

THE DIGEST

WIDENER UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW ~ HARRISBURG CAMPUS



WIDENER JOURNAL OF LAW, ECONOMICS AND RACE

The Widener Journal of Law, Economics and Race (WJLER) is Widener's newest law journal and the first to be published jointly by both the Delaware and Harrisburg campuses. This journal is designed to provide a forum for in-depth analysis and a critically and socially relevant course on the intersection of the law, race and economics in America. The goal is to provide a space for scholars, practitioners and students to expand the exploration of the issues of race and economics and to create a resource from which policy makers can draw new ideas to address legal and economic problems in our society. WJLER content will come from symposia (sponsored and webcast by WJLER); student-authored works; distinguished Widener graduates; and other professors, judges and legal practitioners. The Journal will have an editorial board as well as an advisory board which will include Widener alumnae and other legal scholars from the community. See what we have been up to online at www.wjler.org.

Further information about our upcoming biennial write-on competition and a general information session for interested students will be announced shortly.

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

April

- 28** *Student Awards Ceremony/Reception*
- 29** *Last Day of Classes*
- 30-5/1** *Reading Period*

May

- 2-15** *Final Exams*
- 15-22** *Intensive Trial Advocacy Program*
- 17** *Commencement*

The Widener Law Journal

invites you to attend an

Information Session for the 2009 Summer Write-On Competition

We will be discussing rules and procedures for the 2009 Competition. If you are interested in becoming a member, attendance at this meeting is an absolute necessity!

Tuesday, April 21

6:30 p.m. :: Room L-202



If you cannot attend for any reason, please contact Elizabeth Marx, Incoming Executive Managing Editor (2009-2010) at ermarx@mail.widener.edu.

ADMISSIONS OFFICE

Hey law students! Do you feel you have a story to tell? Are you longing for a creative outlet?

Then why not become a blogger for Widener Law's website? The Admissions Office is looking for talented student bloggers to write interesting and insightful posts describing the law school experience.

Visitors to the site can follow your journey through law school and watch you grow and develop into the successful lawyer you aspire to be. If this appeals to your inner Shakespeare, then email Eric Kniskern at emkniskern@widener.edu.

Please remember to use the recycling containers to recycle here on campus.

It is our responsibility to preserve and protect our natural resources for future generations.



LEGAL INFORMATION CENTER

REGULAR LIBRARY HOURS

Mon. – Thurs.	8:00 a.m.-Midnight
Friday	8:00 a.m.-11:00 p.m.
Saturday	8:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m.
Sunday	10:00 a.m.-Midnight

April Birthdays

- Vice Dean John Gedid
- Mary Catherine Scott
- Megan Morris
- Prof. Katherine Jones
- Brenda Rebeck
- Brent Johnson



BURSAR'S OFFICE

Bursar's Office 2009 Spring hours:

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday

9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday

10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

The fax number for the Bursar's Office is 717-541-1965. Please have your student or photo ID available when you come to the Bursar's Office for any check transactions.

Students who wish to make online payments to their account can now stop in the Bursar's Office and use the terminal available. We will be available to assist you, if needed. There is no charge for using the direct debit from a checking or savings account as a payment method.

Starting December 1, 2008, credit card payments (MasterCard, American Express and Discover) will be charged a 2.75% convenience fee. The convenience fee is non-refundable, even if the student account payment is refunded. Authorization of a credit card payment to a student account signifies acceptance of these terms.

CAMPUS SAFETY

The Campus Safety Office is located in the lobby of the Library Building. The telephone number is 717-541-3948 or email Sgt. Jumper at lhjumper@widener.edu. We are on duty to serve you from 8:00 a.m. until midnight and on the weekends when the Library is open.

Safety is a shared responsibility

We need your assistance and encourage all of you to report anything that you may consider suspicious.

CAREER DEVELOPMENT OFFICE

The Career Development Office operates as a full-service resource center and reference library. The staff is available to help you access the office resources and counselors are available to assist you in your search for employment and to review your goals, resumes and interviewing techniques. While we encourage appointments, we have an open door policy. During the school year, our regular hours are 9:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m., Monday through Thursday, and 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. on Friday. Appointments are also available outside these hours to accommodate your schedule. When classes are not in session, please call the office at 541-3958 for current office hours.

