

# THE GRAPEVINE

# February

#### Welcome

The Grapevine is your weekly newsletter published by the SBA for law students. The

Grapevine features a weekly calendar of events as well as news from the SBA, and

announcements from various on campus clubs.

#### **Submissions**

The Grapevine is produced by your SBA Secretary. Submissions must be e-mailed to Kelly

Watkins at <u>KWatkins@scu.edu</u> by Friday at 5:00 PM to be included in the following weeks

newsletter.

#### Your 2017-2018 SBA Board Members

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| Monday    | Tuesday  | Wednesday   | Thursday  | Friday   | Saturday | Sunday |
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| 19        | 20   | 21  | 22  | 23   | 24       | 25     |
| NO SCHOOL | Administrative<br>Monday<br>12:00 PM –<br>Interviewing &<br>Practicing Law at a<br>Silicon Valley<br>Based Firm @<br>B142<br>12:00 PM - China<br>IPR Issues @ B139<br>6:00 PM –Moot<br>Court Galloway<br>Finals @<br>Bergin Hall | 12:00 PM – Study<br>Abroad<br>Information<br>Session #3@ B331<br>1:00 PM – Council<br>of Leaders<br>Meeting<br>5:00 PM –<br>Podcasts & People<br>@ B127<br>6:00 PM –<br>Legislative<br>Committee<br>Meeting @B139 | 4:00 PM – FALS<br>Spring BBQ @<br>Locatelli BBQ Pit | 12:00 - FYF:<br>Preserving and<br>Improving your<br>Credit Score @B<br>127 |          |        |

#### **Event Details**

|                         | Interviewing & Practicing Law at a Silicon Valley Based Firm<br>12:00 PM   Bannan 142<br>Sponsored by SIPLA and OCM. Please join Joseph Belichick and Lara Foster for a presentation on<br>interviewing and practicing at a Silicon Valley based firm.   |
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| Tuesday,<br>February 20 | China IPR Issues<br>12:00 PM   Bannan 139<br>Enforcing International Intellectual Property Protections in China in the Trump Era. Moderated by<br>Prof. Anna Han plus panelist: Jennifer Johnson, Associate General Counsel, Dow DuPontMark<br>Cohen, Berkeley Law and chinaipr.com, former USPTO Senior Counsel and Fordham Law. Our<br>speakers will address the history and effectiveness of US IP trade interventions with China and the<br>Trump administration's approach in light of this record. |
|                         | Criminal Moot Court Calloway Finals<br>6:00 PM   Bergin Hall<br>The 2017-2018 Galloway Criminal Moot Court Competition Board cordially invites you to join us<br>on <u>Tuesday, February 20</u> , for the <u>final round</u> of the Galloway competition. The final round of oral<br>arguments will take place in the Moot Court Room in Bergin Hall at <u>6:00 p.m.</u> The judges will be a  |

|                           | distinguished panel from the California Sixth District Court of Appeal: the Hon. Nathan Mihara, the<br>Hon. Patricia Bamattre-Manoukian, and the Hon. Peter Kirwan (sitting by designation).<br>Finalists are Sharine Xuan & Amy Delgado vs. Hannah Ford-Stille & Soliman Hatef |
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|                           | Law Study Abroad Information Session #3<br>12:00 PM   Bannan 331<br>Interested in studying abroad? SC has the largest law study program with over 30 externships to<br>choose from.   |
| Wednesday,<br>February 21 | Council of Leaders Meeting<br>1:00 PM   Bannan<br>Sponsored by SIPLA and OCM. Please join Joseph Belichick and Lara Foster for a presentation on<br>interviewing and practicing at a Silicon Valley based firm.   |
|                           | Podcasts & People<br>5:00 PM   Bannan 127<br>Join ACS to listen to a short podcast and participate in open discussion. There will be tacos.   |
|                           | Legislative Committee Meeting<br>6:00 PM   Bannan 139<br>Come join the discussion about what the new by-laws will contain. Including issues regarding the<br>new SBA/LSO room in the new law building, LSO Save the Date issues.  |
| Thursday,<br>February 22  | FALS Spring BBQ<br>4:00 – 6:00 PM   Locatelli BBQ Pit<br>Come join the Filipino American Law Society for their Spring BBQ. All are welcome. Free food and<br>drinks plus good conversation!   |
| Friday,<br>February 23    | FYF: Preserving and Improving your Credit Score<br>12:00 PM   Bannan 127<br>This interactive workshop will help you improve your credit score and avoid actions that would<br>cause your score to lower.  |



# TUESDAY, MARCH 6 PAINT NITE FUNDRAISER

#### Enjoy the evening with Journal of International Law!

Take a study break and paint!

