

## TJSL Student Samantha Morales Witnesses SCOTUS History on June 26, 2013



The Crowd Outside the Supreme Court Building



The Prop 8 Plaintiffs Arrive at Court



Samantha Morales (3L) in front of the Supreme Court Building  
(Photos provided by Samantha Morales)

*TJSL student Samantha Morales (3L), who is an intern at the U.S. Department of Justice in Washington, D.C. this summer, was in the courtroom on June 26 when the U.S. Supreme Court read its decisions in the DOMA and Prop 8 cases. Here is her account of the experience:*

Hearing Justice Kennedy say "DOMA is unconstitutional as a deprivation of the liberty of the person protected by the Fifth Amendment" is a moment I will never forget. His words instantly changed the energy of the courtroom as many of us breathed a sigh of relief. Tears of joy fell and exhilarating, yet contained, excitement filled the air.

The excitement grew when moments later Chief Justice Roberts announced that Hollingsworth was remanded to the district court which had declared it unconstitutional because proponents of Proposition 8 did not have standing to defend the law and appeal. "We have never before upheld the standing of a private party to defend the constitutionality of a state statute when state officials have chosen not to. We decline to do it now," he said.

It was a huge victory for so many of my friends and family back home in California who were counting on this day to pave the way to finally legalize gay marriage in our state.

I made it inside not once, but twice this week. 90 people were let in on Monday and I was number 90. By 9:50 a.m. today, we had lost hope of getting in when all of a sudden, I was one of the last 15 being rushed through security. We were seated just as the opinions began.

Seeing all nine justices all at once in front of you inside the majesty of our highest court is simply spectacular. Hearing them speak and interact from the bench is incredible because it provides a glimpse into their distinct personalities and backgrounds that have shaped the decisions we study in law school.

The six decisions issued on Monday touched upon so much of what I learned in Constitutional Law last year. I immediately thought, "I can't wait to tell Professor Herald about this!"

I am incredibly fortunate to be interning in D.C. this summer. If there was ever a time to be here, this is it. Getting up before daylight and standing in line for hours in hopes of getting a seat inside the Supreme Court has been completely worth it.

Seeing the sea of people outside rallying and cheering in happiness as I walked out of court today onto the Supreme Court steps, was euphoric. I knew I was witnessing a pivotal moment in our nation's history that upheld the framework of equality and justice in our society – the two basic principles as to why many of us have chosen this profession.

On a day when our nation was watching, I will forever look back and say "I was there".



Dean Hasl at his desk taking care of last-minute details

## Rudy Hasl is Thoughtful on His Last Day as TJSJ's Dean

Dean Rudy Hasl spent his last day as TJSJ's dean like so many other days at the law school – working at his desk, meeting with senior staff and attending on-campus events. He officially stepped down from the dean's position he has held since 2005, effective June 30.

How did he feel about spending his last day on campus as America's longest-serving law school dean?

"I've had my hand on the throttle for 32 years," Dean Hasl says, "and it's very hard to let go of the throttle. On the other hand, this is the right time to do it. I don't have the resilience I used to have to keep the accelerator at full speed."

Rudy Hasl is proud of his legacy and he feels there are three main elements to that legacy: 1) building TJSJ's new, innovative campus; 2) the diversification of the faculty, student body and staff and 3) the faculty's embracing of the skills training programs the law school has adopted under his leadership.

"This has been a particularly challenging deanship," he says. "We are a relatively new law school and it's been a difficult set of problems to solve." Yet, he is ambivalent because there is "a lot of unfinished work on the plate, though I'm quite optimistic about the future of TJSJ because we have the nimbleness to respond to environmental changes in legal education."

Thomas Guernsey of Albany Law School took over the deanship on Monday, July 1. During his time as dean at Albany, an independent, non-profit law school like TJSJ, Guernsey faced many of the same issues that TJSJ faces.

"Dean Guernsey is poised, based on his experience, to hit the ground running and move forward," Dean Hasl said.

Dean Hasl spent time teaching in TJSJ's Study Abroad Program in Hangzhou, China in June and he had a wonderful time being back in the classroom for the first time in a decade.

"I found the teaching to be exhilarating," Hasl said. "The student feedback was exciting and the very positive evaluations were a real shot in the arm."

