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ur first-year students soon face their first semester exams. You may recall the exam jitters, perhaps even the nightmares about forgetting everything that you knew as you opened the exam. What makes it all worth it, of course, is the dream that each new law student holds.

To keep these dreams alive, and even to raise their aspirations, we have begun sharing your successes with our students. Together, the more than 9,000 of you have



made signal contributions throughout the nation and, increasingly, the world. Collectively you are federal and state judges, including the chief judge of the district or state; members of the U.S. Senate and House and state legislators; managing partners of the nation's best-respected law firms; heads of international outreach programs; successful business persons; leaders in the legal services sector; nationally respected journalists; general counsel to major businesses. You

Dean Nancy H. Rogers

have embraced a lawyer's ability to use volunteer energies effectively and are community leaders and philanthropists.

This fall, we implemented a program that puts students more directly in contact with outstanding alumni and other members of the central Ohio legal profession. This is a sustainable mentoring program because Mentoring and More @ Moritz asks merely that mentors and students attend three lunch programs together each year. The lunch programs, modeled on Inns of Court programs, include a provocative speech on a legal topic followed by discussions, often led by faculty members at the tables.

You have made the Mentoring and More program possible, as you have over the years with many of the programs that add excellence to the college. The new facility across from Drinko Hall, the Barrister Club, was built entirely through your contributions. Alumni have responded to invitations to mentor. The Ohio State Bar Foundation has funded an exciting speaker series for the year. We hope to attract many of you to meet informally with students at the pre-football game tailgates at the Barrister Club, where all alumni and students are invited.

Because alumni support Moritz Law, another new initiative has been possible this year. Our Distinguished Practitioner in Residence Program has created a series of one-credit courses in business law on such topics as crossborder mergers and acquisitions, ethical obligations of corporate counsel, and corporate board responsibilities for executive compensation.

The progress is also compelling in terms of numerical measures. The 2005 entering class had the highest LSAT scores in the college's history. The median LSAT this year was 161, which represents a climb of 13 percentage points over the median in 2000, for example. The spread between the 2004 Ohio State scores on the Ohio bar exam (91 percent passing) and those of overall test takers was the greatest in recent history (and perhaps ever, if we researched the rates).

Our fifth former Blackmun clerk, Michelle Alexander, has joined the faculty, having previously taught Civil Procedure and Civil Rights at Stanford Law School. The five former law clerks to Justice Harry Blackmun launched the Blackmun Lecture series with a speech by Judge Diane Wood of the Seventh Circuit. They have kept us in touch with insights from the recently released Blackmun papers through a series of workshops and panel discussions.

Please stop by when you are in Columbus and take in a lecture or workshop, or visit with students in Lou's Café (see www.moritzlaw.osu.edu/events/index.html). See the new Gateway apartments where 73 students now live at the corner of High Street and 11th Avenue. Please also consider how you might contribute, monetarily, as part of the college's new \$30 million campaign or through volunteer efforts. Thank you for what you do to improve the experience of those who follow you at the college.

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Neutrality Agreements and the Future of Union Organizing*

by James J. Brudney Newton D. Baker-Baker and Hostetler Chair in Law

ne labor law question that has interested me for years is why there is so little successful union organizing even though millions of American workers seem to want to form a union at their place of employment.

It is well known that unions have played a sharply diminished role in the U.S. economy since about 1970. During this same period, there has been a subtantial growth of inequality in our labor market. Earnings for nonsupervisory workers have been largely stagnant, employees work longer hours as their vacation and holiday time has declined, the gap between workers in the upper and lower tiers has widened, and earnings for the top 100 CEOs are now more than 1,200 times the average worker salary. It is not surprising, therefore, that recent polls from Business Week and other sources report 50 percent or more of nonunion workers saying they would like to form a union.

And yet the proportion of the workforce represented by unions has declined steadily for decades, falling to eight percent in the private sector this past year—its lowest ratio since the early 1930s. Many factors have contributed to the decline, including global economic pressures and conditions, powerful individualist norms within American culture, and a lack of sufficient energy and imagination on the part of the union movement. What has engaged my attention is the role played by our national system of labor-management regulation.

Federal labor law guarantees workers the right to band together for the purpose of bargaining collectively "through representatives of their own choosing." This employee choice, including the right to refrain from joining a union, has long been analogized to decision making by voters in the political context. Starting in the late 1940s, elections supervised by the National Labor Relations Board (NLRB) have been regarded as the optimal means for promoting employee free choice under the law. One could argue that given the fundamental asymmetry of power between employers and unions, the NLRB elections model was flawed from the start. In the course of a representation election campaign, employers regularly convey to workers-through their speech and conduct—the risks associated with employees' dependent status. Even if a union prevails on election day and is recognized as a bargaining representative, it holds neither legal nor economic authority over its constituency of workers; its relationship to employees is a relatively contingent one.

From a historical standpoint, perhaps the election model was more persuasive in the era following World War II, when analogies between industrial and political democracy reflected in part a societal impulse to celebrate recent national triumphs. Since 1970, however, the law regulating union election campaigns has developed to exacerbate many of the inherent inequalities between labor and management in the pre-recognition setting.

The law as interpreted permits employers to restrict employees' speech with co-workers while forcing them to attend meetings at which well-prepared managers "predict" various dire consequences if their employees decide to form a union. Union organizers who might be expected to counter employers' dire predictions, and to offer their own arguments, may be excluded from the worksite altogether in almost all circumstances. The stark inequality between employer "incumbents" and union "challengers" regarding rights of access to, or speech aimed at, the voters would be unthinkable in an ordinary partisan election setting.

Employers also have benefited from the law's remarkably weak remedial structure, through their increased willingness to terminate or otherwise discipline union supporters during an election campaign. By 1990, there were incidents of unlawful termination in fully 25 percent of all organizing efforts, and a 1998 study estimated that one out of every 18 workers supporting a union organizing campaign was the object of unlawful discrimination. Moreover, employers since 1970 have come to rely heavily on hordes of "union avoidance" consultants and advisors to take greater advantage of what the law permits or does not sufficiently deter.

Given employers' widespread lawful and unlawful resistance to unionization, it is hardly surprising that 40 percent of all nonunion, non-managerial employees believe their own employer would fire or otherwise mistreat them if they campaigned for a union. In addition, more than half of all employees who say they want to be represented by a union report that management resistance is the principal reason they do not have one.

Over the past decade, organized labor has begun a serious challenge to this state of affairs, by shifting its organizing efforts away from the NLRB elections process toward negotiating with employers on a regular basis for "neutrality agreements."

Under these contractual arrangements, an employer agrees to remain neutral during a union's subsequent organizing campaign, the union agrees not to be critical of management during its campaign, and both parties agree that the employees will decide whether they want the union to represent them based on procedures set forth within the neutrality agreement itself. Typically, the agreement calls for recognition to be accorded if a majority of employees sign valid union authorization cards (known as "card check" recognition) or if the employees vote for a union in an election supervised by a private third party rather than the NLRB.

Neutrality agreements now account for many if not most new members organized by a number of leading unions. They have been influential in adding new representation for workers employed in health care, hotel and restaurant service, telecommunications, the needle trades, and other sectors of the economy. While union organizing efforts have increased markedly in the past 10 years, the annual number of NLBB elections has declined to its lowest level since the 1940s. Of three million workers reported as newly organized by the AFL-CIO over six years from 1998 to 2003, less then one-fifth were added through the formerly pre-eminent NLRB elections process.

A recent influential study of 200 orga nizing campaigns featuring neutrality/card check agreements found that the campaigns ended with union recogni tion 78 percent of the time. This compares with recent NLRB election win rates for unions of about 40 percent in units that exceed 100 workers. Importantly, the study's authors report that the rate of achieving an initial collective bargaining agreement in successful neutrality campaigns approached 100 percent. That level far exceeds the roughly 60 percent success rate associated with first contracts following NLRB election victories by unions.

In light of these relative track records, it is not hard to understand why unions would prefer to organize through neutrality agreements. Such agreements enable unions to sidestep the intimidating consequences often associated with employers' anti-union speech and conduct and also to minimize what can be the eviscerating impact of lengthy litigation-related delay. By transforming union organizing campaigns from bitter and divisive contests into relatively civil and positive exchanges, neutrality and card check arrangements encourage more stable and peaceful labor continued on page 4 relations.

Moritz Law Grad Finds Liberty in Philadelphia's NLRB

Jennifer Roddy Spector '97 says she never anticipated a career in law, but today the Moritz College of Law grad is a field attorney with the National Labor Relations Board (NLRB) in Philadelphia.

Both before and after law school, Spector worked in human resources. In fact, she held that position in the field while pursuing her legal education. She also earned her undergraduate degree from Ohio State, proving she truly bleeds scarlet and gray. That fact does not go unnoticed in her office, which she says is "full of Penn State grads." Husband Marc, whom she married in November 1997, is also an Ohio State alum. They became parents of their own little Buckeye, Jacob Nathaniel, in July 2005.

As a field attorney, Spector's primary responsibility is to investigate alleged violations of federal labor laws. If she uncovers malfeasance, she then prosecutes the case through administrative agencies and federal courts. Being licensed to practice law only in Ohio has not affected Spector's legal career at all. "The magic of federal employment is that an attorney just has to be licensed somewhere," she explains.

Spector says she attended law school with the idea she would practice in a traditional employment law setting. "Labor law wasn't even on the radar," she says. She credits Professor James J. Brudney with helping alter that plan. In 1999, two years after she graduated from law school, and three full years since she had originally applied to work there, the NLRB's Philadelphia office called Spector to see if she was still interested in a position. Despite being happy with her job in Columbus, she went for an interview.

Philadelphia was a city she and her husband had discussed moving to in the future, but after her interview, she was ambivalent about whether the time was right. "I called Professor Brudney to ask, 'Is this a job any right-thinking person would want?'" she recalls. "He was really helpful and told me it was a great place to work, a really well-managed agency, very humane in terms of work/life balance, and that I'd get trial experience right away. I was sold." When Spector goes to court with a case, something she does two to three times a year, she likens the experience to "trial by ambush." She has no way of knowing what discovery or information opposing counsel will produce, so she must prepare herself as thoroughly as possible. Despite those challenges, Spector calls her job "democracy in action."

Spector says she enjoys working in labor relations because, "I love being directly involved in people's working lives." She now realizes that what she liked about working in human resources mirrors what she enjoys about

working at the NLRB. Another aspect of her job that pleases her is the variety. She enjoys the traditional challenges of lawyering, like interviewing witnesses, conducting discovery, and preparing for trials, as much as she likes what she calls "off-beat

when she conducted

assignments," such as Jennifer Spector '97

an around-the-clock representation election for more than 1,200 employees at a cattle slaughterhouse and meatpacking plant during the summer of 2004. "You haven't lived until you've spent 12 hours in the rendering plant!" she says.

Another benefit of her post with the NLRB is the flexibility it affords. "One of the most attractive things about working for my agency is the opportunity for work/family balance; it really is a great place for working moms," says Spector. Her normal workweek is a true 40 hours, unless she is preparing for trial, then comp time is available for overtime work. Part-time work is even available should lawyers need to reduce their workload. In addition, work-at-home can either be regularly scheduled or made available for special projects.

However, now that she's a new mom, Spector is focusing her energy on labor of another sort—her baby's pressing needs and her "major fixer upper of a house" located near Bucks County. —Tami Kamin-Meyer



More intriguing is what motivates employers to negotiate neutrality and card check provisions that make it easier for their employees to become organized and pursue a collective bargaining relationship. Many employers refer to the costs imposed for not reaching such an agreement—economic losses associated with a work stoppage, handbilling that deters customers from patronizing their business, or the withholding of financial support or investment by a third party amenable to union influence. that—it provides them with opportunities for enhanced employee productivity, leverage in improving market share, and assistance in dealing with the growing complexity of a regulated environment.

All this is not meant to suggest that the business community has welcomed neutrality agreements with open arms. Opponents of neutrality agreements often argue that if employees are unable to hear the employer's side of the story, they will

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Employers also have described a range of economic benefits they expect to realize. Some neutrality agreements offer an edge in attracting new business, by including union commitments to advocate that their members purchase the products or services the employers provide. Other agreements give rise to unionmanagement partnerships that can effectively extract benefits from government-through joint efforts to pass or defeat legislation or to secure favorable regulatory results or judicial settlements. Employers also have determined in certain instances that neutrality agreements enhance their ability to attract qualified workers or to promote larger labor relations goals.

In short, employers' decisions to enter neutrality agreements—like their decisions to resist unions—are, at root, matters of business judgment. Firms are drawn to the contractual approach because—or to the extent not be equipped to make a suitably informed and reasoned choice. That contention, however, invites skepticism on two separate grounds.

One is that the employer already has both the opportunity and motive to present reasons in favor of individual—as opposed to collective—bargaining before the union ever makes an appearance and is likely to have done so over a period of months, if not years. A second is that the optimal time for informed choice about the merits of a particular union's ongoing presence will occur during contract negotiations—when employees must focus on precisely what a collectively bargained workplace would look like.

Apart from such informational concerns, supporters of secret ballot voting worry that too many individuals will sign cards either without giving the matter enough thought or from fear of being criticized by their fellow employees. It is not at all clear, however, that workers will operate from indifference or socially generated peer pressure. Assuming they do, a union seems unlikely to retain employees' allegiance while negotiating a contract with their employer unless it can persuade them that its bargaining priorities and demands deserve majority support and even a commitment to apply group pressure under the right circumstances.

The private contractual focus of neutrality agreements has sparked controversy in Congress, where legislation has been proposed to ban the new organizing technique. On the other hand, this new approach has generated support among an even larger group of legislators; a different bill is pending that would codify card check results as a coequal alternative to government-supervised elections. Given the challenges of securing filibuster-proof congressional support for labor relations bills in general, it seems likely that the law will remain unchanged for some time to come.

Meanwhile, the NLRB is reviewing different aspects of the neutrality agreement approach. Longstanding board and court precedent makes clear that such voluntary recognition practices are lawful on their face, but the substantial increase in their occurrence has raised new issues of application and enforcement. All in all, the legal and policy implications of neutrality agreements promise to be hot topics of debate in Washington and among scholars of labor law for the foreseeable future.

^oThis article summarizes a longer and more detailed presentation (featuring extensive footnotes and citations, as befits the law review genre) titled *Neutrality Agreements* and Card Check Recognition: Prospects for Changing Paradigms that appears in the Iowa Law Review, March 2005, vol. 90, pp. 819–886.

Labor and Employment Law at the Moritz College of Law

7 he law regulating workplace relationships is an area of special emphasis and expertise at Moritz Law. It is a subject that is impressively comprehensive in scope: from the standpoint of a typical individual engaged in the workforce, labor and employment law structures the entire life cycle. Beginning with child labor statutes and running through age discrimination and pension laws, the law addresses nearly every issue confronting employees during their working years-wages, hours, fringe benefits, safety and health, job security, discrimination, and employee privacy.

Moritz Law faculty who teach in the area of labor and employment law have national reputations for their writings on contemporary issues. These professors engage students in critical analysis of constitutional, statutory, and common law issues, while forcing them to confront complex and controversial public policy problems.

Moritz Law graduates in the field go on to represent unions, individual workers, private employers, federal and state government agencies, and public interest organizations active in this field.

