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DE LAW NEWS

WIDENER UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW ~ Delaware campus

Message from Dean Linda Ammons

Congratulations on completing this school year. The dedication and professionalism of our students, faculty and staff combine to make the Widener University School of Law an outstanding school. Each year as Dean, I gain new insights of the many strengths of this law school. I applaud the leadership provided by our SBA leaders and the governing boards of our law journals, moot court, trial advocacy societies, and all of our student organizations. The commitment to public service exhibited by all the members of the Law School community is inspiring, and the work in our clinical programs on behalf of people and causes that would otherwise go unrepresented is an important contribution our law school makes to the communities of which we are a part.

To those of you who are graduating, congratulations! I am looking forward to seeing you and your families at graduation. I wish you the best of luck on the bar exam and I know you will make us proud as you embark on your legal careers. The bar exam, of course, is a major hurdle, and I urge you take your preparations very seriously. Take full advantage of the bar review courses. You should take at least one course, and if possible, you should try to take two - both BarBri or its equivalent and PMBR or its equivalent. The two approaches do not duplicate, but rather complement each other, and taking both, if you are able, will maximize your chances for success. Also, try to carve out as many weeks before the exam for studying as possible. If you are working, take as much vacation time as you can, or even unpaid leaves of absence if you can arrange it, to devote your energies to studying for the bar. You have come this far and invested so much money on your legal education already that it is worth a little more investment to maximize your chances of passing the bar on your first try.

For those of you returning next fall, I wish you a productive and enjoyable summer. If you will be engaged in law-related employment or internship opportunities, I am sure you will return in the fall with a great appreciation of what you have learned in your classes, and what you still have to learn. Those of you studying abroad, have a wonderful time and spread the news about Widener Law. Good luck, and come back in August with your batteries recharged and with a renewed dedication to your legal studies.

Thank you all for helping to make my year as Dean a successful one.

BOOKSTORE

It's that time again
Sell you books during our

"BOOK BUY BACK"

May 3rd - May 15th

Open during Commencement
Saturday, May 15th
Noon - 3:00 p.m.

Don't forget your last minute gifts, souvenirs and frames.

www.widenerlawbookstore.com

Summer Hours

Monday, May 31st til Friday, August 6th.

4 day work week, Monday - Thursday, Unless noted by Department. See list on ***page 8*** .

School of Law will resume normal hours Monday, August 9th.

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

FINAL EXAMINATIONS

As final examinations approach, all students should take a few minutes to review the Law School rules relating to examinations. These rules may be found in §607-609 of the Academic Code and §203-205 of the Dean's Office Regulations.

According to §607 (f)(l) of the Code, all examinations are graded anonymously. **Students should not discuss the examination process, including the possibility of exam deferral or exam accommodation with faculty members. Any attempt by a student to identify himself/herself to a professor by placing notes or messages on an examination or exam booklet compromises the anonymous grading system. All questions should be directed to Associate Dean of Student Affairs office or the Registrar's Office. Any compromise of the anonymous grading system by a student constitutes a violation of the Code of Conduct and could result in suspension or expulsion.**

Exam Reminders

Anonymous numbers. Anonymous numbers must be placed on all examination booklets and on the examination itself. In the unlikely event you forget to put your anonymous number on your papers before time is called, you may do so at the proctor's table when you turn in your exam. If you continue to write after the proctor has told you to stop, your examination number and the fact that you did not stop when told will be reported to the Registrar's Office and may ultimately be reported to the Office of Student Affairs.

Open book exams. You may bring into an open book exam only those items designated by the professor. If you are in doubt as to what can be brought into the exam, check with your professor before the examination.

Scrap paper. Scrap paper will only be permitted in an examination if the professor has specifically told the Registrar that it will be permitted. The proctor will distribute one scrap paper book to you during the examination.

Student ID. **Finally, remember to bring your student ID to each of your examinations. Students must be positively identified by the Registrar or proctor before sitting for each exam. A drivers license is *not* a Widener student ID.**

Lavatory breaks. You are reminded that the honor code applies during the entire exam and a lavatory break does not mean there is a break in the honor code rules.

Students are reminded that the Student Code of Conduct §202(l) requires you to report all Code of Conduct violations.

