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.

**Dates to Keep in Mind**

- November 11  Veterans’ Day Holiday
- November 24-25  Thanksgiving Holiday
- December 7  Last day of classes
- December 8 & 9  Review sessions
- December 12-16  Final exam period (J.D.’s)

**WINTER QUARTER REGISTRATION APPROACHES**

Registration will soon start for law students. Now is the time for 2L, 3L, and Asian Law students to review their “adjusted schedules” (available via the link found at http://www.law.washington.edu/Students/).

**ACTION STEP:** If you are a student who has made additional requests for classes and have more than 16 credits in “accept” status, you need to choose what you wish to take and “decline” the other classes now. These choices need to be made before we start entering the Add codes needed for registration.

Students may stay on a waiting list for a class, or even request another class, but need to keep their “accept” status total at 16 credits or below (unless they have a course overload completed and approved).

**WINTER QUARTER SCHEDULE CHANGES**

(updated block schedules available online)

**Addition**

- Law A 515 – Business Organizations (Kummert) will be offered MTWThF 8:30-9:20am

**Cancelled**

- Law A 557 – Foreign Affairs & Constitution (Allen)
- Law B 552 – Representing Start-ups (Kummert)

**Changed to Spring Quarter**

- Law B 599 – Human Rights in China (Visiting Professor Fu)
- Law E 579 – International Research (Hotchkiss)

**DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS**

**OCTOBER 30th**

Be sure to turn your clocks back one hour on Saturday night.

**ATTENTION 1L’S: Volunteers needed at the Housing Justice Project.**

**WHAT:** Training for Volunteer Legal Assistants at the Housing Justice Project

**WHEN:** Friday November 4, 2005 12:30-4:45 (Free Lunch Provided)

**WHERE:** UW School of Law, Room 217

The Housing Justice Project (HJP) will be holding a training session on Friday November 4 to train new Volunteer Legal Assistants.

HJP is a homelessness prevention project managed by the Community Legal Services Program at the King County Bar Association. HJP offers eligible clients counsel and advice on housing issues, representation at Eviction Show Cause hearings, negotiated settlements, and referrals. HJP operates clinics located in Kent (at the Kent Regional Justice Center) and Seattle (at the King County Courthouse). Volunteering as an HJP legal assistant is an excellent opportunity to contribute to the community, learn about landlord-tenant law, network with experienced attorneys, and feel the reward of helping clients in need.

Volunteer legal assistants handle client intake and provide additional support to attorneys volunteering at the clinics. They are responsible for opening the clinic; prioritizing and processing clients; completing basic research on issues and/or clients’ previous visits to the clinic; providing clerical support; and preparing the clinic for the following day.

The training will include an overview of landlord/tenant law, instructions on how to conduct the intake process, tips for working with clients, and more! This training is free and required for new HJP volunteer legal assistants.

Registration / Questions: Contact Amanda Kale at AmandaK@KCBA.org or 206.267.7028 by Wednesday, November 2nd.
Looking for Journals?
by Kristy Moon

If you’re looking for journal articles, you have vast resources at your disposal. The Law Library subscribes to almost all the law reviews and journals published by the 190 ABA-approved law schools. UW Libraries subscribe to thousands of other journals.

- **Catalog**
  If you have a citation to an article, search the Law Library catalog, [http://marian.law.washington.edu/](http://marian.law.washington.edu/), or the UW Libraries catalog, [http://catalog.lib.washington.edu/search](http://catalog.lib.washington.edu/search) to see if the journal is available in print or electronically. Search for the title of the journal, not the article.

  Tip: For the Law Library’s catalog, do keywords search and limit your search to “Serials only.” For the UW Libraries’ catalog, click on “Journal searches” and the screen will turn blue. Now books won’t be included in your search results!

