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1. NEW THIS ISSUE

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**\*THE JAMES E. AND CAROLYN B. DAVIS SOCIETY\***

Jim Davis, a 1973 Law School graduate of superb ability and character, died of cancer in 1980. His wife, Carolyn, an outstanding person in her own right, died of cancer in 1982. To perpetuate the memory of these two individuals, who possessed qualities of integrity, responsibility, leadership, and dedication, their friends and families have established the James E. and Carolyn B. Davis Society in their names. The Society allows for recognition of up to eight third year law students who have made significant contributions to the Law School.

The James E. and Carolyn B. Davis Society is intended to recognize third year students possessing both academic and personal excellence and a willingness to serve for the betterment

of the Law School and its faculty and students. Inductees will be recognized at Commencement and receive a framed certificate in honor of their selection. They will also be honored at a reception during Commencement weekend. A Davis Society plaque with each recipient's name is also displayed in the Law School lobby.

To be considered for the James E. and Carolyn B. Davis Society, a third year student must be nominated, in writing, by another law student (any year), or faculty or staff member. Those making nominations should consider the qualities of leadership ability, extracurricular activities, character, and academic achievement. There is no official nomination form. Nominees may later submit additional information about their extracurricular activities, honors, and academic achievement. You may drop off nominations to Hudson Fuller's office in room 5023 in the Student Affairs suite. Nominations may also be made via email to Dean Crisp ([wbcrisp@email.unc.edu](mailto:wbcrisp@email.unc.edu)), Hudson Fuller ([vhfuller@email.unc.edu](mailto:vhfuller@email.unc.edu)), or Wendy Spitze([spitzer@email.unc.edu](mailto:spitzer@email.unc.edu)).

THE DEADLINE FOR NOMINATIONS IS MONDAY, MARCH 22, AT 5:00 P.M.

**\*FACULTY SPEAKER SERIES\***

Professor Geoff Stone (University of Chicago)  
Speaking on his paper "War Fever"  
Friday, February 27th from 12:00-1:15 p.m. in the Faculty Lounge

A sign up sheet and copies of the paper are outside Professor Davis' office.

**\*CAROLINA CENTER FOR PUBLIC SERVICE\***

The Carolina Center for Public Service (CCPS) administers the Public Service Listserv as part of its mission to support UNC-CH students, faculty, and staff as they perform public service. For more info on CCPS, please visit our website at <http://www.unc.edu/cps>

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**2. THIS WEEK AT THE LAW SCHOOL**

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Wednesday, February 25 The Deadline for the Four 2004-2005  
California Senate Fellowships Program.

Friday, February 27 Open Forum Summer Externship Program  
Information Meeting at 12:00 Noon in  
Room 5046.

Friday, February 27 Faculty Speaker Series from 12:00 - 1:15 p.m. in the Faculty Lounge.

Saturday, February 28 Symposium Sponsored by The North Carolina Journal of International Law and Commercial Regulation from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the School of Law.

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### 3. STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

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#### \*SUMMER EXTERNSHIP PROGRAM INFORMATION MEETING\*

Attention 1 Ls and 2 Ls: Interested in receiving academic credit for summer judicial clerkships or internships with a District Attorney or Public Defender? Join us for an open forum meeting on Friday, February 27th, 2004 at 12 Noon in Room 5046 to learn how to sign up for Carolina Law School's first Summer Externship Program. 1Ls and 2Ls are eligible for judicial clerkships and 2Ls are eligible for externships with the District Attorney and Public Defender. Summer externs will receive 4 units of academic credit for working on site 35 hours each week during the eight-week summer school session, May 10th - July 2nd, 2004. Externs also keep a weekly journal of their work and will attend 4 small group meetings with their Faculty Supervisor, Maria Savasta-Kennedy.

#### \*SYMPOSIUM SPONSORED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL LAW AND COMMERCIAL REGULATION\*

What: The USA PATRIOT ACT: Privacy v. Security in a Post-9/11 World, a symposium sponsored by the North Carolina Journal of International Law and Commercial Regulation.

