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

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Please note that there are no classes on Monday, January 19th due to the Martin Luther King Jr holiday.

WINTER QUARTER EXAM SCHEDULE

The exam schedule for Winter Quarter can be viewed at: http://www.law.washington.edu/Students/examschedule.html.

There has been a change in the 1L testing schedule from the version issued earlier this week. The Law School Exam Policy allows for rescheduling of an exam if a student has more than one exam on one day, or three or more over three consecutive calendar days. DO NOT DISCUSS RESCHEDULING WITH YOUR PROFESSOR.

If you need to reschedule an exam, please come to Academic Services, room 361, for the reschedule request form.

WINTER QUARTER GRADUATES

J.D. students who are planning to graduate at the end of the Winter Quarter need to get a graduation application from Academic Services, complete it and return it to Academic Services by January 30th.

AUTUMN QUARTER GRADES

The Law School grade deadline for Autumn quarter grades is January 20th.

When the grades are received at Academic Services, the reports are processed (this involves converting the scores received by exam number to a record that identifies the students), and then sent in a file to the office where they’re posted to transcripts.

This process involves multiple steps, and it often takes several days to get the grades onto student transcripts.

1Ls and any students in continuing courses will receive an “N” on their transcripts (indicating satisfactory progress in a continuing quarter course), and will pick up their exam scores (if applicable) from Academic Services after they are processed.

For any graded class with an enrollment of over 15 students, a distribution of grades report is prepared. These reports are kept in a binder that can be seen at Academic Services, room 361.

PLANNING ON TAKING THE *CALIFORNIA BAR EXAM* THIS YEAR???

Bar review classes for the California Bar Exam will only be held in Seattle if enough northwest students sign up.

For this reason it is important that we all band together early and annoy them until they agree to hold classes here.

If you will be taking the California Bar this year, please contact Christopher Sweeney, 3L at sweeneyc@u.washington.edu for more information.

Thank you.
February 28, 2004 deadline.

Apply on the web at www.fafsa.ed.gov or come to WHG 362 or Schmitz 105 for a paper copy. We recommend you transmit or mail your application no later than February 15, 2004. This is in order to be received by the federal processor by the February 28, 2004 deadline.

The University of Washington School Code #003798.

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Services Offered
Our office provides individual career counseling, resume
and cover letter review, mock interviews, and year-round
workshops and programs. Please check in at the reception
desk if you are interested in meeting with someone.

CAREER SERVICES EVENTS CALENDAR &
GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

JANUARY

RESUME REVIEW
We are currently reviewing resumes and cover
letters and encourage you to bring yours in or e-mail them
to the main e-mail at careerps@u.washington.edu for
review. Resumes/cover letters received at the front desk are
stamped with a date and time, and reviewed in the order
they are received. Please allow 3 – 5 business days for your
materials to be returned to you.

When completed, we will place the materials in
your mailbox downstairs, and send you e-mail notification.
Once you have reviewed our comments, we would be happy
to make an appointment with you to discuss any questions
you might have.

If you would like to review the handouts from the
resume and cover letter workshop, they are on our website
We look forward to meeting with you and assisting
you with your job search!

THE SMALL FIRM DATABASE currently featuring
small firm information for Cowlitz, Lewis, Pierce, Skagit,
Snohomish, Thurston, and Whatcom counties is now
available. The information can be found in the Career
Services Center or online in pdf format at the Career
Services Homepage. King County will be included in this
database soon!

JANUARY EVENTS

1L Mock Interview Program
Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday
January 20 - 22, 2004, 5:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

WSTLA Information Session/Reception
Washington State Trial Lawyers Association Information
Session & Reception will be held Tuesday, January 27th,
4:00–5:30, Perkins Coie Room (room 115).

Careers in Small Firm Panel
Wednesday, January 28th, 12:30-1:20, Rm. 119

PILA Fundraising Basics Alumni Panel
Wednesday, January 28th, 3:30-4:50, Rm. 119

Other Events TBA

FEBRUARY

NW Public Service Career Fair
Saturday, February 7, 2004, Seattle Center

Dates for these events will be announced when finalized:
King County Prosecuting Attorney 1L interviews
Washington State Attorney General 1L interviews
Diversity Fellowship 1L Interviews
Other Events TBA

EXTERNSHIPS
New externship opportunities are now available on our Career
Services website! There are 21 federal judicial externship
opportunities for 1L's, 2L's, & 3L'S (12 with Federal Court of
Appeals Judges). Some of these judges have expressed
specific interest in UW Law School students. If you would like
specific information regarding these judges, please see Arleen
Nand in Career Services (pservice@u.washington.edu).

There are numerous other externships also available. Please
visit the Career Services website at
www.law.washington.edu/Career/ and click under “Available
Externships” to view more opportunities. An example follows.