Faculty

The labor and employment faculty at Moritz Law are experienced in the practice of law. With national reputations in the field, they use a wide range of innovative instructional methods and invest a substantial amount of their energies in the teaching process. The faculty who teach in this area are:

James J. Brudney, Newton D. Baker–Baker and Hostetler Chair in Law

Martha Chamallas, Robert J. Lynn Chair in Law

Sarah Rudolph Cole, Squire Sanders & Dempsey Designated Professor of Law

Ruth Colker, Heck Faust Memorial Chair in Constitutional Law

L. Camille Hébert, Carter C. Kissell Professor of Law

Joseph B. Stulberg, John W. Bricker Professor of Law

Charles E. Wilson, Associate Professor of Law

Core Courses

The three core courses, Labor Law, Employment Law, and Employment Discrimination Law, each deal with fundamental aspects of the law that helps govern the workplace.

Labor Law addresses the relationship between employers and workers who act collectively through a labor union. It explores federal statutory protections accorded to workers when they engage in concerted activity to improve or secure their terms and conditions of employment; it also examines the rights and responsibilities of employers in responding to these activities.

Employment Law covers state and federal regulation of terms and conditions of employment in a nonunion employment setting. It deals with issues that often arise at early stages of employment (such as informationgathering, drug testing, and regulation of expression on the job); issues involving termination of employment (including recent erosions of the employment-at-will doctrine, employee protections during mass layoffs or plant closings, and employers' ability to secure and enforce noncompete agreements); and issues involving safety and health as a condition of employment (notably worker's compensation and the federal Occupational Safety and Health Act).

Employment Discrimination Law covers the laws protecting employees from "status" discrimination—discrimination based on race, national origin, religion, gender, age, and sexual orientation. A focus is federal protections involving each of these areas, most prominently Title VII of the Civil Rights Act. It analyzes the complex frameworks of proof the courts have constructed to give meaning to the statutory ban on discrimination and harassment and also examines closely the procedures for litigating claims.

Advanced Courses

In addition to the core subjects, a tremendous range of advanced courses in the area of workplace law is offered. One notable example is the Law of Disability Discrimination, which allows students to work directly with government agencies to implement anti-discrimination guidelines and principles. Also offered are seminars on Sexual Harassment, Employee Privacy, Age Discrimination in the Workplace, and Comparative Labor and Employment Law (focusing on British, European, and South African law). Further, there are a number of clinical courses addressed to Negotiation and Arbitration that have a heavy workplace law emphasis. Finally, a variety of civil rights, business law, and jurisprudential courses include a substantial focus on employmentrelated issues or problems.

Charles C. Warner: Expert in Employment Law

When Charles C. Warner '70 attended the Moritz College of Law from 1967-70, he didn't take a single course about employment law. Considering his focus at the Columbus law firm of Porter, Wright, Morris & Arthur is

on employment-

related matters

So how can

this maven of

employment law claim to have

learned virtually nothing he knows

about the topic

in law school?

"When I was in law

school, there were

no employment

and litigation. that

sounds astonishing.



Charles C. Warner '70

law classes," he stresses. The Civil Rights Act of 1964 went into effect in 1965 and law schools, he says, "had to catch up." He did, however, enjoy the only class the school offered in a related topic: labor law.

Ironically, Warner typifies a rare breed among professionals. Despite representing countless employers on various legal matters, he has worked for only one boss throughout his entire legal career. Following his graduation from Moritz Law, he went straight to work for Porter, Wright and was made a firm partner in 1975.

In addition to his busy legal career, Warner has also made a habit of serving in a variety of volunteer positions both within and outside the legal community. He was president of the Columbus Bar Association from 1991-92, after serving as an officer on its board of governors, and has been an active member of the Ohio State Bar Association. On the national scene, he was co-chair of the ABA's Equal Employment Opportunity committee from 2000-02.

This married father of three adult children does not limit his volunteerism to solely law-related organizations. Opera Columbus, Chamber Music Columbus, and the Yale Club of Central Ohio (he earned a B.A. from Yale in 1964) have all benefited from his leadership.

As a law student, Warner appreciated the ability to interact with his professors. "They were committed to engaging law students even outside of class," he recalls. And he calls the "access and interaction" with law school faculty a "huge positive."

Moritz Law professor emeritus Larry Herman left a sizable impression, says Warner. The two worked closely when Warner was on the National Moot Court Team (they won Best Brief in the national competition in New York that year). "What he taught me about thinking and making a point made a huge difference in my legal writing," says Warner.

Warner credits Earl Morris, one of the namesakes of the Porter, Wright law firm, as his most important professional influence. Morris, once president of the American Bar Association, was a "truly outstanding person to the core," he says. Morris "could make a janitor feel like a king."

Warner says the second best decision of his life was to become a lawyer and the third was to immerse himself in the practice of employment law. His *best* choice, he notes, was to marry wife Betsy in 1964. Warner, who hails from Gambier, Ohio, met Betsy while the pair was attending college. Following their 1964 graduation, the newlyweds joined the Peace Corps and spent two years in Nigeria. While there, Warner says he often pondered what he would do with his life upon returning stateside. Despite not having any lawyers in his family, he decided to attend law school.

His years at law school taught him how to "focus, prioritize, and get the job done," he says. He had never experienced the Socratic method in any other educational setting and found the process "engaging. It pushed my creative juices."

Warner's contributions to both the civic and legal communities have earned him several accolades. In 1998, the Ohio Association of Civil Trial Attorneys honored him with the Frank S. Hurd Member of the Year award. He's also been recognized by the Columbus Bar Association with the Community Service Award and received Ohio State's Distinguished Service Medal.

Consistently listed in *The Best Lawyers in America* for his work in the labor and employment law areas, Warner is also noted in *Who's Who in American Law.*

Among the kudos, recognitions, and incredible respect he has earned throughout his distinguished career, Warner holds one memento as his most sacred. On his well-appointed desk on the 32nd floor of the Huntington Building in downtown Columbus, he glances at a photo of his family taken just after he was sworn in as president of the Columbus Bar Association in 1991. "It's my most important keepsake," he says. —Tami Kamin-Meyer The work of the Moritz Law faculty members has continued to garner public recognition. Their work reflects their dedication to providing professional and public service through scholarly publications and presentations at conferences, symposia, and professional meetings. Some of their recent activity is noted below.

Of Note



Michelle Alexander has joined the Moritz

Law faculty and accepted a half-time appointment with the Kirwan Institute for the Study of Race and Ethnicity. Professor Alexander taught at Stanford University

Law School where she was associate professor and director of the Civil Rights Clinics. She is an Order of the Coif graduate of Stanford Law and served as an editor of the *Stanford Law and Policy Review.* She is the fifth Moritz Law faculty member who is a former law clerk for the late U.S. Supreme Court Justice Harry A. Blackmun. She also clerked for U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit Judge Abner Mikva.

Deborah Jones Merritt has returned to the Moritz Law faculty full time. Since 2000, she has served as the director of the John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy at Ohio State and was on leave from the law faculty. She was the first permanent director of the institute and, with her colleagues there, built outstanding programs in citizenship, training, and research. The Ohio State community has recognized her as a Distinguished Lecturer, Distinguished Scholar, and as a recipient of the Distinguished Diversity Enhancement award. She holds the John Deaver Drinko/Baker & Hostetler Chair in Law and is an adjunct professor in the School of Public Policy and Management and in the Department of Sociology, and an associate faculty member in the Department of Women's Studies. This year at Moritz Law, she is teaching Evidence, Legal Writing and Analysis, and a seminar in law and psychology.

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John B. Quigley

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Peter M. Shane

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Ric Simmons

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Marc Spindelman

- Equality, Privacy, and Lesbian and Gay Rights after Lawrence v. Texas, 65 Ohio State Law Journal 1057 (2004).
- *Sketches of Yale Kamisar,* 2 Ohio State Journal of Criminal Law 1 (2004).
- Yale, 102 Michigan Law Review 1747 (2004).
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- Sex Equality Panic, 13 Columbia J. of Gender and Law 1 (2004).



Stulberg Creating and Certifying the Professional Mediator—Education

Joseph B. (Josh)

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Joseph B. Stulberg Peter Swire

- Through the Privacy Lens, 4 J. Marshall Rev. Intell. Prop. L., Issue 2 (2005) (with Julie Cohen and David Sorkin).
- Elephants and Mice Revisited: Law and Choice of Law on the Internet, 153 U. Pa. L. Rev. 1975 (2005)
- Introductory Essay for 'Privacy Law: The Year in Review, 2004', 1 ISJLP (2005).
- Justice Department Opinion Undermines Protection of Medical Privacy, Center for American Progress (June 2005).
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Daniel P. Tokaji

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Douglas A. Berman

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Sarah R. Cole

2005 Supplement to Dispute Resolution: Negotiation, Mediation, and Other Processes (4th ed.) (with Stephan B. Goldberg, Frank E.A. Sander, and Nancy H. Rogers).

Books

Douglas A. Berman

- Sentencing Law and Policy: Cases, Statutes, and Guidelines (Aspen 2004) (with Nora Demleitner, Marc Miller, and Ronald Wright).
- Teachers' Manual for Sentencing Law and Policy: Cases, Statutes, and Guidelines (Aspen 2004) (with Nora Demleitner, Marc Miller, and Ronald Wright).

Daniel C.K. Chow

International Business Transactions: Problems, Cases, and Materials (Aspen 2005) (with T. Schoenbaum).

Ruth Colker



The Disability Pendulum: The First Decade of the American with Disabilities Act (New York University Press 2005).

Ruth Colker

The Law of Disability Discrimination (with

Adam Milani) (Lexis Publishing, 5th ed., 2005).

The Law of Disability Discrimination Handbook: Statutes and Regulatory Guidance (with Adam Milani) (Lexis Publishing, 5th ed., 2005).

Joshua Dressler

- *Criminal Law* (Black Letter Outline Series) (Thomson West 2005).
- Howard P. Fink, Arthur F. Greenbaum, Charles C. Wilson
- 2005 Guide to the Ohio Rules of Civil Procedure, LexisNexis.

John B. Quigley

The Case for Palestine: An International Law Perspective (Duke Univ. Press 2005).

Peter M. Shane

- Separation of Powers Law: Cases and Materials (Carolina Academic Press 2nd ed., 2005) (with Harold H. Bruff).
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Book Chapters

James J. Brudney

"United States Job Security Law," in Business Transfers and Employee Rights, (John McMullen) published in U.K. by Butterworths (August 2005).

Sarah R. Cole

Arbitration Chapter, The Handbook of Dispute Resolution (with Kristen Blankley), Bob Bordone and Michael Moffitt eds. (2005).

Arthur F. Greenbaum

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Arthur F. Greenbaum

Peter M. Shane

"The Electronic Federalist: The Internet and the Eclectic Institutionalization of Democratic Legitimacy," in Democracy Online: The Prospects for Political Renewal through the Internet, Peter M. Shane ed., (Routledge 2004).

Marc Spindelman

Discriminating Pleasures, in Directions in Sexual Harassment Law 201 (Catharine A. MacKinnon and Reva Siegel, eds.) (2004).

Daniel P. Tokaii

"The Possibility of Dissent in the Age of Terrorism: A First Amendment Problem and a Proposal for Reform." in American National Security and Civil Liberties In an Era of Terrorism (Palsgrave MacMillan 2004).

Lectures and Workshops

James J. Brudney

- Presenter, Contractual Approaches to Labor Organizing: Supplanting the Election Paradigm, Industrial Relations Research Association, Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, January 2005.
- Presenter, Faculty Workshop, University of Georgia School of Law, Athens, Ga., February 2005.
- Luncheon Speaker, The Strange Case of the NLRB, International Association of Editors of Labor Law Journals, Toronto, May 2005.
- Speaker, The Future of Union Organizing: Labor Board Elections or Private Neutrality Agreements? 2005-2006 Employment and Labor Law Speakers Series, Cleveland-Marshall College of Law, September 26, 2005.

Daniel C.K. Chow

Speaker, Intellectual Property Rights in China, Columbus Rotary Club, August 20, 2005.

Amy J. Cohen

- Speaker, Teaching ADR: Conflict, Communication, and the Problems of "Culture," American Bar Association Section on Dispute Resolution Legal Educators' Colloquium, April 16, 2005.
- Speaker, Comparative Methods for Dispute Resolution, Roundtable **Conference on Dispute Resolution** System Design, hosted at the Moritz College of Law (with Ellen E. Deason), June 13, 2005.
- Speaker, Lessons From Nepal: Rethinking the Forms and Norms of Community Mediation. Association for Conflict Resolution 2005 Conference, Minneapolis, Minn., October 1, 2005.
- Speaker, ADR and Globalization, Cordozo Journal of Conflict Resolution Symposium Conference, November 11.2005.

Sarah R. Cole

- Speaker, Fairness in Securities Arbitration: A Constitutional Mandate? Investor Rights Symposium, New York City, April 2005.
- Speaker, Arbitral Power: Class Actions, Judicial Review and Beyond, ABA Section on Dispute Resolution Annual Conference, Los Angeles, April 2005.
- Speaker, Mediator Certification, Ohio State Bar Association Alternative **Dispute Resolution Section, April** 2005.

Elizabeth I. Cooke

Presenter, Lawyering Skills Development: What Are These Skills and How Do You Develop Them? New Lawyer Training CLE, Ohio State Bar Association. June 2. 2005.

Ellen E. Deason

- Presenter, Arbitrability of Statutory Claims, Moritz Law Faculty Workshop Series, March 9, 2005.
- Speaker, Theoretical Insights into the Role of Identity in Negotiation and Mediation, Supreme Court of Ohio Judicial College Program on Mediation and Negotiation for Magistrates, Cleveland, April 21, 2005.
- Speaker, The Uniform Mediation Act from an Advocate's Perspective, Ohio State Bar Association Annual Meeting, Columbus, May 13, 2005.
- Speaker, Understanding How Identity Issues Affect Negotiation, Ohio State Bar Association Annual Meeting, Columbus, May 13, 2005.
- Speaker, Comparative Methods for Dispute Resolution, Roundtable Conference on Dispute Resolution System Design, Moritz College of Law, (with Amy J. Cohen), June 13, 2005.
- Speaker, The Uniform Mediation Act, Ohio State Journal on Dispute Resolution Forum, October 21, 2005.

Speaker, Justification for Confidentiality in Mediation: A Cross-Disciplinary Approach, Secrecy, and Transparency in Dispute Resolution, Kansas Law Review Symposium, November 3, 2005.



Katherine Hunt Federle

Katherine Hunt Federle

Lead Questioner/ Commentator, Perspectives on Youth, The Ohio State University Department of Sociology Conference on Inequality, Crime, and Justice:

Challenges and Prospects, Columbus, July 22, 2004.

- Presenter, Juveniles in the Adult System, Ohio Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers Superstar Seminar, Dublin, Ohio, October 29, 2004.
- Presenter. Professionalism in Juvenile Cases, Cuyahoga County Bar Association Juvenile Court Guardian ad litem Project, Juvenile Law Symposium, Cleveland, December 10, 2004.
- Moderator, New and Emerging Education Reform Trends, Symposium on Meeting the Challenge of Grutter: Affirmative Action in Twenty-Five Years, Moritz College of Law, February 24-25, 2005.
- Organizer, Symposium on The Mind of A Child: The Relationship Between Brain Development, Cognitive Functioning, and Accountability Under the Law, The Justice for Children Project, Moritz College of Law, March 10-11, 2005.
- Panelist, Defenses and Competency, Symposium on The Mind of A Child: The Relationship Between Brain Development, Cognitive Functioning, and Accountability Under the Law, The Justice for Children Project. Moritz College of Law, March 10-11, 2005.
- Presenter, Adoption Issues, LGBT Updates on Family Law. Domestic Violence, and Estate Planning, The ACLU Foundation and Capital University Law School, Columbus, April 2, 2005.
- Moderator, Falling Through the Cracks: Special Groups, panel, Symposium on Education for All: Overcoming Poverty and Disparity in American Schools, Frank C. Woodside III Speaker Series, Moritz College of Law, April 4, 2005.
- Presenter, The Mind of a Child, Third Annual Training and Dinner for the Children's Law Section of the State Bar of Michigan, Mount Pleasant, Mich., May 21, 2005.

