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#### **CAMPUS NEWS**

# Professor Jessica Roth Offers Commentary on *The 11th Hour with Brian Williams* and PBS *NewsHour*

Regarding the Jeffrey Epstein case, Professor Jessica Roth told Brian Williams, "We should take the case against Epstein incredibly seriously even if there weren't any connection to the President...The case here is extremely important to the victims."

She also offered analysis of Labor Secretary Alex Acosta's press conference on PBS *NewsHour*, saying, "One thing he didn't address adequately, to my mind, is why the non-prosecution agreement granted immunity to unnamed co-conspirators of Epstein's? That is a very broad provision, and it wasn't adequately explained."

# Professor Alex Reinert Comments in *HuffPost* Regarding President Trump's Tax Returns

Professor Alex Reinert told *HuffPost* regarding Congress' efforts to get President Trump's tax returns, "I would be surprised if it takes less than a year, but I think much depends on strategic decisions made by the parties and what they do to try and advance the case."

## Professor Myriam Gilles Quoted in Kiplinger's

Professor Myriam Gilles was quoted in *Kiplinger's* regarding Chase's new forced arbitration policy: "attorneys would be hard-pressed to pull together a class action with the consumers who do opt out," she said.

## Professor Barbara Kolsun is Guest on Douglas Hand's The Laws of Style

Check out the latest episode of *The Laws of Style* with guest Professor Barbara Kolsun. She sits down with attorney and Cardozo adjunct professor, Douglas Hand, to discuss a new book, Cardozo's FAME Center and tips for young lawyers interested in the fashion industry.

### Class of '19 Graduates Elected to Order of the Coif

27 members of the Class of 2019 were elected to the honorary scholastic society, which recognizes students who achieved academic excellence during law school.

## Israeli Supreme Court Justice Alex Stein Cites Professor Ed Zelinsky in Tax Opinion

Former Cardozo Professor Alex Stein, now an Israeli Supreme Court Justice, cited Professor Ed Zelinsky's *For Realization: Income Taxation, Sectoral Accretionism, and the Virtue of Attainable Virtues*, originally published in the Cardozo Law Review in 1997, in a recent tax decision.