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STUDENT LIFE

NEWSLETTER

Upcoming Student Life Events

Yoga with UREC hosted by the Wellness Committee

Tuesday, January 17 from 4:00 – 4:30 pm

Location: Sullivan Hall | 2nd Floor Gallery

Come and relax and destress for this short 30-minutes yoga session with UREC. We will be having Yoga once a month on the 2nd floor gallery. **Contact Info Redacted**

Honoring the Life and Legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Tuesday, January 17 from 6:30 – 8:30 pm

Location: Student Center 160

Every January, we celebrate the life and legacy of the late Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. We reflect on the lessons he imparted, the dreams he shared, and how we can continue to respond to his call to act in great love.

2023 marks 60 years since 1963, the year Dr. King described as the beginning of "the Negro Revolution", it is important that in this year we center on the legacy of Dr. King's work, and our responsibility to continue to advocate for change, live in a spirit of hope, and create new narratives of what it looks like to step into our power and freedom.

Our Keynotes will be Hiawatha D. & Veronica Very, two Seattleites who embody what it means to do work centering Black people, Black Experience, and Black Futures. Questions or Comments can be directed to Office of Multicultural Affairs oma@seattleu.edu or AshLee Day **Contact Info Redacted**

COVID & Flu Vaccine Clinic

Wednesday, January 18 from 10:00 – 3:00 pm

Location: Student Center 210

Vaccines: Pfizer and Moderna including bivalent boosters & flu. No insurance needed, no cost
Bring COVID vaccine card if getting COVID vaccine. **Contact Info Redacted**

Privacy: Panel and Discussion with Privacy Attorneys

Wednesday, January 18 from Noon – 1:00 pm

Location: Sullivan Hall | Room C5 or via Contact Info Red

Come hear from privacy attorneys what this growing field is all about! Hear from two attorneys at K&L Gates about their path to privacy law and what it takes to become a privacy attorney. Bring your questions for them, and your appetite for free food!

Whitney E. McCollum, Partner, K&L Gates

Whitney McCollum is a partner at the firm's Seattle office and a member of the Technology Transactions practice group. Whitney draws upon her global in-house experience to provide companies with cutting-edge data and technology risk management advice. Whitney is CIPP/US and CIPP/E certified and a member of the U.S. Patent Bar.

Eric F. Vicente Flores, Associate, K&L Gates

Eric F. Vicente Flores is an associate at the firm's Seattle office. He is a member of the Technology Transactions and Sourcing practice group. He has several publications about California's privacy laws and their impact on social media.

Black Law Students Association - 2023 January General Body Meeting

Thursday, January 19 from 12:00 – 1:00 pm

Location: Room C1 or via Contact Info Red

Happy New Year! All are welcome to our General body meeting as we discuss the upcoming events and commitments this semester. We will have a speaker, McKinley Irvin CEO Rita Herrera Irvin, speak at our event. She will speak about the company's mentorship program and family law, which includes divorce, custody, support, division of assets, protection from abuse, alternative family issues, adoption, grandparents' rights, property agreements, and child support.

Board Game Night hosted by the Student Bar Association

Thursday, January 19 from 4:00 – 7:00 pm

Location: Sullivan Hall | 2nd Floor Gallery

Come out for some friendly competition. Games and snacks will be provided, but feel free to bring your own games.

Asian Pacific Islander Law Students Association: 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 and staff auction in support of the organization. See the attached flyer for more information!

Please save the date and purchase your general admission tickets [Contact Info](#). 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/staff sing. In addition, come watch cultural performances throughout the night. We hope to see you there!

APILSA Due Paying Member: \$15

General Admission: \$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](#)
- Treasurer Brian Li – [Contact Info Redacted](#)

30th Annual PILF Auction: Tickets Now Open!

Saturday, March 4, 2023

Location: Grand Hyatt Seattle – 721 Pine Street, Seattle

For 30 years, the Public Interest Law Foundation (PILF) at Seattle U Law has raised funds for summer grants to support law students working in unpaid legal internships with organizations serving marginalized communities. These organizations serve immigrants, domestic violence survivors, and those who lack access to justice. Join us on March 4, 2023 for PILF's spectacular fundraising auction and gala, featuring keynote remarks from political commentator Angela Rye '05.

Buy your ticket here: [Contact Info Redacted](#)

Alternative Dispute Resolution Board

Greetings and welcome back from the Alternative Dispute Resolution Board!

1L Competition

1Ls it's your time to shine. Join us for the 1L competition. You do not need to be an ADR Board member to compete.