- Speaker, Acclimating the Child Client to Court, Juvenile Law Seminar, Moritz College of Law in conjunction with the Ohio Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers, September 15, 2005.
- Speaker, The Mind of A Child: Rethinking Competency, Culpability and Accountability in the Juvenile Court, Ohio Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation Criminal Justice Research Conference, October 11, 2005.

Garry Jenkins

- Presenter, Bridging the Gap: Constructions of Rights and Liberties in the New Civil Rights Era, Harvard Law School, Cambridge, Massachusetts, March 18, 2005.
- Presenter, Forming a Nonprofit Organization, The Ohio State University College of Arts, April 15, 2005.

Creola Johnson

- Presenter, *Divorce, Child Support, and the New Bankruptcy Law,* John Mercer Langston Bar Association, Columbus, August 4, 2005.
- Presenter, Degrees of Deception: Are Consumers and Employers Being Duped by Online Diploma Mills and Unaccredited Universities? University of Dayton School of Law faculty colloquium, September 19, 2005.

Angela M. Lloyd

- Presenter, Enough Crime and Punishment: A New Paradigm for Juvenile Court, Annual Conference of the Law and Society Association, Las Vegas, June 2005.
- Presenter, *Challenging Service of Process*, Juvenile Law Seminar, Moritz College of Law in conjunction with the Ohio Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers, September 15, 2005.

John B. Quigley

Presenter, One Year Later: Implementation of the ICJ Advisory Opinion on Israel's Wall in the Occupied Palestinian Territories, The Palestine Center, Washington, D.C., July 11, 2005.



Sara Sampson

Sara Sampson

Presenter, Bringing Books to Students, Great Lakes Legal Writing Consortium, May 2005.

Presenter, *Advanced Legal Drafting*, Ohio Board of Tax Appeals CLE, June 2005.

Presenter, Citing the Unpublished Opinion: The Ohio Change and What it Might Mean to You, American Association of Law Libraries, July 2005.

Peter Shane

- Presenter, Helping Teachers Prepare Students for On-Line Democratic Deliberation, SITE 2005—Society for Information Technology & Teacher Education International Conference, Phoenix, March 4, 2005.
- Panelist, *The Electoral College*, Conference on Election Law, Washington College of Law Program on Law & Government and the *American University Journal of Gender, Social Policy & the Law*, Washington, D.C., March 31, 2005.
- Presenter and Co-Organizer, Turning GOLD into EPG: Lessons from Low-Tech Democratic Experimentalism for Electronic Rulemaking and Other Ventures in Cyberdemocracy, Conference on Online Deliberation 2005, Stanford University, Palo Alto, Calif., May 20-22, 2005.

Ric Simmons

Presenter, Ohio Evidence CLE, Professional Education Systems Institute, Columbus, October 20.

Joseph B. (Josh) Stulberg

- Speaker, *The New Model Standards of Conduct for Mediators,* 7th Annual Meeting, American Bar Association Section of Dispute Resolution, Los Angeles, Calif., April 2005.
- Presenter, *Mediator Neutrality*, Dickinson School of Law/Penn State University Symposium, "Neutrality and Impartiality in Alternative Justice," Dickinson School of Law, Carlisle, Pa., September 9-10, 2005.
- Speaker, *Mediating Social Policy Disputes*, Association for Conflict Resolution, Minneapolis, Minn., September 30, 2005.

Peter P. Swire

- Speaker, An American Perspective on Transborder Data Flows, Shidler Center Conference on "Is Consumer Protection an Anachronism in an Information Economy?" Seattle, March 2005.
- Moderator and Organizer, *Broader Perspectives Track* of International Association of Privacy Professionals Annual Conference, Washington, D.C., March 2005.
- Speaker, *Gag Rules and Information Flows: Or, How to Do Secret Surveillance in an Open Society,* Modest Proposals Conference, Cardozo Law School, March 2005.
- Speaker, Lessons for Biometrics from SSNs and Identity Theft, National Academy of Sciences, Computer Science & Technology Board Study on Biometrics, Washington, D.C., March 2005.

- Speaker, Privacy and the Application of Emerging Health Technologies, Center for Aging Services Technologies Conference, Washington, D.C., March 2005.
- Speaker, *FISA and the Patriot Act,* Computers, Freedom & Privacy '05, Seattle, April 2005.
- Speaker, *The Need for Government-Wide Privacy Policy,* Department of Homeland Security Privacy Advisory Committee Conference, Washington, D.C., April 2005.
- Speaker, *The Privacy Legal Environment*, MITRE Privacy Conference, Fairfax, Va., April 2005.
- Guest Lecturer, *Security and Obscurity*, Stanford Computer Science Department, Palo Alto, Calif., April 2005.
- Panelist, *Seizing Bits: Computer and Data Seizure Across Borders*, Computers, Freedom & Privacy '05, Seattle, April 2005.
- Panelist, *Patriot Debates*, American Bar Association Standing Committee on Law and National Security Forum, Washington, D.C., May 2005.
- Panelist, Enforcement: Government Regulation vs. Self-Regulation, LexisNexis Information Sharing Panel, Fairfax, Va., June 2005.
- Speaker, Security Market: Incentives for Disclosures of Vulnerabilities, University of Houston Law Review Conference on Transactions, Information, and Emerging Law, Sante Fe, N.M., June 2005.
- Keynote, Security and Privacy in Electronic Health Records, Hospital Wireless Conference, Washington, D.C., July 2005.
- Keynote, America Faces the World on Privacy, Four Years After 9/11, Challenges to Privacy in the Age of Information and Technology, Edinburgh, Scotland, September 2005.
- Speaker, America Faces the World on Privacy, Four Years After 9/11, Conference on Safety and Security in the Networked World, Oxford, England, September 2005.
- Speaker, *The Strategy of Using Security to Protect Privacy*, 27th Annual Conference of Data Protection and Privacy Commissioners, Montreux, Switzerland, September 2005.
- Speaker, *Thoughts on the Data Retention Debate*, European Digital Rights Initiative Pre-Conference, Montreux, Switzerland, September 2005.
- Speaker, *The U.S. and Privacy, Before and After 9/11,* University of Minnesota Homecoming CLE, St. Paul, September 2005.



Nancy H. Rogers

Association of American Law Schools (AALS) Representative, Site Evaluation Visit of Harvard Law School, April 11-13, 2005.

Nancy H. Rogers Remarks to Honor Judge Robert Duncan

'52, League of Women Voters Democracy in Action Award, April 20, 2005.

- Panelist, Association of American Law Schools Workshop for Clinical Directors, Chicago, April 30, 2005.
- Panelist, Comments on Address by Dean Frank H. Wu, National Conference on Diversity, Race, and Learning, The Ohio State University, May 3, 2005.
- Panelist, American Bar Association Development Conference, Jackson Hole, Wyo., June 1, 2005.

Speaker, American Bar Association New Law Deans Seminar, Jackson Hole, Wyo., June 4, 2005.

Daniel Tokaji

- Panelist, AFL-CIO National Lawyers' Conference (with Pam Karlan), regarding election reform, May 2005.
- Panelist, *Democracy Is More Than a Concept*, National Conference on the Voting Rights Act, July 2005.
- Co-organizer and presenter, *Independent Election Administration: Who Draws the Lines, Who Counts the Votes?* (with Professor Steven Huefner), Moritz College of Law, September 2005.
- Panelist, *Challenging the Mechanisms* of Voting, University of the District of Columbia School of Law, September 30.
- Panelist, *Obstacles to Minority Participation*, Voting Rights Symposium, University of South Carolina Law School, October 20, 2005.
- Panelist, *Voter Identification Laws*, Wiley A. Branton/Howard Law Journal Symposium, Howard University Law School, October 28, 2005.

Vincene Verdun

Keynote Presenter, *What Next, Ohio?* Ohio Civil Rights Commission Regional conference, October 19, 2005.

Appointments

Larry T. Garvin

Appointed to the Supreme Court of Ohio's Commission on Certification of Attorneys as Specialists.

Awards and Recognition

- Al Clovis received the Quid Pro Quo Award presented by the Moritz Law Student Bar Association, March 2005.
- Katherine Hunt Federle was honored as Outstanding Subcommittee Chair of the Children's Rights Litigation Section by the American Bar Association, 2004.

Legal Consultation, Testimony, or Public Service

James J. Brudney

Briefing for American Rights at Work staff, lobbyists, board members, and others, *The Future of Union Organizing: Labor Board Elections or Private Neutrality Agreements?* Washington, D.C., September 20, 2005.

Katherine Hunt Federle

- Co-chair, Child Welfare Subcommittee, American Bar Association Litigation Section Children's Rights Litigation Committee.
- Board of Directors, Ohio Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers; also serves as Publications Committee chair.

John B. Quigley



Filed a brief in the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals as co-counsel for the European Union (EU) and other European countries in the case of Jose Medellin, a Mexican national who has been

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sentenced to death in Texas. The EU is asking the Texas court to review the conviction and sentence, since Medellin allegedly was not advised at the time of arrest of the possibility of contacting the Mexican consulate for assistance.

Joseph B. (Josh) Stulberg

Completed service as reporter for Revised Model Standards of Conduct for Mediators with September, 2005, adoption by participating organizations.

Peter P. Swire



Testimony before the House Judiciary Committee on Section 218 of the Patriot Act, April 2005.

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Sections 209 and 217 of the Patriot Act, April 2005.

Daniel Tokaji

- The Century Foundation Working Group on State Implementation of Election Reform, was a part of the working group, which released its final report, Balancing Access and Integrity, in July 2005; the report is aimed at state legislators and election officials, providing guidance on how they might better administer their elections within the mandate of Help America Vote Act.
- Election Assistance Commission Meeting, testified at the EAC's meeting in Pasadena, Calif., regarding the status of the research that Election Law @ Moritz is conducting with the Eagleton Institute on provisional voting and identification requirements, July 2005.
- The National Commission on Election Reform (Carter-Baker Commission), academic advisor to commission, which issued its final report on September 19, 2005.

Media

Douglas A. Berman

- Broward Daily Business Review, "Sensenbrenner takes on Booker." Berman commented on legislation in response to the Booker decision; story also appeared in the Miami Business Daily Review and Palm Beach Daily Business Review. May 9, 2005
- Broward Daily Business Review, "South Florida federal judges free at last." Berman commented on the judicial role in the wake of the *Booker* decision; story also appeared in the *Miami Daily Business Review* and *Palm Beach Daily Business Review*. May 9, 2005
- Kansas City Daily Record, "Lawyers Leap in Blogosphere." Berman's blog is discussed and its reference by the U.S. Supreme Court is noted. May 25, 2005
- The Daily Record (Baltimore), "Tips for Attorneys on how to become a blogging expert." Berman's blog on criminal sentencing is mentioned. May 27, 2005
- Broward Daily Business Review, "Contentious 9th Circuit splits on resentencing." Berman commented on a 9th Circuit decision in the wake of Booker; story also appeared in The Legal Intelligencer, Miami Daily Business Review, Palm Beach Daily Business Review, and The Recorder. June 3, 2005

- Wall Street Journal, "High Court Declines to Clarify Sentencing Guidelines Decision." Berman said that the decision leaves federal circuit courts to make up their own rules. June 21, 2005
- Washington Post, "Minimum Sentences Urged." Berman said the Justice Department is seeking to take advantage of loopholes. June 22, 2005
- Broward Daily Business Review, "At 85, Justice Stevens put his stamp on the session just ended, and conservatives aren't happy." Berman commented on the *Booker* decision of last term; story also appeared in the *Miami Daily Business Review, Palm Beach Daily Business Review, The Recorder,* and *Legal Times*. June 30, 2005

Daniel C.K. Chow

United Press International, "Calls for Chinese Crackdown on Piracy." Chow commented on the problems of counterfeiting in China. May 17, 2005

Sarah R. Cole

- Columbus Dispatch, "Different styles of divorce lets couples work things out." In a story about collaborative law, Cole and Professor Christopher Fairman are quoted. June 13, 2005
- Columbus Dispatch, "Mother of boy killed at abandoned house sues." Cole said that the mortgage company may be held responsible. June 25, 2005

Ruth Colker

- Columbus Dispatch, "More than curb cuts: Law passed in '90 has opened many—but not all—doors to disabled." commented about positive and negative changes to the lives of disabled Americans following the passage of the Americans with Disabilities Act in 1990. July 24, 2005
- *On Point,* NPR (Boston), "Playing Murderball." On a program about quadriplegics playing rugby, Colker talked about the progress that has been made since the Americans with Disabilities Act was passed in 1990. July 27, 2005

Elizabeth I. Cooke

Seattle Post-Intelligencer, "High Court sides with inmates on Religion." In an Associated Press story, Cooke was quoted regarding the case that the Moritz Law Clinical Program argued before the U.S. Supreme Court; story also appeared in S.F. Gate, Seattle Times, Philadelphia Inquirer, and Chicago Sun-Times. May 31, 2005

- *Cincinnati Enquirer,* "Court: Prisons must give wide religious access." Cooke was quoted regarding the *Cutter* case that the Moritz Law Clinical Program argued before the U.S. Supreme Court. June 1, 2005
- New York Sun, "Prisoner Religious Liberties Law Upheld." Cooke was quoted regarding the *Cutter* case that the Moritz Law Clinical Program argued before the U.S. Supreme Court. June 1, 2005

Joshua Dressler

- Columbus Dispatch, "Four jurors were sold on McCoy's insanity." In a story about the mistrial in the alleged highway sniper case, Dressler said that a second trial usually results in a conviction. May 10, 2005
- Guardian (UK), "Mistrial Declared in Ohio Shootings Case." In an Associated Press article, Dressler said that the outcome is a minor victory for the defense. May 10, 2005
- *Columbus Dispatch*, "'Person of Interest' Has Fans, Critics." Dressler criticized the use of the tag, "person of interest," when referring to a suspect in a crime, saying it creates bias. May 30, 2005
- St. Petersburg Times, "One Sleepy Juror Enough for Retrial?" Dressler commented on the difficulty of overturning a verdict based on sleeping jurors. May 30, 2005
- St. Petersburg Times, "Judge Failed to Note Snoozing Juror, Records Show." Dressler commented on how the judge should have handled the situation of a juror who appeared to be asleep. June 9, 2005
- St. Petersburg Times, "Some say judge didn't pass on tip about juror." Dressler commented on the judge's responsibilities and possible actions in the case of a juror who appeared to be asleep. June 10, 2005
- WBNS-TV (Columbus), interview on the Michael Jackson verdict. June 13, 2005
- Ohio Radio News Network, morning interview on Michael Jackson trial. June 14, 2005
- WSNY-FM (Columbus), interview on Michael Jackson trial. June 14, 2005
- *Columbus Dispatch,* "Kids not allowed in Jackson's bed anymore, attorney says." In an Associated Press story, Dressler commented on the decision in the Michael Jackson case. June 15, 2005
- Columbus Dispatch, "Ex-principal alleges bias." Dressler commented on the effect tainted evidence has on a trial. June 23, 2005

- Columbus Dispatch, "Brothel suspect's bond at \$1 billion." Dressler commented on the unusualness of the high bail amount for a nonviolent offense. June 24, 2005
- Dayton Daily News, "Two words may be key to Taft: 'Knowingly' and 'inadvertent' could be dividing line in charges." Dressler explains the difference between "knowingly" and "inadvertent" in a story about whether Ohio Governor Bob Taft's failure to disclose free golf outings on his financial disclosure statements violated state ethics law. August 12, 2005

