

# LSU Law

## Monthly Highlights – December 2018

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**FALL GRADING**

December 10 -- Moodle opens at 9 am for fall grade entries

January 3, 2019 – All fall grades due by 10am - Moodle will turn off at 10:01 am, January 3

**Important Dates**

December 12 – Annual Holiday Celebration – 4 pm @ Faculty Club

December 21 – Last day Law Center is open for 2019

Dec. 24 – Jan. 1 – Law Center Closed for the Holidays

**Faculty Highlights**

Dean Galligan has been selected as the 2018 Louisiana Distinguished Professor by the Louisiana Bar Foundation and will be honored at the 33<sup>rd</sup> Annual Fellows Gala on Friday, April 5, 2019.

On November 9, Dean Galligan moderated a CLE panel at the 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Class Action/Complex Litigation Symposium co-sponsored by the LSBA and the National Board of Trial Advocacy. The topic was “Navigating Game Changing Dynamics”. He has been invited to speak on several CLE panels in December. On Dec. 7, he will participate in a CLE presentation at the annual Louisiana Association of Defense Counsel/Louisiana Judicial College Torts Seminar; the topic will be “Louisiana Tort Law Update and a Primer on the Louisiana Duty-Risk Analysis.” He has been invited to make a CLE presentation to the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals on December 13, as well as to speak at the annual Louisiana Association for Justice Last Chance CLE on December 14. His topics at these CLE events will also include recent developments in tort law, as well as Louisiana duty-risk analysis.

Dean Galligan has also been asked by the University to serve on the LSU Executive Vice President and Provost Search Committee.

Professor Corbett spoke at the Louisiana Attorney General's 2018 Annual Continuing Legal Education Seminar in Baton Rouge on October 16, 2018. His topic was "Recent Developments: Civil." He presented to the New Orleans ABA/EEO Committee on "Recent Developments in Labor and Employment Law" on Oct. 16, 2018. Prof. Corbett spoke on the LSU Recent Developments CLE program in Lafayette on October 18, in Monroe on Oct. 25, in Lake Charles on November 1, and in Baton Rouge on November 15. Prof. Corbett recorded a podcast on the subject of the evolving standard for determining joint employer status for the Louisiana Law Review's Legal Ease with Law Review board members Catherine Briley and Brooke Bahlinger.

Prof. Corbett was also inducted as a fellow in the College of Labor and Employment Lawyers at the annual induction dinner in San Francisco on November 10.

Professor Baier was a featured speaker at the investiture of Judge S. Kyle Duncan, November 9, 2018, United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit.

Professor Donelson's essay "Fuller and the Folk: The Inner Morality of Law Revisited" (co-authored with Ivar Hannikainen) was accepted for publication in the latest volume of *Oxford Studies in Experimental Philosophy* (forthcoming 2019).

Professor Christina Sautter co-authored the hornbook, "[Mergers & Acquisitions Law](#)," published by West Academic Publishing.

Professor Keith Hall will speak on the subject *What is a "landman"? What can they do? Ethics Involved in Using a Landman* at a University of Texas Bar Association CLE on oil and gas issues in Austin, Texas on December 5, 2018.

Professor Marlene Krousel will speak on Effective Legal Writing at the Baton Rouge Bar Association's CLE by the Hour seminar on December 13.

## **Office of Alumni Relations & External Communications**

### **Distinguished Alumnus Awards Celebration**

Friday, March 22, 2019

Hotel Intercontinental, New Orleans

Time: Sponsors' Reception 6:15 p.m., Awards Dinner 7:00 – 10:00 p.m.

### **Student Scholarship Reception**

The LSU Law Center will host its annual Student Scholarship Reception on March 12, 2019, at The Club at Union Square (formerly the Faculty Club) on Highland Road and Veterans Drive from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. The reception allows student scholarship holders and donors and/or representatives to meet in person. Students should take this wonderful opportunity to thank their donor(s) or representative(s) for their generosity to the Law Center and to network with others.

The 2018-19 academic year marks the 10th anniversary of the LSU Law Clinic. To celebrate a decade of legal education through practice, the Law Clinic will hold a celebration at 5 p.m. on

Jan. 31 in the Student Lounge. The Louisiana Law Review's annual symposium will be held the following day on the topic of "Criminal Justice Reform: Celebrating the 10th Anniversary of the Louisiana State University Law Clinics."

### **Clinical Programs**

On November 9, 2018, the efforts of Chris Chesne '19 and Justin Spears '19 resulted in one of their clients, a native of Turkey who was granted asylum in the United States in February 2018, being reunited with his wife after almost two years of separation and meeting his daughter for the first time. This challenge was one of the most difficult the LSU Immigration Law Clinic has faced.

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