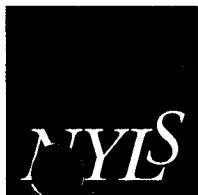


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WHOSE PRIVACY IS IT ANYWAY?

Symposium on HIV Disclosure

On Friday, March 22, the New York Law School Law Review and the Association of the Bar of the City of NY Committees on AIDS, Health Law and

Panelists participating in this important symposium include Prof. Michael Closen (John Marshall Law School), Marc Elovitz, Esq. (staff attorney, A.C.L.U. AIDS Project), Kathryn C. Meyer, Esq. (gen. counsel, Beth Israel Medical Center) and Norton Spritz, M.D. (chief of medical service, NY Veterans Administration Med. Center).

Legal Issues Affecting People With Disabilities present a symposium entitled "Job Restrictions and Disclosure Requirements for HIV-Infected Health Care Professionals:

Whose Privacy Is It Anyway?" The symposium, moderated by NYLS Professor Arthur S. Leonard, takes place from 1:30 to 4:30pm in the Ernst Stiefel Reading Room. Please call Tim O'Neal Lorah at 431-2118 for information or registration.

WIDER AUDIENCE FOR CITY LAW

City Law on Westlaw

You can now read City Law, the Center for NYC Law's publication about NYC legal and governmental issues, on Westlaw. One of the first specialized legal newsletters to be placed on Westlaw in full text format, City Law can be

accessed from the database CITYL. It is also available in the TP-ALL, JLR and NY-JLR combined databases. If you know the citation of the City Law article or current developments item you wish to access, you may use the FIND service by typing "fi __ CITYL __" (volume number and page number go in the respective blanks).

A GOOD TIME FOR A GOOD CAUSE

PIC Auction

Don't miss the NYLS Public Interest Coalition Auction Thursday, March 21, 5 to 8pm in the Student Center. Items to be auctioned include autographed books, baseball tickets and restaurant dinners. Money raised from the auction helps students obtain summer work in otherwise non-paying public interest law positions, and serves a variety of constituencies. The silent auction has already started; check the PIC table outside Room B100 and write in your bids. Donations of goods and services are still being accepted. Please contact Helena Prigal, Director of Student Services 431-2318 for more information.

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Library News

Please sign up in advance for Westlaw and Lexis classes at the library circulation desk.

LIBRARY WESTLAW AND LEXIS TRAINING

The library is offering Westlaw and Lexis classes each Wednesday at 11:45am and alternating Monday and Wednesday evenings at 5:30pm.

WESTLAW SUMMER ASSOCIATE AND JUDICIAL CLERKSHIP TRAINING

Annual training classes for the Westlaw Summer Associate and Judicial Clerkship programs will be held between March 25 and 28. Open to all students these classes will focus on advanced searching techniques and cost-effective research.

LEXIS STUDENT OFFICE AND LAW SCHOOLS ON-LINE SOFTWARE AND PASSWORDS

Students needing either the software or passwords (or both) may pick them up from Kate McLeod, L211, Mondays and Wednesdays between 5 and 6:15pm or when she is on the reference desk. Those students whose passwords were not generated can pick up their passwords at the same times.

FOLIO TRAINING

Lexis will be offering training in the use of the Folio database system from March 19 through March 27.

BRIDGE THE GAP

On Friday, **March 29**, *NYLS* will host the Bridge the Gap Summer Associate Legal Research Program, open to students from *NYLS* and area law schools. Sponsored by the Law Library Association of Greater New York, this lively seminar is intended to help law students ease the transition between the classroom and summer internships. Information about the program and registration materials are available at the Library Reference Desk or in the Career Services Office. Interested students should register by Friday, **March 22**.