Christopher Fairman



Legal Times, "House Follies." Op ed piece. Fairman said LARA (Lawsuit Abuse Reduction Act) is frivolous legislation. June 13, 2005

Broward Daily

Business Review,

Christopher Fairman

"Measures on asbestos litigation, so-called frivolous suits and state attorneys general still active on Capitol Hill." Fairman commented on the constitutionality of LARA; story also appeared in the *Miami Daily Business Review, Palm Beach Daily Business Review, The Legal Intelligencer,* and *Legal Times.* June 24, 2005

- Connecticut Law Tribune, "Tort Reform Lobby Sharpens Its Aim; Invigorated by two big wins, pro-business forces press additional legal campaigns." Fairman criticized the constitutionality of LARA, June 30, 2005
- *Columbus Dispatch,* "Noe hired lawyer with ties to agency; Files show fees paid with coin-fund money." Fairman said there was technically no conflict in Thomas W. Noe's hiring a lawyer with ties to the Ohio Bureau of Worker's Compensation, but it would have been best to avoid the situation. July 23, 2005
- Toledo Blade, "MDL suit won't be heard until July 2007: Ohio will have new governor by then." Fairman commented on 2007 trial date for Ohio's lawsuit against MDL Capital Management, the Pittsburgh-based investment advisor that lost \$215 million in a Bermuda hedge fund, saying a postelection trial could get the defendants and plaintiffs "far away from the window of potential political damage and remove the election's influence from the proceedings." September 7, 2005

Katherine Hunt Federle

Washington Post, "Killer on Probation Held in Fla. Robbery." In an Associated Press story, Federle commented on the punitive nature of the criminal justice system. May 24, 2005

David A. Goldberger

- *Cleveland Plain Dealer,* "Justices Uphold Law on Religious Freedom for Prisoners." Goldberger was quoted regarding the case that he argued before the U.S. Supreme Court. June 1, 2005
- New York Times, "Supreme Court Rules in Ohio Prison Case." The Moritz Law Clinical Program was mentioned with regard to the *Cutter v. Wilkinson* case that it prepared and argued at the U.S. Supreme Court. June 1, 2005
- WCMH-TV (Columbus). Goldberger was quoted regarding the resignation of U.S. Supreme Court Justice Sandra Day O'Connor. July 1, 2005
- *Columbus Dispatch,* "Fight over executive privilege not a first; Constitution does not expressly spell it out, but leaders rely on it." Goldberger was quoted about the continuing conflict between Ohio State Senator Marc Dann and Ohio Governor Bob Taft over several documents that Dann believes should be made public under the law. July 25, 2005
- USA Today, "Key turf war: Control over nominee's old papers." Goldberger is quoted about the dispute over access to documents becoming an increasingly common feature of the Senate confirmation process for top U.S. officials. July 28, 2005

Garry Jenkins

Columbus Dispatch, "Mixing Faith and Politics Can Backfire with Voters." Jenkins said that even if tax-exempt groups never formally endorse a candidate or mention a specific race, their activity could be seen as improper bias in favor of that candidate. April 24, 2005

Creola Johnson

WBNS-TV (Columbus), "OSU Law professor reaches out to help victims of Hurri-cane Katrina with bureaucratic red tape." Johnson discussed the difficulty of victims without identification and other documentation getting help from FEMA and the Red Cross. She also talked about the personal impact on her as a New Orleans native and having many relatives, some in shelters and some whose whereabouts are still unknown. September 12, 2005

Deborah Jones Merritt

- *Lowell Sun,* "Bitter battle in Senate expected over nominee." Merritt said that appointees to the U.S. Supreme court change after being put on the court. July 2, 2005
- *Cleveland Plain Dealer,* "O'Connor knows the constitution represents the framers highest ideals." Op ed piece. July 7, 2005

Alan C. Michaels

Bloomberg Radio. Michaels was interviewed about the U.S. Supreme Court. July 11, 2005

Dale Oesterle



The Daily Camera, "Regulating Hedge Funds." In Oesterle's regular column, he wrote about hedge funds and their regulation. May 16, 2005

Dale Oesterle 2

Cleveland Plain Dealer, "Bureau hanging on as adviser is indicted; Bureau retained indicted investor." Oesterle said that any sign an investment firm is in trouble requires individual investors to act quickly. June 15, 2005

- The Daily Camera, "The Hidden Costs of Regulations." In his regular column, Oesterle discussed Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002. June 20, 2005
- *Columbus Dispatch,* "SEC's civil case against Blackwell, 2 others up next." Oesterle said the civil trial might resume before the sentencing of Roger D. Blackwell in a case involving insider trading and conspiracy. June 22, 2005
- Cleveland Plain Dealer, "Workers' Comp delay let \$50 million profit get away." Oesterle said that the bureau should have known to pull out. June 25, 2005

John B. Quigley

- Chattanooga Times Free Press, "Scrapping Patriot Act will help defeat terror, restore U.S. Image." Op ed piece. Quigley said U.S. needs to re-evaluate Mideast policy; story also appeared in the Herald News and Augusta Chronicle. May 15, 2005
- Akron-Beacon Journal, "Hidden Costs Outweigh Benefits." Op ed piece. Quigley weighs costs/benefits of national ID cards; story also appeared in the Provo Daily Herald, Augusta Chronical, and Biloxi/Gulfport Sun Herald. July 4, 2005

Peter P. Swire

WBNS-TV (Columbus), "Detecting Hidden Cameras." Swire commented that

methods to detect hidden cameras are useful. May 1, 2005

- Morning Edition, NPR, "Peter Swire Discusses the House's plan to set national standards for drivers' licenses." May 6, 2005
- *Cincinnati Post,* "Brave New World." Swire commented on the ease of monitoring due to cheap costs. May 16, 2005
- The Journal News (Westchester), "Big Blue Software will deter ID thieves." Swire commented on the usefulness of new software to discourage identity theft. May 25, 2005
- Boston Phoenix, "Bushwacking Privacy." Swire commented on his role as the privacy czar in the Clinton administration and the Bush administration's current approach. June 3, 2005
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On Sabbatical



Michael Braunstein is on sabbatical for the 2005-2006 academic year. During the year, he plans to continue his scholarly work in the area of real estate finance and the law of eminent domain by completing a onevolume treatise, *Ohio*

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Law of Eminent Domain and Regulatory Takings, which will be published by Matthew Bender and Co.

- Sarah R. Cole will be on sabbatical for the spring 2006 semester. She plans to use her leave to revise her treatise on mediation by incorporating an analysis of the implications of states' consideration or adoption of the Uniform Mediation Act.
- Peter Swire is on sabbatical for the fall 2005 semester, pursuing his scholarly interests in privacy and cyberlaw.
- Vincene Verdun will be on sabbatical for the spring 2006 semester. She will use the professional leave to undertake a comparative law research project that explores and contrasts the experiences of blacks in America during Reconstruction and those of South African blacks following the end of apartheid.
- **Charles E. Wilson** is on sabbatical for the 2005-2006 school year. He expects to work on a series of law journal articles assessing judicial responses to motions to dismiss for counsel failures to satisfy deadlines; the effect of gender on aspiration, bargaining behavior and outcomes in negotiations; and the effect of winnertake-all or compromise shadows on settlement rates, bargaining behavior, and negotiation outcomes.

Relocated



Earl Murnhy

Earl Murphy has moved to Indianapolis to be closer to family members. He would love to hear from former students and colleagues: Prof. Earl Murphy Hoosier Village 5300 West 96th St. Indianapolis, IN 46268 (317) 733-2747

Lombardi Named to Head Career Services Office

Pamela H. Lombardi, who has served as assistant dean of Alumni Relations at Moritz Law for the last 10 years, has been named to the position of assistant dean for Career Services. The move marks her return to the

area of career planning. She served as placement director at the college from 1990 to 1995 and as director of career planning at Cleveland-Marshall College of Law from 1983 to 1990.

"My 12 years in career services at Ohio State and Cleveland-Marshall College of Law were particularly rewarding," says Lombardi. "My

experience is that the best law is practiced by lawyers in jobs that fit their personal skill set. The excitement that comes from helping students find such jobs is professionally very rewarding."

"In addition to experience in career services, Pam brings a wealth of alumni contacts to the position," says Moritz Law dean Nancy H. Rogers. "She is enthusiastic about returning to a position that involves greater student contact and the opportunity to work with the Career Services staff."

Dean Rogers notes that Lombardi has been outstanding in her alumni relations role: "We both thank her for her contributions and will miss her there, where she has been creative, dedicated, strategic, and personable."

Lombardi began her career in the human resources office at the Ford



Pamela H. Lombardi

at Cleveland State University, served two terms as the president of the Cleveland Law Placement Association, and participated in the National Association for Law Placement at the local and national levels.

When Lombardi joined Ohio State in 1990, she brought knowledge of the Cleveland job market and introduced the Columbus Bar Association to the practice interview program she helped start in Cleveland. "The students at Ohio State were great," says Lombardi. "I met with them periodically to solicit their suggestions about how the office might improve. They had great ideas, and we were able to implement many of them." In 1995, Lombardi was promoted to assistant dean for Alumni Relations. She regularized annual alumni events in Chicago, Cleveland, Cincinnati, Toledo, and Washington, D.C., and participated in the design of the college's award-winning alumni web page. She was the recipient of a university award in 2002 for innovative programming in support of placement activities. She also worked with the team responsible for design of the newly opened Barrister Club.

Lombardi wants to make the office of Career Services more proactive so students utilize fully the services of the talented staff. "We want to help students focus on what they want and then provide them with the skills and specific job referrals they need to be successful," she stresses. She also hopes to put her contacts with alumni to work for students. "Our alumni are particularly loyal and many have already offered to help current students," she adds. "Our job in career services is to marshal those resources in the most productive way."

Laura Landy Carr has been named the director of Alumni Relations. Carr has served as the events coordinator in the alumni office since 2001. She may be contacted at (614) 292-2937 or via e-mail at carr.275@osu.edu.

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Stuhldreher Establishes Awards for Journal Students

Page Hall was a formative place for George Stuhldreher '51. It was not only the location of the law school during his time at Ohio State, but, like it was for so many alumni, it was a second home. Stuhldreher served as editor of the Ohio State Law Journal, spending a considerable amount of time under the lights at his desk. George recalls many Saturday afternoons when his work would be interrupted, just briefly, by a loud roar erupting from Ohio Stadium.

George, now a retired partner with the Cleveland firm Gallagher Sharp, received the Ezra Topper Award while serving as the editor of the law journal. It was a small financial award at the time, but its impact will be felt by generations of journal students to come. George remembered how special it was to receive that award recently as he and his wife, Norah, discussed ways to give back to his alma mater. That memory

prompted the Stuhldrehers to create endowments at Moritz Law to provide two awards annually to students who follow in his footsteps. One award will be given to a student working on the *Ohio State Law Journal* and another will be given to a student working on the *Ohio State Journal on Alternative Dispute Resolution.*

During a fall trip to Columbus for a football game, the Stuhldrehers toured the current journal offices in Drinko Hall. Gone is the two-foot by four-foot desk from which the law journal staff produced their work. In its place now stands a fully functional office suite with computers, printers, and a secret entrance to the law library. But there remains one similarity: students' work continues to be disrupted on Saturday afternoons in the fall by a distant roar from Ohio Stadium. It is that dedication that George and Norah Stuhldreher wish to reward.



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Participation: 1% Jennifer Rose Fuller Anna Kathreen Nuber Patrick Michael Ward

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Investing in Momentum: the Campaign for Moritz Law

ctober 14 was not a typical Friday at the Moritz College of Law. In addition to the students milling about and the professors rushing to and from their offices, there was Brutus Buckeye, the Ohio State cheerleaders, a jazz band, pompoms, popcorn, hot dogs, and hundreds of the college's nearest and dearest friends. It was the day Moritz Law announced the *Investing in Momentum* campaign—a drive to raise \$30 million to recruit and retain world-class faculty members, enhance scholarship offerings for students, support and foster professionalism, and expand innovative and unique programming.

Dean Nancy H. Rogers and campaign chair Ed Cooperman '67 rang in this exciting period in the history of the college with a pep-rally celebration that exemplified the feeling of momentum and enthusiasm permeating the classrooms of Drinko Hall.

Ohio State Alumni Association president Archie Griffin gave a keynote address, telling the buzzing crowd that, through determination and dedication, excellence can be achieved. The two-time Heisman trophy winner went on to challenge the alumni and friends of the college in the same way Coach Woody Hays challenged him to "pay it forward." This message of continued commitment and giving back rang true to the crowd who gathered to celebrate the future of Moritz Law. While October 14 was a day of fun and excitement, the real joy will come when the priorities of the campaign are realized. The campaign will address not only the current needs of the college, but will continue to build a foundation of support for generations to come. "With this campaign, we'll trigger the imagination...we'll enhance our strengths and dedicate our resources to excellence," Cooperman said.

The \$30 million goal for the Investing in Momentum campaign is equal to the gift from Michael E. Moritz in 2001. Upon successful completion of the campaign, Moritz Law will have all the resources necessary to become a law school second to none.









Clockwise from top right: Moritz Law emeriti professors (I-r) (unidentified student), Morgan E. Shipman, Robert J. Lynn '49, Douglas Whaley, and Larry Herman; (I-r) students and professors Claudia Cruz, James Brudney, Douglas Berman, and Becca Gonzales; Dean Rogers, William M. Issac '69, and Ed Cooperman '67 are joined by Brutus Buckeye at the campaign kick-off; Dean Nancy H. Rogers addresses the kick-off crowd. Seated behind her are Archie Griffin, Cathy Moritz Presper, Ed Cooperman '67, Karen A. Holbrook, Barbara R. Snyder, and Carlton Willey.

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Moritz Law Milestone: Five Journals, Five Female Editors



Moritz College of Law journal editors (from left to right) Gina Lee, Leslie Siegel, Amber Gosnell, Miranda Fields, and Jennifer Dutcher.

The Moritz College of Law marks a milestone this year. Not only is it the first time there are five scholarly journals, but also each publication is led by a woman. The students at the helm of these journals have displayed strong leadership abilities and a passion for their respective publications. he Ohio State Law Journal editor-in-chief, Leslie Siegel, came to Ohio State with a master's degree in journalism and experience as a working journalist. Now, she heads a staff of 90 students, about which she says, "It's been an amazing experience to work with such a motivated, talented managing board and staff."

Siegel enjoys the wide range of legal topics covered in the journal's articles. "We are able to write our student notes about almost any conceivable legal topic with the opportunity to have them published," says the Columbus native.

The Journal on Dispute Resolution's editor-in-chief, Amber Lea Gosnell, of Columbus, became interested in working with that journal because "JDR publishes articles that not only reflect changes in the legal field, but often predict what is to come. That is exciting work!" She manages a staff of 62 individuals and wants to maintain JDR's status as the number one dispute resolution journal in the country through impressive articles, thought-ful symposia, and a hard-working staff.

Jennifer Dutcher, of Lewis Center, the editor-in-chief of the *Ohio State Journal of Criminal Law*, says that, "*OSJCL* offers the unequaled opportunity to work with nationally recognized scholars in the field of criminal law." Jennifer likes the format of the journal, which is structured differently from exclusively student-run journals. "In each issue," she notes, "we have a symposium section, a commentary section that includes shorter, less formal essays, and a review section reflecting on books, movies, studies, and reports." Gina A. Lee, editor-in-chief of I/S: Journal of Law and Policy for the Information Society, selected I/S because of its unique blend of involvement by both Moritz Law and Carnegie Mellon University. As such, Gina hopes to make *I*/*S* the source of high-quality discourse on issues in which technology and the law converge. Also a former working journalist, she felt I/S provided an ideal opportunity to incorporate her liberal arts background into the study of law because of the journal's interdisciplinary nature. It also was an optimal arena for the publication of her note. which delved into cutting-edge issues that dominate the area of First Amendment and privacy law another nod to the Pittsford, New York, native's journalism experience.

