≈ Calendar of Events ≈
Week of April 11, 2011

All events will be held in Myron Taylor Hall unless otherwise noted

**MONDAY, APRIL 11**

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1:30-4:30 p.m. Room 206. Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS). Free and confidential consultation for law students. Details on page 7, Maurice Haltom/CAPS column.

3:00-4:00 p.m. Foyer. Swing Into Spring-Faculty/Student Coffee. Stop by for a cup!

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**FROM STEWART J. SCHWAB, THE ALLAN R. TESSLER DEAN**

- **ABA site visit - Open Forum for Students**
  Monday, April 11
  4:30 p.m. Moot Court Room
  Every seven years each ABA approved law school is routinely visited by a team of inspectors to determine continued compliance with ABA standards. As a part of this process, the team would like an opportunity to meet with students. The open forum for students has been scheduled for Monday, April 11 at 4:30 p.m. in the Moot Court Room. Please attend if you are interested.

- **Office Hours for Students**
  I will be holding office hours for students on Tuesday afternoons between 3:30 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. Students wishing to see me may either sign up in advance with Liz Flint in room 263, email es232@cornell.edu, or call 607-255-3539.

**FROM NAN COLVIN, REGISTRAR**

**Spring 11**

- **Law School Course Pre-registration** for fall 2011 - To the Classes of 2012 & 2013 - On-Line Pre-Registration for fall 2011 Law School courses will take place in early summer. You will be notified by email to your Cornell NetID email account when the pre-registration site is available. Instructions and details for on-line Law School Course Pre-registration, updated course information, registration forms, and degree requirements will be available on-line.

- **Spring Term Examination Period**
  Examinations begin **Wednesday, May 4**
  Examinations end **Tuesday, May 17**

- **Using your lap top for spring 2011 exams - Installation of Exam4 software: April 6-13, 2011.** You will receive information about the process by email to your Cornell NetID email address the week of April 4. All students who wish to use their laptops for final exams will be required to download, install and test the Spring 2011 version of Exam4. Versions from other semesters have expired.

- **Spring 2011 Final Examinations - Exam Conflicts** - Students who have exam conflicts are reminded to notify the Law School Registrar's Office, in writing, using the online Deferral Request link at the Registrar's website: http://registrar.lawschool.cornell.edu by **Wednesday, April 13, 2011**, of the conflict, and should note which exam they wish rescheduled. The exam schedule is available at the Registrar’s website at: https://support.law.cornell.edu/students/forms/Spring_Exam_Schedule.pdf

- **Exams and dictionaries - JD students** whose native or working language is not normally English may request the use of a non-legal dictionary for examinations by submitting a written request to the Dean of Students by **Wednesday, April 13, 2011**. JD students who have previously received permission to use a non-legal dictionary previously do not need to make another request. The non-legal dictionary must
be supplied by the student and the dictionary may be in print or electronic format; provided, however, that any electronic dictionary must be a stand-alone dictionary with a set memory (e.g., a dictionary program that is loaded on a laptop computer does not qualify). All electronic dictionaries must be approved by the Registrar well in advance of the examinations.

- **LL.M. students** with questions regarding the use of a non-legal dictionary for examinations should contact Assistant Dean Charles Cramton.

- **Official Student Transcripts** are available at the University Registrar's Office in B7 Day Hall. There is no charge. Internal transcripts are available from the Law School Registrar’s office and require a 24-hour advance written request.

- **Release of information** - A reminder to all students: Students asking faculty members to write recommendations will need to complete a release form with the Law School Registrar's Office if the faculty member wishes to view the student's record.

- **Coat and Book Lockers** - Students should be sure to remove all items from book and coat lockers by May 31, 2011. Graduating students staying in Ithaca over the summer must remove the contents of their lockers by July 1, 2011. The law school is not responsible for the contents of these lockers. Any student who has changed their locker assignment during the year should check with the Registrar's Office before May 31, 2011, to be sure the change has been recorded.

