

### 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 Secretaries, Carly Andrus and Joyce Yao. Submissions must be in PDF format and e-mailed to the <a href="mailed-to-the-sbagrapevine@scu.edu">sbagrapevine@scu.edu</a> by Friday at 5:00 PM to be included in the following week's newsletter.

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# **Special Announcements:**

Week three, here we come!

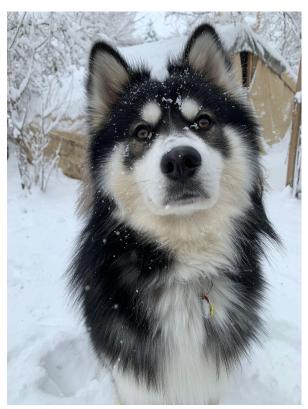
• September 3 is the last day for a 40% tuition refund.

### **Reminders:**

- Link to SCU's COVID-19 Testing Protocol Website: <a href="here">here</a>. Please <a href="remember to get tested weekly!
- Masks are required at all times indoors, especially while in the library!!
- If you are interested in <u>free mental health counseling services</u> for students, please check out the CAPS website <u>here</u>.

# **Pets of Charney Hall:**

This week's pet is Rome, the very cute son of Alessandro Piras, and a favorite "good boy" of your two SBA Secretaries.



Please submit photos of pets to be featured in the GV to: SBAGrapevine@scu.edu



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
30	31	1	2	3	4	5
12:00 PM- 1:00 PM SCOTUS Review: Justice, Joondeph and Jamboree @	12:00PM - 1:00PM W&LGeneral Membership Meeting @ Charney 106	12:00PM - 1:00PM Social Justice Coalition General Meeting @ Charney 106	9:30 AM - 10:30 AM Breakfast and Banter with the Deans @ Charney, 2nd Floor	12:10 PM - 1:00 PM FYF: Course Outlines and How to Make Them		
Charney 106  12:00PM - 1:00PM 1-UPs for 1Ls @ Charney 104	12:00PM - 1:00PM Journal of International Law Fall Info Session @	1:00 PM - 2:00 PM Sports and Entertainment Law Society's General Meeting @ Charney 201	4:00 PM - 5:00 PM Center for Social Justice Open House @ Location TBA	All day Last day to sign up for Chlps Mentorship Program!		
5:00PM - 7:00PM U.S. Immigration Policy in Disasters: Afghanistan and Haiti @ Virtual	Charney 104	5:30 PM - 7:30 PM ZWL - Room 1 Law Application Workshop @ Virtual	All day Last day for a 40% tuition refund			



# **Event Details**

### Aug. 30

### 1-UPs for 1Ls

Charney, 104

An event where 1Ls can meet 2Ls and 3Ls, who will help guide them through the semester with tips and guides.

### SCOTUS Review: Justice, Joondeph and Jamboree

Charney, 106

Join us as Professor Joondeph presents an inside look on upcoming Supreme Court Cases! Ike's sandwiches will be provided.

### U.S. Immigration Policy in Disasters: Afghanistan and Haiti

Please register online.

# Aug. 31

### Women and Law General Membership Meeting

Charney, 106

Come get to know what Women and Law has in store for the semester!

### Journal of International Law Fall Info Session

Charney, 104

Two of the most recent events are occurring in Afghanistan, due to military and political upheaval, and Haiti, due to political upheaval and environmental disaster. Join us to hear from attorneys working to represent individuals fleeing these crises and ways you may be able to help.

# Sep. 1

# Social Justice Coalition General Meeting

Charney, 106

Join the Social Justice Coalition for its first general meeting of the year! All students are welcome to enjoy lunch while we tell you more about SJC, what we've done, and what we plan to do this year.

# Sports and Entertainment Law Society's General Meeting

Charney, 201

Come get your candy on, meet our executive board members, learn more about the events we have planned for you this year, and let us know what you are interested in. We'll be discussing how to get involved as a 1L Rep and upcoming events such as potential in-person sporting events!

	<b>ZWL-Room 1 Law Application Workshop</b> Virtual Law application workshop.
Sep. 2	Breakfast and Banter with the Deans Charney, 2nd floor Bagels and donuts will be served.
	Center for Social Justice Open House Location TBA
	Last day for a 40% tuition refund
	FYF: Course Outlines and How to Make Them  Virtual - please check your email!  This workshop covers the purpose of outlining, suggests different textual and visual models for organizing legal material, and provides some concrete steps to get started. Plus, we'll address why creating your own outline is the best strategy to make sure you're learning the material.
Sep. 3	Last day to sign up to be a Chlps Mentor!  Congratulations on completing your first two weeks of law school! You should be very proud of yourselves!
30р. 0	This is a reminder that the SCU ChIPs Mentorship Program is still accepting applications. If you are interested, please fill in the quick Google Form HERE.  The deadline is September 3rd at 11:59 p.m.
	This is a unique opportunity to meet both an upper division student and a practicing attorney mentor from our network!
	Please feel free to reach out to both Haley Nieh and Gray Palmer ( <a href="https://nieh@scu.edu">hnieh@scu.edu</a> and <a href="mailto:apalmer@scu.edu">apalmer@scu.edu</a> ) if you have any questions or concerns.
Sep. 6	Labor day! No classes - go have fun and be safe!!!



