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Monday Morning Update

March 5 - March 11

Hello Notre Dame Law School,

I hope everyone had an awesome weekend! It was a beautiful weekend here in South Bend and I hope everyone was able to get out and enjoy it. Trust me, after Spring Break things really pick-up work wise and the stress level certainly increases. However you get to bask in the glory of March Madness and watch as your brackets crumble into pieces after that 8/9 seed knocks out your Champion. I remember one year I had a Missouri/Duke final and they both proceeded to lose to 15-seeds on the same day. After just 10 hours of basketball, one-half of my Final Four and 100% of my final was gone. I am, admittedly, terrible at brackets. This is primarily because I believe too much in teams like UVa, who has not gotten to a Final Four since 1984, and I really dislike Duke, UNC, Kansas, and Kentucky (who all go to the Final Four quite

frequently).

This year, there is about a 0% chance I do not have UVa winning it all and I will likely have Duke, UNC, Kansas, and Kentucky out at the Sweet 16 or earlier. Some smart guy once said that insanity is doing the same thing over and over again and expecting a different result. Well to that guy I say, "Go Hoos."

Unfortunately my happiness likely prevented most of you from seeing the Fighting Irish in the Big Dance this year after Notre Dame came up short in Charlottesville. That being said, I think the Irish have an under-the-radar chance at winning the ACC Tournament in Brooklyn this week which would give them an automatic-birth. Bonzie Colson looks great and the team is fully healthy. Do not be surprised if the Irish make a run at the championship.

After that gloating, here are some Monday Musings:

1. HUGE shout-out to the law school's own, **Wes Chamblee!!** The 3L hailing from Wabash College WON the 178-pound Weight Class at Notre Dame's Bengal Bouts! A tremendous effort from a great guy. Congrats, Wes!



2. Another shout-out to the Moot Court Showcase teams of **3L Oralists Kayla Clark, Jon McCreary, Kaitlin Carreno, and Pat Manion** and **3L Brief-Writers**

Shannon Lewry and Brandon Haase. They argued in front of Justice Mary Yu of the Washington Supreme Court, Judge Stephen Murphy of the U.S. District Court of Appeals for the Eastern District of Michigan and Judge Kenneth Ripples of the Court of Appeals for the 7th Circuit. I was able to attend and they all did a great job! Congrats, guys!

3. Father Mike is coming up on March 27th. We would love to have more talent and skit/video sign-ups for the show. If you are interested in either, please fill out these forms or contact me if you have any questions:

Talent: <https://goo.gl/forms/Q0DqVsJczOdI9vY83>

Skit/Video: <https://goo.gl/forms/HiLKEvdFj1fcFXDh2>

*****LOOK OUT FOR AN EMAIL FROM ME FOR WHEN TICKETS GO ON SALE THIS WEEK! WILL BE MONDAY OR TUESDAY*****

Lots of love,
Drew

Mass Schedule

For the Spring 2018 semester, Masses will be offered in the St. Thomas More Chapel as follows:

- Monday-Thursday, 5:15 PM
- Friday, 12:30 PM
- Sunday, 4:30 PM

Arnold & Porter Diversity Scholarship Opportunities

As part of Arnold & Porter's long-standing commitment to diversity and inclusion in the legal profession, the Firm is again sponsoring The Arnold & Porter Diversity and Inclusion Scholarship. Through this program, we award \$10,000 scholarships to highly qualified first-year law school students. Details regarding our scholarship, the application process, and the link to the online

application system can be found [here](#). The last day to submit an application is **Saturday, March 31, 2018**.

Please feel free to pass this information on to your law school contacts (students and administrators/professors).

If you have any questions regarding our Diversity and Inclusion Scholarship Program, please contact [Brenda Carr](#), [Jennifer Gewertz](#), [Emilie Lawson](#), or [Jenny Li](#).

LEGAL WRITING CENTER

The Legal Writing Center is dedicated to helping law students become better writers. Our tutors accomplish this goal by listening attentively in writing conferences, reading papers carefully, and asking questions that can help writers better express their ideas and construct their arguments. Legal Writing Center tutors work with writers during all stages of the writing process—from understanding an assignment, to developing a thesis, to organizing the paper, to revising the final product. Make an appointment [here](#) or drop in to room 2146 during the following hours:

Monday 9:00–12:00; 1:00–4:00

Tuesday 9:00–11:00

Wednesday 11:00–2:00; 4:00–5:00

Thursday 12:00–2:00; 4:00–5:00

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY

CCHR Summer Fellowship

Each year The Center for Civil and Human Rights awards a \$5,000 stipend for legal work in a public interest organization that promotes civil or human rights, and/or the enforcement of federal rights on behalf of underrepresented minorities. Open to 1L and 2L Notre Dame law students.

