ABA Mental Health Day

As you are aware, lawyers are the most frequently depressed occupational group in the United States and we see this foreshadowed during law school itself. Studies show that 40% of law students report experiencing depression by their third year. In order to address this serious issue, the Dave Nee Foundation, the ABA Law Student Division and Screening for Mental Health, Inc. have been working together to be able to provide you with valuable tools and resources for your students to foster early intervention and connection to treatment.

As you may know, the ABA Law Student Division has declared March 27, 2015 Mental Health Day. As part of this important initiative, Screening for Mental Health will be offering free access to an anonymous online mental health screening tool for depression and other mood and anxiety disorders from March 22nd-April 6th.

Online mental health screenings are a confidential way to educate students about the signs and symptoms of a mental health disorder they may be experiencing and connect those who need support to reliable treatment resources.

Sign up for free access to a mood and anxiety disorder screening by clicking on the link below:
https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/ABA_MHD

Grad Shirts on Sale!

The graduation committee will be selling the 2015 grad shirts on March 23 and March 24 during lunch in the lobby. T-shirts are $20.15 each. Sizes are limited!

The Spring 2015 Law Courier is here!

Read the Chapman Law Courier for the latest and greatest legal news and events at the Fowler School of Law. The hyperlinks in this issue actually work, so enjoy! As always, we are looking for new writers, editors, photographers, and layout designers. Look for more info on our next general meeting. Please see attached.

Apply for a Public Interest Law Foundation E-Board Position

If you are interested in serving on the PILF E-Board for the 2015-16 school year, please send a very brief email stating simply (1) who are you and (2) what position you are running for to Parisah Robinson atrobin214@mail.chapman.edu by Tuesday, March 24th. Elections will be held on Thursday, March 26th in Room 142.

Available Positions Include:
President (1 person)
Vice President (1 person)
Secretary/Treasurer (1 person)
Publicity Chair (1 person, or 2 people running together)
Silent Auction Chair (1 person, or 2 people running together)
Volunteer Chair (1 person, or 2 people running together)
Scholarship Chair (1 person)

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The WRIT Is Available Online


WRIT Submissions

Submissions for the WRIT are due by 12 Noon on the Friday before you want your submission to be published. Please email your submissions to chapmanwrit@gmail.com
Monday, March 16
Get Involved in Strategic Litigation of Property Rights with the Center for Constitutional Jurisprudence

Monday, March 16th, at 11:45 a.m. in Room 142, the Federalist Society is hosting a panel on strategic litigation. Strategic Litigation is a proven way to vindicate constitutional rights. It also offers some of the most excelling, cutting-edge work a lawyer can do. Join Larry Saltman, who has litigated property rights and economic liberty constitutional cases during the past 10 years as an attorney for both the Institute for Justice and Pacific Legal Foundation, and Pacific Legal Foundation attorney and Chapman Alum Jennifer (Fry) Thompson to discuss some of their civil rights cases, the challenges of strategic litigation, and how students can go out on their own path to vindicating important property rights and economic liberty claims filed in California and federal trial courts.

Lunch will be provided.

LAST CHANCE: Graduation Composite Board Photography

The photographer for the composite board will be on campus March 16, 17, and 18 by appointment only to take your pictures for the Class of 2015 composite board. The sittings will be in room 237A. You will have the option to purchase your photographs for a discount at the time of your sitting. We are using the same company that has taken our students pictures for several years. Studio-94. You must make an appointment with the photographer online. The link to the photographer’s website is http://www.studio-94-photography.com/college/chapman-university-school-of-law/.

You must dress in business attire when taking your pictures. Men should wear a suit and tie and women should wear an equivalent style of dress. The photographer will also take your picture in full graduation regalia. Instructions as to what you should expect and what will be made available to you are located on the photographer’s website. If you do not have your photo taken by March 18, you will need to arrange privately with the photographer to have your photo taken at the studio by the deadline set by the photographer.

Tuesday, March 17
Student Town Hall Meeting

The student town hall meeting with Dean Campbell has been changed from Tuesday, February 24 to Tuesday, March 17 at 12:00 noon in Room 237A. Lunch will be provided. To ensure that we order enough food for everyone please RSVP at https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/March17STHM.