Miranda J. Fields, editor-in-chief of the newest Moritz Law journal, the *Entrepreneurial Business Law Journal*, was also a co-chair on its founding committee. "I'm very excited about the Moritz Law administration's willingness to create programs and academic opportunities in business law in response to student interest," says the Columbus native. Much of her work this year has been focused on getting the journal up and running—creating the first two issues and planning a symposium to be held March 17.

Leslie speaks for all five editors when she describes the experience of working on a journal. "It requires a lot of hard work and a significant commitment for everyone involved," she says. "I hope to make the experience as rewarding and as much fun as possible for all our members."

Benjamin Hill Receives Fulbright Scholarship

Benjamin Hill, a third-year student at Moritz Law, has received a Fulbright Scholarship to research gang laws in Honduras. He is taking a one-year break from his law studies to work with the Association for Active Citizenship, a



Benjamin Hill

non-governmental Honduras organization that conducts seminars and town hall-type discussions. Benjamin will use these town meetings to determine the effects that anti-gang legislation has had on Honduran communities. Additionally, he will work with politicians, law enforcement officers, lawyers, and judges to get their perspectives on the issue.

A graduate of Ohio Wesleyan University, Benjamin has focused his studies at Moritz Law on criminal and international law. In Honduras, he will be taking classes with Honduran law students to learn more about their criminal justice system. He hopes to learn more about ways to

approach problems that have international repercussions and how developing countries work toward more complete democracies. Once he receives his law degree, Benjamin plans to pursue a career in international law and international dispute resolution.

Cronmiller Receives University Multicultural Award



Cherish Cronmiller '06 has received Ohio State's Graduate/ Professional Student Award from the university's Multicultural Center. The award is presented to students who have, in addition to work and academic scholarship, made an impact on the university community through advocacy, enthusiasm, and dedication.

Cherish Cronmiller

The Multicultural Center provides intellectual and cultural enrichment programs and services to foster a community environment that recognizes cultural differences, respects cultural uniqueness, and facilitates cross-cultural interaction, learning, and appreciation.

Students Tour Central Intelligence Agency

Students who participated in the Moritz Law summer program in Washington, D.C., were treated to a tour of the headquarters of the Central Intelligence Agency. Taking the tour were the 22 students who were in the program,



Professor Peter Swire and Moritz Law students at the CIA

along with other Ohio State students working in D.C. during the summer. The tour featured a session with the CIA's liaison to Hollywood, Chase Brandon, who explained his job of working with the media to have more accurate (yet entertaining) depictions of the agency's mission. The group also met with two senior lawyers from the agency, including one who has led the legal aspects of counter-terrorism since 2001. Students in the summer program this year took "The Ethics from Washington Lawyering" as well as an externship seminar that accompanied the externships secured through the program. Professor Peter Swire directs the Washington program.

Moritz Law Leadership, Dean's Special Awards Presented





Michael Spencer

Azadeh Matinpour





Miranda Fields

Several students were honored by Moritz Law over the summer. The Michael E. Moritz Leadership Award presented to one law student each in the first-, second-, and third-year classes for demonstrating leadership outside the classroom by involvement in university and college activities, student programs, and events—was given to Miranda Fields '06 and Azadeh Matinpour '07. The Dean's Special Award, given to a student to honor outstanding leadership and contributions to the college, went to Lori Turner '06 and Michael Spencer '06.

Awards were presented to members of the Class of 2005 during the May 13 Hooding Ceremony. Sarah Lynn Stanton received the Moritz Law Leadership Award. Brandon James Lester and Kara Jean Marshall received the Harry S. and Georgina Lett Memorial Award, presented to students who demonstrate outstanding service to the college. The John J. Adams Memorial Award was given to Alejandro Vicente Cortes and Chad Keetch. This award was established by the Class of 1916 in memory of John J. Adams, former dean of the college, and awarded to students for leadership in and significant contributions through law-related activities.

Moritz College of Law Welcomes New Students



Professor Martha Chamallas (left) talks about life at the law school with new students during the picnic on August 16.



Chief Justice Thomas J. Moyer '64 of the Supreme Court of Ohio shares words of wisdom with incoming students during orientation.



Professor Charles Wilson gets acquainted with students during the cookout for new students.





Over lunch, Professor Alan C. Michaels shares the ins-and-outs of the Moritz College of Law with new students.

Dean Nancy H. Rogers talks with 1L Kate Winner, of Columbus, and her father Joe, a 1976 graduate of Moritz Law. Kate was among the first to move into the new law student apartments in the South Campus Gateway. (PHOTO: KEVIN FITZSIMONS)



Anthony Nichols (1L), Columbus, left, is the first to receive his keys to the law student apartments in the South Campus Gateway. (PHOTO: KEVIN FITZSIMONS)

New Mentoring and More @ Moritz Program Provides Glimpse of the Future for Current Students

entoring relationships are valuable at all phases of a career, according to Ida Abbott, a national consultant on mentoring. Abbott's workshop on August 25 for Moritz Law students served as an informative springboard for the new Mentoring and More @ Moritz program.

Abbott said that successful people realize that they need multiple mentors for various needs over time. While some mentoring relationships are longterm, other valuable mentoring interactions may last for a relatively short period of time. Recognizing that many people can provide useful wisdom is a key, and students should use the opportunities presented through the Mentoring and More @ Moritz program to broaden their perspectives on the legal profession and how they fit into it.

Participants in the program are placed in small groups of three to five people, and each group is assigned two mentors. These small groups of lawyers and students will engage in debate and discussions following luncheon presentations on various provocative issues related to professionalism and the practice of law. Speakers for these luncheon gatherings will include judicial leaders, lawmakers, and experts in various legal areas from across the country.

The workshop was followed by a reception with 100 volunteer lawyers who will serve as mentors. The reception was held in the new Barrister Club, a privately financed facility built to accommodate the luncheons that will form the basis of the new mentoring program, as well as other college programs.

Abbott, who consults with law firms and bar associations throughout the country, praised Moritz Law leaders for developing its mentoring program and investing valuable resources into the structure and success of the program. She said that the Mentoring and More @ Moritz program is unique because of the opportunity it provides students to learn about mentoring strategies while still in law school. The program is poised to enhance students' commitment to the high ideals of professionalism embraced by the legal community.





Students and mentors get acquainted at the Mentoring and More $\textcircled{\mbox{\footnotesize e}}$ Moritz reception held at the Barrister Club.



Ida Abbott, principal of Ida Abbott Consulting, was the guest speaker at the Mentoring and More @ Moritz workshop in August.



The conference room at the Barrister Club provides a perfect spot for getting to know each other.

Barrister Club Opens with Special Events





he Moritz College of Law celebrated the opening of the Barrister Club this fall with a series of special events. First to use the club were the Moritz Law faculty and staff, who kicked off the school year with a Sunday afternoon reception prior to the first week of classes. It was the first of several events to mark the beginning of a new era at the college, including three featured events-the first Mentoring and More @ Moritz luncheon on September 23, the grand opening events on September 30, and the kick-off of the capital campaign on October 14-as well as several pre-football game tailgates.

Owned by Moritz Law and operated by Ohio State's Faculty Club, the dining/conference facility was built specifically to foster interaction between students, faculty, alumni, and others in the legal community. The \$2.2 million facility was funded by private donations; no tuition dollars were used in its construction or outfitting. Frank Bazler '54 and Alec Wightman '75 led the campaign to raise the funds for the club, which included a generous leadership gift provided by John D. Drinko '44.

The club is located at 25 West 11th Avenue, just south of the law school at the corner of 11th and High Street.









Opposite page, clockwise from top right:

The plaque outside the Barrister Club door was a gift from the Class of 2005. PHOTO BY LIZ GATES

- Professor Alan C. Michaels talks with third-year students Chad Ensley, a student trustee for Ohio State, and Aaron Mortensen. Student Bar Association president at Moritz Law, PHOTO BY AJ, ZANYK
- Dean Nancy H. Rogers and Associate Dean Sharon Davies (right) welcomed guests to the Barrister Club open house on September 30. Among the guests was Dean Monnin (center) of Jones Lang LaSalle, the project manager for the club. PHOTO BY A.J. ZANYK
- Dan Olgevee, a senior lecturer in finance at the Fisher College of Business, represented his father, James Daniel Olgevee, at the opening of the Barrister Club. PHOTO BY A.J. ZANYK

Faculty and staff of Moritz Law used the club for the first time on August 14. PHOTO BY A.J. ZANYK

The Barrister Club is located above Panera Bread at the corner of 11th Avenue and High Street. PHOTO BY LIZ GATES

This page, clockwise from top right:

- Chief Justice Thomas J. Moyer '64, Supreme Court of Ohio, and Judge David A. Katz '57, U.S. District Court, Northern District of Ohio, spoke on judicial independence during a mentoring lunch with Moritz Law students, faculty, alumni, and members of the National Council on September 23. PHOTO BY A.J. ZANYK
- Moritz Law Dean Nancy H. Rogers, Ohio State President Karen Holbrook, former U.S. Senator John Edwards, Ed Cooperman '67, Ohio State Provost Barbara Snyder. Edwards was the keynote speaker at the opening of the Barrister Club on September 30. PHOTO BY NANNETTE BEDWAY
- Following the question and answer session at the September 30 opening, participants in Mentoring and More @ Moritz gathered for lunch on the portico of Drinko Hall. PHOTO BY JO MCCULTY

Patrick Higgins, Reg Jackson '71, and Rene Rimelspach discuss former Senator Edwards' speech during the Mentoring and More @ Moritz lunch on September 30. PHOTO BY JO MCCULTY

Professor Art Greenbaum leads a discussion about the future of the law school during the September 23 meeting of the Moritz Law National Alumni Council in the Barrister Club. PHOTO BY LIZ GATES

The Moritz College of Law has received word of the deaths of these graduates. We express our sympathy to relatives and loved ones.

Edward Tiberio Lombardo '32

died May 5, 2005, in Columbus. He was 97. A practicing lawyer for 71 years, he was a member of Alpha Phi Delta fraternity, Sons of Italy, Piave Club, and Athletic Club of Columbus. He is survived by his sons, Edward and Robert; three grandchildren; two step-grandchildren; and a brother.

Jack E. Williams '49, Canal Winchester, died Friday, July 15, 2005, in Columbus at the age of 83. He was a member of Pickerington American Legion Post 283 and St. Edward's Episcopal Church. Survived by his wife of 61 years, Jean; daughter, Barb Miller and husband, Marco; son, Jeff Williams and wife, Vicki; six grandchildren; 11 greatgrandchildren; a sister-in-law, Barbara Wilson; and nieces and nephews.

Richard L. Canter '50 of New Boston, died Friday, July 22, 2005. He was 87. He was a retired Court of Common Pleas judge, Scioto County, Ohio, and was in practice with Miller, Searle & Fitch Law Firm. He was preceded in death by his wife, Mary Elizabeth Shuman Canter. He is survived by two daughters, Diana Sue Lewis and Mary Lee Lytten, both of New Boston.

Paul Tague Jr. '50 died September 5, 2005, in Columbus at the age of 85. He served 14 years with the State of Ohio, retiring in 1994 as Deputy Commissioner of the Ohio Division of Securities. Previously, he

was in private practice as a partner with McNamara and McNamara in Columbus and in several positions within the Ohio state government, including assistant to the governor and assistant attorney general. He is survived by his former wife. Beverlee Ann Hubbart Tague of Columbus; three children, David Paul Tague of Columbus, Margaret Ann Bina, and husband, Joseph, of Tampa, Fla., and James Paul Tague and wife, Jane, of Westerville; six grandchildren; two sisters, Dorothy Racher and husband, Frank, and Rose Mary Mackin, all of Columbus.

Richard B. Metcalf '51 died April 4, 2005, in Naples, Fla. He was 81. He spent more than 40 years in public service, beginning in the Ohio General Assembly before spending 32 years in Franklin County (Ohio) government. A Franklin County probate judge for more than 25 years, he also served two terms as Franklin County recorder, two terms in the Ohio House, and two terms in the Ohio Senate. He was a past president of the Ohio Probate Judges Association and a nationally known lecturer on probate law. He also was a past president or board member of many charitable organizations. He is survived by wife, Nancy A. Metcalf: son and daughter-in-law, Stephen and June Metcalf, Dublin; daughter and son-in-law, Judy and Bob Knox, Ocean City, Md.; four grandchildren; a great grandson; a brother and his wife, Robert L. and Marty Metcalf Ir.; nieces and nephews.

Nelson Garner '56 died Sunday, April 24, 2005, at the age of 76 after a long illness. A lifelong resident of Crestline, he practiced law for 46 vears, first with the firm of Scanlon, Berger and Garner, with offices in Crestline and Bucvrus, which later became Garner and Berger. He retired December 31, 2002, from the practice of law, having served as the law director for the City of Crestline for more than 30 years. He was a judge in Crawford County Municipal Court, Eastern Division, for seven years, a former magistrate for Crawford County Domestic Relations Court, former director of the Urban Renewal Program, and a director of the Ralph Haves Crestline Community Fund. He served on the Crestline YMCA Board, Crestline United Welfare board. Crestline Railroad Center board, and Crestline Memorial Hospital board, and he was a member of the Crestline Democratic Club. He is survived by his wife, Shirley J. Morrow; a daughter, Tammy Hauck, and her husband, Mike, of Crestline; one granddaughter; a nephew; and three brothers, Robert and his wife, Nita, Ronald and his wife, Jenny Garner, all of Sandusky, and David and his wife, Wilma, of Memphis, Tenn.

Arthur Charles Tell '64, age 68, died Friday, June 3, 2005, after a battle with cancer. He served in the U.S. Army for two years and worked

as an attorney for George, Greek, King, McMahon & McConahey and eventually became a senior partner with Baker & Hostetler LLP, Columbus. He was past president of many organizations and clubs, including the Motor Carrier Lawyers Association. the Columbus Country Club, and the City Club. He was also past vice president of the Wilderness Country Club. He is survived by his wife of 43 years, Wendy Thomsen Tell; children, Tracey Jolly and her husband, David, Melissa Hickok Tell-Ottinger and her husband, Michael, and Arthur Charles "Chip" Tell Jr. and his wife, Jeannine, all of Columbus; five grandchildren; a brother, William Kirn Tell Ir. and his wife, Karen, of Greenwich, Conn.; and many nieces, nephews, cousins, and dear friends.

John F. Casey '65, Columbus, died August 12 as a result of pancreatic cancer. He was 66. He practiced law



in Columbus for 40 years in the area of trust, tax, and business. He was an emeritus member of the Ohio State Bar Association's board of governors on estates and trusts. A strong believer in

giving back to his community, he was actively involved in many organizations through the years, including Columbus Jaycees, Salesian Boys and Girls Club, Kidney Foundation, ADAMH board, the Association for

the Developmentally Disabled, the Columbus Cancer Clinic, and the 4-H Foundation. He served on the National Alumni Council of the Moritz College of Law and was a Moritz Law scholar mentor. He was also a member of the Ohio State's Presidents Club and the Moritz College of Law Henry Folsom Page Society. In 2004, he was recognized by the university's foundation board with the Gerlach Award for his service and commitment to the Ohio State. He is survived by his wife, Karen '91; son, Scott and his wife, LeAnna, Louisville, Ky.; grandchildren, Aiden and Ellayna; siblings, James Casey of Oak Hill, Ellen McCorkle and her husband, Martin, of Athens, Judy Hill and her husband, Wade, of Jackson, Daniel Casey and his wife, Rosie, of Gallipolis; and sister-in-law, Clara Casey of Powell.