If you haven't been to Paint Nite yet, this is the perfect excuse. It's a unique night of painting with friends and the Journal of International Law.

#### Purchase Tickets Here



QUESTIONS? CONTACT YEMI AKILO AT AAKILO@SCU.EDU

#### **TICKET PRICE:** \$45

SIGN UP BY FEBRUARY 20, 5 P.M.

SANTA CLARA UNIVERSITY

**BANNAN HALL,** 

ROOM 139

@ 7:30 P.M.

500 El Camino Real Santa Clara, CA 95053



# Save the Date: Galloway Moot Court FINAL ROUND Open to the Public

## *Tuesday, February 20, 2018 Oral Arguments Begin Promptly at 6:00pm*

| What is it?  | The final round of oral arguments for the 2018 Galloway Criminal Law<br>Moot Court competition is open to the public - all are welcome to come<br>watch the final round of competition* |  |
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| When is it?  | Tuesday, 02/20/18, beginning at 6:00pm<br>(doors close at 5:59pm, please be in your seats by then)  |  |
| Where is it?   | Santa Clara University's Panelli Moot Court Room  |  |
| Who is it?   | The final two teams - one team from Petitioner side, one team from Respondent side (teams of two, all 1Ls)  |  |
| Questions?   | Contact any member of the Galloway Moot Court Board   |  |
| Karin Hjorth - Chair (khjorth@scu.edu)Julia Schon (jschon@scu.edu)Marisa Martinson (mjmartinson@scu.edu) |   |  |

## FENWICK & WEST



#### SIPLA, in partnership with OCM, PRESENTS: Interviewing and Practicing Law at a Silicon Valley Based Firm

Please join Joseph Belichick and Lara Foster for a presentation on interviewing and practicing law at a Silicon Valley-based firm.

#### WHEN:

Tuesday, February 20, 2018 12:00-1:00PM

#### WHERE:

B142

#### LUNCH WILL BE PROVIDED BY FENWICK & WEST



Joseph Belichick Litigation Associate Mountain View Office



Lara Foster Corporate Associate Mountain View Office

#### RSVP TO: RECRUIT@FENWICK.COM

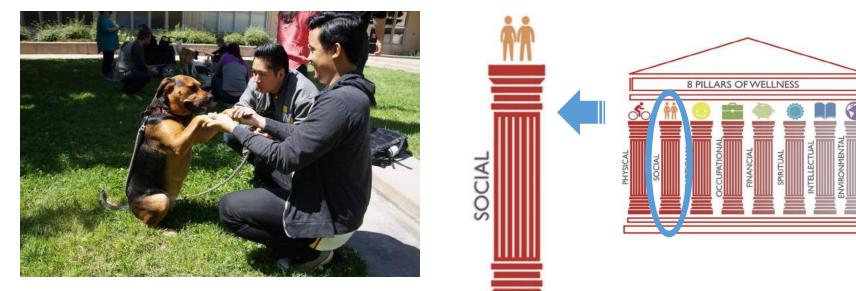
\*If you are a part-time student unable to make the event, please submit questions beforehand to lchappell@scu.edu

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#### The 8 Pillars of Wellness

## **Social Wellness Pillar**



Students come together to combat stress with a four legged friend at a Puppy Party hosted by the Health Law Society.

A feeling of community and connection is important to building resiliency and combating the stresses of law school.

#### The 8 Pillars of Wellness

## **Physical Wellness Pillar**



Jill Klees, Director of Student Life at SCU Law and Wellness Taskforce Member @ the new outdoor rec area next to Malley Center

Regular physical activity, a healthy diet, and sufficient sleep are necessary to help combat the stress of law school.