Registrar's Office Information Line
(302) 477-2149
Registrar's Office Email Address:
delreg@widener.edu

Attention May Grads:

Please see the list of names that will appear in the Commencement program. Posted in the Atrium on the 1st floor. Please proof your information and send any corrections to Lauren Piotti in the Registrar's Office at extension 2150 or lpiotti@widener.edu.

REGISTRAR OFFICE
COMMENCEMENT INFORMATION

CLERGY MEMBER NEEDED

We are looking for a member of the clergy who is a student, family member, or friend who is willing to deliver an ecumenical invocation and benediction at this year's Commencement ceremony on Saturday, May 15, 2010. Please contact *Katrina Womack* at (302) 477-2170 if you or someone you know may be interested.

GRADUATION WORKERS NEEDED

Your help is needed!! If you would like to work at the Law School Commencement on Saturday, May 15, 2010, please contact *Denise Manelski* at (302) 477-2045 or stop by her office located in Polishook Hall, Legal Education Institute. This is a great opportunity to make some extra money! **By working at this event, you will also receive two reserved seating tickets for your own graduation. It is a day filled with fun and celebration!**

Do you have a Relative who is a Widener University School of Law Graduate?

Any member of the graduating class who is related to an alumnus of Widener University School of Law may invite the alumnus to participate in the Commencement Ceremony. Please contact *Katrina Womack* at (302) 477-2170 with the following information: your name and telephone number; alumnus's name, address, and telephone number; and your relationship.

SINGER NEEDED

If you have the ability and the desire to sing the National Anthem at this year's 2010 Commencement ceremony, then we are looking for you! Preference is given to a member of the graduating class, but anyone interested is encouraged to try out. Please contact *Doris Moody* at (302) 477-2710 to schedule your audition.

http://blogs.law.widener.edu/grads2010/

ABA Student Health Insurance Plan Enrollment for Graduates

Deadline – May 22, 2010

Dear ABA Law School Dean:

Numerous graduating third year law students who are either currently unemployed or on deferred employment have inquired about the availability of health insurance from the ABA Law Student Division. For many of these law student graduates, their current health insurance will expire this summer and without employer health insurance, they will be uninsured for an indefinite period of time.

The ABA Law Student Division health insurance plan with United Healthcare Student Resources (**UHCSR**) offers a health insurance coverage **extension** for up to one year **PROVIDED** the student is a member of the ABA Law Student Division, currently carrying the Division's plan with UHCSR, **AND** there is no break (lapse) in that coverage between the date of graduation and the first day of this one-year extension.

- *For all students continuing coverage, if you do not re-enroll in the plan prior to the end date of your coverage, your insurance will be cancelled at the end of period for which premium has been paid. To ensure there is not a lapse in coverage, PLEASE mark your calendars and make certain you submit your premium on a timely basis and pay as required.*

Graduating law students who are not currently carrying this health insurance coverage with the ABA Law Student Division UHCSR plan may still qualify for the graduate extension by enrolling and purchasing the last quarter of the 2009-2010 health plan **no later than May 22, 2010**.

Enrollment in the health plan by May 22, 2010 is an ABSOLUTE requirement of the carrier for graduating students seeking the extension coverage. Additionally, this program is offered to ABA Law Student Division members only. If you are not currently enrolled in the ABA – you may join by calling 800.285.2221 or visiting **http://www.abanet.org/join/**. Students may view the health plan benefits at **https://www.uhcsr.com/ABA.**

- *Although it is usually an eligibility requirement for initial enrollment, UHCSR worked with the ABA Law Student Division and **agreed to waive the 31-day class attendance requirement through May 22, 2010 for graduating students enrolling in this plan.** UHCSR sent notification to all its customer service representatives advising them of this exception for the ABA Law Student Division plan.*

- *Students who are currently insured under this plan can continue coverage up to one year provided there is no break (lapse) in coverage.*

Please note that after August 1, 2010, the new 2010-2011 plan rates will apply. Each student has a choice of one of the benefits plans. Plan I has higher benefits than Plan II. Make your selection carefully; you cannot upgrade coverage after the initial purchase of the Plan for the policy year.

If you are currently insured under another UHCSR school endorsed plan, you cannot receive a refund on your school UHCSR plan if you choose to purchase additional, overlapping coverage under the ABA Law Student Division plan.

Since benefits may be different than your current plan, you may view the health plan benefits and enroll online at **https://www.uhcsr.com/ABA** Please contact UHCSR directly at 800.505.5450 for specific information on the plans.

