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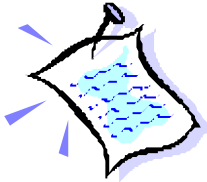
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## NEED TO KNOW



**CONGRATULATIONS** to Eddie Eichol – Dean Douglas and the Faculty Selection Committee are pleased to announce that Eddie is the 2012/13 Draper's Scholar. He is a splendid choice and we are happy for this opportunity for him.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Justin Mahramas, Matt Deatley, Kate Ward, and Sarah Hilbert for their success at the ABA Regional Negotiation Competition in Richmond! Justin and Matt were the tournament champions and qualified to compete in the National Finals in New Orleans this spring. Of the 24 teams competing, both W&M teams were among the top four and advanced to the semi-finals. ADR is having a record season!"

**DUE TODAY!!! W&M TRANSACTIONAL LAW TEAM SEEKING NEW MEMBERS** - The Transactional Law Team is seeking 2Ls and 3Ls interested in competing in a Transactional Law Meet. The team will draft an executive employment agreement, mark-up three draft agreements, and negotiate the agreements at the tournament. The problem will drop December 16 and the draft agreement will be due January 13. The markups will be due February 3. Interested students should send a GPA redacted resume and statement of interest to [wmtransactionalteam@gmail.com](mailto:wmtransactionalteam@gmail.com). Applications must be received by December 2 at midnight.

**FACULTY CAN HELP STUDENTS SAVE ON TEXTBOOKS!** The earlier book requests are received at the bookstore the more time we have to locate used book units. Used books save students 25%! Knowing your book information allows us to allocate rental titles. Rentals save students more than 50%! Book information can be submitted via email at [wmttext@wm.edu](mailto:wmttext@wm.edu).



**BLSA'S THANKSGIVING BASKET COMPETITION** collected 2,681 nonperishable food items! This far surpassed the number of food items collected in prior years. BLSA would like to extend its appreciation to The Fresh Market, Harris Teeter, Bloom Grocery, and Trader Joe's for donating items. In addition, BLSA would like to thank Campus Kitchen for assisting in packaging and distributing the food to local Williamsburg families. BLSA also thanks its judges, Dean Douglas, Susan Grover, Jayne Barnard, and Ami

Dodson. BLSA aimed to feed 42 local families in the Williamsburg area. However, they collected more than enough. Food in surplus will be distributed to local food banks.

Here are the winners for each category:

**Overall Judge's Choice:**

- 1st: Tarley & Strock
- 2nd: Heikes & Brown
- 3rd: Clancy, Conner, Soberick,  
& Burnham

**Best Content:**

- 1st: Tarley & Strock
- 2nd: Fox & Jackson
- 3rd: Heikes & Brown

**Most Creative:**

- 1st: Tarley & Strock
- 2nd: Heikes & Brown
- 3rd: Dougherty and Bryant

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

**PSF GIFT SHOP HOLIDAY PRE-ORDER!** Need some presents for friends and family but don't have time for holiday shopping? Let PSF bring your favorite W&M merchandise right to your hanging file! PSF will be doing an end-of-the-semester pre-order sale - check your hanging file for an order form, drop your completed order form and payment in the PSF hanging file by next **MONDAY**, December 5, and PSF will assemble your order and deliver it to your hanging file (or arrange for you to pick it up) by **FRIDAY** 12/9. Email [publicservicefund@gmail.com](mailto:publicservicefund@gmail.com) with any questions, if you need an order form, or to arrange a credit card payment!

**FACULTY/STAFF APPRECIATION DAY AT THE BOOKSTORE** - Visit and shop at the bookstore on Friday, December 9, for an additional 10% off your purchases. Nook e-readers and textbooks are excluded from the additional discount; however your regular staff/faculty discount can still be applied to these items. Can't make it on the 9<sup>th</sup>? Stop by from 6:00-9:00 p.m. on Thursday, December 1, for the same deal!

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## ADMISSIONS

### FINANCIAL AID / SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

**Dinsmore & Shohl LLP Diversity Scholarship Program:** In addition to working as a salaried summer associate in one of Dinsmore's offices, recipients will receive a scholarship between \$5,000-10,000. They seek applicants who have a strong record of academic or professional achievement, demonstrated leadership qualities and a meaningful commitment to diversity. **Second-year students** must apply by September 15, 2011. First year students should apply between December 1 and December 31, 2011. For more information, visit <http://www.dinsmorecareers.com/Diversity/DiversityScholarshipProgram.aspx>.

**Dinsmore and Proctor & Gamble** are also offering a unique opportunity for one **first-year law student**. The recipient will be a salaried Summer Associate for both P&G and Dinsmore, splitting a 12-week internship between both organizations' Cincinnati, OH offices. Interested first-year students may apply between December 1 and December 31, 2011.

**Donald W. Banner Diversity Scholarship** is offering \$5,000 scholarships to eligible first and second year law students who are pursuing a career in IP law. For eligibility requirements and an application, please stop by the Law School Admission Office. The deadline is January 5, 2012.

**Harter Secrest & Emery LLP Diversity Scholarship Program** will award one 1L law student with (1) a \$7500 scholarship to be applied to the student's second year tuition and (2) a paid 10-week summer associate position between the student's first and second year of law school. They seek applicants who (1) possess an academic record, interest, and capacity that evidence great promise for a successful career during the remainder of law school and in the legal profession and (2) contribute to the diversity of the student body at his or her law school. The deadline is January 20, 2012. For a more information about the scholarship and how to apply, please e-mail [emcavallari@wm.edu](mailto:emcavallari@wm.edu).

**Arent Fox LLP** is seeking applicants for its **7<sup>th</sup> Annual Diversity Scholarship Program**. The firm will award three 1L law students \$15,000, one in each of our three offices (Los Angeles, New York and Washington, DC), and scholarship recipients will join Arent Fox's 2012 Summer Associate Program. Applications will be accepted from December 1, 2011 through January 17, 2012 (Candidates may only apply to one office). For more information, visit <http://www.arentfox.com/firm/diversity/index.cfm?fa=scholarship>.

## LIBRARY

**Library Carrels** - Carrel registrations expire at the end of the examination period. If eligible, you can renew your carrel assignment for Spring 2012 by 6:00 p.m. on Friday, December 16. Beginning Monday, December 19, the library will allow checkouts of any remaining free carrel

space. Spring carrels expire May 4, 2012. Students who do not renew their carrel collections for Spring 2012 must clear their carrels of library books and personal items before 6:00 p.m. on Friday, December 16. The library staff will empty all un-renewed carrels of library and personal items after Friday the 16<sup>th</sup>.

**Restricted Library Access During Exams** - From Friday, December 2 at 5:00 p.m. until Friday, December 16 at 5:00 p.m., **Law Library access is limited to W&M law students** and others who need to use the Law Library for research purposes. Please remember that patrons needing reference assistance and those using library materials **are permitted** access.

## OFFICE OF CAREER SERVICES

The Office of Career Services publishes biweekly emails on Mondays and Thursday called the "OCS Biweekly Bulletin." Contact Dean Jennifer Thurston at [jmthurston@wm.edu](mailto:jmthurston@wm.edu) for more information.

*Happy Holidays to One and All!*

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