# **Come join the** Filipino American Law Society for our

# RR Thursday, Feb. 22nd

4-6pm Locatelli BBQ Pit

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Free food, drinks, and good conversations

ALL ARE WELCOME!



# **Student Services Notes**

#### **Important Dates**

| Mar. 1     | July California Bar Exam<br>applications available                     |
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| Mar. 2     | Last day to request an exam reschedule for Ad-<br>ministrative reasons |
| Mar. 12-17 | Spring Break   |
| Mar. 26-29 | Wellness Week  |
| Mar. 19-23 | Academic Advising Week   |
| April 2-6  | Summer Registration  |

#### US Law LLM students:

March 2 is the last day request for a language accommodation during the examination period if applicable. To find the form, go to emery.scu.edu, Useful Links, Forms for Students, LLM in US Law Exam Petition for Language Accommodation form.



#### **RUMOR MILL:**

Why is it always cold on the top floor of Bannan? Is there something we can do to raise the temperature just a little bit?

Bannan is an old building. Facilities is here quite often working on our HVAC system and we have found that keeping all three floors at optimal temperature is difficult. Feel free to shoot an email to Law Administrative Support to report issues if your fingers start going numb but my advice to you would be to dress in layers. FEBRUARY 19, 2018

## Exam Rescheduling for Administrative Reasons Deadline is <u>March 2</u>

If you have two exams scheduled back to back, (i.e. one exam at 6:00 PM and another one the next morning at 9:00 AM) or two exams on the same day, you may request to reschedule an exam for administrative reasons. So complete your request <u>before</u> the deadline.



#### Find the form online at:

law.scu.edu > Current Students > Exam Information > Exam Reschedule Form

# SAVE THE DATE!

Academic Advising Week is March 19-23

Summer Registration is April 2-6

MANDATORY ADVISING SESSIONS: ALL 1Ls - March 20

A detailed schedule to follow shortly.

#### **First Year Friday:**

Preserving and Improving Your Credit Score Fri. 2/23/18 Bannan 127 12:00 - 1:00 PM Food provided.



Spring Break is Coming Opl March 12-17

Wellness Tip: Listen to yonr favorite tunes! Rockin' out and



dancing around is a great way to reduce stress.

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# ACADEMEC ADVISING WEEK MARCH 19-23, 2018

# SCHEDULE TO BE POSTED SHORTLY



# DRSO PRESENTS: MASTERING NEGOTIATION & MEDIATION



William B. Clayton Jr.

#### Special guest: William B. Clayton

Mr. Clayton is currently an active member of the Alumni Board at the Santa Clara University School of law. His practice of law focuses in the area of Real Estate and Business matters, while representing a broad range of clientele.

Interested in competing in the ABA Negotiation or Mediation competition? Come learn tips and tricks from the coach of the team!

### **Tuesday, February 27th** 12:00 – 1:00 PM Santa Clara University Room B127



DRSO Dispute Resolution Student Organization



### WHEN: MARCH 13TH & 14TH



If you are in the Los Angeles area over spring break and would like to learn more about entertainment law, apply! You will have the opportunity to tour and meet with attorneys at CBS, SAG-AFTRA, and Lionsgate.







If you are interested in joining the Entertainment Caravan, send your resume and a brief statement of interest to

SANTACLARASELS@GMAIL.COM BY FEBRUARY 22ND

#### Santa Clara - Stanford Conflict Resolution Workshop

#### Presents

## When Ignorance Is Not Bliss An Empirical Study of Litigants' Awareness of Court-Sponsored ADR

Overburdened with litigants seeking civil justice, state courts increasingly have relied on ADR procedures to alleviate long waits for trials. But, these procedures provide little opportunity for justice to litigants who are unaware they exist. Professor Shestowsky will describe the findings of her multi-court study designed to answer questions concerning the dissemination of information about courts' dispute resolution programs. Among the questions we will explore are:

- How informed are litigants about court-sponsored ADR programs for which they qualify?
- How do represented litigants fare compared to their unrepresented counterparts?
- How does litigant awareness of court-connected dispute resolution programs affect the court?



