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Events & Announcements November 23 – November 27

Virtual Drop In Hours

Externship Virtual Drop-In Hours

For general questions and guidance on the application process, students can meet with Samira Sharif by appointment. Please email [Contact Info Redacted](#) your availability.

Virtual Events This Week

Social Justice Monday: Looking Forward: Civil Rights After the Trump Administration

Nov 23 | 12:00 – 1:00 pm | [Contact Info Redacted](#)

Washington State's Office of the Attorney General has been fighting the Trump Administration on civil rights issues, like the Travel Ban, for the past four years. Join the American Constitution Society for a presentation by **Assistant Attorney General in the Wing Luke Civil Rights Division, Patricio Marquez**, who will be reflecting on the litigation and tense relationship with the Trump administration as well as a look forward to what Washington State's relationship may be with the Biden administration.

Cannabis Law Society November General Body Meeting/Smoke Pit

Nov 23 | 12:00 – 1:00 pm | [Contact Info Redacted](#)

Join CLAW for some social time and plan for our spring networking event.

You can always see more details about student life related events in the coming weeks by visiting ConnectSU. Click the image below to view more.



Announcements

Library Thanksgiving Weekend Hours

The law library reading room will observe the following schedule changes for the Thanksgiving Holiday weekend:

Thanksgiving Day - CLOSED

Friday November 27 - 9am-6pm

Saturday November 28 - 9am-6pm

Sunday November 29 - 7am-10pm

Over the holiday weekend, there will be a limited staff presence to process book loan requests. Please plan to request materials early, before 1pm on Wednesday November 25, and reach out to staff at [Contact Info Redacted](#), to ensure an item is processed and ready for pick up as soon as possible.

When in the law library, please sign in on the 3rd and 4th floors. Be sure to follow all [health and safety requirements](#) and wear a face covering.

Consumer Protection Committee 2021 Law Student Essay Contest

Calling all second-year and third-year law students with an interest in antitrust and consumer protection law! The American Bar Association ("ABA") Antitrust Law Section ("Section") Consumer Protection Committee ("Committee") is hosting a student essay writing contest ("Contest") for 2020-2021. [See the Official Rules online for more details.](#) The ABA will accept entries via email through midnight (CST) January 22, 2021.

Judicial Clerkship at Tulalip Tribal Court

Accepting applications on a rolling basis for Spring 2021

Please provide a resume, letter of interest, transcript and a writing sample via email to: **Professor Gregory Silverman**, **Contact Info Redacted**

Description: The Tulalip Tribal Court is a general civil and misdemeanor criminal court. The Judicial Clerk will draft orders, research motions, draft memorandum on discreet legal issues, participate in multi-disciplinary meetings for drafting of rules. The position may require confidential research on procedural or substantive Indian criminal justice issues.

Qualifications: 2L or 3L preferred, but 1L may be considered depending on experience. Preferred applicants have excellent writing and interpersonal skills.

Compensation: \$16.40 per hour. Part-time (15 hrs/week) positions are available during Fall and Spring semesters. Full or part-time positions are available during Summer semester. SU students may **earn credit** through the **Externship program** (instead of the paid position). Please contact the Externship Office as soon as possible to ensure you qualify.

Supervisor and Location: Michelle Demmert, Chief Judge, Tulalip Tribal Court, 6332 31st Ave NE, Suite B, Tulalip, WA 98271. The position will be remote for Spring 2021, but travel to the court is possible to witness hearings in-person. Mileage reimbursement is available.

Other Deadlines: Summer 2021: applications accepted on a rolling basis until positions are filled.

Contact: For more information on the judicial clerkship at Tulalip Tribal Court, please contact Professor Gregory Silverman, CILP Faculty Director, via email at **Contact Info Redacted**

COVID Court Procedures Update

Volunteer to assist organizations, attorneys and pro se litigants navigate the WA court system during the pandemic. ATJI is seeking student volunteers to update existing materials covering court procedures during COVID-19 including but not limited to scheduling and attending hearings, domestic violence filing procedures, procedures for evictions and housing cases and many more. To volunteer, contact Abby at **Contact Info Redacted**

Washington Attorneys with Disabilities Association Scholarship

Washington Attorneys with Disabilities Association (WADA) intends to award at least one scholarship of \$2500 to a law student who has shown commitment to helping promote meaningful inclusion of people with disabilities throughout the legal profession and by sharing the personal experience of a person with disabilities while pursuing a legal career. More information about how to apply for this scholarship can be found **Contact Info Redacted**. Submit the application and all supporting materials by March 30, 2021.

Companion Animal Law Writing Contest

The American Kennel Club (AKC) is pleased to announce the fourth annual Companion Animal Law Writing Contest! The contest begins on August 10th and is opens to all students currently enrolled at an ABA-accredited law school

The contest will offer a first-place prize of \$2500 and a second-place prize of \$500. Students are asked to choose between two topics: [forfeiture of an animal and the legal treatment of animals as property](#). This year's topics offer students the unique opportunity to discuss legal perspectives on issues currently in the news and at the forefront of animal law.

Entries will be judged by legal and public policy professionals with experience in laws impacting companion animals.

Contestants can enter now through March 31, 2021, at 6:00 p.m. EST. To learn more about the contest, including official rules and policies, [Contact Info Redacted](#).

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