

Faculty News and Activities

September 2005

Highlights

- *The New York Times* reviews [Joseph's](#) poetry books
- Conference on *LSAT, U.S. News & World Report and Minority Admissions* organized by [Baynes](#)
- Articles accepted by *George Washington Law Review* ([Zick](#)), *Michigan Journal of Law Reform* ([Baynes](#)); *George Washington International Law Review* ([Borgen](#)); *Journal of Law & Public Policy* ([Chiu](#)); *Seattle Journal for Social Justice* ([Stabile](#)); *Perspectives: Teaching Legal Research and Writing* ([Boyle](#));
- Articles published in *Washington University Law Quarterly* ([Zick](#)); *Supreme Court Historical Society Quarterly* ([Barrett](#))

John Q. Barrett, Professor of Law



On September 28, Professor Barrett was the keynote speaker at a conference entitled [60 Years After Nuremberg: A Conference Commemorating the Living Legacy of Robert H. Jackson](#). The Conference was sponsored by SUNY-Fredonia, the Jackson Center, and the Chautauqua Institution, and Professor Barrett's talk was entitled *Architect and Audience(s): Justice Jackson's Nuremberg, Across the United Nations and in the United States*.

In addition, Professor Barrett's essay *From Justice Jackson to Thomas J. Dodd to Nuremberg* was published in the *Supreme Court Historical Society Quarterly*. The essay was the basis of Professor Barrett's remarks when he introduced Senator Christopher Dodd at an event last semester in the courtroom at the Supreme Court. Professor Barrett was also quoted in *The New York Times* and *Newsday* regarding the recent Supreme Court nominations. Finally, Professor Barrett accepted appointment to the Legal History Committee of the Association of the Bar of the City of New York.

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Leonard M. Baynes, Professor of Law; Director, Ronald H. Brown Center for Civil Rights and Economic Development



Professor Baynes organized and hosted the [Ronald H. Brown Center Conference on the LSAT, U.S. News & World Report and Minority Admissions](#) and moderated a panel at the conference on *The Regulatory, Legal and Ethical Issues in Achieving a Racially Diverse Student Body*. The Brown Center was also awarded \$50,000 grant from the [Ford Foundation](#) to host a conference entitled *Rethinking the Discourse on Race: A*

Symposium on How the Lack of Racial Diversity in the Electronic Media Affects Social Justice.

In addition, Professor Baynes' article *Race, Antitrust Theory, Media Consolidation, and Online Content: the Lack of Substitutes Available to Media Consumers of Color* was accepted for publication by the [Michigan Journal of Law Reform](#) as part of a symposium on [Media Regulation at the Turn of the Millennium](#). Another article, *Don't Let the Present Dictate the Future: A Program for Disadvantaged Youths Who Might Consider a Career in Law* was accepted for publication in the [ABA Business Law Today](#) magazine. Finally, Professor Baynes completed his study of the largest majority- and minority-owned businesses in Queens. Entitled *The Q-626 Report: A Study Analyzing the Diversity of the 626 Largest Businesses, and the 105 Largest Minority-Owned Businesses*, the report is currently being circulated in the Queens business community.

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Joseph J. Beard, Professor of Law



While continuing work on his book about Charles Dickens and copyright, Prof. Beard served as toast master at the 103rd annual meeting of the International Dickens Fellowship in Canterbury, England, and gave an illustrated lecture on Dickens' first visit to America in 1842. Prof. Beard also appeared briefly in two episodes of the BBC production *Dickens in America*.

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Christopher J. Borgen, Assistant Professor of Law



Prof. Borgen's article [Transnational Tribunals and the Transmission of Norms: The Hegemony of Process](#) was accepted for publication by the *George Washington International Law Review*.

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Robin A. Boyle, Assistant Professor of Legal Writing



Professor Boyle's article *Contract Drafting Courses for Upper-Level Students: Teaching Tips* was accepted for publication in [Perspectives: Teaching Legal Research and Writing](#).

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Gina M. Calabrese, Assistant Professor of Clinical Education



On September 15 and 16, Professor Calabrese co-taught a Financial Management Teacher Training Program for professionals who counsel consumers on debt management. The program was sponsored by the Coalition for Consumer Bankruptcy Debtor Education, New York Law School, and Fordham Law School. On September 24, Professor Calabrese oversaw the Law School's participation in [Service Day](#), a University-wide day of community service. Law students coached fifth graders from Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary School in Jamaica as they conducted a mock

trial in the Belson Moot Court Room, with the children's families, teacher and principal proudly watching.

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Elaine M. Chiu, Assistant Professor of Law



Prof. Chiu's article *Culture in Our Midst* was accepted for publication by the [Journal of Law and Public Policy](#) (University of Florida) as part of a symposium on "[Culture and Crime](#)" organized by the [ABA Multicultural Women Attorneys Network](#) at the University of Florida.