FINANCIAL AID OFFICE

The Financial Aid Office is located in the Administration Student Center, Room 143 in the Administration Building. Office hours are as follows:

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

A synopsis of available financial aid is located in the Law School Bulletin. If you have any questions, please contact the Financial Aid Office either in person, via email at jlallen@widener.edu or lawfinaidhb@mail.widener.edu or by telephone at 717-541-3961. Be sure to check The Digest, your student mailbox and the Financial Aid Bulletin Board on a regular basis for important notices. Read all forms carefully and keep copies of all paperwork in one place for easy access and reference.

REGISTRAR'S OFFICE

STUDENT ID CARDS

Do you have your ID card? You will need an ID card for the upcoming examinations. If you do not have an ID card, please contact Brian Fearnbaugh (x3963). There are ID cards in the Library for first year students that have never been picked up.

ATTENTION GRADUATES

Graduation Packets—For students who plan to graduate this May but have not yet petitioned to graduate, please see Molly Acri in the Registrar's Office as soon as possible to fill out a graduation packet.

EMPLOYMENT FORMS

If you are a Regular Division student and have not filled out an employment form, please stop in the Registrar's Office to do so. See "Section 310. Outside Employment" of the Academic Code.

LOCKERS

Locker keys are available in the Registrar's Office. Lockers are located on the second floor of the Library Building. There is a \$5.00 deposit for a locker key.

The Registrar's Office regular office hours are Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. and 9:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday. Hours may be extended if necessary during the course of the semester. The office phone number is 717-541-3904.

Please make it a habit to check Campus Cruiser and the Law School Website at law.widener.edu for important announcements.

Registrar's Office Information Line

(717) 541-1941

Registrar's Office Email Address

regoffhb@mail.widener.edu

Student Information Line/717-541-1939

Help Wanted!

The Registrar's Office needs 8 – 10 reliable students to volunteer as Ushers at Commencement on

Sunday, May 17, 2009.

Qualifications: Must be willing to work from 9:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. and have transportation to the Forum in downtown Harrisburg. Ushers must be dressed professionally, sober and willing to deal with excited graduates and families.



ENRICH YOUR LIFE – STUDY ABROAD



**Sydney Summer
Law Institute**

Stretch your perspective by adding a law-related experience that stands out to employers and may open opportunities in the increasingly global world of law practice.



**Lausanne Summer
Law Institute**

Some of you are already captivated by one of these fascinating cities. Each program is really different and each provides amazing opportunities to live in and learn about different cultures.



**Nairobi Summer
Law Institute**



**Venice Summer Law
Institute**

Travel and Housing Costs are the lowest in years. To explore your options contact the International Programs Coordinator at 302-477-2248 or at artrapuzzano@widener.edu



SIDEBAR CAFÉ

April 13-17, 2009

Breakfast from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Lunch from 11:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

MENU SUBJECT TO CHANGE AS NEEDED

Monday

Kettle Classic

Montaque's Deli

Café Feature

Itza Pizza

Asian Noodle Soup

Alpine Chicken Wrap

Egg & Cheese Sandwich

Pepperoni Pizza by the Slice

Tuesday

Kettle Classic

Montaque's Deli

Café Feature

Itza Pizza

Pasta Fagioli Soup

Capicola & Pepperoni Sub

Egg & Ham on a Muffin

Broccoli Pizza by the Slice

Wednesday

Kettle Classic

Montaque's Deli

Café Feature

Itza Pizza

Lumberjack Vegetable Soup

Corned Beef & Turkey Wrap

Egg & Sausage Bagel

Ham Pizza by the Slice

Thursday

Kettle Classic

Montaque's Deli

Café Feature

Itza Pizza

French Onion Soup

Dill Tuna Sandwich

Egg & Bacon Muffin

Meat Lovers Pizza by the Slice

Friday

Kettle Classic

Montaque's Deli

Café Feature

Itza Pizza

Maryland Crab Soup

Grilled Cheese with Tomato & Bacon

Egg & Cheese Muffin

Cheese Pizza by the Slice



Montaque's
The Earl of Sandwich