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## HAPPY NEW YEAR!

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In September, **DIANE AMANN** presented (1) "Military and Civilian Justice in the United States and the Post-September 11 Military Commissions" in Paris as part of a military justice research project; and (2) a paper on military commissions at a RAND Corporation conference on "Terrorism, Global Security and the Law." She is the editor of International Criminal, Transnational & Comparative Criminal Law, an online journal launched by the Social Science Research Network. Diane was (1) named Co-Chair of ASIL West, a new project aimed at giving a regional presence to the American Society of International Law; and (2) elected

Secretary of the International
Law Section of the Association of
American Law Schools (AALS),
and to the Executive Committee
of the AALS National Security
Law Section. **KCBS** radio (San
Francisco) interviewed Diane on
antiterrorism measures and
military justice.

JACK AYER published
Bankruptcy Overview: Issues,
Law, and Policies,
(5th edition, American
Bankruptcy Institute).

In November, **ANDREA BJORKLUND** presented a paper on investment treaty arbitral decisions at a American Society of International Law conference in Bretton Woods, New Hampshire. In January, she participated in "The Future of Investment Agreements" conference at Boalt Hall.

**ALAN BROWNSTEIN** delivered his annual Supreme Court Review lecture to the Sacramento Chapter of the Federal Bar Association. He testified before the California Senate Judiciary Committee on the constitutionality of a proposed state constitutional amendment that would permit state funding for the repair and maintenance of California missions. In a program for USC undergraduates, Alan debated Eugene Volokh (UCLA) about whether the government should endorse religious beliefs. He completed an article for the **Case Western Reserve** Law Review and an anthology on "The Establishment of Religion Clause." Court's decision in Fernandez-Vargas v. Gonzalez.

In October, **JENNIFER CHACÓN** presented a paper at the University of Chicago Legal Forum's immigration law symposium. She presented a paper at symposia commemorating the 40th anniversary of *Loving v. Virginia* at Wisconsin and UC Berkeley law schools. The **Christian Science Monitor** quoted Jennifer in a story about immigration raids in Georgia.

ANUPAM CHANDER presented his paper "NetWork" as the Dean's Distinguished Visitor at Washington University in St. Louis in October and at a faculty workshop at Northwestern in January. Anupam co-authored with MADHAVI SUNDER the introduction to the UC Davis Law Review intellectual property symposium, which will be published this spring.

**HOLLY COOPER** served as an expert witness on immigration law in a criminal trial in Tucson. The American Immigration Lawyer's Association appointed Holly to the Liaison Committee to the Office of Chief Immigration Judge and the Board of Immigration Appeals. Holly appeared on television news in San Francisco about one of her cases. She and her clinical students were profiled in the Daily Journal. Holly recently edited California Law & Crimes by Kathy Brady. She also conducted trainings for the public defender's offices of Alameda and Solano counties.

**JOEL DOBRIS** published a letter to the editor in the **Financial Times** (London).

**HOLLY DOREMUS** published (1) "Reinvigorating the Union of Wonder and Power," in the Virginia Environmental Law Journal; (2) "Using Science in a Political World: The Importance of Transparency in Natural Resource Regulation," in **Rescuing Science from Politics** (Wendy E. Wagner and Rena Steinzor, eds., Cambridge Univ. Press); and (3) a book review in Conservation Biology. She spoke at Georgetown University Law Center; California State Bar **Environmental Law Section** 

annual meeting; University of Minnesota Consortium on Law and Values in Health, Environment, and the Life Sciences; Center for Natural Lands Management; and Program for Interdisciplinary Mathematics, Ecology, and Statistics at Colorado State. Holly co-organized a Working Group on Science and Natural Resource Regulation, co-sponsored by the John Muir Institute of the Environment. She is participating in a project of Stanford Law School and the Resources Legacy Fund, on the legal foundations of area-based ocean management off California.

**HAP DUNNING** published "San Joaquin Settlement–Friant Dam Litigation" in **The Water Report**.

BOB HILLMAN assisted Liberia's President Ellen Johnson-Sirleaf and her Ministers in renegotiating an iron ore concession with Arcelor Mittal Steel calling for a \$1 billion investment in Liberia. Bob also published the 2006 edition of The Revised Uniform Partnership Act and was quoted in an ABA Journal article on law firm partnership agreements and in an ABA E-Journal article on in-house counsel.

In December, **BILL HING** appeared on a Chinese-audience television talk-show in the Bay Area, to discuss U.S. immigration policy on Asian immigration. He was invited by the Ford Foundation, Carnegie Corporation of New York, and Open Society Institute, to discuss his new book, **Deporting Our Souls**, with potential funders. Bill

published "A Nation of Immigrants, Unfinished," in Keeping America Open: Open Society Institute's U.S. Programs Tenth Anniversary Report.

In October, **LISA IKEMOTO** participated at the Annual LatCrit Conference at UNLV and at a conference hosted by the Greenlining Institute and UC Berkeley. In November, she addressed the interdependence of the fertility industry and the stem cell research enterprise in Chicago. On campus, Lisa is participating in the Stem Cell Research Training Program and joined the board of the UC Davis Consortium for Women and Research.