CLASS SCHEDULE

- Mar. 19, 11am, *Folio Training*
2nd Floor Lexis Room, L214
- Mar. 19, 3pm, *Folio Training*
2nd Floor Lexis Room, L214
- Mar. 20, 11:45am, *Weekly Library Lexis Class*
2nd Floor Westlaw Room, L214
- Mar. 20, 5:30pm, *Weekly Library Lexis Class*
2nd Floor Westlaw Room, L214
- Mar. 21, 11am, *Folio Training*
2nd Floor Lexis Room, L214
- Mar. 21, 3pm, *Folio Training*
2nd Floor Lexis Room, L214
- Mar. 25 9am, *Folio Training*
2nd Floor Lexis Room, L214
- Mar. 25, 11am, *Westlaw Summer Asso. Class*
3rd Floor Westlaw Room, L311
- Mar. 25 11am, *Folio Training*
2nd Floor Lexis Room, L214
- Mar. 25, 1pm, *Westlaw Summer Asso. Class*
3rd Floor Westlaw Room, L311
- Mar. 25, 3pm, *Folio Training*
2nd Floor Lexis Room, L214
- Mar. 25, 5:15pm, *Westlaw Judicial Clerkship Class*
3rd Floor Westlaw Room, L311
- Mar. 25, 5:30pm, *Weekly Library Lexis Class*
2nd Floor Lexis Room, L214
- Mar. 26, 10am, *Westlaw Summer Asso. Class*
3rd Floor Westlaw Room, L311
- Mar. 26, 4pm, *Westlaw Summer Asso. Class*
3rd Floor Westlaw Room, L311
- Mar. 27, 11:45am, *Weekly Library Westlaw Class*
3rd Floor Westlaw Room, L311
- Mar. 27, 1pm, *Westlaw Summer Asso. Class*
3rd Floor Westlaw Room, L311
- Mar. 27, 5:15 pm, *Westlaw Summer Associate Class*
3rd Floor Westlaw Room, L311
- Mar. 27, 3pm, *Folio Training*
2nd Floor Lexis Room, L214
- Mar. 27, 6pm, *Folio Training*
2nd Floor Lexis Room, L214
- Mar. 28, 1pm, *Westlaw Judicial Clerkship Class*
3rd Floor Westlaw Room, L311
- Mar. 28, 2pm, *Westlaw Summer Asso. Class*
3rd Floor Westlaw Room, L311



Student Services Update

PRESENTATION ON THE ANTI-IMMIGRATION BILL

On Tuesday, March 19, from 12:45 to 1:45pm in A500, Asian American Law Students Association has arranged for Sylvia Movinsky, from the Center for Immigration Rights to speak on the anti-immigration bill now pending in Congress. Everyone is welcome to attend.

INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

The Association of the Bar of the City of New York, Committee on Minorities in the Profession is sponsoring a minority internship program for law students of color. Students may attend Association committee and subcommittee meetings, attend Association-sponsored seminars and programs and assist in organizing workshops or projects. Application deadline is Friday, **April 26**. These are volunteer programs.

VOLUNTEER TRANSLATORS WANTED

Can you volunteer as a translator for people in need of legal assistance but unable to afford it? Would you like valuable exposure to the practice of public interest law? The Community Outreach Law Program of the Association of the Bar of the City of NY invites you to participate as an interpreter in one of these programs: Community Immigration Clinic, Refugee Assistance Program, Elderlaw Project, Legal Clinic For the Homeless, Matrimonial Law Clinic, or Adoption Law Program. If you are fluent in a foreign language and can help, please attend an Orientation for Interpreters on Thursday, **March 28**, at 7pm at the House of the Association, 42 West 44th St. To reserve a seat, please call Akira Arroyo at 382-6710.

BARRISTER'S BALL

You are invited to the Barrister's Ball on Saturday, **March 30**, from 7:30pm to 12pm in the Student Center and Stiefel Reading Room. Tickets, priced at \$15, include dinner, dancing and an open bar and can be purchased from Nilie Pajoochi, Office of Student Services.



Faculty Activities

On March 6, **Professor Nadine Strossen** gave a lecture at Grinnell College in Grinnell, Iowa on "Regulating Sexual Harassment — Tensions Between Gender Equality and Free Speech." On March 8, she participated in a forum at the Cato Institute, in Washington, D.C., about the issues raised by **Professor David Schoenbrod's** book critiquing Congress's delegation of lawmaking authority. On March 10, she delivered the Keynote Address at the First Annual Academic Convocation For Law Students, on "Law in a Changing Society," at Suffolk University Law School in Boston. Her address was entitled "Legal Scholarship as a Vehicle for Social Change." On March 12, Strossen delivered the Keynote Address for Law Week at the Cumberland School of Law, Samford University, in Birmingham, Alabama. On that same date, she also lectured at the University of Alabama in Huntsville.

upcoming events from the office of development and public affairs

Please join us for these ever-popular sessions, all of which take place in The Dining Room, 47 Worth St.