Where: UNC School of Law

When: Saturday, February 28, 2004. Registration and continental breakfast begin at 8:00 a.m, and the conference will conclude at 4:30 p.m. Lunch is included in the registration fee, which is free to UNC students and faculty; \$15 for non-UNC students and faculty; \$50 for non-CLE attendance; \$75 for 6 general CLE credits. Parking is available at the law school and Highway 54 Visitor's Lot. To register on-line and for more information, please visit our website: [www.unc.edu/ncilj](http://www.unc.edu/ncilj) or email Irene King, Symposium editor: [iking@email.unc.edu](mailto:iking@email.unc.edu). Please also visit our table in the rotunda 11-1 during the next two weeks.

Details: Distinguished speakers from the University of North Carolina School of Law, Wake Forest School of Law, Boston College

of Law, Moritz College of Law, Morrison & Foerster, LLP, Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering, Bank of America, the Electronic Privacy Information Center, the ACLU, and the Center for Constitutional Rights, will explore the implications of the Act and its progeny at home and abroad in the following panels: Lowering the Guard in the Name of Security: Privacy and Data Protection Post-9/11, Cases in Controversy: Recent Lawsuits in Criminal and Immigration Law, and Information-Sharing, Money-Laundering and Other Issues Faced by Financial Institutions.

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#### 4. RESEARCH ASSISTANT POSITIONS

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#### 5. SCHOLARSHIP & CONTEST INFORMATION

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#### \*SUMMER FUNDING POSSIBILITIES FOR UNPAID SUMMER PUBLIC INTEREST INTERNSHIPS\*

There are several sources of funding through the law school if you will be working in an unpaid public interest setting this summer. Criteria for the grants differs. You are encouraged to apply to all grants for which your placement would be eligible (but you are allowed to receive only one grant). Please note that not all students who apply for funding will be able to get funding.

IOLTA: The Board of Trustees of the North Carolina State Bar Plan for Interest on Lawyer=s Trust Accounts (IOLTA) has approved funding for five UNC law students to pursue service summer internships. A three thousand (\$3000) stipend (minus taxes) will be awarded to each of the five law students. The student must work at an approved participating IOLTA organization. The placements are all in North Carolina and include D.A.s offices, PDs offices, Legal Services offices and some other nonprofit organizations. The application is open to first and second year law students. Applications for IOLTA grants will be available from Hudson Fuller and will be due by 5:00 p.m. on March 17th. Recipients will tentatively be announced by March 23rd.

C-PILO (Carolina Public Interest Law Organization) grants: C-PILO is a student organization that each year raises money to give summer grants to students working in summer placements. This year the grants will likely be around \$2500. The applications will probably be due in late March and the recipients will be

announced shortly thereafter. The number of recipients will likely be between ten and fifteen. C-PILO handles their own grant application and questions about eligibility should be directed to the C-PILO officers.

**ILENE NELSON INTERNSHIP FOR CHILD ADVOCACY:** grant given to a law student who will be working during the summer with a non-profit, legal services organization, governmental or private group that focuses on children's rights and advocacy. Applications will be available on March 1st from Hudson Fuller and will be due on March 17th. The applications of those applicants who do not receive funding will be forwarded to Child Action to be considered for funding by them.

**STEVEN WHITSELL MEMORIAL INTERNSHIP:** small stipend paid to student working with an organization that promotes social justice and, if possible, specifically, affordable housing. Preference given to students in dual degree of Law and City and Regional Planning. There will not be a separate application for this grant. Instead, there will be a place on the C-PILO grant to indicate whether you wish to be considered for this grant.

**CAROLINA COMMUNITY SERVICE WORK-STUDY PROGRAM:** If you receive more than \$1400 in financial aid or loans through the university, you may be eligible to receive a work-study grant. We hope to receive between ten and twelve work-study grants this year. You must work at a 501(c)(3) organization and the employer must be willing to pay part of your salary. Several organizations coming on campus for the Public Interest Job Fair or requesting mail-outs have indicated a willingness to participate depending on their funding. The Community Work-Study Program is 75% federal funded, while the agency is responsible for paying 25% of the student's wages plus FICA. Law students will be paid \$8.50 an hour for a ten week period. The agency will therefore be responsible for about \$1200 per student. The work period for work-study grants is a ten week work period, 40 hours a week (this is not flexible). The Office of Financial Aid and Scholarships will provide payroll services to the student and will simply bill the agency by June 1st for the 25% plus matching FICA share. The application process is rolling. Please see Hudson Fuller if you have questions about these grants.