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Nina J. Crimm, Professor of Law



On September 23, Professor Crimm participated in a roundtable entitled *Mandate for Mischief: the Patriot Act and the Non Profit Arts* at the NYU Wagner Graduate School of Public Policy

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Mary C. Daly, Dean and John V. Brennan Chair of Law and Ethics



Dean Daly was re-appointed by Chief Judge Judith Kaye to a five-year term as Commissioner on the New York State Unified Court System Ethics Commission. In addition, on September 30, she spoke to the New York State Bar Association Trusts and Estates Law Section on *Ethical Considerations in Estate Planning*. On September 27, she spoke at Greenberg Traurig LLP on *Issues of Confidentiality and Communications with Other Lawyers*.

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Ann L. Goldweber, Assistant Professor of Clinical Education; Director of Clinical Education



On September 14, as part of a state-wide slate of activities for "Seniors Week," Professor Goldweber gave a presentation at the PAL Senior Center in Queens about predatory lending, reverse mortgages and home improvement contractor fraud.

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David L. Gregory, Professor of Law



On September 30, Professor Gregory presented his paper *Blessed Frederick Ozanam, Founder of the St. Vincent de Paul Society* at The Catholic Worker St. Joseph House in Manhattan. He was also quoted in *The New York Times* regarding impending airline bankruptcies.

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Theresa A. Hughes, Assistant Professor of Clinical Education



On September 22, Professor Hughes participated in a program at the Queens County Bar Association entitled *Interviewing Child-Clients in Child Protective Proceedings*. The program was co-sponsored by the Child Advocacy Clinic.

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Lawrence Joseph, Rev. Joseph T. Tinnelly, C.M., Professor of Law



Professor Joseph's two recently published books of poetry continued to receive favorable reviews. Writing in *The New York Times Book Review*, David Kirby compared Professor Joseph's poems to those of Wallace Stevens and T.S. Eliot, and noted: "Like Henry Adams, Joseph seems to be writing ahead of actual events, and that makes him one of the scariest writers I know." In September, Professor Joseph conducted poetry readings at The Strand Book Store (with Kermit Roosevelt, Professor of Law at the University of Pennsylvania Law School and author of *In the Shadow of the Law*), at Poets House, and at the Sky Club at a [St. John's Alumni Book Reception](#). A list of Professor Joseph's upcoming readings and appearances is available [here](#).

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Margaret N. Kniffin, Professor of Law



Professor Kniffin attended the September 25 American Law Institute Meeting, at which she commented on Section 48(2) of the most recent draft of the Restatement Third of Restitution.

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Robert E. Parella, George F. Keenan Professor of Real Property Law



Professor Parella was quoted in *The New York Times* Real Estate Section in response to a reader's question about constructive trusts.

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Michael A. Perino, Professor of Law



Prof. Perino presented his paper, [Strategic Statutory Interpretation in Federal District Courts: Evidence from Securities Fraud Actions](#) at Boston College Law School (September 19), Seton Hall Law School (September 26), and Cornell Law School (September 30). He also presented a draft of his paper *Market and Monitors: The Impact of Competition and Experience on Attorneys' Fees in Securities Class Actions* at Cardozo Law School.

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Susan J. Stabile, Professor of Law



Professor Stabile's article [*A Catholic Vision of the Corporation*](#) was accepted for publication by the [*Seattle Journal for Social Justice*](#). In addition, on September 16, Professor Stabile presented her paper *John Courtney Murray and the Abortion Debate* at the [*Villanova University Third Annual Symposium on Catholic Social Thought and the Law*](#). On September 23, Professor Stabile gave a presentation at the Fall Clinical Meeting of the [*New York State Chapter of the American College of Clinical Pharmacy*](#) entitled *Conscientious Objections: Legal and Ethical Considerations*.

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Brian Z. Tamanaha, Chief Judge Benjamin N. Cardozo Professor of Law



Professor Tamanaha presented a paper entitled *How Legal Instrumentalism Corrodes the Rule of Law* at a faculty workshop at Cardozo Law School. The paper, which comprises two chapters of his forthcoming book on instrumentalism, grew out of the inaugural Montesquieu Lecture at the University of Tilburg entitled [*The Perils of Pervasive Legal Instrumentalism*](#). In addition, Professor Tamanaha wrote an article for the *Village Voice* entitled [*The Conservative Crack-Up Over Harriet Miers*](#), which grew out of his postings on the [*Balkanization*](#) blog.

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Cheryl L. Wade, Dean Harold F. McNiece Professor of Law



On September 30, Professor Wade spoke at a conference at Washburn University School of Law in Kansas entitled [*Smith v. Van Gorkom 20 Years Later*](#).

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G. Ray Warner, Professor of Law; Director, L.L.M. in Bankruptcy Program



Professor Warner made two presentations at New York University's [*Lawrence P. King & Charles Seligson Workshop on Bankruptcy and Business Reorganization 2005*](#). His presentations were entitled *Claims, Priority, Estate Property & Discharge* (September 14) and *Legal Ethics and Bankruptcy Professional Issues* (September 15). Professor Warner also presented *Attorney Liability and Sanctions Under The 2005 Bankruptcy Amendments* at the [*25th Annual Midwestern Bankruptcy Institute*](#) on September 30.

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Timothy Zick, Associate Professor of Law



Prof. Zick's article [*Space, Place, and Speech: The Expressive Topography*](#) was accepted for publication by the *George Washington Law Review*. In addition, his article [*Are the States Sovereign?*](#), was published at *83 Washington University Law Quarterly* 229.

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