Sunday, March 24, 12pm

Spotlight on the Evening Division Brunch

FEATURING TEN SUCCESSFUL
NYLS EVENING DIVISION GRADUATES

Monday, March 25, 12:30pm

Spring Executive Speakers Luncheon Series

FEATURING **MARC LASRY '84**, FOUNDER & SR.
MANAGING DIRECTOR OF AMROC INVESTMENTS, INC.

Monday, April 15, 12:30pm

Spring Executive Speakers Luncheon Series

FEATURING **GERALD C. CROTTY '76**, CHAIRMAN,
PRESIDENT & CEO OF ITT INFORMATION SERVICES, INC.

Thursday, April 18, 12pm

Spotlight on Women Luncheon

FEATURING TEN OUTSTANDING NYLS ALUMNAE

For information and reservations, please call the
Office of Development and Public Affairs at 791-2130.



Career Services Update

For applications or more information on any of these opportunities, please contact the Office of Career Services on the Fifth Floor at 53 Worth Street, or call us at 431-2345.

SPRING ON-CAMPUS RECRUITMENT PROGRAM

Resume Referral Employer:

United Steel Workers of America (Pittsburgh)

Permanent Positions in the Legal
Department (for Class of 1996)

Legal Department lawyers are engaged in all aspects of labor law - litigation, negotiations, counseling and lobbying. They also assist in collective bargaining in the steel, aluminum, copper, container and other industries. Submit resume, writing sample and an unofficial law school transcript to the Office of Career Services by Tuesday, March 19.

EVENING DIVISION STUDENTS

* Success Stories Soiree Series Final Session
Tuesday, March 19

5:15 to 6pm, Room B200.

Sandwiches will be served. Please RSVP on the Career Services 5th Floor Bulletin Board (to assist us with our food orders). Whether you RSVP or not, you are welcome and encouraged to attend.

* Walk-In Hours (Wednesday evenings)

Wednesday, March 20

5:15 to 5:45pm, Room B103

NETWORKING LUNCH ON ALTERNATIVE CAREERS

Wednesday, March 20

1pm in The Dining Room

Meet with alumni/ae involved in career alternatives to the practice of law from the following industries: publishing, banking, entertainment, insurance, tax & estate planning.

WORK-STUDY POSITION AVAILABLE

The Office of Career Services has a position available for a work-study student. Responsibilities include assisting staff with various projects, data entry and office duties.

RECIPROCITY PROGRAM

NYLS's Office of Career Services participates in a nationwide law school reciprocity program, which allows students seeking opportunities outside the NY metropolitan area to utilize the services of other participating law schools' career services office for up to three months. Reciprocity policies vary from school to school. For more information, please consult the Reciprocity Policy Binder in the Career Services Resource Room.

SUMMER FUNDING

* NAPIL Fishman Summer Fellowship

NAPIL is offering the Felix Fishman Summer Fellowship, which provides funding for one law student to serve underrepresented people or communities in the NYC area. Applicants should have an outstanding record of experience and commitment to public interest work, and a history or identity with the communities he or she proposes to serve. Applicants must have secured a position prior to applying. The deadline is March 25.

* Funding for Summer Public Interest

NYLS has various fellowships available to fund summer volunteer positions with public interest employers. Each provides grants of approximately \$3,500 for ten weeks at a public interest or public service organization. For two of the three funding programs, you need not have secured your position at the time you apply. If selected, however, you must have an approved placement by the time your grant is actually awarded. Decisions are made on a rolling basis, so apply as soon as possible. The deadline is April 5.

DID YOU KNOW...

A PARTNER AT WEIL, GOTSHAL & MANGES

IS A NYLS ALUMNUS?

HE IS MARVIN JACOB '64

*Career Services Update, continued***SUCCESS STORIES FROM YOUR PEERS:
SUCCESSFULLY FINDING A JOB THROUGH
DEVELOPING PROFESSIONAL RELATIONSHIPS**

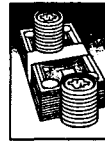
Wednesday, March 27

1pm, Room B100

Hear how fellow students have successfully found employment and developed valuable professional relationships – and learn how you can emulate them. Lunch will be served to the first 20 students who RSVP. All students are welcome and encouraged to attend whether they RSVP or not.

RESUME PRINTING IN CAREER SERVICES

You may use a printer in the Office of Career Services to print one quality copy of your resume. If additional copies are needed, they may be made at a copy center nearby.