**\*JAMES B. MCMILLAN SUMMER FELLOWSHIPS FOR LAW STUDENTS\***  
In 1995, the Mecklenburg Bar Foundation in Charlotte, Mecklenburg County, NC, created the James B. McMillan Fellowship Fund to underwrite summer clerkships for law students with local public

service organizations. These fellowships carry an annual stipend of up to \$3,000. Students interested in applying for a McMillan Fellowship are encouraged to make direct contact with the public interest organization or governmental agency in whose work they are interested. In this way, the student and the agency can submit a joint application.

Deadline for applications is March 15, 2004. The Fellowship Fund committee will look favorably on law students who have lived in Mecklenburg County; who intend to practice law in Mecklenburg County; who reflect the cultural diversity of North Carolina and Mecklenburg County; whose law school and life experiences reflect a desire to have a positive impact on the lives of others as their lives are affected by the legal system and its administration; and who have demonstrated good character and suitable academic performance in law school. The Law Registrar's Office has a list of the organizations that have been awarded McMillan Fellowships in the past and other information about this fellowship.

**\*CABANISS, JOHNSTON SCHOLARSHIP\***

The Cabaniss, Johnston Scholarship is awarded to a resident of Alabama for the second year of law school. Applicants for a scholarship should be in all respects superior. While academic achievement will be the key factor, consideration will also be given to factors such as conscientiousness, dependability, civic involvement, financial need and dedication to the highest ethical standards. The amount of the scholarship is \$5,000. A second place scholarship of \$1,000 will also be awarded. The deadline for applying for the 2004-05 school year is June 4, 2004. More information is available in the Law Registrar's Office.

**INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE IN THE REGISTRAR'S OFFICE FOR THE FOLLOWING SCHOLARSHIP AND WRITING COMPETITIONS:**

**\*FOUR 2004-2005 CALIFORNIA SENATE FELLOWSHIPS\***

Fellows receive a monthly stipend of \$1,882 plus full medical, vision and dental benefits. The only prerequisite for the program is a four-year college degree by fall of the program year. The deadline is February 25, 2004.

**\*AMERICAN COLLEGE OF TRUST AND ESTATE COUNSEL MARY MOERS WENIG 2004 STUDENT WRITING COMPETITION\***

Prizes include \$5,000 for the first-place winner, \$3,000 for the second place winner, and \$1,000 for the third place winner. The deadline for entries is March 1, 2004.

**\*THIRD ANNUAL STUDENT WRITING CONTEST SPONSORED BY THE AMERICAN BUSINESS LAW JOURNAL\***

Deadline for submissions is March 1, 2004. The first place prize includes a cash prize of \$1000.

**\*AMERICAN HEALTH LAWYERS ASSOCIATION 2003-2004 STUDENT WRITING COMPETITION\***

The cash prize will be awarded at the opening assembly of the 2004 Annual Meeting, and the winning paper will be considered for publication in the Journal of Health Law. 2nd Prize: \$350 cash award. 3rd Prize: \$250 cash award. Submissions must be postmarked no later than April 1, 2004.

**\*INTER-AMERICAN HUMAN RIGHTS MOOT COURT COMPETITION\***

Registration deadline is April 1, 2004.

**\*WILLIAM PEW RELIGIOUS FREEDOM SCHOLARSHIP COMPETITION\***

The first place winner will receive \$5,000. The second place winner will receive \$2,000, and third place \$500. Entries must be postmarked no later than April 1, 2004.

**\*2004 JUDGE JOHN M. MANOS WRITING COMPETITION ON EVIDENCE\***

The winning entry will be awarded \$1,000 and will be considered for publication in the Cleveland State Law Review. The deadline for submitting an entry for the 2004 Writing Competition is April 1, 2004.

**\*THE RICHMOND JOURNAL OF LAW AND TECHNOLOGY LAW STUDENT WRITING COMPETITION\***

The first place winner of the competition will be published in a future issue of the Journal and receive a generous cash prize of \$1,000. In addition, the second and third place winners will also receive cash prizes of \$500 and \$300. These cash prizes will attract the best and most unique articles. All entries must be received by April 15, 2004.

