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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**INTERNATIONAL LAW FACULTY CANDIDATE INTERVIEWS**

The Initial Appointments Committee invites all students to attend the student interviews and colloquia for two faculty candidates in international law this Monday, January 26 and Wednesday, January 28. On both Monday and Wednesday the student interviews will run from 9:30-10:30 a.m. in 441, and bagels and coffee will be provided. The Monday colloquium will be held in the Perkins Coie room (115) from 12:30-1:30; a light lunch will be served at noon. The Wednesday colloquium will be held in room 119 from 12:30-1:20. Students are welcome at all events - Please come and tell the Committee what you think!

These are the second and third candidates for the lateral International Law position to be filled this winter/spring. Please come ask questions!

**WINTER QUARTER ROOM CHANGES**

**A 577 Immigration Law (Brown, Benson):** Monday classes will be held in room 117 for the rest of the quarter. The class will continue to meet in room 119 on other days of the week.

**B551 Comparative Law Seminar (Clarke, Linnan):** Class will be held in room 119 for the rest of the quarter.

**SPRING QUARTER COURSE: DISABILITY LAW**

I hope you will join me for Disability Law! Disability Law will be offered this spring on Mondays and Wednesdays from 8:05 a.m. (yawn!) until 9:20 a.m. This is different than the block schedule, which listed it from 8:30 - 9:20 three days per week. In the course we study the ADA (employment, governmental programs, and public accommodations), special education law, institutional and community living, guardianship, and other areas that might be helpful for those considering a career in health law, education law, elder law, or employment law. It is intended as a broad-based class to catch all different types of interests.

This course is a prerequisite to the Disability Law clinic, which was launched this year. The clinic has a 5 week classroom component taught by myself and Ele Hamburger of Columbia Legal Services. The rest of the clinic takes place on site at Columbia Legal Services.

Please feel free to e-mail or call me with any questions about the course. Although it is early in the morning, it is only twice a week and I believe you will find the experience to be worth it.

Thanks!

Christy Ibrahim
c Thom@oz.net
(206) 405-3240

**FYI:** It is customary to not release the name of the visiting candidate until the day they arrive on campus. Often, the home university is unaware that the candidate is interviewing and we respect their privacy by not publicly announcing their name in advance of their visit.

**3rd YEAR STUDENTS**

Each student is wholly responsible for meeting their graduation requirements. These requirements can be found in the Law School catalog or online at http://www.law.washington.edu/Students/Academics/Gra dReq.html

3rd Year students are encouraged to meet with William Jackson in Academic Services to review their progress towards meeting graduation requirements. Appointments can be made by email at wjackson@u.washington.edu. Review meetings typically take about 10-15 minutes.

**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
Grades for Autumn Quarter are still being received. As grades are received at Academic Services, they 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 at Schmitz Hall where they’re posted to 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 may pick up their exam scores (if applicable) from Academic Services after they are processed.

WINTER QUARTER EXAM SCHEDULE
The exam schedule for Winter Quarter can be viewed at: http://www.law.washington.edu/Students/examschedule.html. This is the official exam schedule for the Law School; disregard any exam times and dates that may appear on your MyUW.

Students who have a scheduling conflict need to request an exam reschedule through Academic Services. The forms and policy information are available at room 361. 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.**

Collaborator Sought for Conference Presentation on Educational Records and Student Privacy Rights

Professor Jane Winn seeks a law student to assist in developing materials analyzing the scope of student privacy rights in educational records created through the use of new instructional technologies. A successful collaboration will lead to a joint presentation at the annual meeting of CALI-Computer Assisted Legal Instruction which will take place here in William H. Gates Hall from June 17-19, 2004. Information about the CALI Annual Meeting will be made available at http://www.cali.org/conference/. This project will examine new instructional technology functions in light of student privacy rights created by the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act, also known as the Buckley Amendment. Interested students should submit a current CV by email to jkwinn1@u.washington.edu.