Because health insurance coverage is important, we encourage you to pass along this message to all third year graduating law students in your school.

Thank you,
The ABA Law Student Division
ABALSD@staff.abanet.org

ARAMARK

May 3rd - May 21st

Barristers' Club ~ Closed

CROWN COURT

Hours until May 21

Mon, May 10th	9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
Tue, May 11th	9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
Wed, May 12th	11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
Thur, May 13th	9:00-2:00 (*Last exam day*)
Fri, May 14th	11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

May 15 & 16 Closed

May 17th *thru* May 21st 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. (*Open during ITAP*)

Have a great summer!

See you in the fall.

WIDENER LAW

PROUD TO BE TOBACCO FREE

JULY 1, 2010

CAMPUS SERVICES

QUIET HOURS:

There will be mandatory quiet hours in effect in the dormitories and apartments on campus starting *Wednesday, April 28*, through the end of the semester. Quiet hours will be in effect 24 hours a day until final exams are over. Any problems during the day should be reported to Campus Services. Any problems after hours should be reported to Campus Safety. Thank you for your consideration and cooperation.

REMINDER FOR APARTMENT RESIDENTS:

Apartment deposits are due by *Friday, May 7* . Payments should be made to the Campus Services Office. No apartments will be held after May 7, without a deposit. Apartment leases for the 2010/11 academic year are ready to be signed. All apartment residents must sign their lease no later than Friday, May 7. If you have any questions, please contact Chris Burrell at cmburrell@widener.edu or stop by the Campus Services office.

DORMITORY CLOSING:

The dormitories will be closing at 12 noon on *Friday, May 14*. All residents will need to vacate their dormitory room and return their key to the Campus Services office before they leave campus. You will need approval from the Campus Services office to remain in your dorm room beyond this date. If you have signed up for I.T.A.P., Bar Review housing or summer housing, you are exempt from this deadline. If you are graduating, you must vacate your room by *Sunday, May 16th*. Any questions or concerns can be directed to Chris Burrell at cmburrell@widener.edu or Kim Louisignau at kalouisignau@widener.edu.

ATTENTION ALL GRADUATES:

If you are graduating, or if you will not be returning to campus for the fall 2010 semester, please remember to close your student mailbox and return the mailbox key. Just stop by the mailroom during their scheduled hours to fill out the form for forwarding your mail and return your key. After hours, just put your key in an envelope, along with your forwarding address, and drop it through the mail slot in the window.

If you are using one of the lockers on campus, and will not be returning in the fall, please return your locker key to the Campus Services office, located in the Passmore house. You will be given a voucher for the refund of the locker key deposit.

Please remember to turn in your mailbox and locker keys before you leave campus for the final time. Thank you!

SUMMER 2010 OFFICE HOURS

Admissions		9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Audio Visual	(M-Th)	8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
	(F)	8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Bookstore	(M, T)	11:00 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.
	(W, Th)	11:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Bursar		8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Business & Administration		9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Campus Services	(M-Th)	8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Career Development		8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Computer Labs	*Hours will mirror Library (LIC)*	
Copy Center		8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
DE Civil Clinic		8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
DVLS	(M-Th)	8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
	(F)	9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Dean's Office		9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
DE Journal of Corporate Law		8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Development/Alumni		8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Environmental Law Clinic		8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Financial Aid		8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Information Technology Services		8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
LEI		8:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Legal Information Center	***May 17 - July 25***	
	(M-Th)	8:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m.
	(F)	8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
	(S)	9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
	(S)	Noon - 9:00 p.m.
	Closed *Memorial Day Weekend* 5/29-31	
	Fourth of July Weekend 7/2-5	
	July 2	8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
	July 3	9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
	July 4	Noon - 7:00 p.m.
	July 5	9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
	July 26 - Aug 15th	
	(M-Th)	8:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.
	(F)	8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
	(S)	9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
	(S)	Noon - 5:00 p.m.
Office of Student Affairs	(M, T, Th)	8:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
(Or by appt.)	(W)	8:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.
PA Civil/Criminal Clinics	(M-W)	8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
	(Th)	8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Public Interest Resource Center		9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Mailroom		7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. ***Express Mail 3:00 p.m.*** / ***Post Office 5:00 p.m.***
Maintenance	(M-F)	7:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Registrar		8:00 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.
Widener Law Review		8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m

Summer Hours

4 day work week, Monday - Thursday, Unless noted by Department.