**\*THE INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATIONAL OF DEFENSE COUNSEL 2004 LEGAL WRITING CONTEST\***

Monetary awards will be made as follows: US\$2,000 to first place, US\$1,000 to second place, and US\$500 to third place. Entries must be postmarked on or before April 19, 2004.

**\*PACIFIC LEGAL FOUNDATION STUDENT WRITING COMPETITION\***

**\*PROGRAM FOR JUDICIAL AWARENESS WRITING COMPETITION\***

The first prize winner will receive a cash award of \$5,000, with up to two additional awards of \$3,000 and \$1,500 available for other outstanding submissions. The deadline is May 31, 2004.

**\*JAMES BOSKEY DISPUTE RESOLUTION ESSAY COMPETITION\***

All second, third or fourth year law students candidates are eligible to submit an essay to the competition. The winning entry will receive a \$1000 award. The deadline for entries is June 1, 2004.

**\*2004 TANNENWALD WRITING COMPETITION\***

The first prize is \$3,000, second prize, \$2,000, and third prize is \$1,000. The deadline for submitting papers is June 30, 2004.

**\*2004 NATHAN BURKAN MEMORIAL COMPETITION\***

Prize money is \$600 for First Prize and \$250 for Second Prize. The judges may award first, second and third national prizes, for which ASCAP will give cash prizes of \$3,000, \$2,000 and \$1,000 respectively. The national award winners may also be eligible for publication in the Journal of The Copyright Society. Winning papers must be certified to the Society and in our hands by June 30, 2004.

**\*WHITTIER JOURNAL OF CHILD AND FAMILY ADVOCACY\***

The WJCF A welcomes the submission of articles for publication. They are interested in professional and student-written articles which deal with various issues faced by children and families in the legal system. They are currently accepting submissions for their fourth and fifth issues to be published in April of 2004 and November of 2004.

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**6. LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES FOR CAROLINA LAW STUDENTS**

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**\*BAR SUCCESS WORKSHOP\***

For the fourth year in a row we are offering a review workshop for graduating students. The workshop is not intended to replace your summer preparation or any other review courses. Rather, our goal is to alert you to some common themes our faculty committee has pinpointed concerning ways to maximize your potential to succeed the first time you take the exam. The workshop will be run by Ms. Denise Chapin, an adjunct faculty member at Carolina Law.

The three-part workshop will meet at the following times and places:

Wednesday, March 17, 6:15-9:00 p.m., in room 5042. This first meeting will be a review of what the North Carolina bar exam entails and how it is scored. It will also include concrete information about how to prepare for the exam. You are invited to attend this first meeting even if you do not intend to participate in the next two meetings that will focus specifically on the essay portion of the North Carolina bar exam.

Wednesdays, March 24 and March 31, 6:15-8:45 p.m., in room 5042. These second and third meetings will focus on the essay portion of the bar exam, and require a commitment to attend both of these sessions. Concrete information concerning the differences between law school essay exam questions and bar exam essays will be discussed. You will also have an opportunity to try writing some bar exam essay questions and will obtain feedback about effective answers.

If you have questions, please see Hudson Fuller in the Student Affairs Suite.

**\*AUGSBURG UNIVERSITY PRESENTATION MEETING\***

The UNC School of Law is starting an exchange program with the University of Augsburg in Germany. UNC-Law students will be eligible to go study at Augsburg during the summer, starting in summer 2005. Two Augsburg representatives will be at UNC to present their program, university and city on March 17th, 2004. The meeting will take place on Wednesday, March 17th at noon, in Room 4085.

**\*NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL LAW SOCIETIES ANNUAL CONFERENCE\***

Lewis & Clark Law School, nationally recognized for its award-winning environmental and natural resources law program, offers a 10-week summer program packed with innovative, fast-paced environmental law courses as well as more general classes.

This spring, Lewis & Clark will also host the National Association of Environmental Law Societies' annual conference, "Public Lands at the Crossroads: Balancing Interests in the 21st Century." This conference, to be held March 26-28, 2004, to discuss the future of public lands in the U.S. The conference will be a great opportunity for law professors and students to hear the latest developments in the field. More information on the summer program and the conference are in the Law Registrar's Office.

