



The Crier consists of "Law School Announcements and Meeting Notices", "Law Library News", and "Student Calendar and News." Items for all sections should be submitted to Academic Services by 12:00pm on the Thursday prior. Academic Services produces *The Crier*. E-mail submissions may be sent to: [lawnews@u.washington.edu](mailto:lawnews@u.washington.edu).

**Dates to Keep in Mind**

May 28	Memorial Day – school holiday
May 30	Last day of Spring Quarter classes
June 4-8	Finals Week
June 10	Law School Commencement

This is the last issue of *The Crier* for this academic year. The next issue will be the first week of Autumn Quarter.

**SPRING QUARTER FINAL EXAMS**

Spring Quarter exams will be administered starting with Tax LL.M. exams on Friday, June 1st and conclude with the Property I exams on Friday morning, June 8th.

All students are responsible for reading and following:

- 1) Examination Instructions:  
<http://www.law.washington.edu/Students/examInstructions.html>
- 2) Computer Use Policy:  
<http://www.law.washington.edu/Students/ComputerExamPolicy.html>

Requests for rescheduled exams should have already been submitted to Academic Services. A reminder email will be sent this week to each student with a submitted request detailing the arrangements that have been made for their exam.

**DO NOT CONTACT YOUR PROFESSOR ABOUT RESCHEDULING AN EXAM.**

**REGISTERING FOR 2007-08**

May 30<sup>th</sup> is the deadline for registering for Autumn Quarter clinics to avoid losing a spot.

June 18<sup>th</sup> is the deadline for registering for non-clinic courses for the Autumn Quarter.

**FINANCIAL AID OFFICE**

**Financial Aid Coordinator:**

**Arlo Hammontree**

**Room 362**

**206-543-4552**

[uwlawaid@u.washington.edu](mailto:uwlawaid@u.washington.edu)

**AID FOR SUMMER**

Summer Quarter is the first quarter of the 2007-2008 aid year. The types and amounts of aid available are limited. The first step in applying for summer aid is to submit a 2007-2008 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) to the central processor. Then, after the UW has received the FAFSA information (about 2 weeks for [FAFSA on the Web](#), or 4-6 weeks for paper FAFSAs), complete and submit the summer aid application.

**APPLYING FOR SUMMER AID:**

If you have submitted your FAFSA as indicated above, you may submit a [Summer Aid Application](#). Please be prepared to supply your UW NetID and password. The Summer Aid Application is available through your MyUW.

More information on Summer Aid:

<http://www.washington.edu/students/osfa/aidforsum.html>

**2007-2008 REVISION FORM:**

Revision Request for Change of Resources 2007-2008:

<http://www.washington.edu/students/osfa/0708increvreq.pdf>

Revision Request for Additional Expenses 2007-2008:

<http://www.washington.edu/students/osfa/0708revaddexp.pdf>

**BOSS AROUND UPPER CLASSMATES!  
Marshalls Needed for Commencement...**

Three or four volunteers are needed to enlist in aiding the wonderful process of ushering our 2007 graduates through the intricacies and mysteries of the graduation ceremony. Duty hours: Sunday, 10 June, Meany Hall, approximately 1:00 - 5:00 p.m. Please contact Dean [ballet@u.washington.edu](mailto:ballet@u.washington.edu), 5-1327, or drop by Room 385. Thanks in advance!

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## **CENTER FOR CAREER PLANNING AND PUBLIC SERVICE**

(Room 346)

Office Hours 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. M-F  
(206) 543-9097

General office questions may be directed to  
[careerps@u.washington.edu](mailto:careerps@u.washington.edu)

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**Enjoy your Memorial Day Weekend!**

### **JUDICIAL EXTERNSHIPS FOR FALL 2007 AND FOLLOWING QUARTERS**

(1) Judge Pechman in the Western District of WA is seeking applicants for Fall 2007 externships. Full posting listed in Symplicity. Apply by June 1, 2007 at the latest (she has extended her usual application deadline from April to June). Judge Pechman particularly likes externs with international experience and interests, but will certainly consider all applicants.

(2) Students wishing to extern with judges in the Fall 2007 quarter may wish to apply before they leave school for the summer. Please see link for full information: <https://www.law.washington.edu/Career/PS/JudApp/> Winter 2008 applications can be sent anytime, but should go out before the end of October, 2007, information at the same link.