- **Summer Addresses Class of 2011 Students** - The Summer Address/Diploma Mailing Address link on the Registrar’s website will be available during the week of April 18. You will be notified by email when the site is available. Please visit the site at: [http://registrar.lawschool.cornell.edu](http://registrar.lawschool.cornell.edu) before the end of the semester and provide us with information about your summer mailing addresses. If you need to make changes to any of the information you enter, you may revisit this site as many times as necessary to correct/update the information. **Diploma mailing**: please note that if you are not going to be in Ithaca after Commencement you must provide a diploma mailing address in order to have your diploma mailed.

- **Summer email address and forwarding your NetID email Class 2011 Students**: We will continue to use your NetID email address if we need to contact you over the summer. For information on the forwarding service after graduation, please visit the Cornell Alumni Office site: [http://www.alumni.cornell.edu/services/email.cfm](http://www.alumni.cornell.edu/services/email.cfm)

- **Summer Addresses Class of 2012 & 2013 Students** - The Summer Address link on the Registrar’s website will be available during the week of April 18. You will be notified by email when the site is available. Please visit the site at: [http://registrar.lawschool.cornell.edu](http://registrar.lawschool.cornell.edu) before the end of the semester and provide us with information about your summer mailing address. If you need to make changes to any of the information you enter, you may revisit this site as many times as necessary to correct/update the information.

- **Summer email address Classes of 2012 & 2013 Students**: We will be using your Cornell NetID email address to communicate with you.

- **2011 Spring Term Grades**
  - **Class of 2011**- Spring term grades, graduation letters, and diplomas will be available at the Law School Registrar's Office beginning **Tuesday, May 31, 2011**.
  
  - **Continuing students** - Spring term grades are expected to be online on **Tuesday, June 7** at **Student Center** available at [http://studentcenter.cornell.edu](http://studentcenter.cornell.edu)
FROM PAT HALSTEAD, CERTIFICATION COORDINATOR

Reminders To All Graduating Students

- **New York Bar Application information**: Deadline April 30, 2011. On-line applications and instructions for submitting the New York State Bar application are only available April 1-April 30, 2011 at: [http://www.nybarexam.org](http://www.nybarexam.org). Those who were unable to attend any of the handwriting sessions should stop by the Registrar’s Office to make an appointment to complete the handwriting specimen form needed for the application process.

- **Bar Examination Information other than NY - Certificates of Attendance/Graduation**. A certificate of law school attendance/graduation is required by most state bar authorities. Some states require that the certificate be made on a form they provide, and others require it on Law School letterhead. Certificates are completed and mailed directly from the Law School Registrars Office. Certificates of graduation will be sent after May 29, 2011.

- **Official Transcripts**. The Office of the University Registrar provides official grade transcripts bearing the Cornell University seal and the signature of the University Registrar. Students must request an official transcript from the University Registrar’s Office website at [http://transcript.cornell.edu](http://transcript.cornell.edu) in June after the Spring grades and degree have been posted. The request should include the information of where you would like it sent.

- **Applications Requiring Fingerprinting (not all bar applications require fingerprinting)**
  Fingerprinting is available on campus at the Public Safety Office, G2 Barton Hall, 24 hours a day. You will need to take the fingerprint card with you, and two forms of picture ID.

FROM ANNE LUKINGBEAL, ASSOCIATE DEAN AND DEAN OF STUDENTS

End of Semester Massage Party

On Wednesday, April 27 the Offices of the Dean and the Dean of Students, and the Cornell Law Students Association (CLSA) will sponsor a therapeutic massage party in the Saperston Student Lounge from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Please stop by and enjoy a free 10-minute chair massage from one of seven licensed massage therapists. Healthy snacks will be served. Faculty and staff are welcome from 3:00 to 4:00 p.m. We hope to see you there.

