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Welcome to the New Year

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Notre Dame Lawyers Connect | January-February 2018

Happy 2018!

Thank you Notre Dame Lawyers for your efforts in hosting our students visiting your cities during the winter break. Leaders from our Notre Dame Lawyer Committees assisted our student ambassadors in planning and hosting fabulous networking events that were well attended by our lawyers. Other ND Lawyers coordinated pro-bono and public-interest opportunities for our visiting Galilee students. NDLS is grateful for your time and efforts.

Tammye Radke Raster, '92 J.D.
Alumni Director

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Events

Save the Date -
NDLS Homecoming
Weekend 2018



Mark your calendars
for **September 14 and 15,**



The Notre Dame London Law Program turns 50 years old in 2018, and we want you to celebrate with us in London!

The [yearlong schedule of festivities](#) will culminate with a **four-day celebration October 20-23**. Mark your calendars for October and plan to join us for tours of London landmarks, presentations by top legal scholars, evening entertainment, and plenty of fellowship with Notre Dame Law School alumni, friends, and students. Anthony Travel is organizing the travel packages and itineraries to make the trip easy and fun for all who attend.

Thank you to those alumni who have already expressed interest in receiving more information about the October celebration. Details will be sent to you in the coming months. If you have not yet signed up to receive more information, please click on the button below.

[Send me information about London at 50](#)

You can also follow the event and share information with friends on [Facebook](#).

2018 for the “Second Annual NDLS Homecoming Weekend” when the Fighting Irish host Vanderbilt in Notre Dame Stadium! More information will follow in the coming months.

More than 300 students and Notre Dame Lawyers gathered at networking events over winter break



Students had the opportunity to network with Notre Dame Lawyers at events hosted by our lawyers in cities around the country during the first two weeks in January. Some of the students were participants in the Galilee program where they joined together in groups and traveled to cities to learn about public-interest and public-service law. The Galilee students along with other NDLS students joined Notre Dame Lawyers at local establishments to introduce themselves and learn more about the legal markets in those cities. ND Lawyer Committees participating included:

Notre Dame Lawyer

Law School alumni should have received the 2017 edition of Notre Dame Lawyer magazine in the mail recently.



If you would like a copy but did not receive one, send a request to Kevin Allen, the Law School's communications director, at kallen@nd.edu.

The cover story, [Notre Dame Lawyers Coast to Coast](#), explores the Law School's national character and how Notre Dame Lawyer Committees help tie our community together.

Other features highlight the tradition of [Notre Dame Law students serving as assistant rectors](#) and a feel-good story about the ways that [fellowships reward both donors and students](#).

Nominations | NDLA

NDLA seeking nominations for open Board of Directors positions

The Notre Dame Law Association Board of Directors is seeking nominations for alumni representatives to fill positions for **2018-2019** in the following regions:

- **Region 8:** Indiana (excluding northwest Indiana) and Kentucky
- **Region 9:** Ohio, western Pennsylvania and West Virginia

- Buffalo and Western New York Notre Dame Attorney Alumni Group
- Notre Dame Club of Chicago's Attorney Networking Committee
- Notre Dame Club of Detroit Lawyers Committee
- Notre Dame Club of Grand Rapids Lawyers Committee
- Notre Dame Lawyer Committee of the Notre Dame Club of Indianapolis
- Notre Dame Lawyer Committee of Los Angeles
- Notre Dame Club of Miami Lawyers Committee
- Notre Dame Lawyers of New York City
- Notre Dame Club of Orange County Lawyers Committee
- Notre Dame Lawyers Committee of the Philadelphia Region
- Notre Dame Lawyers Committee of Northern California
- Notre Dame Lawyers Committee of DC

View more photos [here](#).



Submit a Nomination at [NDLA 2018 Board Nominations](#). Nominations must be received no later than **Friday, February 23, 2018**.

For more information see the [NDLA webpage](#) or contact Tammye Raster at traster@nd.edu or (574) 631-6891.

Alumni | Feature



Jimmy Champlin, '09 B.A., '12 J.D. advocating for survivors of domestic violence in Chicago

James “Jimmy” Champlin is a legal aid attorney who is dedicating his work to serving survivors of domestic abuse in Chicago, IL. “A lot of people think of domestic violence as a women’s issue — and I think that’s really destructive. It’s not just a women’s issue,” he explains. Read more and view video [here](#).

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IP and Entrepreneurship Clinic secures patent for disease detection device

Recently the Law School's Intellectual Property and Entrepreneurship Clinic secured a patent for a University of Notre Dame invention that could help physicians detect serious diseases faster and more economically. The patent awarded on January 2, 2018, credits the invention to ... [Read more](#)

Students



Notre Dame Law School's Exoneration Project makes the News

NDLS students are tackling real-life criminal cases to help exonerate the innocent. "We took the

school by storm,” said Paulette, the club’s president. “We went from five members to over 100, and we started with absolutely nothing.” [Read More](#)

Alumni | Notes



Brian E. Hammell, '03 BA, '06 J.D. named partner at Sullivan & Worcester in Boston

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**Stacy D. Fredrich, '07 B.S., '10 J.D.
promoted to partner at Eversheds
Sutherland LLP in Atlanta**

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**Duy Duc “Dewey” Nguyen, ’11 J.D.
joins Fox Rothschild LLP in
Philadelphia**

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Joshua D. Dunlap, '08 J.D. elevated to partner at Pierce Atwood in Portland, Maine

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