Jane K. Winn
Professor & Director
Shidler Center for Law, Commerce & Technology
University of Washington School of Law

Attention 3Ls!
YOUNG ALUMNI PROGRAM KICK OFF EVENT!
Thursday, January 29 at 6:30 p.m.
in the Brotman Galleria

Network with established lawyers, provide service to the School/ Association, and connect with your soon-to-be fellow alumni

Half-price student tickets ($12.50) are available through the Law School Alumni Association and require advance registration. To RSVP, contact Marie Hardie at 6-6295 or mhardie@u.washington.edu by Tuesday, January 27, 2004. Attend and make a difference!

LAW FIRM EVENINGS
Presented by the Shidler Center, CASRIP, and Intellectual Property Law & Policy Graduate Program

Throughout the school year, a select group of law firms in the Seattle area will participate in a series of informational sessions. These will allow you to learn more about the practice of I.P. law and technology law in Seattle. The sessions will also allow the law firms to learn more about our degree programs and our students.

DO NOT DISCUSS RESCHEDULING WITH YOUR PROFESSOR.

Winter quarter participants include:

Dorsey & Whitney
February 4, 6:00 p.m.
U.S. Bank Centre
1420 Fifth Avenue
Suite 3400
Seattle, WA 98101-4010

Heller Ehrman/Venture Law Group
March 2, 5:30 p.m.
701 Fifth Avenue
Suite 6100
Seattle, WA
98104-7098

Attendance is limited to 10-12 students per event, and one event per quarter for each student. If you attended a Law Firm Evening last quarter, please give others an opportunity to participate.

Sign up sheets are posted on the bulletin board by the Student Commons area across from Room 133

Questions?: Lisa Sternoff Feldman at lisafeld@u.washington.edu
UWPD Citation Hearing Officer Information Session 1/26
12:30-1:20 WHG 217

Please join current and former University of Washington Police Department Citation Hearing Officers for an informal information session about the job of Citation Hearing Officer. 1L and 2L students who are interested in applying for 2004-2005 positions (training in Spring ’04) should use this session to ask any questions they might have and discover what the experience has to offer. The information session will be held 12:30-1:20, Monday, January 26, in Room 217. Light refreshments and snacks will be provided.

Mary Ellen Krug Scholarship for 3L’s
Applications are now being accepted for the Mary Ellen Krug Scholarship Awards. An award will be made to the student or students who have demonstrated both an interest and proficiency in the fields of labor and employment law and related subjects. The amount of the awards may vary. Applications should include (1) a cover letter explaining the applicant's qualifications, (2) a resume, and (3) two letters of recommendation (preferably faculty members). A Krug Scholarship Committee composed of local practitioners and law professors reviews applications. Applications should be submitted to Arlo Hammontree in the Financial Aid Office. The deadline for submission is March 12, 2003.

ROBERT C. FINLEY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP 2004-2005
The Robert C. Finley Scholarship Fund was created in recognition of Justice Robert Finley’s extraordinary record of service to the legal profession, the system of justice, and the people of the State of Washington. Justice Finley served on the Supreme Court of Washington for 25 years, from 1951 to 1976. During his years on the bench he was known for his compassionate and caring approach and his genuine concern for fairness and justice. Justice Finley was a firm believer in the obligation of citizens to participate in community activities, and led by example in this area through his personal involvement in a wide range of programs and efforts at the local and state levels. He was also a strong advocate of public understanding about the law and was an active leader in advancing Bench - Bar - Press relationships and educational efforts.

This scholarship is specifically restricted to applicants who will be second-year students during the 2004-2005 academic year. The 2003-2004 award was $5,950.

Evaluation of your application will be based on your demonstrated financial need and your response to the following essay question:

Describe your personal interest and involvement in civic or community activities particularly as they may relate to current and emerging societal issues and concerns such as (but not limited to) the environment, the provision of legal services to the poor and under-represented segments of the population, and public understanding of the law.