### **2007 MINNESOTA MINORITY RECRUITMENT CONFERENCE**

The Twin Cities Committee on Minority Lawyers in Large Law Firms (TCC) will host the Minnesota Minority Recruitment Conference (MMRC), a day-long event pairing an excellent candidate pool of 2L and 3L law students with the top legal employers in the metro area. This year's conference will be held on Friday, August 17th and Saturday, August 18th at the offices of Faegre & Benson in downtown Minneapolis.

Each year nearly 30 legal employers, from private practice to government agencies, interview law students from our local law schools and across the U.S. Law students entering their second or third year of law school are eligible to interview at the MMRC. Registration for students is now available at [www.tcc-mmrc.org](http://www.tcc-mmrc.org). Students will be prompted to enter a login and password:

Login: use primary email  
Password: tcc2007

Please note this is a registration process only. Students will be contacted in June regarding choosing employers with which they would like to interview.

### **Graduate Employment Survey**

3Ls, when you accept an offer for a position, please go to Symplicity and fill out the Graduate Employment Survey. This year we are using Symplicity to track these NALP surveys. Let Dean Sanchez know if you are seeking employment and what you are looking for specifically. You can set up an appointment by emailing [careerps@u.washington.edu](mailto:careerps@u.washington.edu).

### **Recently Added Jobs on Symplicity**

**2L Legal Intern**, Ressler & Tesh

**Assistant Clerk-Attorney**, Supreme Court of Nevada

**Assistant Director**, American Constitutional Society

**Assistant Director of Public Service**, UW School of Law

**Associate Attorney**, Bellingham Assigned Counsel

**Deputy Prosecutor**, Whitman County Prosecutor's Office

**EEOC Honor Program**, U.S. EEOC

**Entry-Level Staff Attorney**, Northwest Immigrant Rights Project

**Externship**, Social Security Administration

**Externship**, WA State Attorney General's Office

**Externship**, Honorable Marsha J. Pechman

**Law Clerk**, Kolisch Hartwell P.C.

**Clerkships & Externships**, Supreme Court of Minnesota

**Judicial Externship**, Pierce County Superior Court

**Judicial Clerk**, Utah State Courts

**Judicial Externship Program**, WA State & Federal Courts

**Law Clerk**, Bernabei & Wachtel

**Law Clerk**, Snohomish County Superior Court

**Entry-Level Attorney**, Saalfeld Griggs

**Legal Fellowship**, ACLU of Washington

**Legal Intern**, Northwest Women's Law Center

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### **Want a Locker Next Year?**

Interested in a locker for the 2007-2008 school year?

Why wait until the fall to fill out the request form?

Fill out the form now at:

<http://www.law.washington.edu/Students/Forms/LockerAgreement2L3L.pdf>. There is normally a waitlist for lockers so don't delay.

\*Please note that you will still be required to vacate your current locker by June 15, 2007 unless you are taking summer courses and have filled out the summer request form. If you fail to do so, your lock will be cut off and the items will be disposed of. Questions? Contact Brooke Richart, [brooke21@u.washington.edu](mailto:brooke21@u.washington.edu)

# Law Library News

Cheryl Nyberg, Editor

## LIBRARY LIFESAVERS

Our weekly series of short sessions on research and related tasks (citation format and word processing) were an experiment this year. Now we're looking for feedback. If you have any comments or suggestions, please write to lawrefst@u.

## SUMMER LIBRARY SERVICES

Even when you aren't in class, the Gallagher Law Library is here for you. Come to study or work during the summer. (Check the website for hours – and note that we're closed Mon.-Tues. June 11-12.)

Graduating students: your Husky cards will work on the group study rooms and student lounge until the bar exam.

Stumped by a research problem? Ask the reference librarians for help – stop by, call 206-543-6794, or email lawrefst@u.

Your UW NetID (via the Off-Campus Access link) enables you to access commercial databases such as the BNA newsletters and databases, HeinOnline's law reviews and other content, and LegalTrac. If you need to search literature from other fields (e.g., economics or medicine), your UW NetID is the key to the treasure chest of other commercial databases to which the UW Libraries subscribe.

If your firm, business, or non-profit needs photocopies of briefs or other print material, use the Library's Copy & Send Service, <http://lib.law.washington.edu/copy&send/copy&send.html>.

## SUMMER ACCESS TO LEXISNEXIS & WESTLAW

Will you have access to LexisNexis and Westlaw this summer? It depends. Both providers have rules governing law student summer access. See last week's summary: <http://lib.law.washington.edu/news/2007/May21.html#lx>.

