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May 2020 Graduates - SAVE THE DATE Academic and Bar Exam Success (ABES)

Date: Sunday, March 15

Time: 9:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Location: Kendrick Hall

Registration

(required): <https://forms.gle/9JDEbHt1vRakdgYq7>

Bar Boot Camp is scheduled to begin on March 15 (Sundays at 9am - 4pm in Kendrick). Check out the [flyer](#) for the program schedule.

All May 2020 Graduates are being provided an Early Access Adaptibar account due to the generous donation of an anonymous donor. This online MBE program has been shown to be a helpful tool to assist our students in passing the bar exam. Access will be available throughout the spring and summer. More information coming soon. Thank you to Dean Susan Freiwald for her continuous support and work to secure the donation.

Important Changes for MPRE in 2020

Academic and Bar Exam Success (ABES)

NCBE wants all prospective MPRE candidates to know about some important changes for the 2020 MPRE. Please check this [attachement](#) for more information. Any questions should be directed to NCBE at 608.280.8550 or by email to mpre.registration@ncbex.org (for questions about registration) or mpre.ada@ncbex.org (for questions about accommodations).

If you have any questions, feel free to contact Professor Jonathan Chu (Director of ABES) at jchu13@usfca.edu.

School of Law Events

MLS: Spring General Meeting

Music Law Society

Date: Monday, January 27

Time: 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

Location: Kendrick 103

Music Law Society's first general meeting. We will be discussing the events we may be hosting this Spring semester. Check out the [flyer](#)!

Pro Bono Expo 2020

Office of Student Affairs - Pro Bono Program

Date: Wednesday, January 29

Time: 5:30 - 7:00 p.m.

Location: 2nd Floor Rotunda, Kendrick Hall

RSVP today! Meet directly with service organizations committed to providing affordable legal assistance to marginalized communities in San Francisco and learn about the pro bono opportunities that you can get involved with. Check out the [flyer](#)! Question?

Email probono@usfca.edu.

Law Review Symposium: Access to Justice in the Contemporary Workplace

Law Review

Date: Friday, January 31, 2020

Time: 8:30 - 5:00 p.m.

Location: Fromm Hall, Main Campus

RSVP! Check out the [flyer](#)! Please join the University of San Francisco Law Review for a symposium examining policies and practices that can restrict an employee's access to the legal system, the role of the rule of law, and worker confidence in the legal structures that provide impartiality in labor and employment law. Questions? Contact Kenji Quijano

at kaquijano@usfca.edu.

Therapy Dog Visit at Zief!

Zief Law Library

Date: Tuesday, February 4

Time: 11:30 - 1:00 p.m.

Location: Commons Area, Zief Law Library

Come and visit with Staff Dog Theo!

The Tax Plight of the High-Salary Employee After the 2017 Tax Legislation School of Law Graduate Tax Program & E. L. Wiegand Trust of Reno, Nevada.

Date: Wednesday, February 12

Time: 12:00 p.m.

Location: 101 Howard Street, San Francisco

RSVP today! Please join us for the fourth Annual E. L. Wiegand Visiting Fellows Program featuring Brant Hellwig, Dean of Washington & Lee School of Law. Dean Hellwig will discuss an analysis of the limitations on the deductibility of business-related expenses, the effective marginal rates that apply to labor income in the employment and self-employment sectors (focusing on the effect of IRC § 199A), and the effective marginal rates that apply to earnings generated through business entities.

Community Events

USF Honors Martin Luther King, Jr.: Gathering to Commemorate the MLK Holiday

USF Office of the President, the USF Institute for Nonviolence and Social Justice, the Office of the Vice Provost for Diversity Engagement and Community Outreach, and the Lane Center for Catholic Social Thought and the Ignatian Tradition

Date: Tuesday, January 28, 2020

Time: 11:45 - 1:00 p.m.

Location: Lone Mountain 100, Handlery Room

A gathering to commemorate the MLK Holiday convened by the USF Institute for Nonviolence and Social Justice with remarks by: Father Paul J. Fitzgerald, S.J., President of the University of San Francisco; Dr. Clarence B. Jones, Dr. King's lawyer, strategic advisor, and speechwriter; Father Barwendé Médard Sané, S.J., theologian and Kingian nonviolence activist from Burkina Faso.

Please join us to celebrate the life and legacy of Dr. King. This event is for all USF students, faculty, staff, and community members. Check out the [event!](#)

2020 California Water Symposium

Environmental Law Student and Alumni Society

Dates: Saturday, February 1

Time: 9:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Location: Golden Gate University - 536 Mission Street, San Francisco

Register today (free for law students) to attend the 2020 California Water Law Symposium - Water & Federalism: Shifts in State/Federal Roles and Relations. USF's panel will discuss

federal Clean Water Act rollbacks and their legal effects to state wetlands regulation. Morning & afternoon panels and presentations with break for lunch, followed by networking reception. Check out the [flyer!](#)

Critical Connections: The University of San Francisco Womxn of Color Leadership Conference

Diversity Engagement and Community Outreach

Date: Friday, February 7

Time: 9:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Location: McLaren Complex

RSVP today! This conference provides an expanded space by and for womxn of color from the SF Bay Area at the University of San Francisco. By drawing on our past, reflecting on our present, and envisioning our future, Critical Connections: The University of San Francisco Womxn of Color Leadership Conference creates a cross-cultural space for sharing and building with and for each other that will harness and develop the individual and collective capacity of womxn of color leaders.