Monday, May 31st til Friday, August 6th.

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AMERICAN COLLEGE OF BANKRUPTCY SUMMER FELLOWSHIP

Must work 9-5, Mon-Fri.
from June 1 through July 30th

Preferably a rising 3RD
Knows Power Point

Must have an interest in: *a*)learning about consumer bankruptcy in Pa., *b*)the debt collection industry, *c*)the federal and state Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, *d*) the litigation of debt collection cases, *e*) how to work with and teach older persons, *f*)learning how to file a bankruptcy electronically as well as related pleadings, *g*)working with people and learning something new, *h*) making presentations to the public

The student will receive a $4,000 stipend for the 2 months of work. Students should drop off their resume and supporting statement in the mail box outside Ms. Vanessa Gosa's office(Room 254 in the Clinic wing)

Environmental Law Clinic
Summer Intern Program

Looking for an opportunity to gain some practical experience this summer by working on real cases for real clients?

Want to earn credit towards a Pro Bono Distinction honor at graduation?

Wondering what environmental law involves and what we do in the Clinic?

Then a volunteer Summer Intern position in the Environmental and Natural Resources Law Clinic may be the thing for you! Open to students who have completed their 1st or 2nd year in the Regular Division, or their 1st, 2nd, or 3rd year in the Extended Division, a Summer Internship will look great on your resume and give you a chance to work directly in the representation of Clinic clients under the supervision of the Clinic Director. The Clinic is looking for 3-6 summer interns to help it deal with its caseload and client projects. Hours are flexible - part-time and evening hours are OK—and the projects are interesting and challenging (for example, this summer we will be conducting a trial before the Pennsylvania Environmental Hearing Board).

If you want to get more details or apply, contact Professor Kristl (ktkristl@widener.edu) or stop by his Clinic office (L256) on Monday afternoons, Tuesday mornings, Wednesdays, or Thursdays.

WHAT ARE YOUR SUMMER PLANS?

STUDY ABROAD

FOR INFORMATION VISIT OUR WEBSITE:
www.law.widener.edu/summer

Or contact Arlene Trapuzzano at
artrapuzzano@widener.edu

Student Organizations

The Delaware Journal of Corporate Law

2010 Summer Write-On Competition

Pickup for the *Journal* summer writing competition begins on Sunday, May 9, and ends on Sunday, June 20. You may pick up the packet at the Library circulation desk or download the packet on the Delaware Journal of Corporate Law's TWEN website.

Participants have three weeks from the date of pick-up to complete the assignment. Papers are due by 4:00 p.m. on the date due and should be delivered by email to djcl@widener.edu or by hardcopy to either the Delaware Journal of Corporate Law Office in Polishook, or to the circulation desk of the Legal Information Center if the Journal Office is closed. Papers that are mailed must be postmarked no later than the due date. No late papers will be accepted.

In addition to any paper which is submitted after the deadline, the following submissions will be deemed ineligible for *Journal* membership:

1. Where the author's cumulative GPA, through Spring 2009, is below 2.7;
2. Where the paper contains evidence of plagiarism or other Honor Code violations (specifically Section 202(a), which includes: (1) **the unauthorized giving or receiving of material aid or assistance**; (3) **the unauthorized use of information**; and (4) **the giving or obtaining of any unfair academic advantage**) (NOTE: These findings will also be referred to the Disciplinary Board); or
3. Where the participant has used outside research.

The packet includes all sources that may be used for the note. Sources have been deliberately limited to ensure concentration on certain issues. There is to be no outside research. Participants may, however, consult hornbooks, dictionaries, style manuals, and the Bluebook (18th edition).

If you have any questions, please e-mail Suzanne Lufadeju at solufadeju@mail.widener.edu. We look forward to reviewing your submissions.

Check out what some of *The Delaware Journal of Corporate Law's* alumni had to say at our Panel Discussion:

"The skills you obtain on the Journal are easily transferable to any area of the law."

Greg Werkheiser, Partner, Morris Nichols, Arsht & Tunnell LLP

(Articles Editor, Volume 21 Board)

"I joined the Journal because of its reputation and national recognition."

Stephanie Habelow, Smith, Katzenstein, Furlow, LLP

(Articles Editor, Volume 34 Board)

"Corporate law does not exist in a vacuum; that is why the Journal seeks to publish articles beyond its corporate focus."