Clair M. Carlin '72, Youngstown, died July 6 in Hawaii where he had attended his son Alex's wedding. He



was 58. An attorney with many years of service to the community and throughout Ohio, he also earned a B.S. degree from Ohio State and was an avid Buckeye football fan, holding season tickets since

1967. He held many positions during his career that include special counsel for the Office of the Attorney General of the State of Ohio and the city of Youngstown, law director for the city of Newton Falls, hearing examiner for the Ohio Department of Taxation, state director of Catholic War Veterans, and the assistant city solicitor for the city of Warren. He currently had his own legal practice, Clair M. Carlin LLC in Poland. His work was published in numerous publications across the country, and he made presentations at a variety of conventions and academies. He was past president of the Ohio Academy of Trial Lawyers and the Mahoning-Trumbull Counties Academy of Trial Lawyers. He served his country in the U.S. Army beginning in 1969 with Ohio State's ROTC Program and went on to graduate from the Army Signal Officer Basic Course at Fort Gordon, Ga., the Military Police Officers Advance Course, and the Command and General Staff College. Clair is survived by his wife, Pamela Rodehaver, whom he married September 24, 2001; his mother, Caroline Vukasich Carlin; his children, Elizabeth Carlin and her partner, Jennifer O'Malley, Alexander Carlin and his wife, Sarah, and Eric Carlin, and his wife, Heather; two sisters, Judy Carlin and her husband Michael Dring, and Anna Roncevic and her husband, James; a brother, David Carlin and his wife, Carol; and a niece and three nephews.

John Richard Baird '72 died April 9, 2005, in Columbus. He was 57. He is survived by cousins in the Bringardner, Kulp, Arnold, and Baird families.

Keep the News Coming...

Do you wonder what happened to the guy who sat next to you in criminal law? Where did that girl on the law journal end up? Keep up with your classmates (and allow them to keep up with you) through the Alumni News. Let us know what is happening in your life, personally and professionally, and we'll include it in a future issue of the *Law Record*.

Submit news items to Liz Cutler Gates, *Law Record* editor, Moritz College of Law, 55 West 12th Avenue, Columbus, OH 43210. You may also e-mail news to gates.68@osu.edu. Photos are welcome but will not be returned. Digital photos must be 300 dpi for printing purposes.

Because of the volume of class notes received, we regret we cannot confirm all information. If an item is printed incorrectly, please let us know and we will correct the error in the next issue.







E. James Hopple '63

John C. McDonald '61 Benj

Benjamin L. Zox '62

1950s

Sheldon Mike Young '51, Westerville, has been selected for inclusion in the 2006 edition of *The Best Lawyers in America*. The notification came to Sheldon on his 79th birthday! He is associated with Walter and Haverfield LLP.

The Hon. Robert M. Duncan '52 was honored as one of four inductees to The Ohio State University College of Education Hall of Fame. The highest honor the college bestows is awarded every two years to the most outstanding faculty, administrators, and alumni "who serve as models for educators who follow." Duncan received his bachelor's degree in education in 1948 and was praised for a career "marked by advocacy for education and educational opportunities for all children." He has held positions as chief counsel to the Ohio attorney general, justice of the Ohio Supreme Court, and judge of the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Ohio. He has also served Ohio State in many capacities and is currently in his eighth year of a nineyear term on the Board of Trustees.

David J. Young '55, a partner in Squire, Sanders & Dempsey L.L.P., Columbus, has received a top ranking in the annual directory *America's Leading Lawyers for Business*.

Rick E. Marsh '59, a partner at Lane, Alton & Horst LLP, Columbus, received the Professionalism Award from the Columbus Bar Association in recognition of exceptional dedication to the standards of the profession and for demonstrated integrity and humanitarian concern. Rick currently practices accident insurance, automobile insurance, insurance bad faith, uninsured motorists' coverage, and legal malpractice defense.

1960s

John C. McDonald '61 has been named among *The Best Lawyers in America 2006* by colleagues and fellow industry leadership. McDonald, a partner at Schottenstein Zox & Dunn, Columbus, was noted among the best in commercial litigation.

Benjamin L. Zox '62 has been named among *The Best Lawyers in America* 2006 by colleagues and fellow industry leadership. Zox, a partner at Schottenstein Zox & Dunn, Columbus, was noted among the best in real estate law.

E. James Hopple '63 has been named among *The Best Lawyers in America* 2006 by colleagues and fellow industry leadership. Hopple, a partner at Schottenstein Zox & Dunn, Columbus, was noted among the best in bankruptcy and creditor-debtor rights law.

Charles H. Hire '66, a partner at Baker & Hostetler LLP, Columbus, was elected chair of the American Automobile Association board of directors at the 102nd AAA annual meeting. He practices primarily in the areas of investment company, securities, and general corporate law.





Sally W. Bloomfield '69

Robert B. Young '69

Marty Steinberg '71



Michael D. Saad '66, a partner at Squire, Sanders & Dempsey L.L.P., Columbus, has received a top ranking in the annual directory of *America's Leading Lawyers for Business*.

R. Lamont Kaiser '68, Delaware, was elected to a three-year term as District 5 representative on the 21-member board of governors of the Ohio State Bar Association (OSBA). He currently serves on the OSBA Council of the Estate Planning and Probate Law Section and is a licensed title agent.

Sally W. Bloomfield '69, a partner at Bricker & Eckler LLP, Columbus, is the incoming president of the Columbus Bar Association. She chairs the Energy, Telecommunications, and Water Practice Group and industry group at her firm. Bloomfield practices public utility and administrative law, emphasizing state public utility regulatory proceedings involving representation of energy marketing companies, competitive telecommunications companies, and water utilities.

Frank C. Woodside '69, a partner at Dinsmore & Shohl LLP, Cincinnati, was recognized for his product liability legal work by *The International Who's Who of Product Liability Defense Lawyers.* Chair of the Product Liability Practice Group at Dinsmore, Woodside received more nominations from clients and peers than any other product liability defense lawyer in the state.

Robert B. Young '69 was appointed judge of the Superior Court of the State of Delaware. Formerly president of the Delaware State Bar Association and recipient of the Terry-Carey Inn of Court Award for Professionalism, Young moved to the bench from an insurance defense practice he conducted with his son.

1970s

John R. Gall '70, a partner at Squire, Sanders & Dempsey L.L.P., Columbus, has received a top ranking in the annual directory of *America's Leading Lawyers for Business*.

Enid Hinkes '70 has written a children's book, *Police Cat.* Written for young people ages five to eight, it tells the story of Noodles the Cat who wants to be an official member of the police department. When Noodles saves a family from their burning home, the police dog with the K-9 unit gets the credit. Will the rescued family set the record straight? The book is published by Albert Whitman & Company.

James S. Oliphant '71, a partner at Porter Wright Morris & Arthur LLP, Columbus, was appointed chair of the firm's Litigation Department. He concentrates in the area of civil litigation and has been listed in *The Best Lawyers in America* since 1987.

Marty Steinberg '71, the managing partner of the Miami office of Hunton & Williams, has been recognized in *Chambers USA: America's Leading Lawyers for Business.* Marty practices in the areas of antitrust law and litigation.

Geoffrey S. Goll '73 will serve as president of the Columbiana County Bar Association in 2005-2006 and will be a district governor for the 47-club Rotary North East Ohio District 6650 in 2006-2007.

Frank A. Ray '73 has joined the Columbus law firm of Chester Willcox & Saxbe LLP. Ray will be of counsel to Chester Willcox & Saxbe. He ran



Susan E. Brown '71 received the Mershon Award from The Ohio State University Alumni Association. The award is presented to alumni who have demonstrated exceptional leadership and service to Ohio State. She is pictured with Ted A. Beattle, chair of the association, left, and Archie Griffin, president and CEO of the association.



Several Moritz College of Law graduates attended the Cleveland Legal Aid's 100th Anniversary Gala in April 2005. Pictured at the event are Leslee Miraldi '78, Dave Miraldi '78, Ginger Mlakar '92, and Tom Mlakar '92. Dean Nancy H. Rogers, a former Cleveland Legal Aid lawyer, also participated in the event.

Daniel Slane '67 to **Head Ohio State's Board of Trustees**

Moritz Law alumnus Daniel M. Slane '67. founder and co-owner of The Slane Company, Ltd., was named chair of The Ohio State University Board of Trustees in May 2005. A successful businessman, attorney, and former presidential advisor, Dan will lead a board of 11 trustees responsible for oversight of academic programs, budgets and general



administration, and employment of faculty and staff of Ohio's premier public university. He was appointed to the board in 1997 by then-Ohio Governor George V. Voinovich '61.

The Slane Com-

Daniel Slane '67

pany, Ltd., develops, owns, and operates 88 shopping centers and commercial buildings in 12 states. The company also owns waste treatment facilities in Europe, a plant that manufactures synthetic coal, an interstate rail transportation company between the east coast and Ohio, a telecommunication company, and a wood products company. Headquartered in Columbus, the company has offices in New York City; Cleveland; North Bergen, New Jersev: Birmingham, England: and Shanghai and Fuzhou, China.

From 1990 until 1998, Dan served as vice chair and then chair of the Ohio Building Authority, which finances, constructs, and manages state buildings. From 1991 until 1999, he chaired the State Board of Building Appeals, which grants variances to the Ohio Basic Building Code. He also sits on the board of directors of Ohio Capital Corporation, which has developed more than a half-billion dollars of government-subsidized housing projects in Ohio.

A double Buckeve, Dan earned a bachelor of science in business administration in 1964 before entering Moritz Law. He served two years as a captain in the U.S. Army before receiving his advanced degree in international law in 1970 from the University of Amsterdam in the Netherlands.

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Stephen E. Chappelear '77

Kevin R. McDermott '77

Richard A. Barnhart '79

Irv Berliner '79

his own civil trial and appellate practice, Frank A. Ray Co., for more than 25 years. He specializes in commercial claims under the UCC, insurance coverages, business disputes, catastrophic personal injury and wrongful death arising from vehicular collisions, workplace injury, products liability, and representing professional baseball franchises and leagues.

James P. Conroy '74, partner in Walter & Haverfield LLP, Cleveland, was elected to the board of visitors of Hiram College. The liberal arts college is in the historic Western Reserve region of Ohio.

Jan S. Ostrovsky '75 was selected as a contributing author for the 16th edition of Collier on Bankruptcy, a widely recognized treatise in the bankruptcy field. Ostrovsky is a partner at Crocker Kuno Ostrovsky LLC in Seattle, Washington, where he practices business bankruptcy law. Prior to joining CKO, Ostrovsky served as a U.S. trustee for the Department of Justice.

Douglas N. Husak '76 will join the faculty at the University of Michigan Law School in Ann Arbor in 2006. Husak's area of specialization is criminal law and criminal law theory. He is currently professor of philosophy at Rutgers University in New Jersey.

The Hon. Janet R. Burnside '77, of Cuyahoga County Common Pleas Court, has joined the Ohio State Bar Foundation's 2005 Fellows Class. Each year's class produces a community service project that advances its mission. The 2005 group is studying the obstacles to understanding the law and navigating the legal system that immigrants face.

Stephen E. Chappelear '77, partner-in-charge of Hahn Loeser & Parks LLP, Columbus, was appointed co-chair of the Fellows of the American Bar Foundation, an organization of lawyers, judges, law teachers, and legal scholars who have been invited and elected by their peers to become members because of their outstanding achievements in the legal profession. Chappelear was also honored recently by the Columbus Bar Association with its Bar Service Medal.

Kevin R. McDermott '77 has been named among The Best Lawyers in America 2006 by colleagues and fellow industry leadership. McDermott, a partner at Schottenstein Zox & Dunn, Columbus, was noted among the best in commercial litigation. McDermott has also joined the Ohio State Bar Foundation's 2005 Fellows Class.

Erin Moriarty '77 received the Dan L. Heinlen Award from The Ohio State University Alumni Association. The award is presented to those who have realized outstanding achievements in advocating the interests of the university with one or more of its important publics. Erin is a correspondent for the CBS newsmagazine 48 Hours and has won nine national Emmy Awards for her work.

Robert A. Meyer Jr. '78 has rejoined Porter Wright Morris & Arthur LLP, Columbus, as a partner following nearly 12 years as general counsel and secretary of Dominion Homes, Inc., a publicly traded regional homebuilding company and a client of the firm. He most recently served as senior vice president of Dominion and continues to represent Dominion Homes on land development matters. Prior to joining Dominion, he was with Porter Wright for 15 years. He practices in the areas of real estate, governmental affairs, and environmental law.





James E. Davidson '80

Joseph R. Karpowicz '81

Donald B. Leach Jr. '82

Richard Holz '85 Christop



Christopher E. Parker '89

Richard A. Barnhart '79 has been named among *The Best Lawyers in America 2006* by colleagues and fellow industry leadership. Barnhart, a partner at Schottenstein Zox & Dunn, Columbus, was noted among the best in corporate law.

Irv Berliner '79, a partner at Kahn Kleinman, LPA, Cleveland, is listed in *The Best Lawyers in America 2006* in the areas of corporate, mergers and acquisitions, securities, and gaming law. He has spent most of his career representing public and private companies in equity and debt offerings, buying and selling businesses, and regulatory compliance.

1980s

David K. Conrad '80 was accepted into the Counselors of Real Estate, a professional membership organization established exclusively for leading real property advisors. Conrad is a partner with Bricker & Eckler LLP, Columbus, and is the chair of the real estate industry group.

James E. Davidson '80 has been named among *The Best Lawyers in America 2006* by colleagues and fellow industry leadership. Davidson, a partner at Schottenstein Zox & Dunn, Columbus, was noted among the best in commercial litigation and labor and employment law.

Joseph R. Karpowicz '81 was recently named vice president for Wendy's International, Inc. He is also an assistant general counsel. Karpowicz manages all of the litigation in which the corporation is involved and provides legal counsel on high-profile issues involving the company. Prior to joining Wendy's in 1992, he was in private practice with the Columbus law firm of Brownfield, Kosydar, Bowen, Bally & Sturtz.

Eileen Pruett '81 was named manager of the Small Claims Division and Dispute Resolution Program for the Franklin County Municipal Court. The Hon. **Guy L. Reese II '81** was elected chair of the Metropolitan Board of the YMCA of Central Ohio. Reese serves as a judge on the Franklin County Common Pleas Court and was previously director of the Franklin County board of elections.

Donald B. Leach Jr. '82, managing partner of the Columbus office of Buckingham, Doolittle & Burroughs, LLP, was named one of Ohio's leading construction law attorneys in the 2005 edition of *Chambers USA*. His practice primarily focuses on real estate and construction law, with an emphasis on construction-related contracting, disputes and business matters. Leach is the first practicing attorney elected to the board of directors and then president, in 1996, of the 108-year-old Builders Exchange of Central Ohio. He was awarded the Builders Exchange Cornerstone Award in 2003, which honors an industry professional whose civic and industry contributions have made a positive impact on the construction industry and Central Ohio community.

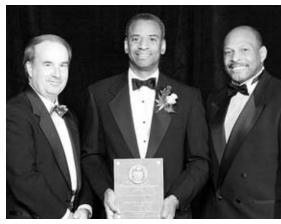
Marjorie H. Brant '83, Grove City, has joined the Ohio State Bar Foundation's 2005 Fellows Class.

