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STUDENT LIFE

NEWSLETTER

Upcoming School of Law Events

Social Justice Monday: Pronouns and the Federal Courts: Initiatives for Gender Inclusive Language

Monday, November 28 from Noon – 12:50 pm

Location: Room C5 or via [Contact Info Redacted](#)

At this semester's last Social Justice Monday, the **Honorable Theresa L. Fricke**, federal magistrate judge for the United States District Court for the Western District of Washington, will discuss gender inclusive language in the federal court system. In addition to discussing pronoun inclusivity, Judge Fricke will share the court's current and future initiatives to promote a more welcoming and affirming environment for court participants.

Presented The Non-Binary, Gender Non-Conforming, and Allies Student Association

Exam Questions?

Monday, Nov 28 and Tuesday, Nov 29 from 11:30 – 1:30 pm

Location: Court Level

The Academic Resource Center will be tabling on the court level from 11:30am – 1:30pm

on Monday, November 28 and Tuesday, November 29. This is a great opportunity to meet the newest member of the ARC team, Dominic Woolery ('19) and to ask any questions about outlining, exam prep, or just how to make the most out of the remaining time before exams. We hope to see you there!

Celebrating Hannukah with Oil

Wednesday, November 30 from 9:00 – 5:30 pm

Location: Court Level

The Jewish Law Student Association will be setting up a table to discuss our new organization and fundraise for events next semester! Come celebrate the last week of school with all things oil. We'll be selling traditional Hannukah treats: Sufganiyot (Strawberry Jelly Donuts sprinkled with Sugar) and Latkes (Potato Pancakes)! Bring your appetite and help support our new organization! We'll be on the C level! Or follow your nose to the fried treats!

COVID Vaccine Clinic

Wednesday, November 30 from noon – 5:00 pm

Location: Sinegal Building, room 200

- Contact Info Redacted to help the process go faster.
- No insurance needed
- Bring COVID vaccine card

Christmas Tree Decorating & Holiday Festivities!

Wednesday, November 30 from 3:00 – 5:30 pm

Location: Court Level

Come to our annual tradition and decorate our Christmas tree, eat some cookies, and connect with other students before finals week. Our Jewish Law Students Association will be joining in on the festivities in celebration of Hanukkah as well. Flex students will be able to decorate the tree during their Saturday in-person session.

Finals Tips with OutLaws

Wednesday, November 30 from 5:00 – 7:00 pm

Location: Room 109

OutLaws is reaching out to teach 1Ls and anyone who is interested some test answer writing tips. OutLaws want to provide a space for 2Ls and 3Ls to give 1Ls advice on studying and stress-relief.

Criminal Law & Social Justice Film Series: True Justice

Wednesday, November 30 at 6:00 pm

Location: Room C5

Prof. Danieli Evans is hosting a film series screening documentaries related to the criminal legal system and social justice. The final film is this Wednesday **11/30 at 6 PM in room C5**. We will watch [True Justice](#). This is an Emmy Award winning documentary about Bryan Stevenson and the Equal Justice Initiative's work representing people who are facing the death penalty, juveniles challenging excessive punishments, and people challenging wrongful convictions. The documentary vividly depicts our history of racism and race-motivated brutality, and its connections to the current criminal system. While very important and powerful, it is difficult to watch. We will have a discussion after the film for anyone who is interested in participating. There will be some light snacks provided, and please feel free to bring your own refreshments or dinner.

De-Stress with Dogs!

Wednesday, November 30 from 1:00 – 3:00 pm

Location: Student Center 210

Join us before you head out for the holidays and take a little time to breathe, relax, and hang out with some super cute dogs as you gear up for finals. We will be hosting staff dogs in addition to trained therapy dogs. The event runs from 1-3 PM and we will allow students into the room in 20-minute intervals, so we don't overwhelm the dogs! Check-in for the event will occur outside of Student Center 210.