FROM JOHN DEROSA, ASSISTANT DEAN FOR STUDENT AND CAREER SERVICES, SUZANNE HESS, DIRECTOR OF CAREER SERVICES, AND LYNDSEY BULLOCK, CAREER SERVICES ASSOCIATE

- **1L & 2L Students**
  - **Wednesday, April 13**
    - 4:00 p.m. Saperston Student Lounge
    - **Knobbe Martens Presentation**
      Attorneys from Knobbe, Martens, Olson & Bear, LLP invites students with a technical background to join them as they discuss their work as an Intellectual Property boutique firm. Additional information will be sent out by IPTSA. **Note that Knobbe Martens recruits only students who are Patent Bar eligible.**

- **Thursday, April 14**
  - 4:00-6:30 p.m. Anabel Taylor Auditorium & Berger Atrium
    - **Effective Interviewing Workshop**: presented by Morrison & Foerster, LLP
      Join attorneys from Morrison & Foerster, LLP for an employer’s perspective on how to prepare for and succeed in your recruiting interviews.
• 2L & 3L Students  
  Monday, April 25  
  12:15-1:15 p.m.  
  Mancuso Amphitheater (room G90)  
  
  How to Succeed As a Summer Associate  
  
  Suzanne Hess will discuss how to make the most out of your summer experience, including:  
  • How to effectively obtain and complete assignments  
  • How to build relationships with fellow summer associates, attorneys, and staff  
  • How to enjoy employer-sponsored social events while maintaining professionalism  

FROM THE LAWYERING PROGRAM  
Lawyering Program Honors Fellow Applications  
To first- and second-year students: Applications to serve as a Lawyering Program Honors Fellow for the 2011-12 academic year are due by Monday, April 18, at 1:00 p.m., to Janice Rose in the Lawyering suite. If you have any questions, please contact Joel Atlas in room 307.

FROM CHARLES CRAMTON, ASSISTANT DEAN FOR THE GRADUATE LEGAL STUDIES PROGRAM  
Friday, April 15  
12:15 p.m.  
Room G85  
The Graduate Legal Studies Program and the LL.M. Association present Lungisani Zulu, LL.M. Candidate, May 2011, speaking on “Doing Business in Zambia: A Tour Guide of Legal Issues in Investments.” Please RSVP to Dawne Peacock, dfp7@cornell.edu by April 13 for the talk and luncheon.

FROM LARRY BUSH, THE BERGER INTERNATIONAL STUDIES PROGRAM  
• Tuesday April 12  
12:15 p.m.  
Room 290  
The Berger International Legal Studies Program Speaker Series, Cornell Advocates for Human Rights and Cornell International Human Rights Clinic present Jesus Emilio Tubercia Zapata, Legal representative and founder of the Peace Community speaking on “After the Massacre: “The Search for Truth and Justice for the Peace Community of San José de Apartadó.”

The Peace Community of San José de Apartadó was founded in 1997 to help protect families living in conflict zones. The Community does not allow guns or alcohol within its borders, and does not participate in the Colombian conflict. Since its founding, over 180 members of the Peace Community have been killed by State, paramilitary, and guerrilla forces. The Community has suffered economic blockades, forced displacement, innumerable threats, and sexual violence.

In 2005, State and paramilitary forces brutally massacred seven members of the Community, including three small children. There have been no convictions for the vast majority of these crimes. Both the Inter-American Commission and Court of Human Rights have recommended that the Colombian State take measures to ensure adequate protection for the Peace Community. Despite the extreme adversity they face, the Peace Community perseveres and continues to work for truth, justice, and peace in the midst of violence. This talk will be in Spanish. An interpreter will provide translation into English. Please RSVP to Dawne Peacock at dfp7@cornell.edu for the talk and luncheon by April 8.
Tuesday, April 12
1:25 p.m.
Room G85
The Berger International Legal Studies Program Speaker Series presents Prof. Don Wallace, Professor at Georgetown University Law School and Counsel in Morgan Lewis’ Litigation Practice speaking on “Investment Dispute Settlement.” This lecture is given as part of Professor Ndulo’s class on International Law and Foreign Direct Investments.