After taking a year off, Dean Hasl plans to teach at TJSJ – possibly evidence or trial practice.

"I'm looking forward to regrouping and discovering the next chapter," he says.

And even with his hand off the throttle and the tiller, he will have the satisfaction of knowing he has set the law school on a positive course.



## TJSL Welcomes Dean Thomas Guernsey

Thomas Jefferson School of Law welcomes Thomas Guernsey as Dean and President today, Monday, July 1.

It is a new era for TJSL - full of promise and excitement!

Dean Guernsey has most recently served as a member of the faculty at Albany Law School and served as its Dean from 2002-2011. Additionally, he previously served as Dean, Professor of Law and Interim Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs at Southern Illinois University, as well as Associate Dean and Professor of Law at University of Richmond. His contributions at Albany were significant in placing the school on a solid financial footing, dramatically improving its aca-

demics and increasing its stature in the community. Dean Guernsey is active in national legal organizations, including the American Bar Association and the Association of American Law Schools.

Thomas Guernsey will replace Dean Rudy Hasl who is stepping down as dean after having served as dean for more than 30 years at four different ABA law schools, the last eight at Thomas Jefferson School of Law. Dean Hasl is the longest serving law school dean in the country. Dean Hasl will remain as a tenured faculty member.

The Dean Search Committee, in consultation with Korn/Ferry International, identified and reviewed more than 60 candidates for the position in a national search. "Among this rich field of candidates, Tom Guernsey stood out by reason of his experience, background and proven track record in more than 35 years of legal education," said Judge William McCurine, Jr., member of the Board of Trustees and Chair of the Dean Search Committee.

"As Dean and President at Albany Law School, he worked closely with a broad group of constituencies, including faculty, staff, alumni, trustees, state and local government officials, local business people and legal professionals, as well as other educational partners. During his tenure, Albany Law School made consistent progress in teaching and scholarship, innovations in the curriculum, admissions, bar passage, placement, development and financial management of an independent law school. While these accomplishments were not done alone, they were achieved under Tom Guernsey's leadership, reflecting his ability to identify and work with talented professionals to achieve ambitious goals. The entire Thomas Jefferson School of Law community looks forward to a rewarding relationship with Dean Guernsey in this next, exciting chapter of our School. He joins an outstanding faculty and dedicated staff who will together take the School to the next level of excellence."

"I am honored to be chosen as the next Dean of Thomas Jefferson School of Law," said Dean Guernsey. "One cannot help but be impressed with what is clearly the best law school facility in the country, but the reason I am excited to join the Thomas Jefferson School of Law community is the work going on inside that building. The faculty has developed innovative programs and approaches to delivering legal education and are exploring creative ways to make law school more affordable and better prepare students to be practice ready. At the same time, the school has re-committed itself to advancing the law through scholarship and furthering its commitment to the community through its expanding clinical and pro bono programs. These are challenging times for legal education and legal education will change dramatically in the next few years. Given its impressive faculty, hardworking staff, engaged students and dedicated Board of Trustees, I am convinced the law school is up to the challenge. I am also confident that Thomas Jefferson School of Law will be one of those schools that lead the way."

In 2011, Dean Guernsey was awarded the Trustee's Gold Medal, the highest honor awarded by Albany Law School to an individual who has demonstrated a record of exemplary support and dedication to the advancement of Albany Law School. Trustees and alumni established the Dean Thomas F. Guernsey Faculty Research and Scholarship Endowment in his honor to support faculty research and scholarship. He also received the Faculty Scholarship Legacy Award in honor of his efforts advancing faculty scholarship at Albany Law School, and the Legacy Award from the Center for Excellence in Law Teaching for his efforts advancing teaching at Albany Law School. Dean Guernsey was also named a University of Richmond Distinguished Educator in 1983 and 1989.

Dean Guernsey teaches evidence, criminal law, criminal procedure and trial advocacy. He has practice experience in disability law litigation and legal aid, and has served as a consultant/trainer in interviewing, counseling, negotiation, mediation and trial practice for various legal, public service, government, insurance, business, medical and banking organizations.

Dean Guernsey holds an LL.M. (Clinical Legal Education) from Temple University School of Law, a J.D., cum laude, from Wayne State University and a B.A., with distinction, from the University of Michigan.