- **Indexes**
  If you don’t have a citation, you might begin with an index. For online indexes, go to the Law Library’s homepage and click on “Legal Databases & Indexes” under the heading “Research.” LegalTrac indexes articles from 1980, *Index to Foreign Legal Periodicals* indexes articles from 1985, and *Current Index to Legal Periodicals* indexes articles published in the last six weeks. (For an in-depth look at LegalTrac, read the article below.)

  The Law Library also has print indexes such as *Current Law Index*, *Index to Legal Periodicals*, and *Index to Foreign Legal Periodicals* (K33 Reference Area).

  Once you retrieve a citation using an index, you’re ready to search the catalog (see above).

- **Full-text searching**
  You can bypass the index and the catalog and instead do full-text keywords searches. *LexisNexis*, *Westlaw*, and *Hein Online* will allow you to do this. For LexisNexis, once you log on, choose the “Law Reviews & Journals” file under the “Secondary Legal” folder. For Westlaw, once you log on, click on the “Journals and Law Reviews” link under the heading “Secondary Sources.” Both services provide full text of many law review and journal articles from early 1990s onward.

LegalTrac Gets Relevant
by Cheryl Nyberg

LegalTrac is a great tool for identifying law review articles by subject. Recently, a new search option became available on LegalTrac: the Relevance search.

Click on Legal Databases & Indexes link (under Research on the Law Library’s homepage, [http://lib.law.washington.edu/](http://lib.law.washington.edu/)).

Click on LegalTrac.

The navigation bar on the left provides several search options, including the new Relevance search.

The Relevance search retrieves up to 200 articles that match your search terms, with the most relevant articles listed at the top, whereas search results from the Keyword, Advance, and Journal searches appear in reverse chronological order (most recent articles listed first).

Give the Relevance search a try the next time you want to find law review articles.

Bonus: A new PowerPoint slide show that provides step-by-step instructions for using LegalTrac is now available at [http://lib.law.washington.edu/ref/LegalTrac.ppt](http://lib.law.washington.edu/ref/LegalTrac.ppt)
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MATTHEW W. HILL SCHOLARSHIP
2005-2006 $3,100

The Matthew W. Hill Scholarship Fund was established in honor and memory of Justice Matthew Hill who was a member of the State Supreme Court from 1946 to 1969. Justice Hill passed away at age 94 in 1989. The Scholarship Fund was established by gifts from lawyers who served as Justice Hill’s Law Clerks during his 26 years on the Supreme Court, including three who later became Justices of the Supreme Court themselves.

This scholarship is specifically restricted to the support of University of Washington School of Law students who will be second or third-year students during the 2005-2006 academic year.

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

Describe your involvement in civic or community activities and public service. You should discuss involvement in activities and services before or during your Law School career.

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

Applications can be picked up in room 362.

Application deadline is December 2, 2005.

LEGAL AFFAIRS WRITING CONTEST

The competition, which was launched by Legal Affairs magazine and is sponsored by The Marbury Institute of DLA Piper Rudnick Gray Cary LLP, promotes clear, accessible writing about the law. It also provides students a rare chance to be published in an award-winning general-interest magazine. We're asking contestants to make an argument of 1,500 words about a pertinent topic in the law, written in a style that's accessible to general readers and lawyers alike.

The first-place winner will be awarded $2,000, and his or her entry will be published in the "Arguments" section of Legal Affairs. The second-place winner will receive a prize of $1,000, and the third-place winner will be awarded $500. You can find more information about the contest at http://www.legalaffairs.org/contest.msp.

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Room 346
Office Hours 8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. M-TH
8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. FRIDAYS
(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

11/3 - Costco Reception with Joel Benoliel at the Issaquah Costco from 6:00-7:30pm
Come meet with Costco in-house attorneys at the Issaquah Costco Headquarters and learn what it's like to be legal counsel to one of the largest corporations in the nation. The Counsel Group will be there to answer questions and discuss the benefits and challenges of working in-house.

November 3, 6:00 to 7:30 pm
Dinner will be provided
Email pservice@u.washington.edu if you need a ride

Note: You must RSVP on Simplicity by November 1st if you plan on attending!

