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February 14, 2011

Spotlight Events

Faculty Development Presentation
Professor Kirsten Nussbaumer, St. Louis School of Law
How democratic is U.S. Suffrage Law?
Monday, February 14, 2011
12:00 noon, Room 109

ATJI - Social Justice Monday
Discrimination, Hate Crimes, and Post 9/11
Waves of Islamophobia
Monday, February 14, 2011
12:00 noon, Room C5

Intellectual Property Law Society/
WSBA Intellectual Property Section Meet and Greet Reception
Tuesday, February 15, 2011
5:00 – 8:00 p.m., 2nd Floor Gallery

U.S. Air Force Court of Criminal Appeals

Wednesday, February 16, 2011 4:00 – 5:30 p.m., Courtroom -- Arguments 5:30 – 7:00 p.m., 2nd Floor Gallery – Reception

Monthly Staff Meeting & Luncheon

Wednesday, February 16, 2011 12:00 noon, Courtroom

Influential Voices Speaker Series
Professor Charles Ogletree, Harvard University
Thursday, February 17, 2011
12:00 – 1:30 p.m., Room C5 -- Lecture

Korean American Bar Association Luncheon

Thursday, February 17, 2011 11:00 – 1:30 p.m. Palace Ballroom, 2100 Fifth Avenue

CLE - Tribal Business Law Institute

Friday, February 18, 2011 8:30 – 12:00 noon, Room 329

CLE -- Legal Writing

Friday, February 18, 2011 12:30 – 4:30 p.m., Room C5

Faculty Development News

Scholarship

Pat Brown's article "A Methodical Division of Labor in Legal Studies" will be published in the March issue of the journal *Method*.

Tayyab Mahmud's article "PIIGS, iTraxx SoyX, Neoliberalism, and Unshackled Finance Capital" has been published in the inaugural issue of *Global Business Law Review*, the on-line journal of Cleveland-Marshall College of Law.

Other Notable News

Richard Delgado was interviewed for a story that appeared on *Chocolate City: The World's Best African American Blog.* Based on Delgado's book with Manuel Gonzales, *The Politics of Fear: How Republicans Use Money, Race, and the Media to Win* (Paradigm Publishers 2007), the story included reader commentary and an interview with the author. Richard was also interviewed by a staff writer from a Lansing, MI, newspaper about a recent book by Michigan State University law professor Kevin Saunders, entitled

Degradation: What the History of Obscenity Tells Us About Hate Speech (NYU Press 2011).

Tayyab Mahmud has been awarded a Princeton University Law & Public Affairs (LAPA) Fellowship for 2011-12. During his stay at Princeton as a LAPA Fellow and Visiting Professor, he will work on a book-project and teach a seminar entitled "Comparative Constitutional Law: Emergencies, Extra-Constitutionality, and Regimes of Exception." Additionally, Tayyab participated in a roundtable on Voice of America's International Service to discuss the nature and implications of the current crisis in Egypt.

Tayyab was also elected to the Advisory Committee of the Board of Governors of SALT and appointed Chair of the Mentorship Committee of Law and South Asia Section of AALS.

Stephanie Nichols and Douglas Nash traveled to Dillingham, Alaska to meet with representatives of the Bristol Bay Native Association and Alaska Legal Services to discuss development of a project that would create opportunities for our students and provide estate planning services to tribal members served by the BBNA.

Please send items to be included in the next Dean's Spotlight to Randy Maedgen, (maedgenr@seattleu.edu)

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