Research Assistant Needed

Professor Hernández is looking for a student research assistant (2 or 3L). This person will work on Blue Bookings, text editing, and some scholarly, new, and legal research for a book project on Guantanamo. The ideal candidate would be available for Fall and Spring semesters and most likely summer 2013. High priority will be placed on research assistant's ability to return work product within short periods of time.

Email to shernando@chapman.edu. application should contain:
1. Resume
2. Description of legal, professional and/or academic writing and editing experiences
3. Description of bluebooking and citation experiences
4. (Not needed but nice) description of any prior coursework in critical theory, history, or international relations.

Equal Justice Works Conference- Washington, DC from October 26 – 27th

If you are interested in pursuing public interest work after law school the 2012 Equal Justice Works conference is a great place to explore. The conference is held in Washington, DC from October 26 – 27th. For more information on this year's Conference and Career Fair, visit the Equal Justice Works website.

Conference and Career Fair Important Dates:
- TODAY, September 17: Last day for 2Ls who would like to interview with employers to register and submit interview applications for the 2012 Conference and Career Fair.
- THS WEDNESDAY, September 19: Last day to submit your co-sponsorship form. http://www.chapman.edu/law/FILES/careers/career-fair-conference-co-sponsor-req-request-form.pdf to Laurie Ellen Park in the CSO.
- September 27: Employment application review and interviewee selection
- October 11: Students accept or decline interviews
- October 11: Last day to register for conference in order to participate in table talk and attend workshops
- October 26 - 27: Equal Justice Works Conference and Career Fair

Noise Levels in the Library

Please be respectful of your colleagues when entering the library. Remember to finish your conversations in the lobby before entering, please do not drop your books onto the tables, and please try to minimize the amount of noise made when packing up. Everyone understands that we cannot eliminate all noise, but let's work together to minimize that which we can avoid. Thank you for your anticipated cooperation.

Deegan Inn of Court Invitation

For the first time, the Deegan Inn of Court in Riverside has invited three Chapman Law students to join its prestigious organization. This is a wonderful organization where you will be able to meet and network with the Riverside attorneys and judges. If you decide to join, Chapman Law will pay for your annual membership, but you must commit to attending the meetings which are held on Wednesday evenings in Riverside.

You are representing yourself as a professional in the Riverside community and also Chapman Law School. Your consistent attendance is required. If an emergent situation arises, and you find that you cannot continue participating, please notify our office immediately.

Please email Jennifer Kim (jkim@chapman.edu) to let us know whether you would like to join the Deegan Inn of Court. Since there is a very limited number of memberships, all requests will be honored on a first-come, first-served basis.

The Business & Investment Law Society Proudly Presents a Stock Market Showdown:

JD students, your contemporaries across the street in the Business School challenge you to a 4 easy stock market competition. The students with the best performance will win bragging rights and exciting prizes! Last year, law students landed two of the top three spots, so let's make it all three.

How to Play:
1. Place two cans of food in the box labeled "JD vs. MBA Stock Market Showdown" at the front desk in the Law School lobby. Be sure to label your cans with post it's with your name so they can be linked to your registration.
2. E-mail chapmanbils@gmail.com with the words "Stock Market Showdown - JD" in the subject line no later than 3pm Friday, September 28th to receive directions on how to register. When e-mailing, include your first and last name, email address, and confirm that you have donated 2 cans of food in the donation box.
3. Complete the easy online registration no later than noon on Monday, October 1st. When choosing your username, be sure to include "(your last name)" and place "JD" at the end of your username to distinguish your team.
4. Compete for a chance to win bragging rights, exciting prizes and to answer the age-old question – who can better navigate the stock market, MBAs or business-minded JDs? The Law School won last year and we need to defend our title!

For more information, contact BILS at chapmanbils@gmail.com.