Kevin Gallagher, Richards, Layton & Finger

(Editor-in-Chief, Volume 34 Board)

"You join the Journal for the relationships you build and to, ultimately, find a job."
"I didn't develop an interest in corporate law until after I joined."
"If you do not want to practice corporate law, you should still join the Journal, and then take classes in the area you wish to practice.

Tom Uebler, Associate, Richards, Layton & Finger

(Editor-in-Chief, Volume 32 Board)

"You join the Journal because of its prestige and national recognition not because of its corporate law focus"

Danielle Kuzminski, Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP

(Editor-in-Chief, Volume 33 Board)

All of our alums agree that by becoming a member of *the Delaware Journal of Corporate Law*, you are on the right path to a successful legal career. So what are you waiting for?

IMPORTANT DATES:

***1RD & 2ED students*: Pick up Summer-Write on packet from May 9, until June 20.**

Good Luck!

The Delaware Journal of Corporate Law

2010 Superior Authorship Competition

The *Journal* is currently accepting scholarly articles from students for its Superior Authorship Competition. This competition provides an alternative means of gaining membership to this law review for those students not yet affiliated with a scholarly journal on campus. Aside from the corporate nature of this law review, membership provides those of all interests with an opportunity to perfect their writing, organizational, bluebook, and editing skills. Law review membership and the skills it provides are also highly regarded by employers.

There are, however, certain requirements that need to be fulfilled in order to be eligible for the competition. In short, you must:

1. be a 2RD or 3ED student;
2. have earned a **2.7 GPA** or higher ***as of the end of the spring 2010 semester***; and
3. topics must be approved by the Editor-in-Chief by Wednesday, April 28, 2010, by 4:00 p.m.
4. submissions are due in the Law Review's Office by Thursday, June 10, 2010, by 4:00 p.m.

Other requirements do apply, such as topic approval and paper style. For a full list of requirements and further information regarding this competition, please direct inquiries to the office of the Editor-in-Chief, David D. DiDonato, Room P503, phone 477-2106, e-mail dbdidonato@mail.widener.edu

JUNE BIRTHDAYS

Larry Barnett
David King
Janet Lindenmuth
Geoff Moulton
Jerry Pasquariello
Mary Alice Peeling
Laura Ray
Paul Regan
Kathleen Turezyn
John Wladis
Katrina Womack

JULY BIRTHDAYS

Linda Ammons
Ana Del Puerto
Sydney Howe-Barksdale
Rosemary Pall
J. Patrick Kelly
Judy McLaughlin
Lynn Sarro
Kristin Stiteler
Nancy Ward
Romaine Whitaker-Smoak
Sherry Wilson-Pass

AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

Reza Amin
Patti Burns
Cathie Conaway
Sue Conway
Jean Eggen
Donna Hoffecker
Ann Kolodzey
Kristen Lopez
Deborah McCreery
Carol Perrupato
Kelly Pierce

If your birthday is in June, July or August and your name does not appear on this list, please contact Christy Farley at ext. 2206. Thank you!

Help Wanted

FINANCIAL AID OFFICE
Position Available

Taking a summer course? The Financial Aid Office is looking for a student to do general clerical work. Reqiurements: minimum GPA 2.0 & work-study eligible. The hours are flexible, up to 20 hours a week and no Friday's. Interested students should contact the Financial Aid Office at 302-477-2272 for more information or stop by the Financial Aid Office.

RESEARCH ASSISTANT

Professor John Culhane is looking for one or two research assistants for the summer, and possibly for the next academic year (2010-2011). Student will work on a number of projects including a book on civil unions; an article on informed consent; and a blog that covers a number of different topics. Applicants should have strong research, writing, and analytical skills, a GPA of at least 2.7, and be able to devote about 10 hours each week to the assigned projects.

Interested students should send, by email (johnculhane@comcast.net) the following items, each attached separately:

A written statement of interest;

A c.v. or resume;

A copy of the law school transcript (may be unofficial copy); and

A writing sample that best showcases analytical, research and writing ability.

Professor Culhane will respond to each application as it is received, and will then schedule interviews with qualified candidates. Interested candidates will benefit by submitting their applications as soon as possible.