Although not required, you may also submit a letter of recommendation and a resume as part of your application.

Application deadline is March 5, 2003.

You can find applications for the Finley Scholarship in the Financial Aid Office.

The New 2004-2005 FAFSA is now available!
Apply on the web at www.fafsa.ed.gov or come to WHG 362 or Schmitz 105 for a hard copy application. We recommend you transmit or mail your application no later than February 15, 2003. This is in order to be received by the federal processor by the February 28, 2003 deadline.

University of Washington School Code #003798.

OUTSIDE FELLOWSHIPS, SCHOLARSHIPS & WRITING CONTESTS

Copies of materials for the fellowships, scholarships & writing competitions listed below, and further information, is available in room 362.

Davis Wright Tremaine LLP Diversity Scholarships
The Diversity Scholarships are open to all first-year law students of color, or others of diverse backgrounds. Three scholarships consisting of a paid Summer Clerkship and $7,500 for the student’s second year tuition. Deadline for application materials is January 30, 2004.

Greater Seattle Business Association and the Pride Foundation
The Greater Seattle Business Association, Pride Foundation and allied communities grant scholarships of up to $5,000 each to build leadership and promote diversity in the lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender community.

The Customs and International Trade Bar Association
The Andrew P. Vance Memorial Writing Competition is accepting papers from students who are interested in careers in customs and international trade law. Prizes range from $250 to $750. Deadline for submissions is May 1, 2004.

Food and Drug Law Institute
The H. Thomas Austern Memorial Writing Competition encourages papers from law students interested in the areas of law that affect foods, drugs, devices, cosmetics and biologics. Papers must be received no later than June 15, 2004.

International Association of Defense Counsel
The 2004 IADC Legal Writing Contest is interested in articles on a subject of practical concern to lawyers engaged in the defense or management of the defense of civil litigation. Prizes range from $500 to $2,000. Deadline for articles is April 19, 2004.

The New 2004-2005 FAFSA is now available!
CAREER SERVICES CENTER
Room 346
Office Hours 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
(206) 543-9097
General office questions may be directed to careerps@u.washington.edu
Public Service or Externship questions may be directed to pservice@u.washington.edu

January Events

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

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

February

Visa Practicum Workshop
Tuesday, February 3, 2004, 12:00 – 1:20, Room 119
For students with F-1 Visa Status come see how you may be able to maintain your status as a student for 9 more months while working in your major field of study and get paid for it.

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

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 at http://www.law.washington.edu/career/Job/jobTips.html.

We look forward to meeting with you and assisting you with your job search!

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RESUME REVIEW

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Dates for the events listed below will be announced when they are 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 29 federal judicial externship opportunities for 1L’s, 2L’s, & 3L’s (14 with Federal Court of Appeals Judges). Some of these judges have expressed specific interest in University of Washington 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.

KCSC Judicial Externship Program
The Law School is excited to announce the new King County Superior Court Judicial Externship Program (KCSC Externship Program). Seven Judges and Commissioners have requested externs for Spring Quarter. The time commitment is flexible. This is a great way to polish your legal writing skills. Externs will work on both civil and criminal motions.

The following Judges and Commissioner have announcements posted on the Career Services website. Please visit the Career Services website at www.law.washington.edu/Career/ and click under “Available Externships”:
Judge Steve Gonzales
Judge Michael Hayden
Judge Douglas McBroom
Judge Catherine Shaffer
Commissioner Kimberly Prochnau
Summer 2004 Federal Appellate Externship in New York
Classes: 1L’s, 2L’s
Deadline: Monday, January 26th 2004
Externship with the Honorable Sonia Sotomayer. Summer Externship in the chambers of a 2nd 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: Melissa E. Murray, phone: 212-857-2423
The Honorable Sonia Sotomayer
United States Circuit Judge
40 Foley Square
New York, NY 10007