FROM THE

Office of Financial Aid**GRANT-IN-AID APPLICATIONS**

April 15 is the application deadline date for students who are applying for Grant-In-Aid or summer Federal Work-Study. Consideration for applications received after the deadline will be based on available funds. Students applying for loans are advised to submit their loan applications during the month of May to allow ample time for processing.

ATTENTION JUNE 1996 GRADUATES

Student loan exit interviews will be conducted sometime during the end of March or early April. Additional information will be posted in the next edition of the *Counselor*.

ATTENTION: STUDENTS OF COLOR*** CITY BAR ASSOCIATION'S THURGOOD MARSHALL FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM (CLASSES OF 1997 & 1998)**

This Fellowship Program, offered by The Association of the Bar of the City of NY, is for students who will be in their 2nd or 3rd year of law school in the 1996-1997 academic year. Fellows are provided with a \$3,000 stipend and the opportunity to work with the Association on community service or civil rights projects that are the legacy of Justice Marshall. Deadline: March 25.

*** CITY BAR INTERN PROGRAM (CLASSES OF 1997, 1998 & 1999)**

The Association of the Bar of the City of NY offers this program to students returning in the 1996-1997 academic year, providing them with opportunities to become members of Committees and immerse themselves in a field of law, meet with practicing attorneys and participate in Bar Association activities. Deadline: April 26.

*** DUPONT PRIMARY LAW FIRM MINORITY JOB FAIR (CLASSES OF 1997, 1998 & 1999)**

The purpose of this job fair is to bring more minority lawyers to Primary Law Firms. Interested students must send their resume, law school transcript and an application form, which is available in the Office of Career Services, to DuPont Primary Law Firm Minority Job Fair by May 3.

*** SHEARMAN & STERLING OPEN HOUSE (CLASS OF 1998 & 1999)**

Shearman & Sterling will be holding an Open House at 6pm on Tuesday, March 26 at their offices, 599 Lexington Avenue (53rd St.), 2nd Floor. This event will introduce students to Shearman & Sterling and describe their recruiting process for 2nd and 3rd-year students. RSVP to Andrea Keir at 848-7548 by Thursday, March 21.

*** CONGRESSIONAL HISPANIC CAUCUS INSTITUTE (CHCI) TELECOMMUNICATIONS FELLOWSHIP**

Fellows are afforded the opportunity to conduct substantive research and written work on policy issues related to telecommunications or the telecommunications industry. Students are required to work at least half of the Fellowship in congressional committees or subcommittees. Deadline: April 1.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

for the week of March 18, 1996

TUESDAY, MARCH 19

- Folio Training, 11am, Second Floor Lexis Room, L214
- Folio Training, 3pm, Second Floor Lexis Room, L214
- **Anti-Immigration Bill Presentation**
12:45 to 1:45pm, A500 (sponsored by the Asian American Law Students Association)
- **Career Services Success Stories Soiree Series for Evening Division Students**
5:15 to 6pm, B200
- **"My Virginia" Performance Piece With Commentary**
5:30pm, New York County Lawyers' Association, 14 Vesey St., 267-6646

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20

- Weekly Library Lexis Classes, 11:45am and 5:30pm, 2nd Floor Lexis Room, L214
- **Career Services Networking Lunch on Alternative Careers**
1pm, The Dining Room
- **"Merit Selection of Judges: Election or Appointment?" Lunch Forum**
12:30pm, New York County Lawyers' Association, 14 Vesey St., 267-6646

THURSDAY, MARCH 21

- Folio Training, 11am, Second Floor Lexis Room, L214
- Folio Training, 3pm, Second Floor Lexis Room, L214
- **Public Interest Coalition Auction and Reception**
5-8pm (reception from 6-8pm), Student Center
- **Law Enforcement Law Students Association Meeting**
5-6pm, A600
- **"Consumer Grievances in Managed Care: Is There a Role for ADR?"**
Presentation at the Association of the Bar of the City of New York
6pm, 42 W. 44th Street

FRIDAY, MARCH 22

- **"Global Networks Confront National Rules: Examining the Legal Constraints Imposed on the Online Industry in Europe and the U.S." Forum**
9am to 5:30pm, A700 (RSVP to Roberta Tasley, 431-2160, at the Comm. Media Center)
- **"Job Restrictions & Disclosure Requirements for HIV-Infected Health Care Workers: Whose Privacy Is It Anyway?" Symposium**
1:30 to 4:30pm, Ernst Stiefel Reading Room

SUNDAY, MARCH 24

- **Spotlight on the Evening Division Brunch**
12pm, The Dining Room