Save the Date: 22nd Annual - Trina Grillo Public Interest & Social Justice Retreat

University of the Pacific, McGeorge School of Law

Dates: Friday, February 28 - Saturday, February 29

Calling all social justice warriors - law students, professors, staff! Join us in retreat and dialogue on how to pursue social justice work within and around the government. Check out the [flyer!](#)

Check out the [schedule overview!](#)

Registration is free for up to 10 individuals from USF. RSVP

to lawstudentaffairs@usfca.edu to reserve your spot by **January 31**. Check out our application [for student conference funding.](#)

Announcements

Graduate Fellowship Program

Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute

Application Deadline: Thursday, January 30, 2020

The Graduate Fellowship Program (GFP) enhances participants' leadership abilities, strengthens professional skills, and produces more competent and competitive Latino professionals. This nine-month paid program offers exceptional Latinos unparalleled exposure to hands-on experience in a variety of public policy areas, which may include: Education, Housing Health, Law, and STEM (with a focus on energy and the environment). Participants will complete their first-half placement in a congressional office on Capitol Hill and will have the opportunity to pursue a second half placement that best matches their policy interest. *Applicants to the Graduate Fellowship Program must have*

completed a master's degree or JD within two years prior to the program start date. Check out the [flyer](#)!

IPTLJ Blog Update

Intellectual Property & Technology Law Journal

IPTLJ's latest blog post is up! Check out Ashar Philson's post titled, [Who Owns Your Tattoo?](#). Interested in writing for the blog? Email our Online Editor, [Tomiko Cairo](#) and copy usf.iptlj@gmail.com.

Academics

Domestic Externship Program

Externship Programs Office

The deadline for spring 2020 Externship Applications has passed and no late applications will be accepted. Summer 2020 Domestic Summer Externship Applications are due **April 13, 2020**. Check out our [externship website](#) for more information and to find application materials.

Summer 2020 International Externship Program Application Deadline

Externship Programs Office

Summer 2020 International Externship Program [online applications](#) are due **January 25, 2020**.

Certificate Applications

Law Registrar's Office

[Certificate Applications](#) for graduating students are still being accepted on a rolling basis through January 27.

Student Bar Association

Want to view the School of Law events on a Google Calendar?

Check out the [SBA Calendar](#)!

Questions? Please [email](#) the SBA Secretary.

Volunteer

Pro Bono

Please be sure to complete your [Pro Bono Timesheets](#) and submit them to probono@usfca.edu.

If you have any ideas or questions about our Pro Bono Program, don't hesitate to contact Katherine Abalos, Pro Bono Coordinator at probono@usfca.edu

Student Affairs

Discuss & Chat with Dean Carlos (DC with DC)

Office of Student Affairs

Discuss and Chat with Dean Carlos will resume on Tuesday, February 4 from 12:30 - 1:30pm. Students are always welcome to make appointments with Dean Carlos by visiting the Deans' Office in Kendrick, Room 328 or via [email](#). Any changes to drop-hours will be posted in "This Week at USF."

Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS): Resources in Spring 2020

Counseling & Psychological Services

Learn more about the services CAPS is providing this spring:

- [Helpful Resources](#)
- [Assertiveness Training](#)
- [Anxiety Toolbox](#)
- [Grief & Loss Group](#)
- [Access CAPS Services](#)
- [Spring 2020 CAPS Groups](#)

USF Food Pantry

University of San Francisco

The University of San Francisco's Food Pantry was established in the fall 2018 semester and is available to all undergraduate and graduate students enrolled at the University. Find out more information like hours [here](#) or on the Food Pantry [website](#) for Spring 2020.

Financial Aid

- Financial Aid Office Hours
- Applying for Financial Aid for the Fall 2019/Spring 2020
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- Bar Loans Information
- Upcoming Private Scholarship Deadlines

Financial Aid Office Hours

Monday

9:30 am to 6:00 pm

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday

8:30 am to 5:00 pm

Financial Aid Announcements continued...

Click [here](#) for this week's Financial Aid announcements.

[Financial Aid Website >](#)

Upcoming Private Scholarship Deadlines

1. [California ChangeLawyers 2020 3L Diversity Scholarship](#) (DEADLINE TODAY, APPLY NOW)

Deadline: January 27, 2020 / Amount: \$5,000

2. **Justice Hollis G Best Scholarship**

Contact Margo Feldkamp, at email margo.feldkamp@jud.ca.gov for Application

Deadline: 1/31/2020

Amount: \$2,000

3. [Constantine Cannon Law School Scholarship](#)

Deadline: 2/15/2020

Amount: up to \$2,500

Find a more detailed description of each scholarship opportunities at bottom of the [Financial Aid website](#). Email lawfind@usfca.edu for any link issues or scholarship questions.

Want to add an announcement to This Week at USF? Please submit announcement to http://bit.ly/ThisWeekatUSF_Submit by Thursdays at 5:00pm for Monday's newsletter.

Experiencing any link or announcement issues? Email your report to `Alakoka Kailahi at takailahi@usfca.edu

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