Summer 2004 Federal Appellate Externship
Classes: 1L's, 2L's
Deadline: Monday, January 26th 2004
Externship with the Honorable Sonia Sotomayer. Summer
Externship in the chambers of a 2d Circuit Judge
When: June – late August/September (roughly 40 hours/week)
Application requirements: Please send the following
materials to Melissa Murray, law clerk to Judge Sotomayor via
mail by January 26.
1. Cover letter
2. Resume (some law journal editorial experience preferred;
1L's emphasize your pre-law school writing experience!)
3. 2 References
4. Legal writing sample
Contact Information:
The Honorable Sonia Sotomayer
United States Circuit Judge
40 Foley Square
New York, NY 10007
Contact Person: Melissa E. Murray, phone: 212-857-2423
Without question, unlimited access to the two premier online legal research tools---LexisNexis and Westlaw---is a special benefit that provides great opportunities to UW law students. Now, while you can explore these resources (for educational purposes) without having to charge a client, is the time you should try to maximize your online research skills. Choosing between these two great research tools frequently boils down to nothing more than selecting the best database coverage provided in your area of research interest.

Say you have a straightforward criminal law problem, one where the defense is going to involve search and seizure issues. To explore and compare databases, go first to the directory of each service.

- In Lexis, the directory can be found on the Search page (click on the Search tab to see this page if it is not already on your screen). Under the subject heading, Area of Law by Topic, you will notice there is no listing for criminal law. No problem---just click on the link, View More Sources. There, you will find a link to Criminal Law, which links you to criminal law cases, court rules, statutes, administrative materials, law journal articles, treatises, news, and more.

- In Westlaw, the directory can be reached from the opening page by clicking on the tab, Directory. Here, you can link to specific-area legal research resources by clicking on the link, Topical Practice Areas. Westlaw’s criminal law database is called Criminal Justice, and it covers much of the same materials as Lexis, i.e., cases, statutes, administrative materials, and rules (broken out by Federal and State), law review articles, news, and treatises. Some of the criminal law materials found in Westlaw, but not in Lexis, include databases on jury instructions, sentencing guidelines, famous trials, and extensive practice materials.

Assume you want to begin your research by doing some background reading on search and seizure. How can you find out what treatises are covered by these two online resources?

- You can locate specific resources in Lexis in one of several ways, but one of the fastest is to click on the tab, Find a Source, and type in the title or keywords in the search box. Typing in the phrase, search and seizure, takes you to the search page for the S&SEIZ database. If you are not sure what material(s) this database covers, click on the small “i” icon at the end of your search trail. The pop-up box shows that this database covers John Wesley Hall’s treatise, Search & Seizure. According to the Lexis description, this book: [U]nlocks the subtleties of search and seizure law and gives you the tools and understanding to ensure that no aspect of your case is overlooked. This two-volume set analyzes exhaustively the principles and applications of search and seizure law, offering detailed treatment of such issues as reasonable expectation of privacy, probable cause, litigating the motion to suppress [sic], and appellate review. It contains extensive case citations illustrating the various interpretations of the Fourth Amendment in search and seizure cases.

Sounds pretty promising, doesn’t it?

- Now, to repeat this simple exercise in Westlaw, one of the interesting features this resource provides is the ability to search by table of contents. Now let’s use Westlaw’s Table of Contents feature. Click on the tab at the top of the opening page, Table of Contents. To find criminal law, search and seizure materials, expand the subject heading, Topical Secondary Sources and Forms. Click on the heading, Criminal Law, and there you will find a link to Search and Seizure: A Treatise on the Fourth Amendment, helpfully broken down by chapter title. The Scope Note tells you that this is Wayne LaFave’s notable work on your subject of interest.

Lexis-Nexis and Westlaw have so much to offer that none of us can possibly keep up with it all. Their broad array of resources is one of the reasons why these two are the premier online legal research tools (with premier costs to match). In addition, both add and delete materials constantly. So, remember that one of the most efficient ways you can tackle a legal research problem online is by first locating the pertinent directories in each service and then comparing the coverage offered by their respective databases.

Learn, compare, collect the facts.

~ Ivan Pavlov
### STUDENT CALENDAR AND NEWS

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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 dso@u.washington.edu

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**GIVE THE GIFT OF LIFE!**

Did you know?<br>Most of us will require a blood transfusion at some point in our lifetimes. To meet the transfusion needs of patients in our community, at least 900 volunteers are needed each weekday.

**PSBC Blood Drive**  <br>Tuesday, January 20  <br>10 am to 12:30 pm; 1:15 pm to 4 pm  <br>Bloodmobile parked in lot N-1, next to W.H. Gates Hall  <br>Sponsored by Student Health Law Organization  <br>Visit this site for online apt. sign up: [http://www.psbc.org/mobiles/giveblood.asp?URL=0935](http://www.psbc.org/mobiles/giveblood.asp?URL=0935)<br>If you have a question regarding your eligibility to donate blood and would like to discuss it with a Blood Center nurse email your question to [clinicalprogram@psbc.org](mailto:clinicalprogram@psbc.org) or call 800-366-2831, x 2301.  <br>For information about the UWLS Blood Drive, contact Craig Allen Gonzales at [cagonzo@u.washington.edu](mailto:cagonzo@u.washington.edu).