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## 7. OFFICIAL INFORMATION FROM STUDENT AFFAIRS/REGISTRAR'S OFFICE

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### \*SUMMER 2004\*

The Summer 2004 course information will be posted to the law website this week. Registration for summer school begins Friday, March 19. UNC law students should visit the Law Registrar's Office after spring break to obtain your PIN for web registration. All summer classes, except for Trial Ad and the Externship Program, will begin Tuesday, May 11 and end June 14. The summer class schedule follows.

#### Advanced Legal Research (3.0 credits)

8:30-10:00 M-F

Instructor: Scott Childs, Assoc. Director for Research and User Services and Clinical Asst. Professor of Law

#### Professional Responsibility (3.0 credits)

10:30am-12:00pm

Instructor: Marilyn Yarbrough, Professor of Law

#### Trial Advocacy (3.0 credits)

Prerequisite: Evidence

Instructor: Michelle Robertson, Clinical Professor of Law

Dates: Sunday, May 9 from 5:00-8:30pm; May 10-12 from 9:00am-5:00pm; May 17-18 from 6:00-8:30pm; May 24-25 from 6:00-8:30pm; student trials will be scheduled the following weekend and/or weekday evenings depending on the number of students.

#### Externship Program (4.0 credits)

Prerequisite: Permission of instructor; Meeting to be held February 27 at 12:00noon in Rm. 5046

Instructor: Maria Savasta-Kennedy, Clinical Professor of Law

Dates: May 10-July 2

Judicial clerkships and externships with the offices of the district attorney and public defender; students will work 35 hours per week during the eight week session and will be required to submit weekly journals and attend several class meetings (probably five meetings total, which will be held on Friday afternoons). Enrollment is limited to 25 students.

### \*COMING IN FALL 2004: PERSPECTIVES ON EUROPEAN UNION LAW - LAW 252E\*

The first half of the course will introduce the students to the foundations and basic principles of European Union (EU) Law as well as the history, structure and institutions of the European

Union. The coverage will include the important topics of the Four Freedoms and Fundamental Rights within the EU, certain pivotal directives and cases, the Law of Harmonization and the relationship between EU Law and national law and the crucial question of enforcement and the building of a European Judicial System will be presented.

The second half of the course will explore in more detail the Fundamental Freedoms of the EU: free movement of goods, workers, natural persons, and services. The course will conclude with an examination of the Law of Competition, covering pertinent case law, regulations and legislation in this field.

**\*2004 TEST DATES FOR THE MULTISTATE PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY EXAMINATION\***

Test Date	Regular Application Receipt Deadline	Late Application Receipt Dead
Sat., March 13	February 3	February 19
Fri., August 13	July 6	July 22
Fri., November 12	October 5	October 21

**\*REQUESTS FOR COPIES OF UNDERGRADUATE TRANSCRIPTS\***

Students should note that the Law Registrar's Office has a policy to NOT issue copies of undergraduate transcripts to students. We do not have authorization from undergraduate institutions to disseminate copies of students' undergraduate transcripts. Therefore, please plan ahead and make arrangements with your undergraduate institution to have on hand an official copy of your transcript. It's then your decision whether or not to make photocopies from your original transcript.

**\*The LAW WEEKLY\***

The Law Weekly will be published via email each week. You may submit announcements for the newsletter until 10:00 am on Tuesdays. Please send your announcements via email to Daisette Stroud at <[daisette\\_stroud@unc.edu](mailto:daisette_stroud@unc.edu)> or Sharon Sessoms <[srsessom@email.unc.edu](mailto:srsessom@email.unc.edu)>. Please keep announcements brief. A hard copy of the LAW WEEKLY is available in the Law Registrar's Office.

**\* HOW TO ORDER AN OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT AT UNC-CH\***

The University Registrar's Office offers walk-in service for official transcripts. Telephone requests are not accepted. You must complete a transcript request form, present a photo ID and submit \$7 per transcript requested. For more detailed

information call 919-962-2350 or stop by 105 Hanes Hall on Main Campus.