Please see Symplicity for additional information and to RSVP.

*1L’s, please schedule a November meeting with your career coach if you have not already done so.

Connections Breakfast - November 15th?
Attend the Connections Breakfast on November 15th, from 7:30 to 8:30 am. It is a great opportunity to make connections and visit with alumni, employers, and current law students. This Connections Breakfast focuses on small to mid-size firms, and attorneys who did not find their firm job through the On-Campus Interview process. Come to learn how to get a firm job in a self-initiated job search.

Coffee and pastries will be served.

If you are interested in participating, please RSVP on Simplicity.

Questions? Email pservice@u.washington.edu
Invitation to the Women and Minority Law School Student Intellectual Property Summit

Date: Wednesday, November 9, 2005

Location: Hyatt Regency San Francisco (Grand Ballroom)
5 Embarcadero Center
San Francisco, CA

RSVP: E-mail us at lawIPSum@microsoft.com with your name, telephone number, e-mail address, law school affiliation, and class (e.g., 1L, 2L or 3L). Your contact information will only be used for registration purposes.

Microsoft is bringing together a number of top technology, media, retail and other firms and organizations in an effort to increase awareness of careers in intellectual property, and to encourage women and minority law students to seek careers in this field. The event will include presentations from a number of diverse in-house lawyers at these companies and organizations specifically focused on IP law career opportunities for women and minorities. This event will be followed by a reception which will include the law students, law firms and representatives from all of the participating companies and organizations to foster conversation and interest in our industry.

4:15 PM Registration
5:00 PM Welcome — Bruce Jackson, Microsoft Senior Attorney
5:05 - 6:30 PM Panel discussion with participating companies
6:30 PM Q & A and closing remarks
7:00 - 9:00PM Reception

Participating Companies:

- AOL
- Accenture
- American Express
- Federal Trade Commission
- Fox Broadcasting Co.
- HP
- LSI Logic Corp
- Motion Picture Association of America
- Oracle
- Sony BMG
- Sun Microsystems
- Yahoo
- Walmart


Law Firm Co-Sponsors: Munger, Tolles & Olson LLP; Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP; Preston Gates & Ellis LLP; Perkins Coie LLP; Sidney Austin Brown & Wood LLP; and Woodcock Washburn LLP.

INTERESTED IN BECOMING A STUDENT AMBASSADOR?
An informational meeting for students interested in participating as Student Ambassadors will be held on Monday, October 31, 2005 from 3:30 to 4:30 in Room 115. This meeting is for students who have already signed up to participate in the program as well as students who are interested in hearing more about the program prior to making a commitment to serve. Should you have any questions, please e-mail Francis Timlin ft@u.washington.edu.

WSBA Leadership Institute Seeks Fellows for 2006

The deadline is November 1, 2005!

The Washington State Bar Association seeks applicants for the 2006 Leadership Institute. Ten to twelve young lawyers will be carefully selected for this year's program, which will take place January through September 2006. These fellows will devote at least 70 hours to the Leadership Institute, which includes eight professional development seminars (on topics such as the logistics of legal practice, the judiciary, public versus private sector employment, and the legislative process), participation in a group community service project, and numerous opportunities to interact with the state's legal, judicial and political leaders. Fellows will earn 30 CLE credits. The program is free of charge. Additionally, the Leadership Institute won the prestigious 2005 ABA Partnership Award.

The WSBA recognizes that many newly admitted lawyers, particularly those of color, women, and those from traditionally under-represented groups, have not been recruited for leadership positions or made aware of opportunities for skill development, professional growth, and leadership training that are available through the WSBA. The mission of the WSBA Leadership Institute is to recruit, train and retain Washington attorneys, who have been admitted for ten years or less, for leadership positions in the legal community and in the WSBA, with an emphasis on racial, ethnic, gender, sexual orientation, disability, cultural and geographic diversity within the state.