Donna Shestowsky, a Professor of Law and Affiliated Faculty, Department of Psychology, at the University of California, Davis, teaches Negotiation Strategy, Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR), and a Seminar in Legal Psychology. Her research examines assumptions underlying the structure of the legal system and explores ways the legal system might be improved using the methodological and analytic tools of psychological theory and research.

Please join US to examine this research and consider its implications for law schools, courts, and lawyers. As in all our workshops, engage with others to explore the applications of this study.

March 6, 2018, 12:45 – 2:00 pm Stanford Law School 559 Nathan Abbott Way SLS Classroom Bldg. Room 180 Lunch will be provided.

For information contact Janet Martinez, janmartinez@law.stanford.edu Dana Curtis, dcurtis@scu.edu

**2018-2019** Workshops: During the next academic year, we will offer four workshops on topics as varied as restorative justice for high-risk adolescents, international negotiation, dispute systems design for mass tort settlements, resolution of cases involving medical error and civil discourse.

The Santa Clara–Stanford Conflict Resolution Workshop series is a collaboration of the conflict resolution programs at two law schools to bring nationally recognized practitioners and scholars to the Stanford and Santa Clara Law School communities and the general public. Through interactive programs, audiences explore issues of interest in the field of conflict resolution and engage in conversations across differences.

# SCU Law's 20th Annual HIGH TECH INFORMATION FAIR THANK YOU TO OUR TITLE SPONSOR: SIW SCHWEGGWOESSNER

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MARCH 7 | 4PM-6PM | WILLIMAN ROOM IN BENSON CENTER

Interested in working in high tech? Join us at our annual high tech information fair to network and speak with representatives from various companies and firms in and around Silicon Valley!

RSVP here: http://bit.ly/2FNO1ik

**ATTIRE IS BUSINESS PROFESSIONAL.** 

KATHARINE GEORGE Alexander Community Law Center Santa Clara Law

## Tuesday, February 27, Noon Bannan 135

Join the Alexander Community Law Center's consumer rights supervising attorney and alumni for a panel discussion on Professional Opportunities in Civil Litigation.

Come learn how to apply Law Center skills to your future job.



Scott Maurer Consumer Rights Supervising Attorney, KGACLC



Roxana Cremene JD '15 Attorney at Law, Miller, Morton, Caillat & Nevis LLP



Steven J. Kahn JD '04 Shareholder, Hoge Fenton



Nishtha Jolly JD '17 Attorney at Law, Record Clearance Project

Katharine & George Alexander Community Law Center, a clinical program of Santa Clara Law For more information, visit law.scu.edu/KGACLC or email smlopez@scu.edu

Hot Topics Speaker Series at Noon

Leveraging your hands-on classes to land a job after law school





#### Katharine & George Alexander Community Law Center

### 1Ls/2Ls: APPLY NOW FOR THE 2018 CINDY AVITIA FELLOWSHIP

The La Raza Lawyers of Santa Clara County Charitable Foundation (the Foundation) and the Katharine & George Alexander Community Law Center (Law Center) are pleased to announce a summer fellowship for Santa Clara Law students committed to advocating for the rights of underserved immigrant communities.

The Cindy Avitia Immigration Justice Fellowship recipient will receive a \$5,000 grant from the Foundation to volunteer full-time for approximately 10 weeks at the Law Center during the summer of 2018.

For a full description and to apply, visit law.scu.edu/lawcenterfellowship

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# The 8 Pillars of Wellness

# **Occupational Wellness Pillar**



the Office of Career Management, Christina Johnson in the OCM office.

# Resume review, mock interviews and the SCU Law Jobs portal can help combat the stress of finding a legal internship.

# OURVOICES COUNT! Santa Clara University Campus Climate Study

# MAKE YOUR VOICE HEARD Jan. 23 – Feb. 23

Let's make SCU a more welcoming and inclusive campus for everyone. Share your personal experiences and offer suggestions by completing the campus climate survey. Study is completely confidential and open to students, faculty, and staff.

- Help identify challenges for members of campus community
- Shape the future of policy at SCU
- Students, faculty and staff who complete survey are eligible to win prizes

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