Mock Trial Board In-House Competition - Interest Forms
It’s that time of year! We are looking for new people to join the Mock Trial Board. Many Chapman Alumni say that mock trial was the only activity they did in law school where they learned the most. And several have been offered jobs in the community because of their successes in mock trial. If you are interested in competing in the Mock Trial In-House Competition, please submit an interest form to swens102@mail.chapman.edu by this Friday, Sept. 21st, 5:00pm, or place it in Brett Swenson’s inbox. The In-House Competition will be held on October 20th. Important dates, the interest form, and materials on how to do an open, close, direct, and cross, can all be found on our TWEN page – “Mock Trial In-House Competition.” If you have any questions, email Brett Swenson at the above email address.

The WRIT Is Available Online


WRIT Submissions

Submissions for the WRIT are due by 12 Noon on the Friday before you want your submission to be published. Please email your submissions to chapmawrit@gmail.com.

Monday, September 17th

Academic Support Workshop – Time and Stress Management

Join Professor Rick Faulkner on Monday, September 17th in room 142 from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. to go over time and stress management techniques. Law school offers new stressors into the lives of all students. It’s vitaly important that everyone learn how to manage the stress and work effectively with the time that they have every day. Remember to bring your lunch!

Constitution Day

On this date in 1789, the delegates to the Constitutional Convention met for the last time to sign the charter document they had just created, the Constitution of the United States. The Constitution gui

Tuesday, September 18th

Attention First Year Students

Please mark your calendars for the Mandatory 1L Examination Procedures Information Session on Tuesday, September 18, from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. We will meet in room 237AB. You may bring your lunch.

Wednesday, September 19th

Queen’s Bench General Meeting

Join us at the first Queen’s Bench meeting of the new school year! Come learn about our organization, meet new members, and give your input on the exciting events we have coming up for the year! The meeting will be during the lunch hour on Wednesday, September 19th at 12:00pm. (Room 374.)

Intellectual Property Law Society – General Meeting

The Intellectual Property (IP) Law Society will be holding a general meeting for all interested parties on Wednesday, September 19th at 12:00pm in room 378.

You don’t need a background in science or technology to come! If you are interested in Patents, Copyrights, Trademarks, Entertainment Law, Business Law, Entrepreneurship, or even just feel like meeting a bunch of awesome, like-minded individuals, this club is for you.

Food will be provided as we discuss our summer experiences in IP law and plan upcoming panel events to get you in touch with people in the field. We hope to see you there!

Thursday, September 20th

Outlaw General Meeting

OUTLAW is having their first meeting of the semester on Thursday, Sep 20th in Room 378 at 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. Come get informed about the LGBT community, exciting future events, and how your voice can make a difference. We encourage everyone to get involved!

Animal Law Society Meeting

Come to the Animal Law Society’s first meeting to eat free food, meet new people, and hear about...
On Thursday, September 20 from 5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., Chapman Law will be hosting a speed mentoring event for 2Ls and 3Ls. This program gives current students a great chance to network with judges and lawyers from a variety of practice areas. Dinner will be provided.

**Friday, September 21st**

**En Banc:** Friday, September 21, 2012

Join the entire law school community on Friday, September 21st in the lobby of the law school from 5:00 p.m.–7:00 p.m. We will be opening a new photo exhibit by Richard Wianecki, Esq., in the Parham and Polya Williams Gallery. Also, LTG Dana Chipman, the Judge Advocate General of the United States Army, will be on hand to talk to students. Hors d’oeuvres will be served. We hope that everyone will show General Chipman and Mr. Wianecki a warm Chapman welcome!

**Big Orange Book Festival – September 21 and 22**

Come visit the Law School’s exhibition booth at Chapman’s Big Orange Book Festival! Over 5,000 visitors are expected to attend the weekend event, which features guest authors and speakers such as Mark Levin, Alice Sebold and many more. Stop by the Law School’s booth on Saturday, where our Dean Tom Campbell, Dean Richard Redding, Professor Michael Bayzler, and Adjunct Professor Judge Jim Rogan will be signing copies of their books. For more information and a complete list of guest authors visit http://bigorangebookfestival.com. Interested in volunteering? Email Ashley Kemp at akemp@chapman.edu.