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FROM PATINA JANISKO, ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR OF FINANCIAL AID AND ADMISSIONS
Drop-In Office Hours for the Spring Semester
Monday: 2:30-3:30 p.m.
Tuesday: 2:30-3:30 p.m.
Wednesday: 10:30-11:30 a.m., 2:30-3:30 p.m.
Thursday: 2:30-3:30 p.m.
Friday: 10:30-11:30 a.m., 2:30-3:30 p.m.
Or by appointment: (607) 255-5141 or financialaid@lawschool.cornell.edu
The financial aid staff is also available to help with any questions that you may have if I am out of the office or meeting with another person.

FROM MAURICE HALTOM, COUNSELING AND PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES (CAPS)
Let’s Talk: Free and confidential support is available to all students.
No appointment necessary. Just drop in.
* stress * academic problems * anxiety * relationships * adjustments to a new culture
* family problems * depression * financial * other concerns
When: Wednesdays, 1:30-4:30 p.m.
Where: Myron Taylor Hall, Room 206
Who: Maurice Haltom, LMSW, Counselor from Gannett Health Services
For additional hours and counselor biographies: www.gannett.cornell.edu/LetsTalk
From John Mollenkamp, Associate Clinical Professor and Director of Academic Support

- Office Hours the week of April 11
  - Monday: 3:30-5:00 p.m.
  - Tuesday: 3:30-5:00 p.m.
  - Wednesday: 9:00-11:00 a.m.
  - Thursday: 3:30-5:00 p.m.
  - Friday: 3:30-5:00 p.m.
  - Or by appointment: (607) 255-0146; John-mollenkamp@lawschool.cornell.edu

- This is the time of year when we finally start to see the light at the end of the tunnel. There are real signs of spring around (flowers poking up and blooming, trees are getting their buds, and the sun is shining more and more days). We also are on a short count-down to the end of the school year. Just a few short weeks until final exams begin.

In this context, it is easy to start to feel some pressure to do an awful lot of work in a relatively short amount of time. “If I plan carefully,” you tell yourself, “I can probably re-learn everything from the semester between now and the first final.” While that may sound logical, and you might even be able to draw up a chart showing how that would work, it is also possible to bite off a lot more than you can possibly chew. Make sure you are focusing your study time between now and finals on two things--learning the new material that is still coming in on a daily basis and working on the material that you don't understand from the first part of the semester.

How can you identify the stuff you don't know? Practice exams are one good way. You may also find CALI a great (and free) way to figure out what areas of the subject matter need the most work. You may also benefit from the E&EE series (available in the library) or the Q&A series (also, I believe, available in the library) as ways to identify the stuff that you don't understand. Then, armed with the knowledge of what you don't know, you can hit the books with more efficiency. Besides, the practice of taking the tests is good exam prep generally.

I'm glad to visit with you about all of this. Stop by during office hours or make an appointment.

Student Organizations

- Alternative Dispute Resolution Society (ADR)
  - An Apostate Judge Becomes an ADR Neutral: Experiences with Mediation and Commercial Arbitration
  - Monday, April 11
  - 12:15-1:15 p.m. Saperston Student Lounge
  - Hon. Stephen G. Crane (Retired) will talk about his choice to leave the NY Supreme Court bench to become a mediator and commercial arbitrator for the Judicial Arbitration and Mediation Services (JAMS) and the complexities of commercial arbitration in today's legal world.

  Arbitration and Mediation Skills Workshop
  - Monday, April 11
  - 4:30-6:30 p.m. Saperston Student Lounge
  - Hon. Stephen G. Crane (Retired) will lead a two-hour skills workshop on arbitration and mediation. The workshop will give participants a chance to practice the skills necessary for successful advocacy and neutral facilitation in arbitrated and mediated disputes.

Both events are co-sponsored by GPSAFC and the Cornell Law School Career Services Office. Open to the graduate community. Questions? Contact Erin Agee at: eba26@cornell.edu
• Cornell Law Student Association (CLSA)
  New CLSA Facebook Page Launched
  Check it out at: www.Facebook.com/CornellCLSA. Be sure to “like” the page in order to keep up with the latest law school events, including bar tabs, free food, and the End-of-the-Year Barbecue. Questions? Contact Matthew Oster, Information Technology Master, Cornell Law Student Association at mjo75@cornell.edu

• Cornell Advocates for Human Rights (CAHR)
  Advocacy Week Events
  Monday, April 11
  Foyer
  CAHR will be tabling for Japan earthquake relief.

