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Dear Colleagues,

Welcome back to the delayed and abbreviated Dean's Spotlight. I hope everyone kept warm and dry during the epic winter weather (for Seattle, at least) and that you enjoyed the snow days. It appears that we have now officially transitioned from "Snowmageddon" to "Slushmageddon!" You'll be receiving a number of messages about rescheduled events, including the Tausend Competition & Reception and the Judicial Ethics & Social Media Forum. As we try to pick up from where we left off last week, I want to remind you to purchase your PILF tickets ASAP--\$90 for faculty and staff.

Best Regards,

Annette

Presentations

Lori Bannai spoke on the panel, Social Impact & Public Service, at the 2019 Harvard Asian Pacific American Law Students Conference.

Jack Kirkwood was invited to present a paper at the Competition, Antitrust Law, and Innovation Forum (CALIF) at UC Irvine Law School on March 8. He was also invited to join a panel discussion on Antitrust and Amazon at the Crosscut Festival in Seattle on March 21.

Other News

Deborah Ahrens spoke with [Crosscut](#) about Seattle's effort to create

Upcoming Events

[Presidents Day](#)

Monday, February 18, 2019
8:00am-5:00pm
No Classes, Offices Closed

[Joaquin Avila Memorial Symposium](#)

Friday, March 1, 2019
8:30am-4:30pm
Sullivan Hall C5

[Raven Lidman Memorial Reception](#)

Wednesday, March 6, 2019
5:30pm-7:30pm
Sullivan Hall 2nd Floor Gallery

[Public Interest Law Foundation's 26th Annual Auction](#)

Saturday, March 9, 2019
Starts at 5:30pm
Grand Hyatt Seattle
Click [here](#) to purchase tickets before they are gone!

Visit the School of Law website for more [upcoming events](#).

safe consumption sites and why the federal government is willing to look the other way on marijuana legalization but not on this issue.

Bob Boruchowitz was recently quoted by [KNKX](#) in a podcast about McNeil Island Commitment Center, part of a series entitled *McNeil Island Now*. His quote was featured on Episode 2, *Not A Prison*, on January 29, 2019.

Charlotte Garden told [Slate](#) that if Amazon is recruiting or encouraging anti-union ambassadors on Twitter, that would violate labor law.

Charles O'Kelley spoke with [Rantt Media](#) about how Starbucks should cut ties with former CEO Howard Schultz now that Schultz has entered the political fray with talk of a presidential run.

Andrew Siegel is quoted in [The Daily News](#) about whether schools can discipline students for online speech that happens outside the classroom.

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