Fresh from a fall visit at Ohio State, **ED IMWINKELRIED** published supplements to McCormick on Evidence, California Evidentiary Foundations. Courtroom Criminal Evidence, Evidence Code Annotated, The New Wigmore, New York Evidentiary Foundations, and Exculpatory Evidence; and articles in **Iudicature** (2), the Alabama Law Review, St. John's Law Review, St. Louis University Law Journal, The Irish Jurist, and Criminal Law **Bulletin**, as well as two expert testimony columns for the National Law Journal. Ed also

conducted (1) a workshop on the implications of recent psychological research for the future of character evidence at Ohio State; and (2) spoke at a National College of District Attorneys seminar in Georgia.

**KEVIN JOHNSON** recently participated on a panel at the AALS annual meeting, and conferences at UC Berkeley (Boalt Hall), UNLV, and Sacramento State. He gave a series of presentations, including a keynote speech at Ithaca College, as part of Latino Heritage Month. Kevin also presented his new book at a faculty workshop at BYU law school. He published book reviews in the American Journal of Legal History and Latino Studies, and two pieces of commentary on the Legal Television Network website. Kevin was honored with the 2006 Community Recognition Award by the UC Davis Chicano Latino Chapter of the Cal Aggie Association. He was appointed to the Task Force on Lawyer Support for Legal Services. The Library of Congress selected the immigration law professors blog that Kevin manages with **JENNIFER CHACON** and **BILL HING**, for inclusion in its Historic Collection.

In September, **TOM JOO** presented a paper at the Law and Economics:
Toward Social Justice conference at Seattle University. This paper, which will appear in the journal Research in Law and Economics, received honorable mention in the AALS Contract Section Call for Papers and was a SSRN "Top Ten

Download." In January, Tom participated in a panel discussion on "Hurricane Katrina and Race" at the AALS annual meeting. He also spoke at a conference on progressive lawyering at Stanford. Tom was quoted in the Sacramento Bee and appeared on CNBC-TV to discuss corporate governance issues.

HOLLIS KULWIN participated on a panel at the recent AALS annual meeting on "The 'Wired' Generation: How Communication Technology Is Transforming Student Culture."

**CARLTON LARSON**'s recent article in the University of Pennsylvania Law Review formed the basis of an amicus brief filed in the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit challenging the detention of an alleged enemy combatant. The **Washington University Law Review** agreed to publish Carlton's latest article on titles of nobility and legacy preferences in public school admissions. The Harvard Environmental Law **Review** accepted for publication **AL LIN**'s article, "Size Matters: Regulating Nanotechnology." In October, he presented the article to the Florida law faculty.

DEAN REX PERSCHBACHER and MARGARET JOHNS

published the second edition of their Introduction to Law coursebook The United States Legal System – An Introduction. His chapter "Keeping Pace with a Constantly-Evolving Role," was published in Law School Leadership Strategies. Dean Perschbacher, along with Dean Edley (Boalt Hall) and Associate Dean Neil Parker (UCLA medical school) addressed the UC Regents regarding professional school fees. His presentation is available on the law school's web page.

LISA PRUITT was interviewed by the Reporter's Committee on Freedom of the Press about the future of sexual slander. She participated in a symposium at the University of Iowa. The Journal of Gender, Race, and Justice will publish her article, "Missing the Mark: Welfare Reform and Persistent Poverty in Rural America."

In January, **CRUZ REYNOSO** received the Outstanding Citizen Award from the Martin Luther King Jr. Scholarship Fund. Cruz attended meetings in Saipan of the Garment Oversight Board, which was established pursuant to a settlement of a class action on behalf of garment workers. He received the Chancellor's Achievement Award for Diversity and Community. Congratulations to Cruz, now a Professor Emeritus!

**DONNA SHESTOWSKY** coached a team of students in the regional ABA law student negotiation competition in San Diego. The team ranked third overall

and advanced to the nationals, which will be held in Miami.

**DAN SIMMONS** finished his term as chair of the Davis Division of the Academic Senate. but continues to serve on the Committee on the National Laboratories, and the Faculty Welfare Committee Task Force on Investment and Retirement. Dan published problem sets for new editions of his three new tax casebooks. Dan recently spoke at the Tulane Tax Institute on current developments in corporate taxation. He continues to serve as chair of the Graduate Group for the LL.M. program in International Commercial Law. In December. Dan traveled to Beijing with **DEAN REX PERSCHBACHER** and International Programs Director **BETH GREENWOOD** to discuss course offerings and student and faculty exchange programs with the China University of Political Science and Law.

JIM SMITH led a seminar comparing U.S. and European immigration law at the School of Law of the Universidad de Alicante in Spain. The seminar was followed by a roundtable discussion with Spanish immigration officials.

**MADHAVI SUNDER** gave talks at the London School of Economics, Stanford, Washington University, Berkeley, Northwestern, and at an NYU/Columbia Colloquium on intellectual property. She published "IP<sup>3"</sup> in the **Stanford Law Review**.

**MARTY WEST** was invited to participate in the 8th annual working conference of the International Network on Transformative Employment and Labor Law. She was appointed by the American Association of University Women (AAUW) to its Legal Advocacy Fund's national lawyers' screening committee to help select the sex discrimination cases AAUW financially supports. Marty co-authored the American Association of University Professor's report, "AAUP Faculty Gender Equity Indicators 2006," commented on by, among other publications, the Chronicle of Higher Education. In December, Marty was quoted in a Los Angeles Times article on the litigation over the taking of management powers from the Los Angeles School District's Board of Education. She addressed the California Agricultural Leadership Foundation's 36th class on agricultural labor law developments in California.

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