  Tuesday, April 12
  Pro bono Zambian property law project meeting
  12:20 p.m.
  Room 279
  Learn more about a pro bono project CAHR has set up researching Zambian law for a nonprofit organization (Signature Donations) Signature Donations was founded by Cornell undergraduate students. We will be organizing a group to research title issues related to purchasing land for a school in Zambia. We are meeting to discuss the results of our research. Anyone who participated in the research, or who would like to learn more about the project, is welcome to join. Questions? Contact Sara Myers at sam443@cornell.edu

  Wednesday, April 13
  Screening of Not Yet Rain and Justice on the Grass
  12:15 p.m.
  Room 290 (food will be provided)
  Not Yet Rain, a short film by Emmy award-winning filmmaker Lisa Russell, produced in association with Ipas, explores abortion in Ethiopia through the voices of women who have faced the challenge of finding safe care. Through their stories, we see the important role that safe abortion care plays in the overall health of women and their families.

  Justice on the Grass is about the local Gacaca courts in Rwanda that use old tribal traditions in trying those convicted of crimes during the Rwanda genocide. Questions? Contact Sara Myers at sam443@cornell.edu

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  Saperston Student Lounge
  Bring $5 for a plate of food prepared by fellow law students. All proceeds will be donated to Ithaca City of Asylum (ICOA). ICOA is a not-for-profit project of the Center for Transformative Action, a group dedicated to incubating social justice enterprise. ICOA supports writers exiled from their home countries for exercising the basic human right of free expression. ICOA sponsors them as writers-in-residence and works to create a safe haven where they can live peacefully and continue to work. Please email Heather Murray at hem58@cornell.edu if you would like to help raise funds by volunteering to prepare a dish.
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Monday, April 18  
Dr. Smarajit Jana of the Durbar Mahila Samanwaya Committee (DMSC)  
6:00 p.m.  
Room 285  
Dr. Jana works with DMSC, an organization that fights for sex worker rights in Kolkata, India. Cornell partners with DMSC to provide public international summer fellowships to law students. Co-sponsored by the Cornell Law Students for Reproductive Justice, the Avon Global Center for Women and Justice and GPSAFC. For more information about this event, please contact Jennifer Holsey at: jfh95@cornell.edu

- Women’s Law Coalition (WLC)  
Tuesday, April 12  
The Akilah Institute: Empowering Women and Rebuilding Rwanda through Hospitality Education  
5:00-6:00 p.m.  
Room G85  
Join us for a presentation by Elizabeth Dearborn Davis, founder of the Akilah Institute for Women in Rwanda, an institute of higher education that empowers women with the confidence and education they need to find meaningful employment. As tourism is Rwanda’s largest industry, the Akilah Institute focuses on hospitality education. To learn more, please visit the Akilah Institute website: http://akilahinstitute.org

Ms. Davis will lead a discussion on the role of women in rebuilding Rwanda and the role of the hospitality industry in alleviating poverty and empowering women. Pizza and refreshments will be served in the Foyer following the event.

Thursday, April 14  
*Life as an In-House Lawyer: A Discussion with Laurie Gallagher and Naveena Shastri*  
3:30-4:30 p.m.  
Room 285  
Join us for a presentation and discussion with Laurie Gallagher and Naveena Shastri, two senior lawyers with SABIC, a Fortune 200 global company with facilities in all regions of the world. Reception will follow in the Student Lounge.

Laurie is SABIC's Chief Compliance Counsel and Naveena is SABIC's Chief Counsel for the Americas Region. They will talk about the daily life of an in-house corporate lawyer, including opportunities and challenges for women, discuss their individual career paths, and provide insight and advice to future lawyers. They will also be happy to take your questions about in-house practice, which has become an increasingly attractive career path for high quality lawyers in recent years.