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## TEACHING ASSISTANT FOR CONTRACTS Autumn 2007 & Winter 2008

Professor Jane Winn will be hiring a teaching assistant for Contracts in Autumn 2007 and Winter 2008. The teaching assistant will help administer drafting exercises, and help edit, post and track responses to questions and answers for online multiple choice quizzes. The teaching assistant will work flexible hours, which are likely to range between 2-10 hours a week; work should begin a week or two after the beginning of the autumn quarter and continue until a week or two before the end of the winter quarter.

Interested students should submit to Ms. Vickie Parker a cover letter, a resume, the name of at least one law professor reference, and any other information deemed relevant. Please be sure to specify that you are applying for the teaching assistant position. Students should also indicate whether they will be eligible for work-study support in 2007-2008.

## TEACHING ASSISTANT POSITION

Professor Robert Aronson will be hiring a Teaching Assistant for Evidence VI (2007-08). Interested students should submit a cover letter, resume, and any other information deemed relevant to either Professor Aronson Room 308; [aron@u.washington.edu](mailto:aron@u.washington.edu) or Francis Timlin (Room 385; [ft@u.washington.edu](mailto:ft@u.washington.edu)). Students may submit the information as hard copy or in an e-mail attachment. Professor Aronson will start considering resumes as soon as they are submitted, and would be happy to discuss the position with interested students.

## INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LL.M. FELLOWSHIPS

### **For Concurrent J.D./IP LL.M. Students**

The Intellectual Property Law and Policy LL.M. Program is pleased to offer one full Fellowship and one half Fellowship for concurrent J.D./IP LL.M. students. The full fellowship will cover the IP LL.M. portion of concurrent student tuition (approximately \$10,000) and the half Fellowship will cover half of the IP LL.M. concurrent student tuition (approximately \$5,000).

As part of the Fellowship, students will be assigned to Intellectual Property faculty to assist with research and other Intellectual Property projects.

To apply, please submit a cover letter, resume, transcript and letter of recommendation to Signe Brunstad, IP LL.M. Program Assistant Director, by Wednesday, June 6.

### **LAW PROFESSOR APPOINTED TO NATIONAL COMMITTEE INVESTIGATING GENETIC TESTING**

Henry M. Jackson Professor of Law Paul Steven Miller has been appointed to serve on a national advisory committee investigating genetic testing. The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Secretary Michael Leavitt has charged the Advisory Committee on Genetics, Health, and Society Provides to provide policy advice on the medical, ethical, legal, and social issues raised by the development and use of genetic technologies.

An internationally renowned expert in disability law, Professor Miller joined the faculty in 2004, after spending twelve years in public service in Washington, DC. He was one of the longest serving commissioners of the U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, the federal agency which enforces employment discrimination laws. Professor Miller is the director of the UW's Disability Studies Program and currently serves as a member of the board of Mental Disability Rights International. He is a member of the Ethics, Legal and Social Implications Research Advisory Board of the Human Genome Project at the National Institutes of Health.

### **UW LOAN REPAYMENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM RECEIVES STATE FUNDING**

A \$500,000 appropriation for the UW School of Law loan repayment assistance program (LRAP) endowment fund, included in the Washington state 2007-09 budget, was signed by Governor Christine Gregoire May 15. The money is slated to provide UW law school graduates who pursue careers in public interest legal positions with payment assistance toward their student loan debt.

"This is such a win for students," said Public Interest Law Association (a UW law student organization), co-president and 3L Sonja Jacobsen. "This is the culmination of work by UW law students since at least 1994 to formalize a loan repayment program."

"Rep. Jeannie Darneille (D) really went to the mat for us and championed this budget item," added Jacobsen. "We are grateful for her support." LRAP also had the support of King County Prosecutor Norm Maleng ('66), Washington Attorney General Rob McKenna, UW President Mark Emmert, Puget Sound legal aid organizations, and the UW Graduate Student Senate.

Under the new budget, \$250,000 will go into the LRAP endowment in July 2007 and the additional money will be available in matching funds. The Washington legislature will match up to \$250,000 raised by the law school for LRAP during the 2008 fiscal year. Money will

be available to law school graduates from any year who meet the income, employment, and educational debt qualifications.

### **NOW SELECTING BASIC LEGAL SKILLS TEACHING FELLOWS**

*Help others while you polish your own skills!*

Teaching Fellows work with small groups of approximately 25 first-year law students under the supervision of the Basic Legal Skills faculty. TFs lead workshops and hold office hours to help with skills such as case briefing and synthesis, statutory interpretation, legal research, writing style and organization, and citation form. TFs also provide feedback on short, ungraded writing and research assignments.