### May 2013 Graduates Land Great Jobs!

Thomas Jefferson School of Law's May 2013 Class features a number of young graduates whose legal careers are already off and running. Even before they have taken the bar exam, they are securing great pre-bar positions in law firms, companies and government law offices.

[Alexander Leigh](#) is going to be working for the Cohen Law Firm as an associate. The firm represents both retired and active professional athletes in their workers' compensation claims. They are panel counsel for the NFL Players' Association and the MLB Players' Association, and represent athletes in all professional sports.

[Sevy Fisher and Brandon Simon](#) got to be best of friends during law school at TJSL. They graduated together in May. And now they are going to work together after they take the bar exam in July – at the Simon Law Group, where two of Simon's brothers are partners. Both are employed at the Los Angeles firm now as law clerks.

[Jesse Allen](#) has accepted an offer to be a post-bar law clerk and later an associate attorney with Winet, Patrick, Gayer, Creighton & Hanes, in Vista, CA. There, he will be a litigator, defending local public entities in matters involving personal injury, wrongful termination, and constitutional law, among other issues.

[Lucy Arnold](#) will begin her legal career with the San Diego office of Duane Morris LLP. Duane Morris LLP, based in Philadelphia, PA, is an AmLaw Top 100 international law firm comprised of more than 750 attorneys in 24 offices across the nation and overseas. Arnold will be an Associate Attorney, joining the Labor & Employment group, and providing transactional (day-to-day advice) support as well as litigation support on client matters

[Bryanna Drescher](#) has secured a coveted position with the Sacramento County District Attorney's Office as a post-bar legal research assistant. Upon passing the California Bar Exam, Drescher will transition to serve as a deputy district attorney.

[Najmah Brown](#) will be in the business and legal affairs department of the Al Jazeera America network in Los Angeles.

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*May Graduates: Careers continued...*

**Jennifer McCollough** has accepted a post-graduate judicial clerkship with Judge John D. Love, a U.S. Magistrate Judge with the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Texas.

**Ronald Lin** will be an intern at AllBright Law Offices in Shanghai, China, where he had the opportunity to visit while participating in TJSL's Study Abroad Program in China.

**Thomas Underhill** will be with the Director of Technology Operations at Everyone Counts, Inc. in San Diego, where he'll do IT, security, compliance, contracts and election law.

**James Hassey** has been offered three different post-bar positions with law firms, but has chosen to go with the firm of G. Cole Casey, a 1996 TJSL alumnus. Hassey has been interning at the Casey firm.

Adam Anderson will be going to Marquis & Aurbach in Las Vegas. This is a large, well-regarded firm there, where other TJSL ALUMS WORK, including Erik Fox '03, Candice Renka '08 and Ben Auten '11.

Other career news from the May 2013 graduating class:

- Aaron Kaplan is going to Gusrae Kaplan Nusbaum in New York
- Chang-Hsing Jason Liang is going to Wilson Sonsini Goodrich Rosati in San Diego as a patent agent
- Brendon Marshall is going to Jackson Lewis in San Diego
- Adam Williams will be doing a judicial clerkship with the Nevada Eighth Judicial District in Las Vegas
- Elizabeth Chu will be joining Zeeto Media's in-house counsel in San Diego



### **Professor Jason Fiske Featured on CALI Online Learning Blog**

Jason Fiske, Director of the Online Graduate Programs at Thomas Jefferson School of Law, is featured on the prestigious blog through CALI, "[Law School Ed Tech Blog](#)." The blog features new ideas and technology used to advance the online learning community. Adjunct Professor Fiske contributed three guest posts featuring the advanced organization and learning methods in place in TJSL's Online Graduate Programs.

<http://www.tjssl.edu/graduate-programs> "The online learning community is really taking notice of the way we run our Program. I am extremely proud of the attention that our ideas are garnering," said Professor Fiske.

After being featured at the ABA's [Working Group for Distance Learning in Legal Education](#) meeting in the Fall, Fiske was approached to have his personal blog about online teaching methods (<http://onlinetaxprof.wordpress.com/>) featured on the CALI blog. "Sometimes I feel like I am doing my work and creating a system in a vacuum—it is extremely gratifying to have others take note," said Fiske.

