

THE DIGEST

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FEBRUARY

FEBRUARY	
22	Internet Expression in the 21st Century: Where Technology & Law Collide
24-25	Widener Bookstore 2-day Sale
24	International Law Institute Open House
25	Final Round-Harrisburg/ Delaware Moot Court Comp.
	MARCH
1-6	Spring Break (no classes)
11	Policy & Pizza in The Pit
18	Con Law Smack Down
22	Deans Leadership Forum on Diversity
24	No Wednesday classes meet; Friday classes meet
24	Hugh Pearce Trial Ad Comp./
	Harrisburg Campus Final Round
27	Barrister's Ball
31	Final Round—Hugh Pearce Harrisburg/Delaware Trial Ad Comp.
	APRIL

2 Good Friday (no classes)

THE MOOT COURT
HONOR SOCIETY
PRESENTS THE 20TH ANNUAL
DELAWARE/HARRISBURG
MOOT COURT
INTERSCHOLASTIC
COMPETITION

The Executive Board of the Moot Court Honor Society invites all faculty, administration, students and staff to attend the final round of the Harrisburg Campus and the Delaware/Harrisburg Competition.

Harrisburg Final Round

February 22, 2010

Jorge Conforme & Nicole Santo

VS.

Megan Durr & Adam Zei A180/6:00 p.m.

Delaware/Harrisburg Final

February 25, 2010

Pennsylvania Supreme Court Chambers 6:00 p.m.

Reception will follow.

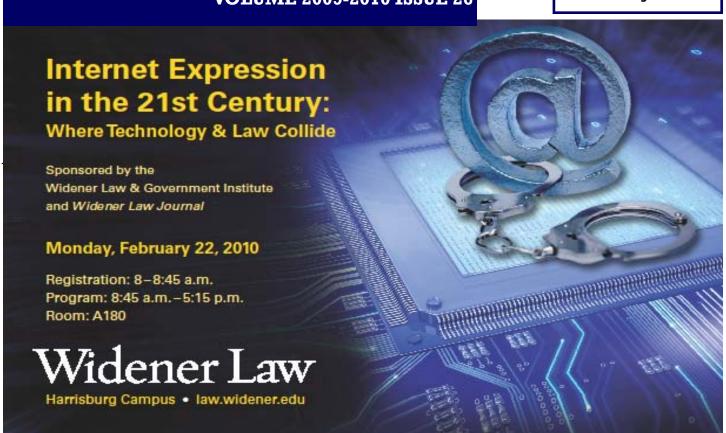
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In the twenty-first century, the Internet is arguably the most dominant and pervasive medium by which the global society connects; exchanges information; and expresses its views, thoughts, and opinions—often instantaneously. An entire generation of people, enterprises, and even governments are now socialized to live their lives and conduct business in a virtual reality by participating in Internet-based social media networks, blogging, and the like. We post photos and information to Facebook® and MySpace®, we tweet, and we blog about every topic known to humankind. From the famous to the infamous to the unknown, virtually everyone who has access has an opportunity to participate on the World Wide Web. Sometimes this participation takes the form of news reporting, sometimes it's personal, sometimes it's private, and sometimes it's defamatory or otherwise violative of a range of existing local, state and federal civil and criminal laws.

Thus, Internet expression has spurred an entire new genre of communication and of consumer expectations about access to, and dissemination of, information and entertainment in ways that the legal world has only begun to navigate and understand. While many traditional legal principles may apply to Internet expression, new media present innumerable challenges and threaten to force changes in the legal protections and individual constitutional freedoms now in force in the United States and beyond.

The Widener Law Journal has assembled a dynamic and diverse group of preeminent legal scholars to evaluate and discuss the many engaging, perplexing, and unanswered legal and ethical questions presented by Internet expression. The Symposium is divided into two sessions. The morning session will focus on the issues of constitutional law and criminal procedure that arise with Internet expression, including whether the Internet has increased concerns about speakers' invasions of other persons' rights and what regulations are necessary to protect the privacy rights of the speakers themselves. The afternoon session will focus on the intersection of Internet expression and property law, including issues of ownership, protectable interests, and fair use in the realm of intellectual property law for interests created with the mind.

The distinguished academics and practitioners taking part in this cutting-edge Symposium have already shaped the law's response to the advances of the digital age. Their remarks—as well as the written scholarship that will appear in the *Widener Law Journal*'s Symposium issue—will both inform us and further aid the law in adapting to the new and challenging issues presented by Internet expression.

THE WIDENER LAW JOURNAL

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Come to Widener Bookstore's 2 Day Winter Sale on Wednesday, February 24th and Thursday, February 25th 20% Off

All Regularly Priced Clothing
And Gift Items, including recent arrivals

50% or more off

Select Insignia Items

Large Selection of Clearance Items, including study aids, at deep discounts

Stop by for Great Savings and Complimentary Refreshments. We look forward to seeing you.

Joan and Jenn

(In stock merchandise only; supplies not included in this sale event)









WIDENER SCHOOL OF LAW 2010 SUMMER INTERNATIONAL LAW INSTITUTES OPEN HOUSE

WANT TO STUDY INTERNATIONAL LAW TOPICS AND THEN SNORKEL ON THE GREAT BARRIER REEF IN AUSTRALIA, GO ON SAFARI IN KENYA, HIKE THE ALPS IN SWITZERLAND, OR RIDE IN A GONDOLA THROUGH THE CANALS IN ITALY?