DELAWARE VOLUNTEER LEGAL SERVICES

Law Clerks Needed
Must be work study eligible.
Contact: Jacki Chacona, Esq.
478-8680 ext. 212

THE DELAWARE CIVIL CLINIC
Interpreter

DCC is seeking anyone who can speak a foreign language (especially Spanish) to act as an interpreter for our foreign speaking clients seeking legal assistance through the clinic. Please contact Pat Gallen, Secretary to the Delaware Civil Clinic at (302) 477-2061.

Any volunteers may count their hours towards Pro Bono Distinction

July 2010 Bar Deadlines

	Web Site Address, Office Phone Number, & Exam Dates	*Address for Applications*	*Date When July'10 Applications Are Available*	*Application Deadlines & Fees for July'10* *(p=postmarked; r= receipt*
DE	**courts.state.de.us/bbe/** 302-577-7038 July 26-28, 2010	DE Board of Bar Examiners Carvel State Office Bldg. 820 N. French Street, 11th Floor Wilmington, DE 19801-3545	Now by download from web site or by written request	~~April 1 (p) - $700~~ April 2 - May 15 (p) - $1400
MD	**www.mdcourts.gov** 410-260-3640 July 27-28, 2010	MD Board of Law Examiners 2011 - F Commerce Park Drive Annapolis, MD 21401	Now by download from web site or by written request	*Application filing dates:* ~~Jan.19 (r) - $225~~ May 20 (r) - $275 *Original Petition filing date:* May 20 (r) - $250
NJ	**www.njbarexams.org** 609-984-7783 July 28-29, 2010	NJ Board of Bar Examiners P.O. Box 973 Trenton, NJ 08625-0973	Now by download from web site or by written request	~~April 1 (p) - $475~~ ~~April 17 (p) - $525~~ ~~May 1 (p) - $575~~ May 15 (p) - $625 May 29 (p) - $675
NY	**www.nybarexam.org** 518-452-8700 (info tape) July 27-28, 2010	State Board of Law Examiners Corporate Plaza - Building 3 254 Washington Ave. Extension Albany, New York 12203-5195	Now by download from web site or by written request	~~Must be postmarked between April 1 & April 30 $250~~
PA	**www.pabarexam.org** 717-795-7270 July 27-28, 2010	PA Board of Law Examiners 601 Commonwealth Avenue Suite 300, P.O. Box 62535 Harrisburg, PA 17106-2535	Now by download from web site or by written request	~~April 15 (p) - $500~~ ~~April 30 (p) - $650~~ May 15 (p) - $950 May 30 (p) - $1350

MASTER CALENDAR * ACADEMIC YEAR 2009/2010

May

1-14	Final Examinations
13	Barristers' Ball
15	Commencement - Delaware
16-22	I.T.A.P. - Delaware Campus
31	Memorial Day

June

1	Classes begin
1-2	Add/Drop

July

19	Last day of classes
20	Reading Period
21-27	Final Examinations

See De Law News on our website

law.widener.edu

Congratulations to all the 2010 graduates!

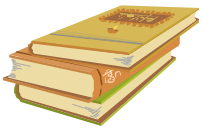
Best wishes for the future.

DE LAW NEWS
Submission information

The *Next* issue of *The* DE Law News will be published on **August 16.** All information should be submitted to ***Christy Farley*** (**delawnews@mail.widener.edu**), 4th Floor Law Building by **NOON, Wednesday, *August 4*,** in order for the news to be published.

LEGAL INFORMATION CENTER News

May 10, 2010



Spring and Exam Hours

Mon., May 10	8 a.m. - 2 a.m.
Tues., May 11	8 a.m. - 2 a.m.
Wed., May 12	8 a.m. - 2 a.m.
Thurs., May 13	8 a.m. - 10 p.m.
Fri., May 14	8 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Sat., May 15 (Graduation)	CLOSED
Sun., May 16	Noon - 5 p.m.

2010 Summer Hours

May 17 through July 25

Monday - Thursday	8 a.m. - 11 p.m.
Friday	8 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Saturday	9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sunday	Noon - 9 p.m.

Closed Memorial Day Weekend May 29 - 31

Fourth of July Weekend

Friday, July 2	8 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Saturday, July 3	9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sunday, July 4	Noon - 7 p.m.
Monday, July 5	9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

July 26 through August 15

Monday - Thursday	8 a.m. - 10 p.m.
Friday	8 a.m. - 6 p.m.
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