Summer 2004 Externship with the King County Prosecuting Attorney’s Office
Classes: 1L’s
Criminal Division Legal Externship Program
Duties: The externship program is designed to give students a meaningful experience and exposure to our law practice. Duties may include witness contact, coordination and interviews; legal research and writing; and general preparation and support during trial.
Qualifications: A genuine interest in criminal law and procedure; basic legal and writing skills. All externs are required to complete an application and pass a criminal history check prior to working for this office.
Summer externships are reserved for students between their first and second years of law school. Students in their second and third years of law school are eligible to apply for externships during the school year only.
Selection Process: Interested candidates should send a resume and cover letter to Becky Gifford, Personnel Manager at becky.gifford@metrokc.gov or by mail at W554 King County Courthouse, 516 - 3rd Ave., Seattle, WA 98104 by February 13, 2004. An extern selection committee will interview qualified candidates. Please e-mail Becky Gifford at becky.gifford@metrokc.gov with any questions about externship opportunities.

Fellowships
Please visit the Career Services website at www.law.washington.edu/Career/ and click under “Available Fellowships” to view more opportunities.

HUMAN RIGHTS CAMPAIGN (HRC)
As the nation’s largest lesbian and gay political organization, HRC is dedicated to ending discrimination, securing equal rights and protecting the health and safety of lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender (LGBT) Americans.
Description of Law Fellow Duties. HRC appoints up to four full-time (37.5 hours/week) or part-time (12 hours/week) Law Fellows for the spring and fall semesters and four full-time summer Law Fellows. Law Fellows work with HRC attorneys, outside counsel with major national law firms, lobbyists, organizational allies, and Congressional and White House staff members on legislative, regulatory and internal corporate matters.
Qualifications. Applicants should possess a strong academic record at an accredited American law school, excellent interpersonal, legal research and writing skills, and an interest in civil rights, policy and/or nonprofit lawyering. 1Ls, 2Ls, 3Ls and LL.M. candidates are eligible. Competition for Fellowships is keen, averaging between 20 and 25 applications for each Fellowship.
How to Apply. Interested candidates should send a cover letter, résumé, brief writing sample (5 pages or less), the names of two references, and a law school transcript to: Kevin Layton, General Counsel/Legal Director, Human Rights Campaign; 1640 Rhode Island Avenue NW; Washington, DC 20036. Should you have questions about the application process, please contact paralegal Cheryl Henson, at cheryl.henson@hrw.org.
Time Commitment and Stipends. Fall and Spring Law Fellows receive a stipend depending on the weekly time commitment over a minimum 13-week term. Summer Law Fellowships are available only as full-time positions for an 11-week term with a stipend. In addition to granting the stipend, HRC will cooperate in a Law Fellow’s application for additional remuneration, including public interest grants and academic credit.
Application Deadlines. Deadlines are as follows (because HRC receives the majority of applications well in advance of these deadlines and selects Law Fellows on a rolling basis, it is wise to apply as early as possible):
Fall Law Fellowships – First Tuesday in July
Spring Law Fellowships – First Tuesday in November
Summer Law Fellowships – First Tuesday in March

Summer Internship Abroad
Please stop by Career Services if you would like to see the full announcement.

Umegae Chuo Law Office, established in 1972, is a progressive law firm in Osaka, consisting of 11 lawyers. Their main areas of practice are litigation, corporate, commercial transactions, bankruptcy, real estate and intellectual property. The firm is interested in 1Ls & 2Ls for their 2004 Summer Internship Program. The program is designed to provide the intern with an excellent experience in the practice of law in Japan, along with providing the law firm with an opportunity to interact with future American attorneys who have an interest in Japan. Although interns will not be compensated, the firm will be providing roundtrip transportation between Japan and the United States, local daily transportation to the office, along with providing a stipend to offset some of the living expenses during the summer. Japanese language fluency is required.
E-mail or Fax resume and cover letter to:
Richard Gabbert
E-mail: rgabbert@ameritech.net
Fax: 773-913-6481
Telephone interviews will be scheduled with candidates starting in late January 2004.
LAYING A FOUNDATION
---R. Lee Sims, Reference Librarian

Remember the last time you had to jiggle the handle on your toilet to get it to stop running? To fix your toilet did you consult a book about the theory of toilets or the history of toilets? No, of course you didn't. You consulted a "how to" book on toilet repair. (Okay---maybe you just called a plumber.)

