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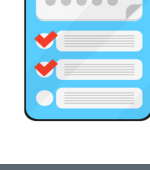
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PRACTICE GREATNESS, PRACTICE GIVING BY SERVING ON DICKINSON LAW'S LEADERSHIP COUNCIL ADVISORY BOARD



Dickinson Law's Leadership Council Advisory Board is now seeking nominations for new Board members who are committed to sustaining the Law School's tradition of excellence and who, through leadership, service, and philanthropy, will contribute to the continued success of Dickinson Law and its community of students, faculty, staff, and alumni. Peer and self-nominations are accepted; submission deadline is

Wednesday, March 31. *Submit nomination*



Dickinson Law is continuing to deliver events and CLE programs virtually this spring.

Mark your calendars now to save the dates, and plan to join us for the following:

BLACK HISTORY MONTH KEYNOTE: THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25



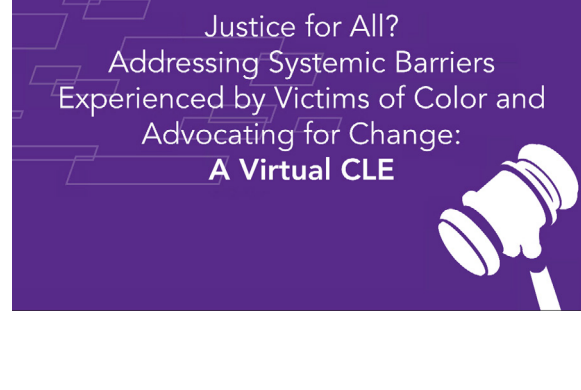
In recognition of Black History Month, Dickinson Law is proud to host Derrick Johnson, president and chief executive officer of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, as its keynote speaker. Johnson will deliver his remarks, titled "Make Black History Month All Year Long," from 1 to 2 p.m. EST. Time will be allotted for Q&A following his keynote. This event is co-sponsored by Dickinson Law's Black Law Students Association and Office of Academic and Student Services. ***Register here***

DEAN CONWAY SELECTED AS EXPERT FOR VIRTUAL CLE HOSTED BY UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA CAREY LAW SCHOOL: WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10



Dean and Donald J. Farage Professor of Law Danielle M. Conway will serve as an expert on "Reimagining the Future of Lawyer Formation," a virtual CLE led by Penn Carey Law School Dean and Bernard G. Segal Professor of Law Ted Ruger from 3 to 4:15 p.m. EST. During this interdisciplinary discussion, guest experts will explore the major factors shaping change in legal education, the obstacles to reforming an iconic training model, and what legal educators can learn from other fields to better prepare the legal professionals of tomorrow. This program has been approved for 2.0 Substantive CLE credits for Pennsylvania lawyers. CLE credit may be available in other jurisdictions. ***Details and registration***

VICTIM'S RIGHTS CLE PRESENTED BY THE STEELE FAMILY LEADERSHIP PROGRAM IN GENDER AND RACIAL EQUITY: THURSDAY, MARCH 18



Join Dickinson Law and the Steele Family Leadership Program in Gender and Racial Equity for "Justice for All? Addressing Systemic Barriers experienced by a Victims of Color and Advocating for Change." The virtual event, scheduled from 9 a.m. to noon EST, features a panel of victim advocacy experts who will explore giving a voice to victims in legal proceedings, accessing and representing victims of trafficking and domestic violence, and addressing reform ideas. Panelists include Tiffany Jeffers '08, Associate Professor of Law and Legal Practice, Georgetown Law; Jennifer Storm, Strategic Partnership and Outreach Consultant for the National Crime Victim Law Institute (NCVLI); Suzanne V. Estrella, Legal Director, Pennsylvania Coalition Against Rape; and Alexia Tomlinson '18, Justice for Victims Fellow, Institute to Address Commercial Sexual Exploitation (CSE Institute) at Villanova Law. The Pennsylvania Continuing Legal Education Board has approved this program for 2.5 hours of CLE credit. ***More details and registration***

PUBLIC INTEREST LAW FUND ANNUAL AUCTION: THURSDAY, MARCH 25

SEEKING TALENT AND IN-KIND DONATIONS FROM ALUMNI AND FRIENDS



2014 Public Interest Law Fund Auction at The Vault, Carlisle

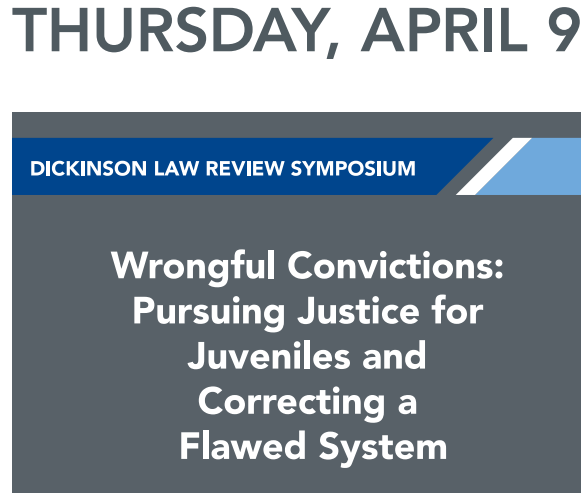
Dickinson Law's Public Interest Law Fund will host its annual fundraising event online beginning at 7 p.m. EST, offering a new way for alumni and friends to participate. In addition to in-kind donations for the online auction, PILF is seeking alumni and friends to showcase their talents. From performing a stand-up comedy set to contributing a one-of-a-kind painting, your support will help to raise funds for public interest fellowships for Dickinson Law students. Need ideas for in-kind donations? Yoga classes, meals at local venues, axe throwing, miniature golf, and gift cards are always a hit. To support the auction with your talent or an in-kind donation, please email Auction Co-Chairs Aaron Gallagher (ajg591@psu.edu) and Kristian Villegas (kxv239@psu.edu). To make a gift to PILF, visit givenow.psu.edu/DickinsonLaw or contact the Office of Development & Alumni Affairs at dickinsonlawalum@psu.edu.

THE HONORABLE SYLVIA H. RAMBO AWARD CEREMONY: WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31



Each year, the Women's Law Caucus (WLC) honors a female in the legal profession who has had a distinguished career and who, by example, has made the professional success of other women more likely. Please join the Dickinson Law community at 7 p.m. EST to honor the 2020 award recipient, Noreen Tama '86, who recently retired from her role as Senior Counsel, Commercial and Operations, Exxon Mobil Corporation Law Department. The WLC will also recognize the inaugural co-recipients of WLC's new Recent Alumna Award, Alexia Tomlinson, Esq. '18, Justice for Victims Fellow, Institute to Address Commercial Sexual Exploitation (CSE Institute) at Villanova Law and Erin Varley, Esq. '18, Deputy District Attorney, Dauphin County District Attorney's Office. Judge Rambo will deliver remarks as part of this virtual award ceremony. ***Register here***

DICKINSON LAW REVIEW SYMPOSIUM: THURSDAY, APRIL 9



Dickinson Law Review will virtually present "Wrongful Convictions: Pursuing Justice for Juveniles and Correcting a Flawed System" beginning at 9 a.m. EST. The annual symposium will focus on wrongful juvenile convictions and the flaws that currently exist within the legal system. Experts will highlight issues such as false guilty pleas, the misuse of statistics, and the unpleasant disparities that juveniles face when they are forced through the current legal framework. This program will offer approximately 4.0 CLE credits. Registration details are forthcoming.

View list of speakers and presentations



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