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Attention 2012 Spring & Summer Widener Law Graduates

Do you have financial aid in the form of one or more of the loans below?

- Federal Stafford Loan
- Federal GradPLUS Loan
- Federal Perkins Loan
- Widener Scholar Loan

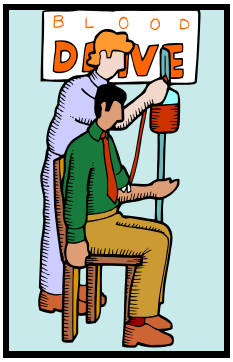
Then you need to choose one of the following **MANDATORY** exit counseling sessions to attend:

Tuesday, April 3rd	**12 p.m.**	**Room A180**
Tuesday, April 3rd	**5 p.m.**	**Room A180**
Wednesday, April 4th	**5 p.m.**	**Room A180**

Please contact Melissa Hoch at mlhoch@widener.edu or (717) 541-3961 to indicate which session you are attending!

*****Don't forget to bring your driver's license & two references!*****

Failure to attend a session could result in a hold being placed on your records.



SBA BLOOD DRIVE

Monday, April 2, 2012

12:00 noon until 5:00 p.m.—The Pit

If you didn't sign up, just stop by.

The *Widener Law Journal* Summer Writing Competition Information Session

Monday, April 16, 2012

5:00 P.M.

Room L203

We hope to see you there!

Attendance at this meeting is highly encouraged for those interested in participating in the Summer Writing Competition.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

April

2	**SBA Blood Drive/The Pit**
2-5	**SBA Donation Drive for the Animals**
3-4	**Financial Aid Exit Interviews**
5	**Hugh Pearce Competition Final Round**
6	**Good Friday/no classes**
16	**WLJ Information Session**
17	**Commencement Meetings**
26	**Last day of classes**
26	**Student Awards Ceremony**
27 -28	**Reading Period**
29- 5/16	**Final Exams**

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DONATION DRIVE FOR THE ANIMALS

Please donate items from the HSHA Wish List (*provided below*) to help provide support for the animals in the Harrisburg area. Donation boxes located in the Pit.

Monday, March 26 - Friday, April 6

Donation Drive Benefits:

Donation Drive Sponsored By:

Humane Society OF HARRISBURG AREA

Student Bar Association
Widener University School of Law
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

Note: The HSHA is an independent non-profit organization that does not receive funds from a national organizations or the government and instead relies solely on donations from the community. The HSHA does not euthanize any adoptable animals due to lack of space. Healthy animals remain in their shelter until they are adopted regardless of the length of their stay. The HSHA accepts feral cats to be altered and returned to the place from which they came (known as "Trap-Neuter-Return" or "TNR").

HSHA WISH LIST

Cleaning Supplies
Dishwashing Liquid
Clorox Wipes
Paper Towels
Mops
Brooms w/ Dustpan
Hand Sanitizer
Latex Gloves
Laundry Detergent
All-Purpose Liquid Cleaner

Gift Cards
Pet Supply Stores
Grocery Stores
Building Supply/Hardware Stores
Office Supply Stores

Toys/Treats
Krinkle Balls
Cardboard Scratching Posts
Rawhide Bones
Chew Toys

Other/Miscellaneous
Non-Clumping Kitty Litter**
Leashes
Collars
Blankets
Sheets
Towels
Reams of Copy Paper (white, green, red, yellow, pink)

**** In desperate need of this item.**

Note: Food that is donated to the HSHA will be placed in the HSHA Pet Food Bank and will be distributed for other needy pets in the Harrisburg community.

"ATTENTION"

ALL GRADUATING STUDENTS

Please visit the Bursar's Office during office hours to confirm your student account's financial obligations have been satisfied before 3:00 p.m. on May 7, 2012.

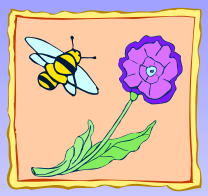
Spring 2012 Office Hours

Mon., Wed., Thurs. & Fri.: 9:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.

Tuesday: 10:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M.

Student Account Representative: Sharon Murphy - 717-541-3957

April Birthdays



Professor Gedid

Mary Catherine Scott

Professor Dimino

Kara Wealand

Megan Morris

Professor Jones

Brenda Rebuck

Carol Behl

Natalie Einsig

Melissa Hoch

Brent Johnson

FROM THE LIBRARY

As the spring semester winds down it is time to start thinking about preparing for final exams.