In the January of 2013, Professor Fiske and Associate Dean William Byrnes re-designed the program, taking advantage of some of the most advanced and innovative methodologies for online delivery of courses available on the market. In some instances, the pair created new and innovative ways to deliver information online that built upon existing structures. Dean Byrnes initially developed one of the first online programs in 1995.

"The optimal online teaching pedagogy is still in its infancy. It is exciting for us to be developing systems at its initial stages that can be built upon in the future it's quite an opportunity for us at Thomas Jefferson School of Law," Professor Fiske said.

## TJSL Receives Visitor from the UK

Dean Hickey is an undergraduate student from the University of York in the United Kingdom going into his 3rd year in the fall and is currently visiting the Thomas Jefferson School of Law to observe the various clinical programs offered at the San Diego based law school. As part of his studies, his clinical supervisor gave him the opportunity to visit Thomas Jefferson School of Law to observe its clinical program for several weeks this summer.

"Members of my law school are traveling all around the world this summer to engage with and play a part in strengthening York Law School's links with the global alliance of clinics," said Hickey. The other students in the University of York program are visiting law schools in India, Chile and France as well as New York.

While visiting TJSL, Hickey has worked with students and staff, including Small Business Law Center Director Professor Luz Herrera, Veterans Legal Assistance Clinic Director Professor Steve Berenson and Law Clinic Attorney Professor Becky Nieman.

According to Professor Herrera, "The purpose of Dean's visit is to observe what we do here in the United States to better inform the development of their program at the University of York, School of Law."

During Hickey's three week visit to TJSL, he says he "is learning a lot by observing, however, I am actively playing a part in facilitating the work of the clinics where I am able."

"He has helped provide some input on the self-help clinics I have been setting up (primarily the employee rights self-help clinic)," said Herrera.

Hickey gave a presentation on legal education in the UK on Friday, June 28 and had an informal question and answer session with students, staff and faculty. At York Law School, they have adopted a seven-stage process called Problem-Based Learning. PBL involves a problem set in the real-world and includes self-directed study. Hickey says, law students had better do their homework. "If you haven't done the reading," Hickey said, "you'll be asked to leave. So, it's really quite harsh."

After law school, the graduates compete for slots at law firms where they train as solicitors for 18 months at the expense of the firm. "A job is not guaranteed after the training," he said, "but many of the firms do hire their trainees."

Becoming a barrister is a different career track, according to Hickey. They are solely advocates for clients and it is an incredibly competitive process to become a barrister, which is a very prestigious post, but a shrinking profession due to cuts in legal aid funding.

It was fascinating presentation to hear.

Hickey departs San Diego on July 2.



Center: Dean Hickey attending a clinic meeting

## Employee Rights Self-Help Clinic

Thomas Jefferson School of Law is launching a new program for people with work-related legal issues. The Employee Rights Self Help Clinic will provide information to individuals who lack a lawyer about their rights and legal options.

The first clinic will be held at TJSL on Saturday, July 13, and then on every second Saturday of the month, by appointment only. This program will provide a brief, one-time consultation to self-represented individuals with any of a host of labor and employment law problems, including issues related to wage and hour law, family or medical leave, discrimination, and harassment. The 30-minute consultation per client will be run by TJSL alumni lawyers who practice employment law. Those lawyers will be paired with TJSL law students, who will help the legal services consumers to navigate the office and help them with self-help materials and other resources.

Professors Susan Bisom-Rapp and Rebecca Lee will serve as faculty co-coordinators of the clinic. "Employees commonly have questions about workplace-related matters, but they may find it difficult to find the answers and may not have the means to consult a lawyer," said Professor Lee.



Clinic training held on Tuesday, June 25



Professor Bisom-Rapp (C)  
with Clinic Trainees



Professor Luz Hererra

"Thomas Jefferson's new Employee Rights Self-Help Clinic will help provide individuals with the relevant information and resources so that they can more effectively represent themselves should they decide to proceed as pro se claimants."

"Many workers have employment problems that go unaddressed because those employees lack information about their legal rights," added Professor Bisom-Rapp. "Even when such people have information about their legal rights, they may misunderstand the legal issues involved. This problem has a socio-economic dimension; those who lack means often lack access to legal representation. The access problem is also one with racial and ethnic dimensions. TJSL's Employee Rights Self-Help Clinic attempts to address this access to justice gap by providing an initial consultation to self-represented individuals – those who do not have a lawyer."