Applications are now being accepted for Summer 2018. Application deadline is Monday, March 19, 2018. More information can be found at: humanrights.nd.edu/fellowship

Vis Moot International Arbitration Team

The Vis Moot team will be selling **\$5 and \$2 tickets for different prizes in the Commons** and through Venmo (@ Notre Dame Vis Moot) from **March 5th-March 21st**. After buying the tickets, the person just has to answer a quick trivia question and can then choose what price they want to be entered in for. The proceeds help the Vis Moot team travel to Vienna to participate in one of the world's biggest international arbitration competitions.

Health & Wellness Information

Wellness in Mind - Need some support? Remember that your Wellness Consultant, Stella Miller, is here for you. Drop her a line at stella.miller@nd.edu or make an appointment at www.calendly.com/stellamiller.

Also, we encourage you to be mindful of the relaxation resources available at the [McDonald Center for Student Well-Being](#). These include [yoga](#), [Koru Mindfulness](#), the [Sleep Program](#), and restorative spaces like [the Living Room](#), [Break Room](#), and [Fort](#). Health support services are always available at [University Health Services](#) and the [University Counseling Center](#).

This Week @ NDLS

Monday - March 5

- **Kirkland & Ellis: Transactional Presentation: 13:30pm in Room 1310**
 - Kirkland & Ellis will give a presentation on transactional law.
- **SBA: Meeting - 12:30pm in Room 1310**
- **Externship Lunch & Learn: Externship Opportunities and Application Processes - 12:30pm in Room 1315**
 - Get answers to your questions about different externship opportunities and their application processes.

- **Bruno's Pizza will be served**

Tuesday - March 6

- **Student Animal Defense League: Professor Rebecca Huss - 12:30pm in Room 1130**
 - Professor Huss worked for the state on the Michael Vick prosecution. She will be discussing this infamous case and the Federal Animal Welfare Act's Animal Fighting Venue Provision.
 - **Jimmy Johns will be served**

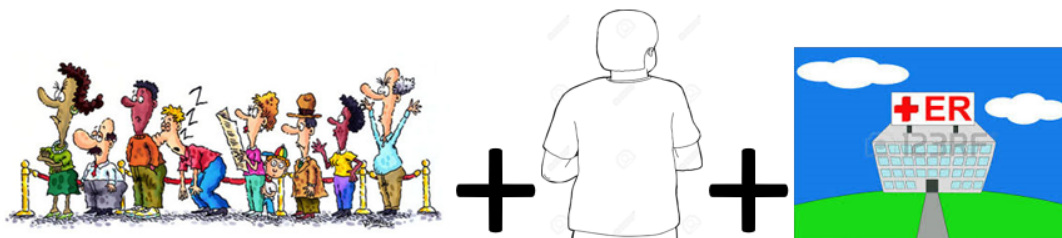
Wednesday - March 7

- **CCHR & Program on Constitutional Structure: Why Comparative Constitutional Law? - 12:30pm in Room 3130**
 - This event will consist of a talk from professor Santiago Legarre, Universidad Catolica, Argentina and Notre Dame Law School.
 - **Lunch will be served.**