The time commitment fluctuates, but TFs can expect to work an average of 8-10 hours per week for about 8 weeks during fall, 5 hours per week for about 8 weeks in winter, and 3-4 hours per week for about 7 weeks in spring. Current TFs are paid \$15.00/hour.

**To obtain the qualifications, requirements and application process information, see:**

[http://www.law.washington.edu/courses/bls\\_0607/TeachingFellow.html](http://www.law.washington.edu/courses/bls_0607/TeachingFellow.html)

**Deadline for applications is June 4, 2007.**

### **INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FORENSIC LINGUISTS**

**8th Biennial Conference on Forensic Linguistics & Language and Law, University of Washington Seattle, Washington, 12th-15th July 2007**

Consider attending a wonderful conference right here at UW: Forensic Linguistics/Language and Law! Check the website for abstracts of dozens of presentation topics including forensic linguistics, comparative law, legal discourse analysis, interpretation issues, and language-access law. Both national and international presenters are represented. Discounted student registration rates are available. For more information,

<http://depts.washington.edu/iafl/>. Questions, contact Ann Wennerstrom, [akw@u.washington.edu](mailto:akw@u.washington.edu).

## STUDENT CALENDAR AND NEWS

**Monday, May 28** *Memorial Day – University Closed*

**Tuesday, May 29** **Dwyer Jury Prize Award & TGI-Tuesday, On The Terrace, 3:30-5:30PM**  
**MCHB Judges' Recognition Reception, Room 115, 5:00-8:30PM**

**Wednesday, May 30** **Law Women's Caucus Steering Committee Meeting, Rm 119, 12:30-1:20PM**  
**SBA Graduation Toast on the Terrace, 3:00-5:00PM**

**Thursday, May 31**

**Friday, June 1**

The University of Washington is committed to providing access, equal opportunity and reasonable accommodation in its services, programs, activities, education and employment for individuals with disabilities. To request disability accommodation contact the Disability Services Office at least ten days in advance at: 206.543.6450/V, 206.543.6452/TTY, 206.685.7264 (FAX), or e-mail at [dso@u.washington.edu](mailto:dso@u.washington.edu)

### **TGI-TUESDAY 5/29/07: UWLS Hosts the Federal Bar Association**

The FBA will come to campus to host a TGI-Tuesday on May 29, 2007 from 3:30-5:30PM on the Gates Hall Terrace. The winner of the William L. Dwyer Jury Project Writing Competition will be announced on this date. One or more \$1,000 awards will be offered to the winner of this annual writing competition focused on the American jury system.

The FBA will generously provide pizza, beer, and soda pop for this event so take a study break and join us on the terrace for the last big social event of the year at UWLS.

Contact [megvogel@u.washington.edu](mailto:megvogel@u.washington.edu) with any questions.

### **“THE INTELLECTUAL COMMONS OF GENDER”**

**Department of English and the Simpson Center for the Humanities Presents: Sonia Katyal, Associate Professor of Law, Fordham Law School**  
**Wednesday, 5/30, Communications 226, 4:00 p.m.**

Sonia Katyal is Associate Professor at Fordham Law School where she teaches in the areas of intellectual property, property, and civil rights. Prof. Katyal's scholarly work focuses on intellectual property, civil rights, and new media. Her current projects study the

relationship between copyright enforcement and privacy (as applied to peer-to-peer technology); and the impact of artistic expression and parody on corporate identity, advertising, and brand equity. She is the winner of three awards for her scholarly work: her paper, "Exporting Identity," received a Dukeminier Award in 2002; in 2004, another paper, "The New Surveillance," won the Yale Cybercrime Award; and her most recent paper, "Semiotic Disobedience," was awarded an Honorable Mention in the 2006 Scholarly Papers Competition by the American Association of Law Schools, and was recently profiled in the New York Times Magazine. In this talk Professor Katyal focuses on how U.S. law understands the relationship between gender and sex, arguing that recent anti-discrimination claims by transgender rights activists demand a significant rethinking of that understanding. The paper attempts to provide both a theoretical starting point to reanalyze the relationship between sex and gender, and, to develop a normative theory that offers a new way to conceive of their relationship that might provide another vantage point in demonstrating the limits of its own jurisprudence. Building on her prior work on international human rights and performance theory, she introduces a necessary conversation between the arenas of gender and sex through a sustained analysis of property theory as it relates to the categorization of gender through the prisms of real space and cyberspace. And, she will argue that in order to understand the relationship between sex and gender, it might be helpful to explore a parallel type of affiliation between property and intellectual property, promoting the thesis *that sex is to gender as property is to intellectual property*.