CPD Invites You to Our Annual Professional Dress Pop-up Shop

Shop without spending a dime!

The Contact Info Redacted is one of CPD's favorite events, and we're excited to bring it back again this year on the last day of fall classes.

The Pop-up Shop will be open December 1 & 2 by appointment only. On December 3, we'll have open shopping for Flex JD students during the lunch break.

Please follow the attached instructions to sign up for an appointment to shop (at no cost to you) for gently used, donated professional attire in Suite 200. **A professional stylist will be on hand the first day of the event**, so if you need assistance with sizing or styling, please sign up for a Thursday, December 1 spot. If you don't need assistance, please sign up for a Friday appointment. *Appointments will be filled on a first come, first served basis.*

APILSA End of Semester Boba Social

Thursday, December 1 from 4:00 – 6:00 pm

Location: Sullivan Hall | Room C1

To celebrate the end of another semester, APILSA will be hosting a boba social. During this social, members will have an opportunity to socialize and network. In addition, 1Ls can ask for support from upperclassmen on exam preparation.

Christmas Tree Lighting on Main Campus

Thursday, December 1 from 6:00 – 7:30 pm

Location: Student Center 160 & Library Plaza

Join the Center for Student Involvement and our campus partners for this year's SU Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony happening on December 1, 2022. The festivities start in the Student Center at 6:00 PM and include holiday arts and crafts, cookies and hot cocoa, and more. At 7:00 PM we will move to the Library plaza for Christmas carols and the lighting of the Christmas Tree. All are welcome to join.

This event is free and open to the public. For accommodations or questions, please contact the Center for Student Involvement at [Contact Info Redacted](#) or [Contact Info Redacted](#)

Asian Pacific Islander Law Students Association: SAVE THE DATE & PRESALE – 2023 Karaoke Night

Friday, January 20, 2023 from 6:00 – 10:00 pm

Location: Sullivan Hall | Court Level

APILSA will host its annual signature event and kick of 2023's Diversity Week. [Contact Info Redacted](#) will support [Contact Info Redacted](#) with all fundraised proceeds specifically from the professor auction in support of the organization. See the attached flyer for more information.

Please save the date and purchase your presale tickets [Contact Info Redacted](#)! Ticket admission includes the following: Asian food buffet, open bar, and photobooth photos. Join us for a fun night of open mic karaoke and an opportunity to hear your favorite professors sing. In addition, come watch cultural performances throughout the night. We hope to see you there!

Presale Non-APILSA Member: \$20

Presale APILSA Member: \$15

General Admission (begins January 9, 2023): \$25

If you have any questions, please contact the following E-Board Officers.

- President Brienne (Bree) Zamora – [Contact Info Redacted](#)
- Events Director Christine Choong – [Contact Info Redacted](#)

2023 Northwest Public Service Career Fair

Friday, February 3rd and Saturday, February 4th, 2023.

Location: Virtual

The 2023 Northwest Public Service Career Fair student registration is now open for all SU Law Students. The NWPSCF will take place virtually on Friday, February 3rd and Saturday, February 4th, 2023. Registration deadline is **Monday, January 16, 2023**. Any questions, email [Contact Info Redacted](#)

The [Northwest Consortium of Law Schools](#) brings together ten law schools in the Northwestern and Rocky Mountain states that work together to enhance public service, employment, and professional opportunities for their students. The Consortium schools have worked together for three decades creating the annual NW Public Service Career Fair to introduce public service-minded law students to employers working to advance concepts of justice, fairness, and the well-being of the general public. The NWPSCF traditionally brings nonprofit employers, civil legal aid organizations, and government offices together with hundreds of law students. The Portland and Seattle fairs are hosted and coordinated by Lewis & Clark Law School and Seattle University School of Law.

Student Bar Association

For Finals Week (December 5th through December 15th), the SBA has purchased snacks for students to take for free that will sit down in the Court level to promote morale during exams.