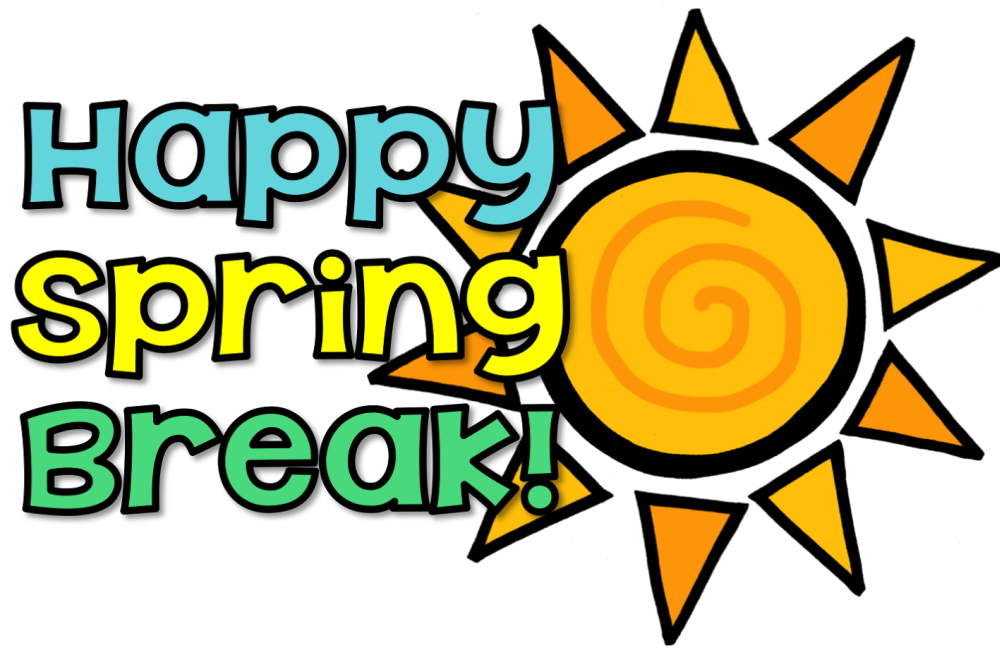
Thursday - March 8

- **IPLS: Practicing IP In-House: A Chat with Chris Putt from Thor Industries - 12:30pm in Room 1310**
 - Chris Putt is Assistant General Counsel at Thor Industries, a major company in the RV industry. He will speak about his experience practicing IP and data privacy law within the context of a company and how it compares to his time practicing IP at a firm.

Thursday Riddle:



Friday - March 9



Saturday - March 10

- Why aren't you home or on a beach?

Sunday - March 11

It's Spring Break, don't email me.

BUT if you have events for the week after Spring Break, please let me know!

1L OF THE WEEK

This week we have volunteer Grace Nickels! She graciously volunteered to be 1L of the week and now we get the pleasure of getting to know her more.

Thanks, Grace! Buy this woman a coffee!



Q: Where did you attend undergrad?

A: Notre Dame

Q: Where is your hometown?

A: Clarendon Hills, Illinois

Q: What did you do before law school?

A: I came to law school straight from undergrad!

Q: What did you do this summer?

A: This summer I worked for the in-house general counsel of a hedge fund in Chicago.

Now for the fun questions:

Q: Do you know what AIM was and if so, what was your screen name?

A: I did know what AIM was, but my parents were super strict and never let me make one. :(

Drew Side-Note: This is like 3 1Ls in a row without screen names. I am starting to question if I should have really had AIM access. Would my life be different?

Q: It's your 75th birthday. Where do you see yourself?

A: Retired in Portland, Maine in a cottage on the coastline next to a lighthouse with my pet, Todd. (Check out @ToddtheGecko on Instagram!)

Drew Side-Note: I hear Portland is amazing so I give kudos to this answer. However, I also get a salty-lighthouse watchman vibe with this one. Why near the light-house? Does she work it? If she does, do we

want a 75-old working such an important job? Is it just for the picturesque views? Also, not to get dark, but do geckos live that long?

Q: What would you name your boat if you had one?

A: Ship Happens

Drew Side-Note: A+ name, Grace. I would go with "I'm The Captain Now" or "This Was A Bad Decision" or "Tax Haven" and I would use the boat to catch shrimp and sell them/hide money from the government. International waters applies here, no?

Q: How many chickens would it take to kill an elephant?

A: I was actually asked this before by a professor last year. I think I said 2,500, or just one that REALLY believed in itself.

Drew Side-Note: The answer is actually 758, but they also need lasers and sharp talons.

Q: If you were transported 400 years into the past with no clothes or anything else, how would you prove that you were from the future?

A: I would probably try to stay pretty low-key to avoid being accused of witchcraft and burned at the stake or something.

Drew Side-Note: Smart move by Grace here. I would prove this by taking them on treks to the West Coast and show them the land they should buy. This would have drastic international implications, however this should still prove to them I'm from the future. Then I would build the Internet and invent Google.

HAVE A GREAT WEEK!

Submit content for next week's MMU!

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