### This week in headlines:

- <u>Evacuations From Kabul Wind Down as U.S. Prepares to Pull Last Troops</u>: Hundreds of thousands of Afghans are still thought to be seeking to flee the country, but President Biden and other global leaders have acknowledged that many will not get out before the deadline.
  - Podcast: The Bombing at the Kabul Airport
  - All in or All Out? Biden Saw No Middle Ground in Afghanistan.
- Hurricane Ida could be a storm of historic proportions, Louisiana's governor says.
   Gov. John Bel Edwards said Hurricane Ida would be "one of the strongest hurricanes to hit anywhere in Louisiana since at least the 1850s." The hurricane is expected to make landfall in the state as a Category 4 storm by late Sunday or early Monday.
  - Nearly 1 million people without power as Hurricane Ida charges inland
  - How climate change helped make Hurricane Ida one of Louisiana's worst
- Myanmar's Monks, Leaders of Past Protests, Are Divided Over the Coup: Some senior members of the Buddhist clergy have given their blessing to the generals in power. But hundreds of lower-ranking monks have been jailed for protesting.
- What Went Wrong With the Pandemic in Florida: Even a large state that emphasized vaccinations
  in combating the coronavirus can be crushed by the Delta variant when no other measures are
  put in place.

### IP headlines this week:

- <u>Report: ANDA Litigation is Declining</u>: In total, the data show a decline in ANDA case filings of about 36% from 2017 to 2021. The same trend is noticed with the number of the patents involved in these cases.
- <u>Tenth Circuit Partially Affirms Decision Enforcing Lanham Act on Foreign Defendants Based on Extraterritorial Conduct</u>: Citing Steele, the Tenth Circuit acknowledged that there is a general presumption against extraterritoriality, but that it may be applied abroad at least in some circumstances.
- In Win For Google, CAFC Holds Patentees May Not Bend Claim Terms to Fit Their Needs: Where, as here, a patentee relies on language found in the preamble to successfully argue that its claims are directed to eligible subject matter, it cannot later assert that the preamble term has no patentable weight for purposes of showing infringement.
- Federal Circuit Affirms 101 Invalidation of Secure Transaction System Patents in Victory for Apple and Visa: The courts held that the claims 'simply recite conventional actions in a generic way and 'do not purport to improve any underlying technology.

# SCOTUS REVIEW



# JUSTICE, JOONDEPH, AND JAMBOREE

Monday, August 30 @ 12-1 PM Charney Hall Room 106

JOIN US AS PROFESSOR JOONDEPH PRESENTS AN INSIDE LOOK ON UPCOMING SUPREME COURT CASES.

Ike's sandwiches will be provided!

For questions/concerns and in compliance with the ADA/504, please direct your accommodation requests to Alessandro Piras at apirasrivera@scu.edu



# U.S. Immigration Policy in Disaster Situations: Afghanistan & Haiti

Global events often directly impact U.S. immigration policy and the governmental agencies and lawyers working in the area, frequently resulting in the need for emergency immigration relief. Two of the most recent events are occurring in Afghanistan, due to military and political upheaval, and Haiti, due to political upheaval and environmental disaster. Join us to hear from attorneys working to represent individuals fleeing these crises and ways you may be able to help.

# Panelists:

# Margaret Stock

Cascadia Cross-Border Law

# Nas Yasin

Associate, Fragomen
Firm
Director of Bay Area
Operations, Arzo
Foundation

# Nicole Phillips

Haitian Bridge Alliance

When: Monday, Aug. 30, 2021, 5-6 p.m. PST

Where: Zoom - Register here

In compliance with the ADA/504, please direct your accommodation requests to Kerrie Bindi at kbindi@scu.edu









# Women and Law General Meeting

Come learn more about W&L, membership, and the exciting events we have planned!

> Tuesday, August 31 12:00 - 1:00 PM Charney Room 106

Please direct any questions or accommodation requests to: ayniguez@scu.edu or nanavarro@scu.edu



INTERESTED IN JOINING

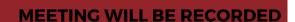
We will be raffling gift cards and bottles courtesy of Lexis!

# SANTA CLARA JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL LAW?

JOIN US FOR AN INFO SESSION WITH OUR EXECUTIVE BOARD!

TUESDAY, AUGUST 31ST 12-1PM ROOM 104





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# Panelists:

Prof. Gulasakeram Prof. Rivera Prof. Starr Prof. Rowan



# SOCIAL JUSTICE THURSDAY: PROFESSOR PANEL

A Focus on Social Justice in Law School

SEPT. 2 12-1PM RM 101



COME MEET SOME OF OUR SOCIAL JUSTICE PROFESSORS, LEARN ABOUT THEIR WORK, & GRAB LUNCH!







# SIPLA MENTORSHIP PROGRAM

The SIPLA mentorship program aims to provide you with the connections and resources you need to be successful here at SCU law and beyond.

# REGISTER BY SEPTEMBER 17

Mentor Registration: <a href="https://forms.gle/4kEVqvEPSxcfPAR8A">https://forms.gle/4kEVqvEPSxcfPAR8A</a> Mentee Registration: <a href="https://forms.gle/Ly14H9ntfTvUmoGZ7">https://forms.gle/Ly14H9ntfTvUmoGZ7</a>

General Member Registration: <a href="https://forms.gle/Hcjq1F7ztsoKHqBx5">https://forms.gle/Hcjq1F7ztsoKHqBx5</a>