Applications will be accepted until November 1, 2005, and selected fellows will be notified by the end of November 2005. Application forms and instructions are available on the WSBA website at http://www.wsba.org/lawyers/leadership_institute.htm. For more information please contact Joslyn Donlin at (206) 727-8216 or via email at joslynd@wsba.org.
### 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

### STUDENT ORGANIZATION ANNOUNCEMENTS!

#### TECH LAW SOCIETY - FIRST IP FACULTY PRESENTATION OF THE YEAR

The Technology Law Society presents the first Intellectual Property Faculty Presentation of the year. Please join us next Monday, October 31st at 12:30 in room 118 (bring a brown bag lunch). Professors Gomulkiewicz and Laster will give brief presentations, followed by a Q & A session.

Professor Gomulkiewicz's interests are in intellectual property as it relates to current and new software. While at Preston, Gates, and Ellis, he worked on the Microsoft-Apple graphical user interface case. Professor Laster specializes in international applications of trademarks and copyrights. He is a legal consultant for numerous corporations based in Western Washington. Don't miss this chance to meet two of our IP faculty members and learn more about this field.

#### ATTENTION ALL MEMBERS OF IFAP

This year, the fifth and final IFAP training session will also include training for I-751 visas and U-visas in addition to the I-360 petitions. Members of IFAP who have already been through the training but are planning to take a case (or possibly a second case) this year are encouraged to join us for this last session on Thursday, November 3rd from 4:00-5:30 in Room 133. Andrea Parra of the Northwest Immigrant Rights Project will discuss the petitioning process.

Contact Susan Beecher beeche@u.washington.edu or Joanna Mareth mareth@u.washington.edu with any questions, or to make arrangements to borrow tapes for missed sessions.

#### NALSA MEETING

NALSA will be having its third and most exciting general meeting on Tuesday, November 1 in room 138. Lunch will be served, with style!

Kaat Si Yow Yow (Thanks)
American Constitution Society
presents
Western Regional Director of
People for the American Way &
former Judiciary Committee counsel

Jeff Berman
discussing
Post-Miers Nomination
How we got here and where it’s going
November 2 – 12:30 to 1:20 p.m.
room 133
Non-pizza lunch will be served.

Not just another lunch event!

PILA MEMBERSHIP MEETING

The next PILA membership meeting will be Wednesday, November 2nd in room 117. We will be electing three people to the board of directors (two positions must be filled by 1L’s and the other one is open to anyone). If you are interested in running please write a paragraph describing your interest in PILA, your public interest and fundraising ideas and/or experience and why you’d like to be on the board. Please send your paragraphs to Kim (borowic4@u.washington.edu) by 9pm on Monday, October 31st. If you have any questions, contact Sonja at sonja1@u.washington.edu.

OUTLAWS TWEN WEB PAGE

Outlaws has a new TWEN web page for all students, faculty, and staff members interested in LGBT legal issues. The web page includes a calendar of upcoming events, a discussion section, the Outlaws bylaws, and links to other relevant information.

To join the Outlaws TWEN web page, visit your Westlaw homepage and click on the TWEN link at the top of the page. Next, click on the “Add / Drop Classes” link and add yourself to the Outlaws (2005-06) class.

Please feel free to use the web page discussion forum for longer back-and-forth discussions about events, ideas, or LGBT legal issues that would not be appropriate for the Outlaws email list. To join the email list, visit https://mailman1.u.washington.edu/mailman/listinfo/outlaws

Please join the Center for Human Rights and Justice (CHRJ) and the American Constitution Society (ACS) for a brown bag event:

Rolando López of AJ’CHMOL, the Maya Association for Integrated Development, will speak about the “Mayan Communities’ Resistance to Gold Mining in San Marcos, Guatemala.”

When: Monday, October 31st
Where: UW School of Law, room 133
Time: 12:30 - 1:20

Presentation: Mayan Communities’ Resistance to Gold Mining in San Marcos, Guatemala

Details:
In the past months, AJ’CHMOL has been working with communities in organizing referendums proving overwhelming opposition to the environmentally and socially destructive effects of mining operations.