Two training sessions were held for the more than 30 students who signed up to participate in the new clinic. Their first training was conducted by Jose Dennis, a mediator with the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, who taught them from "A to Z about the EEOC" and how the agency processes employment discrimination claims.

"We are beyond pleased with this show of interest for this exciting new programming," said Professor Bisom-Rapp. "By participating in the program, students will learn about client counseling and relevant doctrinal law. We hope this will be a way to facilitate the transition from classroom learning to actual law practice."

TJSL is in the process of establishing a series of free clinics designed to provide assistance and support to individuals navigating their own legal claims.

In addition to the employee rights clinic, there are similar programs currently planned to launch in the fall in the areas of family law, copyright, and small claims. TJSL also runs a Veterans Self-Help Clinic.

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Mediator Jose Dennis lectures on the 'A to Z' of EEOC

### *Employee Rights Self-Help Clinic continued...*

"These programs will provide much needed guidance to legal services consumers but also offer law students a great opportunity to see law in action," said Professor Luz Herrera, who has been instrumental in the establishment of all of TJSL's free clinics. "We look forward to continuing to develop programs that are responsive to the needs of our students and the local community."

"We are looking forward to the clinic's opening in July and to having additional students involved in the fall when the new academic school year begins," said Professor Lee. "The clinic will offer students an excellent hands-on opportunity to connect employment law and employment

discrimination doctrine with practice. In this way, the work of the clinic will serve as a nice complement to our elective course offerings for students who may be interested in a career in the employment law field."

The clinic is grateful for all the support it has received while getting established.

"One wonderful aspect of the clinic is the participation of four TJSL alumni who are practicing employment lawyers," said Professor Bisom-Rapp. "This enables them to play the role of instructor and mentor to current TJSL students. It's a way for them to give back and stay connected to the law school. In turn, for students, such pro bono work for community members represents a way to give back to the San Diego community."

"We would not be able to do this without the generous help of our alumni volunteers, all of whom practice employment law in the San Diego area," said Professor Lee. "They are a dedicated group, and we are truly grateful for their key participation in this project."

The four alumni who have been instrumental in the development of this program are Hannah Bingham, Christina Mills, Rory Pendergast and Jennifer Wade.

"As to a student's perspective, I would like to say that watching the new program develop from an idea to actuality is gratifying," said Rachel Vogt (1L). "TJSL alumni, faculty, and staff have put a lot of hard work into a program for our local community. Not only will this be a benefit to workers in our local area, but it gives a great opportunity for students to learn about law and programs protecting worker's rights and conditions. This is exactly the kind of experience many of us hope to have when we decide to go to law school."

Legal services consumers will be seen by appointment at TJSL's Clinical Programs Office, 495 11th Avenue starting Saturday July 13, and every second Saturday thereafter, from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. To make an appointment, call (619) 961-4371.

## The Lawyers Club Annual Golf Tournament



Jeremy Evans '11, David Beavens '08, Lacy J Lodes '08 and Brett Goda '11 comprised TJSL's sponsored foursome at the Lawyers Club of San Diego 2013 Annual Golf Tournament at Riverwalk Golf Club on Friday, June 28. They joined other TJSL alumni golfers at the tournament, including Renee Galente '08 and Eric Ganci '08. Even though he didn't hit a hole-in-one to win \$10,000 or a 36-month lease on a BMW, Evans summed up the event as a "Wonderful tournament."



TJSL, as a Lawyers Club Benefactor, was one of the co-sponsors of the annual tournament.

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# FACULTY SCHOLARSHIP

## Citations Added June 23 - July 1

### Marjorie Cohn

#### Radio:

Edward Snowden: Asylum vs. Extradition, SyndicatedNews.net, <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YjKpJo2n1P0>.

