When Dickinson Law Associate Dean for Academic and Student Services Jeffrey A. Dodge heard about the generous donation given to the Dickinson Law Future Fund and Penn State Student Care and Advocacy Emergency Fund by Dickinson Law Dean and Donald J. Farage Professor of Law Danielle Conway, he was moved. Then he felt inspired to give back as well. In just a two-week span, Dodge mobilized a group of Dickinson Law faculty and staff to make their own donation in honor of Dean Conway—one that Penn State will match.

MARCH TO THE BEAT OF YOUR JUSTICE DRUM: A REFLECTION BY IMAN WOODYARD ’21

“Being a Martin Luther King Jr. intern during a global health crisis and great social unrest was not anything that I could have predicted, but it was still a huge honor to serve.” Woodyard reflects on her time as a Pennsylvania Legal Aid Network (PLAN) Martin Luther King Jr. intern with the Pennsylvania Utility Law Project, where she focused on policy surrounding Pennsylvania’s Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program. Her reflection is featured on page 23 in a collection of essays submitted by PLAN interns.

FACULTY AND STAFF ESTABLISH EDUCATIONAL EQUITY SCHOLARSHIP WITH UNIVERSITY MATCH

Michael A. Blasie, Esq. joined the Dickinson Law resident faculty as assistant professor of lawyering skills. His appointment allows Dickinson Law to build on the leadership work that our professors of lawyering skills have done to deliver a phenomenal writing curriculum to future legal scholars. Blasie will teach Legal Writing and Analysis.

NEW FACES ON CAMPUS: J.D., LL.M., AND S.J.D. STUDENTS BEGIN LAW SCHOOL JOURNEY AT DICKINSON LAW

The Dickinson Law community welcomed incoming J.D., LL.M., and S.J.D. students to the Law School last week for a combination of in-person and remote-only Welcome Week activities. In addition to required Orientation programming, students participated in optional small-group wellness, community service, and social activities, including a historical walking tour of Carlisle, food distribution at ProjectShare, and an outdoor screening of “Just Mercy” on the lawn.

DEAN CONWAY SUPPORTS DIPLOMA PRIVILEGE FOR CLASS OF 2020 GRADUATES

Since March 2020, Dean and Donald J. Farage Professor of Law Danielle Conway has been working with Pennsylvania law school deans to lead a response in favor of diploma privilege. She is serving on the Law Schools/Law Students Subcommittee of the Pennsylvania Bar Association’s COVID-19 Task Force and PBA’s Joint Task Force on Continuity of Delivery of Legal Services with specific service to the Omnibus Matters Subcommittee in order to press for, among other things, diploma privilege. Earlier this month, Dean Conway was quoted in this article published by The Philadelphia Inquirer.

NEW MONTHLY AUTHOR EVENT SERIES ALLOWS AUTHORS AND READERS TO CONNECT VIRTUALLY

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STAYING CONNECTED WITH OUR ALUMNI

Social media is just one of the many ways we can remain connected by tap into our deep alumni network. Dickinson Law alumni are Leaders, Professionals, Entrepreneurs, and Supporters of education. Connect with Dickinson Law to find out how you can help shape our Law school, as well as share your story and connect others with Dickinson Law.

Michael Blasie joins resident faculty

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