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**MLSA, BLSA, NALSA, APALSA and LLSA Joint Meeting**

Please join the Minority Law Students Association, the Black Law Students Association, the Native American Law Students Association, the Asian Pacific American Law Students Association and the Latino Law Students Association at the first meeting of the quarter on Wednesday, January 21st, at 12:30 in Room 117 (different room than last quarter). We will be discussing the exciting events and opportunities planned for this quarter. As usual, lunch will be provided.

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Each year, the Washington Law Review considers papers submitted by second-year students and may select new members based on those papers. If you are a second-year student who has completed, or intends to complete your analytic by the end of winter quarter, the Washington Law Review invites you to submit your paper for consideration. This year, the Washington Law Review intends to invite up to 2 new members to join the law review based on this competition.

Papers must be submitted to the Office of Academic Services in Room 364 of William H. Gates Hall by 1:00 p.m. on Friday, April 9, 2004.

Information regarding the Washington Law Review, competition details, paper expectations, and the selection process is attached, and available online by visiting the Washington Law Review website at: [http://www.law.washington.edu/wlr/membership.htm](http://www.law.washington.edu/wlr/membership.htm).  <br>If you have any additional questions please contact Joe Rehberger at [rehberge@u.washington.edu](mailto:rehberge@u.washington.edu).

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**OUTLAWS MEETING**

Outlaws, the gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender law student group, will be holding a general meeting to discuss possible events for the remaining year.

Time/Location: Tuesday, January 27, from 12:30 - 1:30 in Perkins Coie A. For more information, please email adambc@u.washington.edu.
PATENT BAR EXAM

Congratulations to members of the Law School community who sat for the Patent Bar Exam:

Lisa Sternoff Feldman (IP LLM coordinator)
Greg Plichta (3L)
Kevin Jones (2L)
David Orange (1L)

All four passed!

THE BLACK LAW STUDENTS ASSOCIATION WOULD LIKE TO INVITE YOU TO THE 2ND ANNUAL FROM THE BENCH LECTURE SERIES.

Black Law Students Association is proud to announce the dates of the 2004, From The Bench Lecture Series. From the Bench provides a unique opportunity for judges and law students to discuss historical and contemporary legal issues and developments. We are excited that this year’s series will focus on the Washington State Court of Appeals First Division. Each Judge will share their personal experiences, their perspective on the legal profession and selected cases that they would like to present to the audience. Discussion of the case will focus on its procedural aspects, the substantive issues, and its impact on the greater community.

We invite all students, faculty, and members of the surrounding community to join us for this special event. From the Bench is an excellent opportunity to learn from and interact with local judges. A light lunch will be provided. Save the dates, and we’ll see you at From the Bench!

All presentations will be at 12:30 in Room 127.

- Tuesday, January 27 - Judge Faye C. Kennedy
- Thursday, February 12 - Judge Ronald E. Cox
- Thursday, March 11 - Judge William W. Baker
- Tuesday, April 6 - Judge Anne L. Ellington
- Thursday, May 13 - Judge Mary Kay Becker
- Thursday, May 27 - Judge C. Kenneth Grosse

LAW WOMEN’S CAUCUS SPEAKER

* Interested in legal and political work on women's issues?
* Want to find out what it's like to work at an organization that promotes women's rights?
* Hungry?

Please join the Law Women's Caucus in welcoming Emily Lieberman, fellow at the Northwest Women's Law Center (NWWLC) here in Seattle. She will speak about the NWWLC's legal and political work on women's issues and how students can get involved.

Tuesday, Jan. 20
12:30 pm
Room 119

Lunch will be served.
Realizing that applications for internships/externships with NWWLC are due January 25th, Emily has also graciously offered to answer any questions relating to the application process between now and the deadline. So those of you who want questions answered before Emily's talk, you can reach Emily at ELieberman@nwwlc.org.

Questions? Please e-mail Dawn Noel at dan2@u.washington.edu.

The University of Washington Graduate School & Graduate Opportunities & Minority Achievement Program (GO-MAP) present the Mary Ann & John Mangels Lecture:

Mari J. Matsuda
Professor of Law
Georgetown University Law Center
January 21, 2004 (Wednesday), 7:00 PM
Location: Kane Hall Room 110

Higher Education: The next frontier of the civil rights movement
"What are we teaching our students when we require people of color to leave significant parts of themselves outside the gates of the University."

Professor Matsuda has been breaking new ground in everything that she has done. As the first tenured female Asian American law professor in the United States, Matsuda is, in her own words, an "activist scholar." A powerful practitioner of the critical race theory, she can also be credited as one of its developers. Matsuda is a nationally recognized expert on legal history, civil rights, feminist theory, affirmative action, and hate speech, and is the author of the number articles and books.

Admission is FREE, but seating is limited, so please arrive early!