Likewise, if you want to get some evidence admitted at trial, you might turn to a good "how to" book on evidence. One of the best is Evidentiary Foundations by Edward J. Imwinkelried, the most recent edition of which can be found at Reference Area at KF8935 .I45 2002.

Unfortunately, many attorneys (and law students competing in mock trial) do not know how to lay a proper foundation for the evidence they want to have admitted. An evidentiary foundation is a series of preliminary or predicate questions counsel asks to show that the evidence about to be adduced is relevant, competent material that should properly be considered by the trier of fact. These preliminary questions can be quite simple or exceedingly complex. The strength of Evidentiary Foundations is not the law that it cites: there are no case citations in this book, only citations to the Federal Rules of Evidence. Instead, this book is concerned with the nuts and bolts of how to get evidence admitted.

This treatise not only details what is required and why; it literally provides the practitioner with a script of what questions to ask and in what order to ask them. For example, a lawyer must lay a complicated foundation before having an expert witness testify. The witness must be qualified as an expert (the expert’s credentials as an expert must be examined) and the judge must determine that the expert has something relevant to say. Evidentiary Foundations provides several word-for-word examples of what questions to ask of an expert and an indication of what the right answers must be to allow the expert to state his or her opinion.

The first edition of this book was published the year after I was admitted to the bar. It soon became a standard in trial practice. In 1989, during the trial of a first degree murder case, an issue arose regarding the proper foundation for a certain piece of evidence (a blood stained rug). Within seconds the prosecutor, the judge, and I were all consulting our own copies of the latest edition of Evidentiary Foundations. The problem was quickly resolved and the trial moved forward. It’s that good.

Two of the other standard practice manuals on evidence are American Jurisprudence Proof of Facts (now in its third series), KF8933 .A42 1988 at Reference Area, and American Jurisprudence Trials, KF8915 .A74 at Reference Area. Other recent entries into the field of practical advice are Examining Witnesses by Michael E. Tigar (published by ABA), KF8950 .T54 2003 at Classified Stacks, and Trial Handbook by Kent Sinclair (published by PLI), KF8915 .S56 2002 at Reference Area. Locate other practice materials on evidence in MARIAN by using the keyword search feature and the word “evidence.” You will get lots of hits but they are easy to sort through. Practice or "how to" books are often published by the American Bar Association or the Practicing Law Institute.

And for students and practitioners trying to tackle the mysteries of the Washington Rules of Evidence, some resources we have available that are specific to this jurisdiction include:

- Stephen A. Saltzburg, John Mitchell, & Fred Tausend, Washington Evidence Trial Book: Objections, Offers of Proof, Rulings on the Record, and Limiting Instructions, KFW540 .S34 1999 at Reference Area; and

Conducting a finely tuned trial, like repairing a finely tuned toilet, frequently turns upon an underlying knowledge of the basic nuts and bolts of the matter. Over in the Engineering Library you can doubtless come across any number of "how to" books on the mechanics of toilets; here at Gallagher Law Library, you might want to check out some of our "how to" books on laying evidentiary foundations in an expeditious and professional manner.

EVIDENTIARY TRIVIA
Match the quotation with the author to become eligible to win your choice of great prizes. Turn in your written response to a Reference Librarian by noon on Wednesday, January 28, 2004.