From December 6th through December 15th SBA in partnership with Chartwells Catering will be offering free drip coffee from Boon Boona with the usage of a reusable mug.

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.



Dean's Office

Dean DiBiase, Associate Dean for Student Affairs

Dean DiBiase will be available for Office Hours **Monday, November 28, 2022:**
Office Drop-In (Room 210E) Noon to 1:00pm

Online: 5:00pm to 6:00pm

Meeting URL: Contact Info Redacted

Meeting ID: Contact Info Redacted (Passcode: Contact Info Redacted)

Dean DiBiase is also available to meet with students by appointment: Contact Info Redacted

Scholarships & Fellowships

Legal Employers Advancing Diversity in Washington Summer 2023 1L Diversity Fellowship

Legal Employers Advancing Diversity in Washington ("LEAD-WA") is a Washington non-profit organization established with the goal of increasing the number of traditionally underrepresented, minority and/or diverse lawyers practicing in the Washington legal community. LEAD-WA, through its participating employers ("Employers"), provides summer associate positions to diverse first-year law students from Washington's three law schools in order to provide practical, hands-on legal experience to benefit the Fellows during their search for a second-year summer position.

The LEAD-WA Diversity Fellowship Program provides traditionally underrepresented, minority and/or diverse law students the opportunity to work at either a law firm or in-house legal department where they will be integrated into the Employer's summer associate/intern program. See Attachment 2 for a current list of participating Employers.

Applicants must be students in good standing at **Gonzaga University School of Law**, **Seattle University School of Law**, or the **University of Washington School of Law**, and have legal authorization to work in the United States. See attached for more details.

Announcements

Law Library

Wondering what to do with your casebooks after the semester ends? Looking for books for next semester? Check out the [SU Law Student Book Exchange on Facebook](#).

Have questions about how to use library services? Check out these [helpful tutorials from the Lemieux Library](#) on campus! If you have questions that aren't addressed there, email us at LawReference@seattleu.edu

Preparing for final exams? Check out the Law Library's [Study Aids Guide](#) for information on books and online resources that can help you review for exams.

Student Housing Guide Survey

Similar to previous years, we are launching a five-minute, anonymous survey about current students' housing experiences. This information will be distributed to both current and newly admitted law students to help you locate housing that best suits your needs. Housing is listed as one of the biggest stressors for both current and new students and given the current climate, providing your feedback on this survey will help the incoming class as well as your classmates make informed housing decisions.

Please take a few minutes to share your insights! Survey link: [Contact Info Redacted](#)

Check Out TimelyCare!

TimelyCare offer students 24/7 access to virtual medical and mental healthcare from anywhere in the United States. This service, funded by the student wellness fee, provides a great supplement to our existing on-campus health and wellness services with no out-of-pocket cost or insurance requirement.

Services available through TimelyCare include:

- **Medical:** 24/7, on-demand access to a medical provider that can treat a wide range of common illnesses like cold and flu, sinus infection, allergies and more.
- **Scheduled Medical:** scheduled options to speak to a medical provider.
- **TalkNow:** 24/7, on-demand access to a mental health professional to talk about anything at anytime.
- **Scheduled Counseling:** scheduled options to speak to a licensed counselor (up to 12 visits per year).
- **Health Coaching:** resources to help students adopt healthier lifestyle behaviors related to sleep issues, nutrition, weight management and more.
- **Psychiatry:** services provided by referral from an on-campus medical or mental healthcare provider.
- **Group Sessions:** Weekly Guided Meditation and Yoga Group Sessions, plus specialized discussions throughout the year.

View [Contact Info Redacted](#) for more details.

Borrow a Light Therapy Lamp

Seasonal depression got you down? Seasonal depression's effects can be reduced with light therapy. This is done with exposure to artificial light through a light therapy lamp. Lamps are first come, first serve! You can rent out a lamp for 30 days at the Wellness and Health Promotion Office in Student Center room 380. Questions can be directed to wellness@seattleu.edu

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