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In the News



Video: How Has Learning During the Pandemic Changed at Cardozo?

Cardozo students, faculty, and staff rapidly adjusted to a changed landscape when the COVID-19 pandemic arrived. We recently interviewed J.D. and LL.M. students about their experiences with online learning during the pandemic. Here is what they said.

Professor Michael Herz Discusses Presidential Transition in The New York Times

"[Herz] called the Trump administration's apparent determination to micromanage the transition process by overseeing meetings part of its broader plan to 'milk their authority as long as they can and disrupt the new administration as much as they can.'"

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Professor Sam Weinstein Speaks to Reuters and Bloomberg Law on FTC Facebook Antitrust Challenge

"At first blush, it's a very strong case on the merits. The remedy is tough, because breakup is an unusual remedy, but it certainly may be merited here," says Weinstein to [Reuters](#).

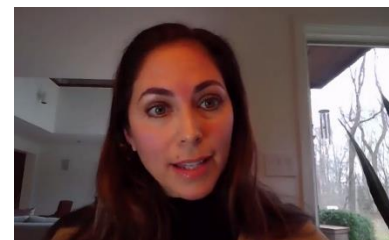
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Professor Jocelyn Getgen Kestenbaum Testifies Before USCIRF on Blasphemy Laws

On December 9, Professor Getgen Kestenbaum testified before the U.S. Commission on International Religious Freedom about new findings from USCIRF's report on the enforcement of global blasphemy laws and the multiple ways they mobilize violence against religious communities.

[Read The Report](#)



Professor Michelle Adams Recognized by The National Law Journal As Viable SCOTUS Nominee

"Biden's selection process need not be limited to the federal judiciary, particularly given the alarming scarcity of Black women federal judges. Instead, it should be expansive, including a variety of individuals with the requisite qualifications. We offer the following collection of impeccably credentialed and widely published Black women law professors," writes The National Law Journal.

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Associate Dean Val Myteberi Comments On LL.M. Job Opportunities In LLM Guide

"We are seeing opportunity for LL.M. students in innovation and technology law; the insurance industry; dispute resolution," says Myteberi.

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Faculty Scholarship & News

- **Professor Tony Sebok** will participate in a panel, "[Does Bad Legal Funding Make Bad Clients?](#)" on December 15 at 10:30 a.m. The panel will discuss the current difficulties in the consumer litigation funding arena and the potential practice changes and regulatory reforms to adequately address them.
 - **Professor Aaron Wright** spoke to [Cryptoslate](#) on the evolution and growth of cryptocurrency Ethereum.
 - **Professor Ekow Yankah** spoke on a panel, "An Epidemic in a Pandemic," during the 2020 Bloomberg American Health Summit on December 9, focusing on social justice issues during COVID.
 - **Professor Edward Zelinsky** was quoted in [Empire Center for Public Policy](#) on the pandemic's effect on taxation of NY State residents. Zelinsky also authored an *amicus* brief in tax case [New Hampshire v. Massachusetts](#).
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Events

The Jacob Burns Center for Ethics in the Practice of Law presents Wild, Wild West: Arizona's Pioneering World of Non-Lawyer Investment in Law

Monday, December 14 at 4:30 p.m.

Intensive Trial Advocacy Program (ITAP)

Monday, January 4 to Sunday, January 17

Registration full.

Intensive Mediation Advocacy Program (IMAP)

Monday, January 4 to Friday, January 8

Register on Banner.

Intensive Transactional Lawyering Program (ITRANS)

Tuesday, January 5 to Friday, January 15

Registration full.