1. "It is for ordinary minds, and not for psychoanalysts, that our rules of evidence are framed. They have their source very often in considerations of administrative convenience, of practical expediency, and not in rules of logic."

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BLSA ANNOUNCES JUDGE FAYE KENNEDY, FROM THE BENCH.

Black Law Students Association (BLSA) is proud to announce Judge Faye Kennedy, January 27, 2004 at 12:30pm in Room 127. Judge Kennedy will provide valuable insights on effective Appellate Advocacy.

Judge Kennedy was elected to the Court of Appeals in 1990 and was previously a clerk for the Washington State Supreme Court, a prosecutor, and a private practitioner. Judge Kennedy is a past-president of the Snohomish County Bar Association, and has served as a member of the Board of Directors of the Washington Trial Lawyers Association and as a member of the Washington State Bar Association's Client Security Fund and Law Office Management Committees. She was a member of the Washington State Bar Association's Family Law Section Executive Committee for four years, and was secretary and CLE coordinator for the section until 1990. Judge Kennedy is currently a member of the Washington State Gender and Justice Commission and the Washington State Domestic Relations Commission.

We invite all law students to join us for this lecture. From the Bench is an excellent opportunity to learn from and interact with Judge Kennedy in a less formal atmosphere. A light lunch will be served. Save the date, and we'll see you January 27, 2004, 12:30pm, Room 127, at From the Bench!

John Adams, Arguments in Defense of the Soldiers in the Boston Massacre Trials, December 1770
Henry David Thoreau, Journal, November 11, 1850
John J. Sirica, Ruling on obtaining Watergate tapes from President Nixon, Christian Science Monitor, September 15, 1974
Mark Twain, Personal Recollections of Joan of Arc, 1896
Benjamin Cardozo, Shepard v. United States, 290 US 96 (1933)

KCSC JUDICIAL EXTERNSHIP PROGRAM

The Law School is delighted to announce the launch of the King County Superior Court Judicial Externship Program (“KCSC Externship Program”). Due to the collaborative efforts of King County Superior Judge Catherine Shaffer and Professor Craig Allen, students now have the opportunity to work directly with local judges on a wide range of civil and criminal motions. Although a number of opportunities will be available next quarter, the following Winter Quarter judicial externship is currently available for 2L’s and 3L’s.

Judge/Commissioner: Commissioner Prochnau
Hours: 6-12 hours a week, preferably on Wednesdays
Best Method to Contact: Email Kimberley.Prochnau@METROKC.GOV
Application Materials: Cover letter, resume, references, law school transcript, and writing sample
Deadline: ASAP

Sincerely,
Steve Calandrillo, on behalf of the Faculty Clerkships Committee


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 Academic Services office in Room 364 of William H. Gates Hall by 1:00 p.m. on Friday, April 9, 2004.

If you have any additional questions please contact Joe Rehberger at rehberge@u.washington.edu.
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**SBA Column**

**Let’s Talk about the Loan Repayment Assistance Plan**

**What is LRAP?**

Loan Repayment Assistance Plans (or “LRAP”s) are programs that pay for law school loans for students engaged in certain types of public service careers. Many states already have LRAP programs that are either administered by the states themselves or by particular schools. The amounts of the awards vary from program to program but many pay half or all of a student’s loan payments for the time that the student is engaged in a public interest career. Many public defenders, prosecutors, low-income legal providers and assistant attorney generals benefit from these programs. The federal government has also considered a bill that would provide federal assistance for public defenders and prosecutors.

In Washington the battle to establish an LRAP program for our state has been undertaken by the Washington State Bar Association (“WSBA”). After many years of failed attempts at establishing an LRAP program through the legislature, the WSBA Board of Governors appointed a taskforce to investigate the idea of an LRAP program. The taskforce presented their findings to the Board last year and the taskforce was then charged with the duty of designing a program and fundraising plan for an LRAP program for our state.