Michael Joseph O'Reilly '84 presented the real estate update at the Ohio State Bar Association's Continuing Legal Education (CLE) Institute's "General Practice Update" seminar in spring 2005. O'Reilly opened his own practice in Pickerington in 2004. The practice focuses on real estate transactions and development, business startups, and estate planning. He and his wife, Angelique, have one child, Laura, 10.

Richard Holz '85 has been named among *The Best Lawyers in America* 2006 by colleagues and fellow industry leadership. Holz, a partner at Schottenstein Zox & Dunn, Columbus, was noted among the best in tax law. **David J. Coyle '87**, Toledo, has joined the Ohio State Bar Foundation's 2005 Fellows Class.

Robert C. (T.J.) Thurston '87 has been named general counsel and vice president, Strategic Initiatives, at Eastwood-Stein, a national court reporting company with offices across the country. T.J. is located in the firm's Chicago corporate headquarters. (See http://www.eastwood-stein.com/.)

Christopher E. Parker '89, a partner at Freeman Mathis & Gary, LLP, Atlanta, was selected by *Georgia Trend* magazine as one of Georgia's "Legal Elite." Parker's practice focuses on labor and employment law as well as civil litigation. He serves as a national officer for the Atlanta chapter of the Federal Bar Association's Labor and Employment Law Section.



Michael E. Flowers '79 received the Professional Achievement Award from The Ohio State University Alumni Association. The award is presented to alumni who have superb records of distinguished career accomplishments and who have made outstanding contributions to their professions. He is pictured with Ted A. Beattle, chair of the association, left, and Archie Griffin, president and CEO of the association.





Robert A. Billott '90

1990s

Robert A. Bilott '90, a partner at Taft, Stettinius & Hollister, LLP, Cincinnati, was honored as one of six West Virginia and Ohio lawyers to receive the 2005 Trial Lawyer of the Year Award from The Trial Lawyers for Public Justice (TLPJ) Foundation for achieving a groundbreaking settlement in Leach v. E.I. DuPont de Nemours and Company. In the class action lawsuit, DuPont was sued for damages and medical moni-



Bryan K. Prosek '91

W. Va.



Carole A. Quinn '91

toring stemming from leaking of per-

fluorooctanoic acid or "C8," a chemical

used in producing nonstick cookware,

into the drinking water of Mid-Ohio

Valley residents living near DuPont's Washington Works plant in Parkersburg,

Robert J. Cochran '91 has been

named among the Rising Stars 2005

by Ohio Super Lawyers.* Cochran is of

counsel at Schottenstein Zox & Dunn,







Philip K. Hartmann '92

Columbus, where he practices in the area of white collar criminal defense.

Lisa Ge Shamg Han '92

Robert W. Horner '91 was named general counsel and compliance officer for Quantum Health, LLC, in Columbus.

Brvan K. Prosek '91 has been named among the Rising Stars 2005 by Ohio Super Lawyers.* Prosek is a partner at Schottenstein Zox & Dunn, Columbus,

Joe Koncelik '93 Appointed Ohio EPA Director

It may seem an ideal fit now, but Joseph Koncelik '93 didn't always envision a career in environmental law, let alone envision himself overseeing the massive state agency charged with protecting the state's air, land, and water resources. But his January 2005 appointment by Govenor Bob Taft to head the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency clearly reflects someone who has found his stride.

Joe is energized by the mix of science, law, and politics woven into his new job. As is often the case, the most exciting aspects of the job are also the most challenging. He thrives on the tremendous varietythe opportunity to practice law and work with the

legislature and business communitybut he must ensure that the agency strikes the appropriate balance between business and environment in a way that protects the state's natural resources while allowing business to thrive. Criticism comes from all directions: environmentalists accuse

the agency of not doing enough, while some businesses blame the EPA for what they consider costly, stifling overregulation.

Joe takes it in stride. "Ohio EPA's mission is to protect Ohio's environment and the health of our citizens, which means holding businesses accountable for their

> environmental impact. But I believe it is possible to protect the environment and have a strong economy at the same time. It's a challenge, but that's one of the things that appeals to me about this job."

A member of the agency's senior management team for six years, Joe knows well the challenges

of overseeing the agency's nearly 1300 employees and \$165 million budget. His demonstrated ability to streamline operations and increase efficiency keeps the agency effective and viable during lean economic times. His first steps as director involved clearly defining and communicating

focus areas such as restoring the Great Lakes, safeguarding wetlands, improving air quality, and helping small businesses comply with state regulations.

Upon graduation from Moritz Law, Joe explored different areas of law as an associate with a small, general practice firm in Lorain, Ohio. He wasn't sure whether a legal career was the right choice until two years later when he returned to Columbus and joined the **Environmental Enforcement Section of** the Ohio Attorney General's Office. It was his first foray into environmental law, and he quickly discovered his affinity for environmental law as well as his knack for public policy administration. Four years later, he joined the Ohio EPA as director of legal affairs.

Joe offers sound advice for law students who are unsure about their career paths: "Don't give up on it early; don't be afraid to try something totally different before saying, 'I don't want to be a lawyer."

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Joe Koncelik '93 and wife Amy Litkovitz Koncelik '95



where he practices in the areas of business and corporate law.

Carole A. Quinn '91 has joined the law firm of Greenberg Traurig LLP, Los Angeles, as of counsel in its growing intellectual property practice. With almost 15 years of experience in patent preparation and prosecution, Quinn will continue to work primarily with companies involved in computer hardware and software development. Her experience includes various areas of technology, such as the Internet, database management, graphics, software development tools, memory management, communications, device management, system architecture, and graphical user interfaces.

Daryl W. Winston '91, of counsel to the firm of Conrad O'Brien Gellman & Rohn, PC, Philadelphia, was awarded a LL.M. in trial advocacy with honors from Temple University Beasley School of Law. Winston's practice focuses on commercial litigation, employment defense, and premises liability.

James B. Hadden '92, partner at Porter Wright Morris & Arthur LLP, Columbus, has been recognized as a Rising Star by Ohio Super Lawyers.^o

Lisa Ge Shang Han '92 has been named among *The Best Lawyers in America 2006* by colleagues and fellow industry leadership. Han, a partner at Schottenstein Zox & Dunn, Columbus, was noted among the best in health care law. Philip K. Hartmann '92 has been named among the Rising Stars 2005 by Ohio Super Lawyers.[°] Hartmann is a partner at Schottenstein Zox & Dunn, Columbus, where he practices in the area of cities and municipalities law.

Lance Morrison '92 has been recognized as a Rising Star by Ohio Super Lawyers.[°] He is with the Salem office of Harrington, Hoppe, and Mitchell, where he specializes in corporate law, employment and labor law, and collections.

James Oliphant '92 was appointed editor-in-chief of the Legal Times® newspaper in Washington, D.C. He will also serve as editor-in-chief of the Legal *Times* web site (www.legaltimes.com) and Influence TM, the bi-weekly newsletter, web site (www.influence.biz), and information service covering people, trends, and activity in the lobbying profession in the nation's capital. Oliphant holds a degree in journalism. He has been recognized with multiple awards from both the D.C. chapter of the Society of Professional Journalists and the Maryland-Delaware-D.C. Press Association. Oliphant was a litigation attorney in Cleveland for five years.

Mark Belleville '93 has joined Woods Rogers PLC as of counsel in the firm's Blacksburg, Virginia, office. Belleville focuses on commercial litigation but also represents clients in environmental, product liability, and labor and employment matters.

Paul L. Bittner '93 has been named among the Rising Stars 2005 by Ohio Super Lawyers.^e Bittner is a partner at Schottenstein Zox & Dunn, Columbus, where he practices in the area of labor and employment law. John K. Stipancich '93 was named group vice president and general counsel of Rubbermaid, headquartered in Charlotte, North Carolina. Prior to his appointment, he was executive vice president and general counsel of Evenflo in Vandalia.

Mary F. Geswein '94 has been named among the Rising Stars 2005 by Ohio Super Lawyers.[°] Geswein is of counsel at Schottenstein Zox & Dunn, Columbus, where she practices in the area of business litigation.

Brian McMahon '94, Broadview Heights, was elected to partnership at Calfee, Halter & Griswold LLP, in Cleveland. A commercial business and finance attorney, he structures and negotiates highly leveraged and assetbased financings, syndicated loans, multinational and multi-currency credits, asset securitization transactions, and mezzanine placements. McMahon also counsels clients with bankruptcy and creditors' rights issues and in negotiating and structuring sales, distribution, and supply agreements.

Bryan A. Sims '94 has joined Squire, Sanders & Dempsey L.L.P. in the firm's Tysons Corner, Va., office. He will specialize in corporate and intellectual property law practice focusing on the open-source computer software business. Sims most recently was vice president of corporate development for Red Hat, Inc., the world's leading provider of the popular Linux operating system and pioneer in the open-source software movement.

[•]Rising Stars are nominated by the most recent group of Super Lawyers and are deemed the best attorneys under 40 or who have been practicing 10 or fewer years. Super Lawyers are the top five percent of attorneys in each state, as chosen by their peers and through independent research conducted by *Law & Politics* magazine. *Super Lawyers* magazines are distributed to attorneys in 17 states and are featured as special advertising sections in leading regional and city publications around the country.





David E. Kauffman '95

Stephen R. Kleinman '95

David E. Kauffman '95 has joined Clark, Perdue, Arnold & Scott, LPA, Columbus, as head of the Estate Planning and Probate Litigation Department. Prior to joining the firm, he was founding partner of Betzel & Kauffman, an estate planning and probate litigation firm in Ohio.

Stephen R. Kleinman '95 has been named among the Rising Stars 2005 by Ohio Super Lawyers.* Kleinman is a partner at Schottenstein Zox & Dunn, Columbus, where he practices in the area of health care law.

Hollie Ferkol Reedy '95 is staff attorney for the Ohio School Boards Association in Columbus. She and her husband, Rocko, live in Westerville with their Norwegian Elkhound and two cats. Since their marriage in 1994, the Reedys have enjoyed traveling and hiking in such areas as Maui, Rocky Mountain National Park, and the Everglades. Rocko is stage manager for U2 and is now on his third tour with the band.

Maria Collins Warren '95 and her husband, Christopher Warren, welcomed their second child, another son, on July 14, 2005. His name is Cary Alexander Warren, and he weighed 9 lbs., 9 oz. and measured 22 1/4 inches.

April R. Bott '96 was named a partner in the firm of Chester Willcox & Saxbe LLP, Columbus. Bott's practice focuses on a wide range of environmental matters.

April R. Bott '96

Aaron L. Granger '96

Aaron L. Granger '96 has been named among the Rising Stars 2005 by Ohio Super Lawyers.* Granger is an associate at Schottenstein Zox & Dunn, Columbus, where he practices in the area of labor and employment law.

Sarah McFarlane Polly '96 was appointed assistant dean for career services at Case Western Reserve University School of Law. She and husband, Steve, and their two daughters, Evelyn and Iris, live in Cleveland.

Diana Luz Ramos-Reardon '96 was appointed to the board of editors of the Ohio State Bar Association's magazine, Ohio Lawyer. She is program manager for the Ohio Department of Public Safety's Office of Criminal Justice's Family Violence Prevention Center. She was featured in the July/August issue of Ohio Lawyer in "Beyond the Courtroom." She and her husband, Gregory Reardon, reside in Worthington.

Erin F. Siegfried '96, partner at Porter Wright Morris & Arthur LLP, Columbus, has been recognized as a Rising Star 2005 by Ohio Super Lawyer.*

Scott I. Unger '96 was named a partner at the law firm of Stark & Stark PC in Princeton, New Jersey. He is in the commercial litigation group. Unger and his wife, Dana, welcomed their first child, Justin Landon Unger, on February 13, 2005.

Mark D. van der Laan '96, Dykema Gossett PLLC, Grand Rapids, Michigan, was elected an attorney member of the firm. Van der Laan is in the litigation practice group and concentrates on complex commercial litigation, consumer financial services, and class action defense. He has a broad commercial and tort litigation practice that includes defense of breach of contract, lender liability claims, fraud, product liability, and consumer protection act claims.

Robert J. Johnson Jr. '97 has been promoted to vice president at BB&T, Winston-Salem, North Carolina. He joined the bank this year as assistant general counsel.

Matt A. Mayer '97 was appointed as counselor to the Deputy Secretary at the U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS) in Washington, D.C. As counselor, Mayer will serve as a senior advisor to the Deputy Secretary and provide guidance on key policy matters including DHS operations, programs, regulations, and initiatives. He will continue to serve as acting executive director, chief of staff, and senior policy advisor for the Office of State and Local Government Coordination and Preparedness at DHS until a successor is confirmed. Mayer worked until 2002 as an attorney and successfully litigated several cases in federal court and private arbitration. He also received the William Oxley thompson Award from The Ohio State University Alumni Association. The award is presented to young alumni who have demonstrated distinctive achievement in a career, civic involvement, or both.

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Pro Bono Practice Earns Briley '69 Community Service Award

The angel carving atop Mike Briley's mantle is the gift of a boy who learned to whittle from his adoptive uncle. Arriving nearly a year after the adoption handled by Mike, the enclosed note said simply, "You are my angel." It serves as silent testimony to the lives Mike has changed through his pro bono practice.

Mike was honored with the Moritz College of Law's Community Service Award at the orientation reception for new students on Friday, August 19, in the college's new Barrister Club.

The pro bono practice that earned this Toledo attorney the award began when a friend wanted to adopt a child. A problem solver at heart, Mike offered to handle it. A specialist in litigation and antitrust and trade regulation with Shumaker, Loop & Kendrick, LLP, Mike had to master a completely new area of law. "The work was so satisfying and joyous, I wanted to do it again," says Mike, and so he

has for many years through the Toledo Bar Association Pro Bono Legal Service Program.

Most of Mike's pro bono cases are cross-family adoptions. Many are stepfathers adopting their wife's children when the natural dad is out of the picture or unwilling to pay support. Others are the children of institutionalized, drugdisabled mothers who are taken in by relatives or friends. In some cases, a loving family without the resources to pay for legal services wants to adopt. "Those are the most rewarding cases," says Mike who usually handles one or two adoption cases at any given time.

Adoption can be particularly difficult for low-income clients given costly home study fees and court costs. Pat Intagliata, Toledo Bar Pro Bono Program director, says Mike has been a particularly effective advocate in getting court costs waived for his clients. Mike's clients sometimes have an ongoing relationship with him. When prior clients want to know something, such as whether to buy life insurance when purchasing a car, they turn to him. "These are very proud people," says Mike. "Anyone who expects accolades from pro bono clients will be disappointed.



Mike Briley '69 receives the Community Service Award from Dean Nancy H. Rogers. The award, given by the Moritz Law Alumni Society, was presented to Briley on August 19 at a reception for new students in the college's new Barrister Club.

These clients don't always have the same social framework—many were never taught to say 'thank you.' The satisfaction has to come from the work."

Mike doesn't proselytize. What he looks for are attorneys who already have an interest in helping others. He understands that young lawyers are always trying to balance their lives and can't jeopardize their careers by doing too much pro bono work. They often have commitments to young families. "Don't try to do it all when you're 30 years old," Mike cautions. "Start small with something you are truly interested in intellectually and emotionally. Limit it to one thing. As you get older, you will eventually have more time to devote to it. Don't put it off either; that's a mistake too. Start realistically, but start."

As Mike's pro bono practice grew, he talked with psychologists who emphasized the value of adoption in creating solid family foundations for children. Mike and his wife, Sandy, a secondgrade teacher, share that value. They have a son and a daughter whose accomplishments speak to the family support they received. Their son is an astrophysicist with a dual Ph.D. in astronomy and physics. He is a profes-

> sor at the University of Wisconsin and a director of the National Science Foundation. Their daughter, who earned her Ph.D. in biochemistry, is doing postdoctoral research in cardiology at Mt. Sinai Hospital in New York. She holds three medical patents for contrast agents and hopes eventually to teach and do research at the college level.