This is a two-part simulated competition for teams to work together as attorneys in two rounds. The first round is a client counseling interview and the second is a negotiation session with opposing counsel. This competition is an opportunity for 1Ls to experience ADR concepts while building confidence in client interviewing and developing creative problem-solving skills.

3L Students! If you are interested in being a judge in the 1L competition please contact Michael Mounthault at [Contact Info Redacted](#)

- When: February 3rd from 5:00-9:00pm
- Where: Sullivan Hall and via zoom for 1Ls who are Flex or Remote
- How: Sign ups close on Twen on January 27th (separate sign up sheets for in person and Zoom format)
- Competitors must attend one of the Information and Training Sessions.
- Sessions will be held Monday, 01/30 at 12 pm in-person (room TBD) and Tuesday, 01/31 at 6pm on Zoom

If you have any questions please contact:

- **Competitions:** VP of In-House Competitions Schuyler Peters at [Contact Info Redacted](#)
- **Membership:** VP of Membership Oliver Garrison at [Contact Info Redacted](#)
- **General:** President Haley Westman at [Contact Info Redacted](#)

Moot Court Board

Our first bailiff opportunities of the semester have opened up! Sign up ^{Contact Info Redacted} to bailiff the preliminary rounds of Tausend on January 20th and January 27th from 4:00-9:00pm.

In addition, be on the lookout for information about our 1L mock competition! Competition sign ups and the competition problem will be coming soon.

If you have any questions about the Moot Court Board, please contact us!

- Chair, Martha Ridgway - ^{Contact Info Redacted}
- Vice Chair, Shariah Olomua ^{Contact Info Redacted}

Student Bar Association

Save the Date for several key events:

- 100 Days Left Event for graduating students – Friday, February 17
- Over the Hump Event for 2Ls – Saturday, February 11
- Barrister's Ball – Saturday, March 25

For the 100 Days Left Event and Over the Hump event we are collecting photos and superlatives. Please fill out the forms below to submit:

- Superlatives - ^{Contact Info Redacted}
- Class Photos - ^{Contact Info Redacted}

Dean's Office

Dean DiBiase, Associate Dean for Student Affairs

Dean DiBiase will be available for Office Hours **by appointment only.** ^{Contact Info Redacted}
^{Contact Info Redacted}. You can also ^{Contact Info Redacted}

Student Opportunities

QLaw Scholarship 2023

The mission of QLaw is to serve as a voice for LGBTQ+ lawyers and other legal professionals in the state of Washington on issues relating to diversity and equality in the legal profession, in the courts, and under the law. To support our mission, QLaw is committed to assisting graduating law students with the costs associated with accessing the legal profession after graduation, including but not limited to the cost of the bar preparation course. The amount and number of scholarships will be determined by QLaw and may vary in amount, starting from \$1,000. Scholarship Recipients will be selected based on various criteria including past success and/or future dedication in supporting QLaw's mission as well as LGBTQ+ community involvement. Scholarship Recipients will be notified prior to and are expected to attend QLaw's Annual Banquet in June, 2023 (QLaw will notify the Recipient the date of the banquet, and complimentary ticket for attendance will be provided to each scholarship Recipient).

Deadline for Applications: 5 PM PT, Sunday, March 5, 2023

Eligibility: Enrolled students at one of the three Washington State law schools who:

- Will be graduating in May/June 2023 or December 2023; and
- Have taken or will be taking steps to be admitted to the Washington State Bar

Joel Stern Scholarship

The BSP Law Charitable Foundation Joel Stern Scholarship seeks to provide financial support to students from diverse backgrounds who contribute to the diversity of their law school student body as they pursue their legal career. Open to 1Ls, 2Ls and 3Ls. Deadline to apply is February 17.

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The Fund for American Studies Summer Law Fellowship

Applications are currently being accepted for the **Contact Info Redacted**
Apply by Feb. 23.

The 9-week intensive fellowship is hosted by The Fund for American Studies (TFAS) in partnership with the Antonin Scalia Law School at George Mason University. The TFAS Summer Law Fellowship is a legal internship and academic program that aims to prepare future attorneys to defend the values and ideals of a free society rooted in individual liberty, limited government, free enterprise and constitutional originalism.

Selected fellows will receive a **full-tuition scholarship** to attend the program and **housing** for the duration of the program. Awards are highly selective – only 25 students will be selected to participate.