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Wednesday, March 18
TLS-ZipTax

Join the Tax Law Society on 3/18 from noon 6pm for a feature event where Chapman alum Jim Dougal will speak about Federal Tax and Tax Resolution from his company ZipTax.

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Thursday, March 19
Entertainment and Sports Law Society Guest Speaker

Join the Entertainment and Sports Law Society as its host Stephen McArthur, The Videogame Lawyer, on March 19th at 12:00 p.m. for a discussion on common intellectual property issues that arise in video games and the legal arena in which today’s video game designers and distributors are operating. See http://www.smcarthurlaw.com/ for more information about our speaker. Lunch will be provided.

Friday, March 20
Chapman’s Business School and Law School Will Host a Symposium on the Legal and Strategic Considerations of Modern Business Planning on March 20, 21, and 23

Students and professionals serving or planning to serve today’s businesses and entrepreneurs must approach modern day business with a flexible mindset and diverse understanding of contemporary business practices designed to accommodate limitless growth and expansion. This Symposium will take students and professionals from the formation of a modern business to the various exit strategies available at the end of the business’s lifecycle, along the way considering various topics such as methods for capitalization, survival, expansion, and mergers and acquisitions. The goal of this Symposium is to expand on the knowledge currently possessed by students and professionals of modern business building so that business and legal practitioners may better serve their clients contemporary needs.

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**Monday, Tuesday, March 24**

Chapman Dialogue Speaker: Associate Dean Nestor Davidson

Associate Dean Nestor Davidson from the Fordham University School of Law will be our next Chapman Dialogue speaker next Tuesday, March 24. His presentation is entitled *The Administrative City-State: Administrative Law in Local Governance.* His teaching and scholarship focus on property, land use, local government law, transactional lawyering in the public-private context, and affordable housing, law and policy. All dialogues are in Room 237A.

**Tuesday, Tuesday, March 24**

J. Reuben Clark Law Society of Orange County Chapter Annual Religion & The Law Symposium: More Than A Hobby Defending Religious Liberty at The U.S. Supreme Court In Burwell v. Hobby Lobby

Presented by Hannah Smith, Senior Counsel at the Becket Fund for Religious Liberty, who will take us inside the Burwell v. Hobby Lobby case with an engaging multi-media presentation, including her insights on Hobby Lobby owners, David and Barbara Green. Hannah has defended religious liberty at the U.S. Supreme Court in numerous cases, including victories in *Hosanna Tabor Lutheran Church and School v. EEOC* and *Holt v. Hobbs*, and was a law clerk to both Justices Samuel Alito and Clarence Thomas.

Admission is $25.00 in advance, $35.00 at the door (including lunch). Students are $15.00 in advance, $25.00 at the door. Register online at: [http://jrcls-oc.com/2015symposium.php](http://jrcls-oc.com/2015symposium.php). For more information contact Jeffrey Shields at (949) 724-7900 or jeff@shieldslawoffices.com.

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**SAVE THE DATE**

**Intellectual Property Law Presentation: PCT Patent Prosecution Practice**

Are you interested in international law and intellectual property? If so, please join the American Intellectual Property Law Association and Chapman's Intellectual Property Law Society for a unique and education presentation on "PCT Patent Prosecution Practice." The presentation will take place in Room 369 on April 1, 2015, from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm. Even if you can only make a portion of this, it is worth it! This is APLA's inaugural "practice-ready" presentation and will focus on the why, when, how, what and where to foreign file a patent application, including providing strategies for foreign filing cost reduction and tips for preparation of a "global" patent application. Please email Rachel Baker at [rnbaker18@mail.chapman.edu](mailto:rnbaker18@mail.chapman.edu) if you have any questions or to RSVP. Also, some yummy treats and drinks will be provided for your snacking pleasure!

**Food Industry Networking Night**

Wednesday, April 1, 6:00 p.m., Beckman Hall, Room 404

Law students are invited to the 4th Annual Food Industry Networking Night on Wednesday, April 1 in Beckman Hall, Room 404. This evening is an opportunity to meet food industry professionals and learn about careers in their legal, compliance, and regulatory departments. Past employers have included Taco Bell, Panda Restaurant Group, and Fresh & Easy. Light food and beverages will be served. RSVP here.