Some suggested library resources include:

CALI lessons connected to a specific class can be a helpful review. Click HERE for a list of the available lessons related to popular case books.

The library has a variety of study aids by subject that you can consult. Click HERE for a list of Hornbooks, HERE for a list of Examples and Explanations titles, and HERE for the Understanding series.

There are also a variety of resources online dealing with law exam prep; offering organizational tips, and study hints. Though these links are somewhat dated, they should prove helpful:

A podcast on how to approach law school exam taking can be found HERE from Law School Podcaster.

The Law School Academic Support Blog posted HERE on exam studying tips.

The Wall Street Journal asked a few law professors HERE what a good exam answer looks like.

LIBRARY REGULAR HOURS

Monday –Thursday	8:00 am – Midnight
Friday	8:00 am – 11:00 pm
Saturday	8:00 am – 10:00 pm
Sunday	10:00 am – Midnight

SPRING HOLIDAY HOURS

Friday, April 6 & Saturday, April 7	9:00 am – 5:00 pm
Sunday, April 8	3:00 pm – Midnight

LIBRARY EXAM HOURS

Monday, April 23 – Sunday, May 13	8:00 am – 2:00 am
Monday, May 14	8:00 am – 10:00 pm

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Widener University School of Law
2012 Summer International Law Institutes
Earn Law Credits Overseas This Summer

Summer is the perfect time to earn credits while experiencing international cultures and learning different perspectives of faculty and students from foreign countries. With the globalization of the world economy, an understanding of international business, trade, and jurisdiction has become essential for the modern lawyer. Why not consider adding a law-related experience to your resume that stands out to employers and may open opportunities in an increasingly global world of law practice.

Lausanne International Law Institute
June 1 - June 29, 2012

Session I (June 1–June 15) (1 Credit each)
- Comparative & International Health Law
- Trading In and With Europe
- Global Issuses in Commercial Law

Session II (June 18—June 29) (1 Credit each)
- Global Issuses in Commercial Law (CISG)
- Intro to International Investment Law
- International IP Law & Policy

Venice International Law Institute
June 18 - July 13, 2012

REVISED

Session I (June 18–June 30) (1 Credit each)
- Comparative Corporate Law
- Global Issues in Family Law: Comp. Perspectives
- Comparative Constitutional Law

Session II (July 2–July 13) (1 Credit each)
- Global Issues in Family Law: Int'l Peerspectives
- European Union Law
- Comparative Political Rights & Electoral Systems

Nairobi International Law Institute
June 11 - July 10, 2012

- Comparative Corporate Law (2 Credits)
- International Trade & the Environment (2 credits)
- Comparative Constitutional Law I (1 credit/1 week)
- Comparative Constitutional Law II (1 credit/1 week)

Sidebar Café

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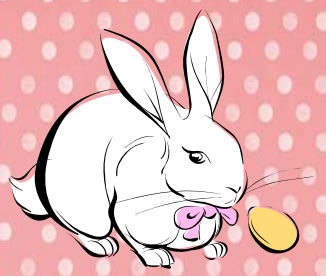

Monday	**Kettle Classic**	**Italian Wedding Soup**
	Montaque's Deli	**Key West Chicken Sandwich**
	Café Feature	**Egg & Ham Muffin**
	Itza Pizza	**Cheese Pizza by the Slice**
Tuesday	**Kettle Classic**	**Potato & Bacon Soup**
	Montaque's Deli	**BBQ Roast Beef Sandwich**
	Café Feature	**Egg & Bacon Muffin**
	Itza Pizza	**Pepperoni Pizza by the Slice**
Wednesday	**Kettle Classic**	**Noodle & Ground Beef Soup**
	Montaque's Deli	**Turkey & Corned Beef Reuben Sandwich**
	Café Feature	**Egg & Cheese on a Roll**
	Itza Pizza	**Zucchini & Tomato Pizza by the Slice**
Thursday	**Kettle Classic**	**Vegetable Barley Soup**
	Montaque's Deli	**Chicken Nuggets and Fries**
	Café Feature	**Egg & Bacon Muffin**
	Itza Pizza	**Meat Lovers Pizza by the Slice**
Friday	**Kettle Classic**	
	Montaque's Deli	**CLOSED**
	Café Feature	**GOOD FRIDAY**
	Itza Pizza	

CHECK OUT OUR NEW SPECIALS: CHICKEN TENDERS AND FRIES ONLY $5.00 AND MINI 8 INCH HAM OR ITALIAN WRAP $2.00

Breakfast from 10 to 11 AM
Lunch 11 AM to 2:30 PM