Bucerius Exchange Program

The law school's Office of International Programs invites rising 3Ls to apply to our Germany Exchange Program, where two Seattle U Law students have the opportunity to spend the Fall 2023 semester at Bucerius University in Hamburg, Germany. The program curriculum is focused on international and comparative business law. For more information, visit: **Contact Info Redacted**

Contact Info Redacted or contact Professor Sital Kalantry, **Contact Info Redacted**. Please submit your interest in participating in the Germany exchange program at your earliest convenience and no later than March 1 for consideration.

Summer 2023 Internship Opportunities for Law Students with Disabilities

The ABA Commission on Disability Rights will be offering exciting internship opportunities for law students with disabilities for the summer of 2023, in partnership with leading corporations, including Prudential and Accenture. All internships are open to students who will have completed their first year of law school in good standing, and offer a chance for these students to develop their skills and further their careers.

For more information, visit our internship portal: **Contact Info Redacted**

If you have any questions or issues, please email CDR Staff Director Amy Allbright at **Contact Info Redacted**

AccessLex Announces Inaugural Hannah R. Arterian Memorial Scholarship

The Scholarship will be awarded to a 1L **Contact Info Redacted** program participant who completed the entire eight-lesson MAX Financial Foundations course and attended at least two MAX events. **The MAX by AccessLex® comprehensive personal finance program is completely free of charge to AccessLex member law schools** — the 194 American Bar Association-approved nonprofit and state-affiliated law schools — and their students. MAX provides **quick and easy to understand lessons, live webinars and workshops, one-on-one financial coaching from Accredited Financial Counselors**, and now nearly \$400,000 in scholarship incentives each year. In April 2022, MAX surpassed the \$1,500,000 mark in scholarship awards.

The drawing for the Hannah R. Arterian Memorial Scholarship will take place on **May 1, 2023**. Read about the **Contact Info Redacted**

Social Media Intern needed for GraceEquity

Michelle Majors from **Contact Info Redacted** is seeking a Social Media Intern to support her website, bookings, engagement, and socials. If interested, please email Michelle Majors at **Contact Info Redacted**

Announcements

Legal Research Symposium

This inaugural Legal Research Symposium is a way for faculty, staff, students, and alumni to share research they've been doing. If you are interested, please fill out this form -

Contact Info Redacted

This event will take place on **Friday, April 21 from 12:00 - 4:00 pm in Sullivan Hall.**

Individuals will have roughly 15 minutes to present followed by a short 5 minute Q&A.

Deadline to submit a proposal is Friday, February 3, 2023 by 11:59 pm PST. Proposals will be reviewed in February and presenter(s) will be notified by late February/early March.

Graduation Cord Survey from NGNCA and OutLaws

If you are graduating and would like a cord from NGNCA and OutLaws, please fill out this Contact Info Redacted
Based on interest, we will decide whether to order them or not.

25 Students who Soar

We are honoring 25 current Seattle University School of Law students who have shown a commitment to giving back to the legal community or the law school. Students will be featured on our school website and recognized throughout our community.

All students currently enrolled in the law school are eligible for this honor. Selected students must be available for a professional photo shoot in March (photos will be available for personal use).

Please consider nominating yourself or another student by **11:59 pm PST on February 3, 2023**. The selection committee will review and make announcements in late February or early March. Contact Info Redacted

PLI Patent Bar Presentations - January 2023

If you are a student with a degree (or at least two years of coursework) in engineering, computer sciences or the hard sciences (chemistry, biology, physics, or related fields), and are interested in becoming a Patent Agent or Attorney, Practising Law Institute (PLI) invites you to an online presentation by Mark Dighton, PLI's Director of Law School Relations and Administrative Director of their Patent Office Exam Course.

Topics for discussion include:

- The latest info on the Patent Office Exam,
- Who can take it,
- How it works (it's on computer and "on demand"),
- When you should take it (you don't need to...and probably shouldn't...wait until you graduate), and
- Recommendations on when and how to study for this very difficult Exam.

Just sign up for ONE of the presentations below. (All five talks are the same.)

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Earth Month Logo Design Competition...with a Prize

After last year's successful Earth Month logo design competition, we are looking for your contributions again. Create a logo, and **your design may become the face of Earth Month (April) 2023 at SU.** The winner will receive a \$25 gift card to SU's Campus Store and \$25 donation to an **environmental organization of their choosing.** The winning creation will be used to publicize SU's earth month initiatives on social media, website, flyers and more. Submission details can be found at [Contact Info Redacted](#) or by [Contact Info Redacted](#)

E-mail submissions and any questions to: [Contact Info Redacted](#)

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