CHECK OUT WIDENER'S SUMMER LAW INSTITUTES.

YOU CAN EARN UP TO 6 CREDITS IN FOUR WEEKS WHILE VISITING EXCITING PLACES.

WIDENER HAS SUMMER LAW INSTITUTES IN

JOIN US AT OUR OPEN HOUSE ON
FEBRUARY 24TH FROM 4:30 TO 6 PM IN
ROOM L201

CIVIL LAW CLINIC

The Civil Law Clinic is looking for a student worker to work in the mornings. All interested work study and non work study students should contact Judy at 717-541-0320 for more information about this position.

REGISTRAR'S OFFICE

The Registrar's Office is looking for a work study eligible student to work approximately 6-8 hours in the Office. Please contact Betty Ann Mortenson at 717-541-3904 or bamortenson@widener.edu if you are interested.

LEGAL INFORMATION CENTER

REGULAR LIBRARY HOURS

 Mon. – Thurs.
 8:00 a.m. - Midnight

 Friday
 8:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m.

 Saturday
 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

 Sunday
 10:00 a.m. - Midnight

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Information regarding class changes or cancellations may be obtained by calling the student information line. Information is updated as soon as it is available.

717-541-1939

CAMPUS SAFETY

The Campus Safety Office is located in the lobby of the Library Building. The telephone number is 717-541-3948 or email Sgt. Jumper at lhjumper@widener.edu. We are on duty to serve you from 8:00 a.m. until midnight and on the weekends when the Library is open.

Safety is a shared responsibility

We need your assistance and encourage all of you to report anything that you may consider suspicious.

CAREER DEVELOPMENT OFFICE PRESENTATIONS

February 22

Research for Government Practice All presentations begin at 5:00 p.m. in

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REGISTRAR'S OFFICE

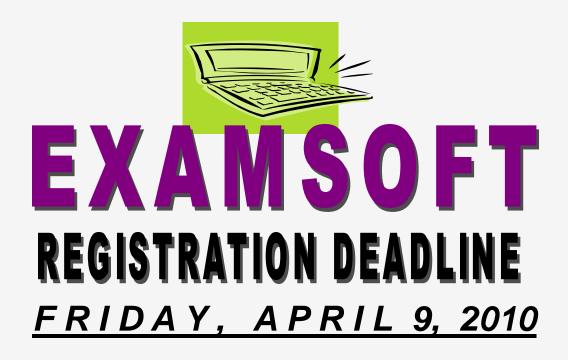
COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY—USHERS The Registrar's Office needs 8-10 reliable students to volunteer as ushers at commencement on May 16.

Qualifications: Must be willing to work from 9:00 a.m.—12:30 p.m. and have transportation to the Forum in downtown Harrisburg. Ushers must be dressed professionally, sober and willing to deal with excited graduates and families.

EMPLOYMENT FORMS – If you are a Regular Division Student and have not filled out an employment form, please stop in the Registrar's Office and do so. See "Section 310.
 Outside Employment" of the Academic Code in the Student Handbook. Completed forms may also be placed in the mailbox around the corner from the elevator marked as "Administrative Student Center Mailbox."

The Registrar's Office regular office hours are Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. and 9:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday. Hours may be extended if necessary during the course of the semester. The office phone number is 717- 541-3904.

Please make it a habit to check Campus Cruiser and the Law School Website at law.widener.edu for important announcements.



FORMER USERS

- 1) Register with the Registrar's Office:
 - Sign the book in the Registrar's Office

OR

- Fill out the online form on the web listing your courses
- 2) Your payment in September included Fall, Spring and Summer

FIRST TIME USERS

- 1) See above to register with the Registrar's Office
- 2) Download ExamSoft program @ www.examsoft.com/widenerlaw
- 3) Stop in the Business Office to pay \$50.00.





DO YOU NEED TO DEFER AN EXAM OR NEED A SPECIAL ACCOMMODATION?

DEADLINE

FRIDAY, APRIL 9, 2010

Stop in the Registrar's Office for a Dean's Action Request

SIDEBAR CAFÉ February 22-26, 2010

Breakfast from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Lunch from 11:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Monday Kettle Classic Chicken Corn Soup

Montaque's Deli Carolina Pork BBQ Sandwich

Café Feature Egg & Sausage on a Muffin

Itza Pizza Bacon Ranch Pizza by the Slice

Tuesday Kettle Classic French Onion Soup

Montaque's Deli Taco Salad

Café Feature Egg & Bacon on a Bagel

Itza Pizza Cheese Burger Pizza by the Slice

Wednesday Kettle Classic Ground Beef & Noodle Soup

Montaque's Deli Buffalo Chicken Wrap

Café Feature Egg & Ham Wrap

Itza Pizza Broccoli Pizza by the Slice

Thursday Kettle Classic Lumber Jack Vegetable Soup

Montaque's Deli Horseradish Roast Beef Panini

Café Feature Egg & Bacon Wrap

Itza Pizza Sausage Pizza by the Slice

Friday Kettle Classic New England Clam Chowder

Montaque's Deli Zany Zorba Grilled Cheese Sandwich

Café Feature Egg, Ham & Cheese on a Muffin

Itza Pizza Cheese Pizza by the Slice