Both events are co-sponsored by the Law School Dean of Students and GPSAFC and open to the graduate community. For more information contact Kerry Harnett at kah255@cornell.edu
**POSITIONS AVAILABLE**

- **Professor Barceló** seeks a research assistant to assist in the preparation of the 5th edition of his text, *International Commercial Arbitration*. The research assistant would help in organizing and submitting permission requests for copyrighted material cited in the text. Students interested in the position should contact Professor Barceló’s assistant, **Allen Czelusniak**, at ahc85@cornell.edu to set up an appointment to discuss the position.

- **Associate Clinical Professor Jacobson** seeks one or two **Summer Research Assistants** (possibility to start sooner). One position requires having taken (or currently taking) Securities Regulation, second position has no prior course requirement. **Please submit resume** and (unofficial) transcript directly to **Professor Jacobson** (waj24@cornell.edu).

**FROM THE LAW LIBRARY**

**Call for Papers**
The Cornell Law Library invites 2Ls, 3Ls, and LLMs to submit scholarly research papers to be considered for the Cornell Law Library Prize for Exemplary Student Research. All papers must have been written in the time period spanning June, 2010 – May, 2011. Entries may include, but are not limited to, papers written for a class or journal notes. Work product generated through summer or other employment will not be accepted. Papers must be a minimum of 10 pages in length, must be written in proper Bluebook format, and must be properly footnoted. First prize is $500, second prize is $250, and both winners will be invited to publish their papers in Scholarship@Cornell Law, a digital repository of the Cornell Law Library.

For **submission procedure and selection criteria**, please visit the Law Library homepage, click on “For Students” and then on “Publication and Prizes.” **Papers will be accepted on an ongoing basis through May 2, 2011.**

**FROM THE ALUMNI AFFAIRS OFFICE**

- **Cornell Law School Alumni Association Chicago Spring Luncheon**
  Monday, April 18
  12:00 Noon Registration and Networking Reception
  12:30-2:00 p.m. Lunch and Program
  Featured Speaker: **John H. Blume**, Professor of Law and Director, Cornell Death Penalty Project
  “The Past, Present and (Possible) Future of the American Death Penalty”
  Peterino’s Restaurant
  150 North Dearborn Street, Chicago, IL 60601
  Information about this event appeared in Scoops the week of March 28 (Vol. 24 #24), available at the Back Issues link: [http://support.law.cornell.edu/technology/scoops/scoops.html](http://support.law.cornell.edu/technology/scoops/scoops.html).

  Please register on-line at [www.lawschool.cornell.edu/alumni](http://www.lawschool.cornell.edu/alumni) by Monday, April 11 or by calling the Alumni Affairs Office at 607.255.5251.

- **Cornell Law School Alumni Association Annual New Jersey Dinner**
  Thursday, April 28
  6:00 p.m. Reception/7:00-9:00 p.m. Dinner & Speaker
  Featured Speaker: **Congressman Robert Andrews**, JD ’82 U.S. Representative for New Jersey’s 1st Congressional District
  “An Insider’s Perspective on the New Congress: How Cornell Law School Prepared Me for Public Service” Join Congressman Andrews as he shares the inside scoop on initiatives of the new Congress - from the economy, to creating jobs, to the future of health care reform. Learn of some of the
challenges being addressed and how one Cornellian, based on his law school training, is approaching them.

Maplewood Country Club
28 Baker Street, Maplewood, NJ

Special thanks to our dinner hosts Katherine Ward Feld, MBA ’82, JD ’83 & Jeffrey Feld, JD ’83 and to our dinner co-chairs Suzanne Brown, JD ’94, Theresa Concepcion, JD ’07 & Roberta Tulman Samuels, AB ’87, JD ’90. Please register on-line at www.lawschool.cornell.edu/alumni by Thursday, April 21, or by calling the Alumni Affairs Office at 607.255.5251.

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