> Mike's community service extends beyond adoption. Early in his practice, he was chair of the OSBA's Antitrust Board of Governors. He was also actively involved in the ABA's section on antitrust. Mike spent a lot of time researching and orga-

nizing materials for related public speaking engagements. It was a small next step to publish his presentations. He has coauthored a book and has had his work published in three law reviews and a host of bar, trade, and conference publications.

Mike chose a career in law so he could help people and through that process has consistently demonstrated the highest ideals of the profession. The 2005-2006 Moritz Law Community Service Award properly recognizes his service to clients, students, and the profession. Award nominator, Mark D. Wagoner '97, sums it up: "Mike is an outstanding lawyer, a good mentor, and an example for other lawyers to recognize the need for pro bono legal advice." Professionally, what more is there?

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Jeffrev S. Hiller '98





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Janica Pierce '02 Monica Ramirez '03

Jennifer Nicholson Elleman '98 is a David Torborg '98 and Karen Christian '01 welcomed a son, at LexisNexis in Dayton. Jennifer's pri-Christian Peter Torborg, on February 22, 2005. David is a litigation associate with the Washington, D.C., office of Jones Day. Karen is counsel to the U.S. House of Representatives Committee on House Administration law. Jennifer and Steven have two chilfor election law and campaign dren, Benjamin, three, and Abigail, one. finance issues.

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Sarbeth J. Fleming '00 was promoted to the position of associate director of admission at Emory University School of Law in Atlanta, Georgia.

Sean Harris '00 was selected as one of only 15 Rising Stars by Ohio Super Lawyers* in the area of plaintiff's personal injury litigation. Sean is an associate attorney with the law firm of Kitrick and Lewis, Columbus. He practices exclusively in the areas of wrongful death, insurance, aviation, and personal injury litigation.

RonNell Andersen Jones '00 is a visiting faculty fellow at the University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law in Tucson. A former law clerk for retiring U.S. Supreme Court Justice Sandra Day O'Connor, she will team teach a class on the Supreme Court this winter with Justice O'Connor. Jones teaches law of mass media and statutory interpretation. RonNell was also a guest on News Hour (PBS) on July 1 to talk about her recent clerkship with Justice O'Connor.

Jeffrey Alan Miller '00 received a LL.M. degree in military law from the Judge Advocate General's Legal Center and School. He has been appointed senior defense counsel, U.S. Army JAG Corps, at Ft. Drum, New York. He and his wife, Lisa, reside in Black River, New York.

Wendy M. Swary '00 has joined the Columbus office of Vorys, Sater, Seymour and Pease LLP as an associate in the labor and employment group. She focuses her practice primarily in the area of executive compensation and employee benefits. Previously, she was an associate with Simpson Thacher & Bartlett LLP in New York.

Michael J. Gallagher '01 has received a master of laws degree (LLM) in international intellectual property law from the University of South Africa. The program included studies in patent, trademark, and copyright law from African, European, and Asian perspectives. During his studies, Michael received the 2005 Spoor and Fisher Prize awarded to the intellectual property student with the highest performance in the LLM examinations.

Sanjeev Sant '01 has joined the staff of Moritz Law as assistant director of Admissions and Minority Affairs.

Janica Pierce '02 has joined the law firm of Chester Willcox & Saxbe LLP, Columbus, as of counsel. Pierce was an associate at Frank A. Ray Co. LPA.

Monica Ramirez '03 was quoted in the summer 2005 issue of Ms. Magazine. The article, "The Green Motel," examines the widespread sexual harassment of female farm workers by male supervisors. Ramirez, a recipient of an Equal Justice Works Fellowship, is director of Esperanza, a project of Florida Legal Services that provides legal support for women farm workers who face sexual harassment and gender discrimination.

Michael Beckwith '04 has joined the U.S. Attornev's Office in the Eastern District of California as an assistant U.S. attorney in the criminal division.

mary responsibility as senior counsel is to negotiate and draft customer contracts. Her husband, Steven Elleman '96, is a partner at Thompson Hine (Dayton) where he practices patent

Jeffrey S. Hiller '98 has joined Littler Mendelson, PC, Columbus, as a new associate. Hiller's employment law experience includes employment litigation, restrictive covenants and trade secret protection and litigation, public employment law, employer counseling, training and litigation prevention, and labor relations. Prior to joining Littler, he was with the firm of Elarbee, Thompson, Sapp & Wilson, LLP in Atlanta.

Keith O'Korn '98 has completed a one-year clerkship with U.S. Bankruptcy Judge John Hoffman in Columbus. He resides in Westerville.

Ann P. Thielke '98, a staff attorney with St. Luke's Episcopal Health System in Houston, was named a Texas Rising Star in health care law by Texas Monthly magazine. Formerly an associate with Andrews Kurth LLP where her practice focused on advising and representing hospitals, physicians, and other health care entities and providers on a variety of regulatory and operational issues, Thielke now concentrates on compliance with state and federal laws, compliance with health care information privacy regulations, facility business transactions, facility regulatory and licensure matters, medical staff credentialing, and patient care issues. She holds a B.S. in nursing.



Dianna J. Parker '05

Eve M. Searls '05

Ryan Lower '04 has joined Morris Pickering & Peterson in Las Vegas as an associate practicing in commercial litigation. He and his wife, Jamie, welcomed the arrival of son, Garrett, on July 27, 2005.

Daniel A. Papajcik '04 has graduated from Judge Advocate Generals Corps Officer Basic Course. He was promoted to captain and is currently stationed at Redstone Arsenal in Huntsville, Alabama, in the Office of Staff Judge Advocate as chief of legal assistance. Jason A. Storipan '04 has joined the law firm of Sharp & Brown LLP, Parsippany, New Jersey, after finishing a clerkship with the Hon. Rachel N. Davidson, J.S.C. Jason is engaged in medical malpractice defense.

Dianna J. Parker '05 and Eve M. Searls '05 were named to the Equal Justice Works Fellowships Class of 2005. The Washington, D.C.-based organization chose Parker and Searls for the two-year fellowships through a rigorous national application process. The 2005 Fellowships Class consists of graduates of 38 law schools who will be working in 14 states and the District of Columbia providing legal services in 15 issue areas including children and youth, civil rights, community and economic development, education, health care, housing and homelessness, immigrants' rights, and workplace safety. Equal Justice Works provides underserved nonprofit organizations with legal services ranging from direct representation and advocacy to community outreach and precedent-setting litigation. Parker is working for Equal Justice Foundation of Columbus and Searls is working for The Legal Aid Society of Columbus. They are sponsored by the Ohio Legal Assistance Foundation.

Storm Troopers: John Okuley '03 and Paul Gallegos '03 Make Relief Trip to Hurricane-Ravaged South

From the comfort of their central Ohio homes, Moritz Law alumni John Okuley '03 and Paul Gallegos '03 watched helplessly as Hurricane Katrina and the flooding that followed devastated the U.S. Gulf Coast on August 29, 2005. Almost impulsively and in an act of what their wives called "great faith and desperation," the two decided to drive 13 hours to Mississippi to help relief efforts.

The 1,600-mile journey started at a local Wal-Mart store, where they purchased 1,500 pounds of food and other supplies with out-of-pocket funds. They loaded the supplies into John's trailer and headed south. Not sure what to expect, they also packed tents, sleeping bags, water, and fuel for their trip home.

The duo traveled as far as they could, reaching Hattiesburg, Mississippi, on Saturday, September 3, five days after the hurricane made landfall. The residents outside of Hattiesburg, only 70 miles from the Gulf Coast, had not seen food in days, had no fuel, and had only marginal use of electricity, according to John.



Paul Gallegos '03

John Okuley '03

Once in Hattiesburg, the two linked up with the Florida chapter of the Southern Baptist Convention Disaster Relief at a local Baptist church where the group had established a base of operations. At the time, this was the only disaster relief organization they could find in the area, says John. They distributed the provisions they had brought from Ohio to New Augusta and Beaumont, Mississippi, in neighboring Perry County. The Baptist volunteers then asked them to help hand out donated supplies, including canned goods, baby formula, and diapers. The local sheriff guided them in distributing crucial supplies, including delivering provisions to the crossroads community of Hintonville and to the McSwain settlement, an isolated community of about 20 homes, before returning home to Columbus.

In the meantime, John's wife, Gina Langen, director of communications at Ohio State's College of Engineering, had sent an e-mail to friends seeking donations and received an almost immediate response. With those funds, 4,000 pounds of additional material was purchased and Gina and three others traveled to Mississippi to deliver the merchandise. As a result, Gina and John are forming a charitable organization to continue efforts to aid those affected by the storm.

In the days following the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina, John was in contact with officials in Perry County, Mississippi, and surrounding counties to determine whether additional help was needed; he was ready to make the trip again, if necessary. However, larger, more organized groups of relief workers were arriving by then and the short-run emergency was abating.

Would he do it again? "Of course," he says. "Sometimes it's easy to see that something needs done, and you have the means to go ahead and do it." John is an associate at Mueller and Smith in Columbus. —*Marta Murdi*

Moritz Law 2006 Alumni Awards Call for Nominations

Nominator Information:

Name:	
Address: _	
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Alumni Medalist Award for national or international career achievement

Presented to alumni who have gained distinction as outstanding exponents of a chosen field or profession and who have brought extraordinary credit to the university and significant benefit to mankind. The medalist may be selected from among nominees in this or any other award category. This award is the highest honor accorded by **The Ohio State University Alumni Association, Inc**.

Nominee:

Professional Achievement Award for career achievement Awarded to alumni who have superb records of distinguished career accomplishments and who have made outstanding contributions to their professions. The award is presented by **The Ohio State University Alumni Association, Inc**.

Nominee:

William K. Thomas Distinguished Jurist Award for fairness, freedom, and equality

Awarded to a current or former judge who has graduated from the college and whose personal integrity and commitment to fairness, freedom, and equality exemplify the highest ideals of the judicial system. The award is presented by the **Moritz College** of Law Alumni Society.

Nominee:

Outstanding Alumna/us Award for graduates whose accomplishments merit special recognition

Given annually to a Moritz Law graduate for exceptional achievement or outstanding service to the college or community. The award is presented by the **Moritz College of Law Alumni Society**.

Nominee:

Ralph Davenport Mershon Award for service to Ohio State Presented to alumni who have demonstrated exceptional leadership and service to The Ohio State University. Ralph Davenport Mershon 1890 was largely responsible for the Alumni Association's early beginnings as an organized force for the university. The award is presented by **The Ohio State University Alumni Association, Inc**.

Nominee:

William Oxley Thompson Award for early career achievement Presented to young alumni who have demonstrated distinctive achievement in a career, civic involvement, or both. Nominees must not have reached their 36th birthday by the year in which the award is given. Named for the beloved fifth president of Ohio State, this award is presented by **The Ohio State University Alumni** Association, Inc.

Nominee:

Nominating statements should include supporting documents, such as a biographical sketch or resume. (Please attach no more than two 8.5 x 11-inch pages, typewritten and single-spaced.) Nominators should take care to address the specific award guidelines when writing the nomination. All forms must be postmarked, or faxed, no later than March 1, 2006. If you need more forms for additional nominations, please duplicate this page. Mail to: Office of Alumni Affairs, Moritz College of Law, 55 West 12th Avenue, Columbus, OH 43210-1391.

Public Service Award for commitment to promoting and providing access to the justice system

Awarded to an alumna/us whose public interest career exemplifies a commitment to promote and provide access to the legal system. Examples of public interest organizations include, but are not limited to, legal aid, legal services, civil liberties, pro bono representation, or volunteer lawyer projects. The award is presented by the **Moritz College of Law Alumni Society**.

Nominee:

Recent Alumna/us Award for a graduate whose early accomplishments merit special recognition

Granted to an individual who has graduated from Moritz Law within the past 10 years whose accomplishments exemplify outstanding professionalism or loyalty to the college community. The award is presented by the **Moritz College of Law Alumni Society**.

Nominee:

Alumni Citizenship Award for community service Presented to alumni who have distinguished themselves in service to humanity and who have best exemplified the university's motto, "Training for Citizenship," by having performed significant voluntary service to their community beyond the call of business or professional duty. Initiated in 1958, this award is the oldest given by The Ohio State Alumni Association, Inc.

Nominee:

Dan L. Heinlen Award for university advocacy Presented to those who have realized outstanding achievements in advocating the interests of the university with one or more of its important publics. It recognizes achievement in activities ranging from students and faculty recruitment to advocacy with elected officials and opinion leaders on behalf of the university. The award is presented by **The Ohio State University Alumni Association, Inc**.

Nominee:

Community Service Award for volunteer service Presented to the Moritz Law graduate who has volunteered significant and sustained time and expertise to assist a local, state, national, or international humanitarian organization. The award is presented by the **Moritz College of Law Alumni Society**.

Nominee:

Josephine Sitterle Failer Award for volunteer service to students Presented to those whose voluntary personal involvement has enhanced the quality of student life at the university. Created in 1988, it honors those who exemplify the spirit of selfless caring for Ohio State students. The award is presented by **The Ohio State University Alumni Association, Inc**.

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Nominee: _

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November 16-18, 2005

Conference, The Blackwell Hotel, Columbus, Ohio. *Building Democracy through Online Citizen Deliberation*. For more information, see www. moritzlaw.osu.edu/cilps/conference/ 2005-06/051116-betha.html.

January 26, 2006

Journal on Dispute Resolution Symposium, Saxbe Auditorium. Listening to the World: New Ideas for Resolving Identity-Based Conflict. For more information, contact Laura Weidner (weidner.18@ osu.edu) or Michael Spencer (spencer.273@osu.edu).

February 16-17, 2006

Conference, Saxbe Auditorium. Disability, Narrative, and the Law. For more information, see www.moritzlaw.osu.edu/cilps/ conference/2005-06/060216-dnl.html.

March 2, 2006

Legislation Clinic Conference, downtown Columbus. *The People as Legislators: The Influence of Direct Democracy*. For additional information, contact Professor Steven Huefner (huefner.4@osu.edu). More information will also be available on the conference web site (www.moritzlaw.osu.edu/ legisclinic/conference.htm), and an electronic registration form will be available in late 2005.

March 17, 2006

Entrepreneurial Business Law Journal Symposium, Saxbe Auditorium. Why Some High-Tech Communities Flourish and Others Do Not. Watch for future publications with more information.

April 3, 2006

Frank C. Woodside III Speaker Series Symposium, Saxbe Auditorium. *Right to Shelter*. For more information, call (614) 688-8693 or see www. moritzlaw.osu.edu/pbrg/woodside.html. Unless otherwise indicated, all programs are held at John Deaver Drinko Hall, 55 West 12th Avenue, Columbus, Ohio. If you plan to attend, please use the contact information listed for each group.

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Remember When?



Morgan's Midshipmen participated in the Student Bar Association softball league. Among them were: William H. Oldach III '90, Richard E. Surkamp Jr. '89, "Coach" Professor Morgan E. Shipman, Jonathon L. McGee '89, Kevin R. Floyd '89, and Thomas St. Pierre '89.

Correction

The 1968 moot court picture featured on the back cover of the spring 2005 *Law Record* incorrectly identified Charles C. Callahan as Charles C. "Calhoon." According to Warren W. Ruggles '65, "'Charlie,' as the students referred to him among themselves, had a sharp mind and a knack to explain legal concepts very clearly. He taught property law and occasionally insurance and evidence." Numerous graduates called or wrote with the correction. We regret the error.