#### Radio:

Edward Snowden: Asylum vs. Extradition, Flashpoints, KPFA, Berkeley

#### Radio:

Edward Snowden: Asylum vs. Extradition, Informativo Pacifica, KPFK, Los Angeles

#### Radio:

Edward Snowden: Asylum vs. Extradition, Evening News, WBAI (Pacifica), New York

#### Radio:

My book, 'Cowboy Republic: Six Ways the Bush Gang Has Defied the Law', rttv (RussianTV), Russia and Internet

### William H. Byrnes, IV

#### Books:

LEXIS GUIDE TO FATCA COMPLIANCE (with Dr. Robert J. Munro) (2d ed. LexisNexis Matthew Bender, forthcoming 2013)

#### Books:

INTERNATIONAL WITHHOLDING TAX TREATY GUIDE (with Dr. Robert J. Munro) (2d ed. LexisNexis Matthew Bender, forthcoming 2013)

#### Books:

PRACTICAL GUIDE TO U.S. TRANSFER PRICING (3d ed. LexisNexis Matthew Bender, forthcoming 2013)

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2014 TAX FACTS ON INDIVIDUALS AND SMALL BUSINESS (with Robert Bloink) (Summit Business Media / National Underwriter Co. 2013)

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2014 TAX FACTS ON INSURANCE & EMPLOYEE BENEFITS (with Robert Bloink) (Summit Business Media / National Underwriter Co., forthcoming 2013)

#### Chapter in a Book:

*Taxation on Nonlife Insurance Companies*, in MERTENS LAW OF FED INCOME TAX 1 (with Jason Fiske and Hale Stewart) (Thomson West 2013)

#### Presentations:

Presenter, *FATCA Implications for Latin American Clientele of Swiss Banks*, LACTAM – Swiss Chamber of Commerce, LACTAM – Swiss Chamber of Commerce, Zurich (April 16, 2013)

#### Presentations:

Presenter, *FATCA Compliance for San Diego Financial Institutions*, San Diego County Bar Association, Bar Association, San Diego (April 10, 2013)

#### Presentations:

Presenter, *Outcomes, Measures and Assessment in International Legal Exchanges*, Section on International Legal Exchange, AALS Congress, New Orleans (January 7, 2013)

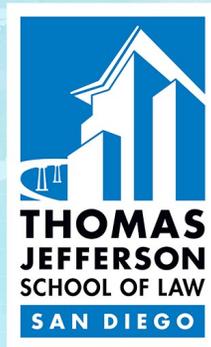


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# THE CHALLENGES OF INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Tuesday, July 16, 2013 5:30 PM – 7:00 PM Room 227



Professor Linda Keller will draw on her experience as a Visiting Professional at the International Criminal Court (ICC) to explore some of the key challenges facing international criminal justice. Using the current cases against top officials in Kenya as an example, she will discuss issues including definitions of international crimes, state cooperation, protection of witnesses, and prosecutorial discretion or alleged misconduct. The Kenya cases represent the first use of the ICC prosecutor's power to open a case on his own initiative. They are currently at the beginning of the trial stage, after charges of crimes against humanity have been confirmed against four accused. The companion cases have given rise to disputes over admissibility, with Kenya seeking jurisdiction over the cases and, failing that, seeking Security Council intervention. Controversy has arisen over the selection of defendants, adequacy of evidence, credibility of witnesses, and interpretation of crimes against humanity committed by non-state actors. The recently elected President and Deputy President of Kenya are defendants in these cases, accused of complicity in crimes against humanity while on opposing sides in post-election violence from the 2007 elections. As a result, it is likely that the upcoming trials - assuming they go forward - will continue to raise high-profile controversies.



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**The United States Court of Federal Claims Bar Association conducts an annual Law Student Writing Competition. The Court of Federal Claims Bar Association is a non-profit, voluntary bar association made up of nationwide members who practice law before of the United States Court of Federal Claims. The goal of this competition is to encourage law student scholarship on current topics that fall within the jurisprudence of the United States Court of Federal Claims. The winning entry in the competition will receive a \$2,000 cash prize and an opportunity to be published via the Association's website.**

**The cases before the court are diverse and involve a variety of statutes. They include claims arising from tax refunds, government contracts, Fifth Amendment takings (which can implicate environmental and natural resource issues), Federal procurement "bid-protests," Federal civilian and military personnel matters, intellectual property disputes, Native American tribal rights, and the federal Vaccine Injury Compensation Program.**

**Entries to the contest may address any topic that lies within the procedure, substance, or scope of the jurisdiction of the United States Court of Federal Claims.**

**Entry deadline for the 2012-13 academic year is July 26, 2013.**



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## Student Registration is open for the Boston Lawyers Group Annual Law Students of Color\* Job Fair!

