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Welcome Classes of '95 & '96!

And Welcome to Counselor!

The Law School's newsletter, Counselor, has been redesigned to serve you better. What was once a monthly newsletter will now be published every other Monday, giving you a timely publication which you can refer to for several important announcements.

This newsletter is a valuable source for you to keep handy. You will find information on upcoming events, office of career services updates, meeting locations, faculty and staff appointments, awards, general announcements, a calendar of events and other pertinent information.

Counselor will be distributed through interoffice mail for faculty, staff and administration and will be placed in various locations throughout the School for students.

The publication dates for the fall semester are as follows:

Monday, September 21

Monday, October 5

Monday, October 19

Monday, November 2

Monday, November 16

Monday, November 30

Monday, December 14

Monday, December 28

The editor of Counselor welcomes the news you want to share with the Law School community. See the bottom of the reverse side for information and deadline dates for submitting items.

Career Services Update

NYLS-LEGAL AID SOCIETY FELLOWSHIP

Third-year students with a commitment to serving the disadvantaged and an interest in the criminal justice system may apply for The New York Law School-Legal Aid Society Fellowship, a stipend of \$5,000 per year. A

three-year commitment is required. The student selected for this position will spend her/his spring semester and the three years following graduation in either the Criminal Defense Division or the Criminal Appeals Bureau of the Legal Aid Society. Applications and information will be available in the Office of Career Services on Tuesday, September 8, 1992. The deadline is October 2, 1992.

FIFTH ANNUAL NALP/NAPIL PUBLIC INTEREST LAW CAREER FAIR

Students interested in participating in this fair, which will be held from October 16-18, should see Beth Fishkin in the Career Services' Resource Room.

Note: You are responsible for submitting your resumes directly to employers in which you are interested. You should mail your resumes to employers no later than September 25!

STUDENT BOARD FOR CAREERS IN LAW

Career Services is now accepting applications for the Student Board for Careers in Law. As a member, you will be able to help choose topics, coordinate events, meet alumni, make contacts and learn about selected areas of the law. If interested, submit your resume to Career Services by <u>Friday</u>, <u>September 11</u>, <u>1992</u>.

Seats are limited, so please get your applications in ASAP! Any questions, please call Danielle Aptekar at ext. 345.

Nathan Burkan Memorial Competition Winners Announced

Congratulations to Monica Ashton '93 and Robert Leonard '92 who won first and second prizes, respectively, in the 1992 Nathan Burkan Memorial Competition at The New York Law School, sponsored by ASCAP (American Society of Composers, Authors & Publishers). Their papers will be published in ASCAP Copyright Law Symposium Number Forty-Two.

Librarians Join NYLS's 30-year Club

Congratulations and thank you to librarians Harold Dramer and Leslie Kanocz, who marked their 30th year with The New York Law School in 1992. They began working in the library when it was still located on Williams Street, and have witnessed the enormous growth the library has gone through over the past three decades.

Mr. Dramer has performed just about every task in the library, and is the assistant serials librarian, as well as the "unofficial historian" of the Law School.

Mr. Kanocz has served the Law School community in numerous capacities -- from documents librarian to circulation librarian to his current position of reference librarian.

Mr. Dramer and Mr. Kanocz were both honored at the Staff Appreciation Luncheon in May.

Staff Update

Don Blanchard began working at NYLS in May as Director of Maintenance & Operations. He has approximately fifteen years of building engineer experience. Don was seriously injured in a motorcycle accident in August. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Shani Darby began working as an Administrative Assistant in Student Services in late June. She started at NYLS as Receptionist/Administrative Assistant in the Dean's Office.

Anthony Howard has joined us as a part-time security officer. He has several years of related experience and has served seven years in the U.S. Air Force and the National Guard.

Deborah Howard, Director of Career Services, was appointed as a member of the Association of the Bar of the City of New York Committee on Minorities in the Profession and the New York State Bar Committee on Minorities in the Profession and was elected Vice-Chair of the Northeast BLSA Job Fair Board of Directors.

Laura Manning will be working for us as a Recruitment Assistant in our Career Services Department during the peak student recruitment period. Laura is a graduate of Cornell University with a B.A. in History and Spanish Literature; she also managed Cornell's women's squash team.

Hillary Mantis, Associate Director for Career Services, has been re-appointed as Chair of New York County Lawyers' Association Committee on Lawyer Placement for 1992-93. In her capacity as committee chair, she writes a regular column, Career Notes, for the Association's Legal Employment Assistance Program Bulletin.

Sandra Miller is our new Receptionist and Administrative Assistant in the Dean's Office. She originally started working at NYLS as a "temp" and assisted in the Office of Development & Public Affairs during Patria Pabon's maternity leave.

Dorothea Perry has been designated a Certified Resource in WordPerfect 5.1 from the WordPerfect Corporation. She achieved this professional designation by passing the certifying examination with 90% or higher in each section.

Congratulations, Dorothea.

Michael Pizzo joined NYLS as Acting Director of Maintenance & Operations while Don Blanchard is recovering from his motorcycle accident. Mike has twenty-five years experience in building management services.

Eileen Quinn has joined the Office of Academic Affairs and will provide senior administrative support. She has nine years of experience in academic administration at Yale Law School and Yale University, received her J.D. in 1983 from the University of Connecticut Law School, and has held various legal positions in Connecticut. From 1989 - 1992, she was an instructor in the legal skills program of the University of Bridgeport School of Law.

Roberto Ritcher has joined NYLS as a part-time security officer. Last year, he worked with the Law School's food service contractor, Culinary Management Corporation.

Best wishes to Professor Stephen J. Ellmann and his wife, Nancy Rosenbloom, who became the parents of a 7 lb 9 oz baby boy, David Martin Ellmann, on August 28, 1992.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR SEPT. 8 - 21

- 8th Legal Aid Society Panel 5:00 pm, Location to be announced
- 11th Job Search Support Group
 10:00 am to 12:00 pm

 Large Conference Room, Faculty Dining
 Room
- 15th City Government: Corporation Counsel, the District Attorney's Office and City Agencies Panel 5:00 pm, Location to be announced
- 16th A.C.T.S. Interview Presentation and Skills Workshop with Jill Niemczyk Smith, President and Jennifer A. Greiner, V.P. of the Legal Career Resource.

 5:00 pm 7:00 pm

 Large Conference Room, Faculty Dining Room.

For more information on the above calendar of events, please call the Office of Career Services at ext. 345.

WATCH THIS SPACE FOR DEADLINE DATES TO SUBMIT MATERIALS FOR INCLUSION IN FUTURE ISSUES

If you have news you want to share with the Law School community, the deadline for the September 21st issue will be Wednesday, September 16th.

Please submit all items to:
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