual Property, Criminal Law and Race and the Law.”



Civil Rights Clinic Partners with NYCLU, Files Federal Lawsuit Against Censorship in NY Prisons

The New York Civil Liberties Union and the Civil Rights Clinic filed a federal lawsuit challenging the New York State Department of Corrections and Community Supervision's blanket censorship of *Blood in the Water: The Attica Prison Uprising and Its Legacy*. The lawsuit was discussed in [Gothamist](#).



Professor Kate Shaw Discusses with ABC News Justice Thomas' Voting Decisions Amid Ginni Thomas Text Message Reveal

“There were some eyebrows raised when Justice Thomas was that lone vote,” says Shaw. “But he did not explain himself, so we don’t actually know why he wished to take up the case.”



Cardozo Ranked No. 52 in 2023 U.S. News & World Report Law School Rankings

Cardozo School of Law continued on an upward trajectory in the 2023 U.S. News & World Report Law School Rankings, rising to #52 in the nation.



Nine Cardozo Alumni Make Billboard Magazine's 2022 Top Music Lawyers List

Billboard magazine's 2022 list of Top Music Lawyers includes nine Cardozo alumni and lists Cardozo as one of the top music law schools in the country.



Cardozo Celebrates 'Serving Up Scholarships' Event for Donors and Student Achievements

3L student Grayson Moronta received the 2022 Mark Whitlock Scholarship. "I couldn't think of a better person to carry on Mark's memory," says Dean Leslie.



Faculty Scholarship & News

- **Professor Peter Goodrich** co-edited the book "[Research Handbook on Law and Literature](#)" which was published by Edward Elgar Press.
- **Professor Deborah Pearlstein** will be a panelist at "[Lies, Free Speech and the Law](#)" on April 8, sponsored by the Knight First Amendment Institute at Columbia University.
- **Professor Michel Rosenfeld** was interviewed by Radio Canada on the program "Aux Faits D'abord" regarding the Ketanji Brown Jackson Supreme Court nomination hearings and the Ginni and Clarence Thomas controversy.

Events

Click on the event title to register.

[Annual Uri and Caroline Bauer Memorial Lecture](#)

sponsored by the Cardozo Law Review

Tuesday, April 5 at 6 p.m.

Big Law, Big Discovery, Big Trouble: Arnold & Porter and the Opioid Discovery Controversy

sponsored by the Jacob Burns Center for Ethics in the Practice of Law

Thursday, April 7 at 12:30 p.m.

Podcasts Killed the Radio Star: The Podcasting Takeover of the Modern Era

sponsored by The FAME Center and the Entertainment Law Society

Thursday, April 7 at 6:30 p.m.

Symposium: Women in the Judiciary

sponsored by Cardozo International & Comparative Law Review

Friday, April 8 at 1 p.m.

17th Annual E. Nathaniel Gates Award Ceremony

sponsored by OUTlaw

Monday, April 11 at 6:30 p.m.

12th Annual BALLSA Celebration

Tuesday, April 12 at 6 p.m.

DAO: The Blockchain Business

sponsored by The FAME Center and the Cardozo Startup Society

Wednesday, April 13 at 5:00 p.m.

The Parthenon Marbles Case and the Universal Museum Myth: Policies and Politics

sponsored by the Cardozo Arts & Entertainment Law Journal, The FAME Center and the Benjamin B. Ferencz Human Rights and Atrocity Prevention Clinic

Thursday, April 28 at 9:30 a.m.