A recent internal World Bank evaluation heavily criticized the World Bank’s support of the Canadian/U.S. operated Glamis Gold mine in San Marcos. Due to serious health risks & extreme environmental degradation (deforestation of old growth, cyanide leaching into rivers), open-pit mining is now banned in the U.S. The governments of several countries, including Guatemala, have recently suspended new mining licenses.

The Mayan Integral Development Association AJ’CHMOL (ADIMA) is an indigenous rights organization whose name means "the one who weaves" - for ADIMA meaning the weaver of history and life for the Maya Mam and Sipakapense people. AJ’CHMOL works to strengthen organizing initiatives on the community level and to defend and promote indigenous rights. Recently, AJ’CHMOL has been focusing its efforts on accompanying community resistance to gold mining in San Miguel Ixtahuacan and Sipicapa, San Marcos, Guatemala.

In June, members of the community development councils of Sipicapa organized a consultation with residents in 13 communities who voted according to traditional ways against having mining operations in the area. AJ’CHMOL observed the process, supports the communities' right to decide and is advocating on behalf of the communities to ensure that the results of the consultation are legally binding citing the ILO convention 169 on Indigenous Peoples and new decentralization laws.
All first year students are invited to attend a presentation, "How to Prepare for and Take Law School Examinations" by Professor Robert Aronson on Thursday, November 17, 2005 Gates Hall 138 4:00 to 5:30 p.m.

Professor Aronson will offer insight on what distinguishes Law School exams from other types of exams, suggestions on how to focus your study and preparation, and how to monitor your time during the exam itself. He will also respond to questions from those in attendance. Professor Aronson has been offering this popular session annually for over 15 years.

Don't miss this opportunity!

SAVE THE DATE - FEBRUARY 10, 2006

Join us for our 11th year of making shopping, eating and drinking a good deed!

WHAT: Public Interest Law Association Eleventh Annual Auction

WHERE: W Hotel - 4th & Seneca

WHEN: February 10, 2006 5:00 - 10:00pm

The Public Interest Law Association is a student-ran non profit organization dedicated to promoting legal work that serves the public, alleviates suffering, and improves the quality of life for individuals in or community and elsewhere.

WILLIAM O’DOUGLAS SOCIETY - MEETING

The William O’Douglas Society is having its next general meeting on Monday, October 31, 2005 from 12:30 to 1:20 in room 117. We are a new student organization devoted to helping students who want to work outside of Seattle find jobs and establish connections in their desired location. If you are interested in working outside of Seattle or you would like to help our law school gain a national name, come to the meeting. The steering committee along with Dean Sanchez has generated some concrete ideas on how to achieve these goals.

Three other great reasons to join William O’Douglas Society:

1. It is a great excuse to contact attorneys who you might otherwise not feel comfortable approaching.

2. You will discover the helpful tips and pitfalls of others who have searched for jobs elsewhere.

3. If in the future you decide to change jobs, you will have helped build a network of contacts that will make your future job search much easier!

SYLAW Training - Juvenile Records Sealing Clinic

Our training for the Juvenile Records Sealing Clinic is Wednesday, Nov. 2nd. (room tbd) It will run from 4:30-6:30pm. This training is VERY important if you want to work with our Sealing clients this year. Opportunity is open to students from all years.

The Juvenile Records Sealing Clinics are on the third Wednesday of every month. We help lots of great people seal their juvenile criminal records. Clients usually need their records sealed so that they can rent an apartment, apply for jobs or college scholarships, etc. All clients have spent 2-5 years in the community without committing any crimes. The clinics usually run from 6-9pm. We don't require a regular commitment, so you can decide on a month-by-month basis whether you want to volunteer. BUT, you do need to have attended our training!!

It's not required that you RSVP, but if you know that you are going to attend, please e-mail David at davidh4@uwashington.edu so that we have some idea of the head count.

I hope I see many of you there!

Thanks,
Corey Fitzpatrick
SYLAW President