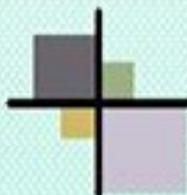
To register and for additional details please visit our  
website at [www.thebostonlawyersgroup.com](http://www.thebostonlawyersgroup.com) see the  
2013 BLG Job Fair tab.

### BLG Job Fair for Rising 2L Law Students of Color

Thursday, August 8, 2013 from 9 AM to 5 PM

Sheraton Hotel, 39 Dalton Street, Boston, MA

*The deadline to register, upload resume and transcripts is midnight July 12, 2013.*



*\*BLG members' criterion focuses on deserving diverse students with preference to students with racial and ethnic backgrounds that have been historically underserved and underrepresented in the legal profession with strong ties to Boston. This criteria is in accordance with our mission to create a pipeline of talent, so that our members can "identify, recruit, advance and retain diverse attorneys" in the greater Boston legal community.*

For more information, please contact **Kia LeBeau Mahouassa**, Program Manager for the Boston Lawyers Group at (617) 695-7137 or [klnmahouassa@thebostonlawyersgroup.com](mailto:klnmahouassa@thebostonlawyersgroup.com)



# IMPACT

**Career Fair for Law Students and Attorneys  
with Disabilities**

**Washington, D.C.**

## **9th Annual IMPACT Career Fair for Law Students and Attorneys with Disabilities**

**FRIDAY AUGUST 9, 2013 10:00am - 5:00pm**

**Hyatt Regency Crystal City at Reagan National Airport  
2799 Jefferson Davis Highway  
Arlington, DC**

**Open to Fall 2013 Returning Law Students,  
and Graduates Nationwide**

**Students & Graduates Register Online**

**[http://www.law.arizona.edu/Career/Impact/  
studentregistrationintro.cfm](http://www.law.arizona.edu/Career/Impact/studentregistrationintro.cfm)**

**(Student registration deadline is Sunday, July 14, 2013, 11:59pm Eastern)**

18<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL *Alumni & Friends* Thomas Jefferson School of Law



# GOLF

TOURNAMENT

Benefiting the TJS� Veterans Legal Assistance Program

18<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL

## ALUMNI & FRIENDS GOLF TOURNAMENT

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2013, 10:00 AM

SYCUAN GOLF RESORT 3007 DEHESA RD, EL CAJON, CA 92019

9:30 - 11:00 AM	REGISTRATION & PUTTING CONTEST
11:00 AM	SHOTGUN START, SCRAMBLE FORMAT
4:30 - 5:30 PM	COCKTAIL RECEPTION
5:30 - 7:00 PM	AWARDS DINNER

**\$130** TJS� ALUMNI, FACULTY AND STAFF (\$150 AFTER 9/13)

**\$150** FRIENDS OF TJS� (\$170 AFTER 9/13)

**\$70** TJS� STUDENTS



**REGISTRATION AND SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

[WWW.TJSLE.EDU/TJS�-ALUMNI/GOLF-TOURNAMENT](http://WWW.TJSLE.EDU/TJS�-ALUMNI/GOLF-TOURNAMENT)



# JULY

<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Saturday</i>
30	July 1	2	3	4 <i>Library will be open from 7 a.m. - 6 p.m.</i>	5 <i>TJSL Campus will be open and classes will meet</i>	6
7 2Ls and 3Ls: Are you interested in job opportunities in the Midwest? Register for the 2013 IndyBar Diversity Job Fair in Indianapolis on August 27 & 28. <a href="http://www.ibadiversityjobfair.org/home.htm">http://www.ibadiversityjobfair.org/home.htm</a>  <i>Registration deadline is July 7.</i>	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>THE CHALLENGES OF INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL JUSTICE</b> Tuesday, July 16, 2013 5:30 PM – 7:00 PM Room 227</p>				<p><b>INTERNATIONAL ACCESS TO JUSTICE PANEL</b> JULY 18, 2013 5:00 PM – 6:30 PM</p>		