Obviously, one of the biggest obstacles that this, or any plan, will face is raising a substantial amount of money to start this program. Many schools, like Yale and NYU, are able to fund LRAP programs through large endowments which make funding such a program much easier. Since our Law School does not have that large of an endowment, the plan that the Bar is working on may be our best option. Our own Public Interest Law Association (“PILA”) has pledged proceeds from this year’s auction to begin the drive to fund an LRAP program and Dean Knight pledged to match part or all of that amount.
What is going on? What is the SBA doing?
As part of our “keeping public service a priority” pillar the SBA is working to help an LRAP program get off the ground. Dustin Yeager, Staci Smith (the PILA Co-President), two former UW Law SBA Presidents and I have been appointed to the WSBA taskforce. We are also working on having a panel discussion on LRAP, bringing Ron Ward (the WSBA President-elect) to speak at UW and developing a resource center on LRAP programs in the SBA office (a primary project of our interns, Gary Manca and Allice Kim).

There is also a great deal of excitement on our Board and in the Administration that Michael Mendelson is now working in the Career Services office. At the last law school where Michael worked he created and implemented an LRAP-style program. While we have a long way to go and can not create a functioning program tomorrow, we are all trying to lay the foundation for future law students to consider careers in public service without the fear of an insurmountable debt burden.

What can I do to help?
There are three principal ways you can help this cause:

1) Join the LRAP taskforce. The taskforce needs people willing to work on projects designed to create a Washington LRAP program. For more information on how to join the taskforce e-mail Dustin Yeager (yeager@u.washington.edu) or me (mclassen@u.washington.edu);

2) Volunteer to help gather donations or complete other tasks for the PILA auction. For more information on the PILA auction e-mail Staci Smith (staci@u.washington.edu) or Dustin;

3) Volunteer to help gather information to develop the SBA resource center on LRAP. For more information on how to help with this project please e-mail me.

The SBA always needs as many hands as we can get so please e-mail us if you are interested in helping out with LRAP.

More information
For more information on LRAP please visit the SBA office or the ABA website for setting up new LRAP programs (www.abanet.org/legalservices/downloads/lrap/statelraptoolkit.pdf)

Young Alumni Night
The first “Young Alumni Night” will be held this coming Thursday, January 29, 2004, at William H. Gates Hall. All 3Ls are encouraged to attend this event for the discounted price of $12.50. The night should provide a great way for students to get involved in our Alumni Association before they graduate and meet law school alumni from the last twenty years. The SBA is also looking for ten additional volunteers to represent different student organizations and help with tours of the building (these individuals get free admission to the event). If you are interested in representing your student organization please e-mail Alena Ciecko (aciecko@u.washington.edu) or me with your name and contact information.

Have a great week.
Maurice

NALSA BINGO
The Native American Law Student Association is hosting BINGO on Monday, January 26 at 6PM in Room 138. *Free Pizza! $10 and get you a three-card sheet for all regular games. Prizes include(but are not limited to): $500 Barbr, $500 Rigos, $50 Bestbuy, $50, Ezell's Chicken, blankets, computer bags & more.

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.

BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT
SELA (Sports and Entertainment Law Association) is going to host a law school 5 on 5 basketball tournament and we are looking for Co-ed, Mens and Women's teams to participate. The tournament will be one Saturday morning this quarter (time TBD depending on people's schedules) If you have a team or are an individual looking to play in the tournament please contact Dutch at Schote@u.washington.edu.

ATTENTION: VETS.
The Military Law Association will host Mr. Rick Knight -- patent attorney, Military Academy graduate and former Army Officer -- to speak on applying military experience to the practice of law. He will address career options, resume "tactics," and possibly even networking ideas for law students with military experience.
Join us for lunch on Tuesday, January 27th, in Room 116, 12:30 - 1:20.
Pizza and drinks will be served.
Questions, contact Bruce Ross, baross@u.washington.edu