**Saturday, September 22nd**

To All Students Planning To Take The February 2013 or JULY 2013 Bar Exam:

Chapman University School of Law is presenting its annual “Introduction to Bar Prep” on Saturday, September 22, 2012, from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in Room 237. At this meeting, Professor Mainero, Director of Bar Services, and officials of the State Bar of California will discuss the following matters: (1) Components of the California Bar Exam; (2) Grading of the California Bar Exam; (3) Issues concerning your Moral Character Application; (4) Select Topics and Legal Analysis Workshop, the two for-credit bar prep courses, including a short exemplar from the Select Topics class; and (5) the free Supplemental Bar Prep Course made available in the two months before the bar exam, including a short exemplar session.

In addition, the officials from the State Bar will be available to meet privately with anyone who has questions or concerns about their moral character application.

This is the one event where we will be discussing the Bar Exam and what you need to do to pass it, so please make arrangements to come!

If you have any questions, please contact Professor Mainero at x2518, Room 377, or mmainero@chapman.edu.

**Monday, September 24th**

**Army JAG Coming to Campus**

The Army JAG will be coming to campus September 24 to conduct interviews for post-graduate and summer 2013 internship positions. Interviews will be open to all 2L and 3L law students. If you are interested in applying, please submit your resume and transcript to Joan Seguin, Law Recruitment Manager, by Friday, September 21 at 11:00 a.m. Send resume and transcript to Joan.

**Tuesday, September 25th**

**The Art of Test Taking**

Tuesday, September 25th, noon to 1pm in room 152: Phi Alpha Delta and Fleming’s Fundamentals of Law will present a free lunch lecture entitled “The Art of Test Taking.” The lecture will cover the keys to success in law school and the CA Bar Exam. Togo’s lunch will be provided and great prizes will be given away as well! Please note the new date as this lecture was originally scheduled for 9/19. Hope to see you there!!!

**Wednesday, September 26th**

**Work-Life Balance in Law School and Beyond**

Queen’s Bench is hosting an exciting panel event focusing on how to achieve a healthy work-life balance. Guests will hear from Laurie Rowen and Erin Giglia, two successful lawyers from the Montage Legal Group, who will talk about how to effectively balance your work and personal life—both throughout law school and in the workplace after graduation. The panelists will discuss how they manage their busy careers while maintaining a healthy and social and/or family life. Students are encouraged to submit their own questions for the panelists and drop them off in the Career Services Office (3rd floor).
Date: Wednesday, September 26
Time: Lunch served at 11:45; Panel: 12-1 p.m.
Location: Room 237A/B

Friday, September 28th

Lunch with the Chula Vista City Attorney

Bart Miesfeld, the Chula Vista City Attorney, will be on-campus on Friday, September 28, and wants to have lunch with Chapman Law students. The City Attorney deals with many different practice areas, including contracts, land use, real estate, employment, litigation, and municipal law.

This is an excellent opportunity to network and find out more information about the office. 3Ls especially should attend because post-grad positions are becoming available. If you are interested in joining the lunch please contact Joan Seguin by Friday, September 21.

RSVP to Joan Seguin

Save the Date!

Academic Support Workshop – Outlining

Does outlining confuse you? Are you not quite sure what outlining even is? Is outlining important? Join Professor Faulkner on Monday, September 24th in room 142 from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. to learn about outlining your courses in preparation for your midterms and finals and have all of your questions about outlining answered. Remember to bring your lunch!

Academic Support Workshop – Writing Essay Exams

Join Professor Rick Faulkner on Monday, October 1st in room 142 from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. to learn about effective techniques on how to write a law school essay exam in preparation for midterms and finals. Prof. Faulkner will cover essay organization and other strategies to make your essay flow and communicate your answers most effectively. This is an important session that you do not want to miss! Remember to bring your lunch!