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MONDAY MORNING
Update 

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This Week @ NDLS

General Announcements and Reminders

Crossings

Open **Monday thru Friday 7:30-4:00.**
The specials this week are:

Monday Nov 2 - Spicy Chic Sandwich
Tuesday Nov 3 - Meatball Sub
Wednesday Nov 4 - Turkey Bacon Panini
Thursday Nov 5 - BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwich
Friday Nov 6 - Mac and Cheese

FREE COFFEE from the SBA

Finals week is around the corner. Traditionally, the SBA would help organize a snack table during finals week which clubs would rotate sponsoring in the commons. This year, in light of COVID, we're doing things a little differently. So, for the next two weeks, **the SBA will be paying for coffee every morning from the open of the crossings café until noon.**

CDO

The CDO is still offering Walk-In Hours Monday through Friday, 12:45-4:45pm. What has changed is that you can't just walk into the CDO, but you can do them via Zoom, by [clicking here](#) or by using this URL: <https://notredame.zoom.us/j/95730218995>. The Meeting ID is 957 3021 8995. As in the past, walk-ins are meant to be 15 minutes or less. If you would like to schedule a longer meeting, you can do so by [clicking here](#), or via IrishLink. Or, you can call Heidi at 574-631-7542.

Resume Review! Make sure your resume is ready to be seen by employers by having it reviewed and edited by one of the CDO counselors. You can submit it [here](#).

London Law Program Town Hall

The Notre Dame London Law Program hosted a town hall for students on October 27. The session was recorded — [watch it here](#).

Note from Kresge Library

It has come to our attention that not everyone is aware of the hours that the study rooms are available. From now through November 13, 2020, the study rooms are available from 8 am to 10 pm, Monday through Friday, closed on the weekends. A law student is able to make a reservation for a room that is a 2-hour block, 1 reservation per person per day. Keys to the rooms are not available.

Beginning Saturday, November 14, 2020, the study rooms will be open 24/7 through November 23, 2020. Reservations are strongly recommended and will be a 4-hour block, 1 reservation per person per day. Keys to the rooms are not available.

If you have any questions about this information, please inquire at the circulation desk. Or send an email to lawcirc@nd.edu.

SBA Store

Come down to the basement store location to pick up all your NDLS paraphernalia needs. Due to the virus that shall not be named, the store is *not accepting cash this semester so please only bring card payment options*. Store hours are **Monday-Wednesday 11:30-3:30; Thursday 12:00-3:30; and Friday 11:30-2:00.**

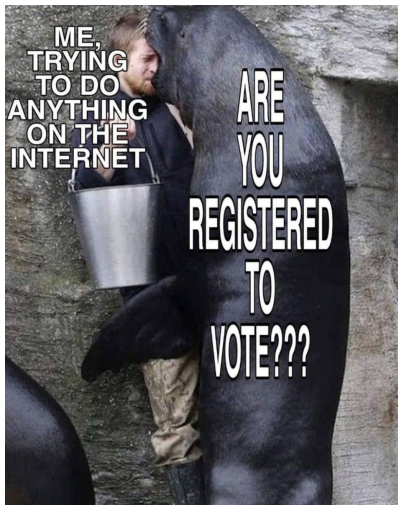
Monday - November 2

- **Parliament and the Brexit Process: the battle for constitutional supremacy in the United Kingdom**

- On 23 June 2016 the British people voted in a referendum to leave the European Union. However, the UK's formal exit from the EU was only secured on 31 January 2020. The intervening period was one of great political dramas during which Parliament became the focal-point for opposing forces, bitterly divided on the issue of Europe. This lecture will reflect upon the three years of Brexit-related strife and the lessons it offers for Parliament's place within the UK constitution. A number of forces emerged to rival Parliament as the embodiment of 'sovereignty' within the United Kingdom's constitutional order: the people themselves, the executive, the devolved governments and the courts. After such a bruising struggle for supremacy, where now for Parliament within the UK's unwritten constitutional system?
- Speaker: Professor Stephen Tierney (University of Edinburgh and Notre Dame London Law Program) and Moderator: Professor Anthony J. Bellia (University of Notre Dame Law School)
- **12:30-1:30pm, via Zoom:** https://notredame.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_UScNXLx6SoSEfcogFCXh9A
- **Catholics and the 2020 Election**
 - Please join the St. Thomas More Society on for a lecture by Father Bill Dailey, C.S.C, who will be speaking on the topic of Catholics and the 2020 election. Father Dailey serves as the rector of Zahm Hall, is a professor of law, and formerly served as the director of the Newman Center for Faith and Reason in Dublin Ireland. He is currently writing a book on the relationship between faith and reason.
 - Father Dailey has a unique charism to capture the difficulties of our time while reminding us of the triumphing hope in the Gospel, and I would love for him to share his perspective with the entire law school, regardless of one's faith affiliation.
 - **12:30pm, Courtroom** (the google sheet that you will need for attendance is located [here](#))
- **LexisNexis 1L Quick Tips Series: Statutory Research Tips**
 - Come hear how to research statutes in the most effective way. Plus, get 100 Lexis Reward Points for just 15 minutes of training!
 - Registration encouraged at: www.lexisnexis.com/lawschool
 - **12:30-12:45pm, via Zoom:** <https://relx.zoom.us/j/92596533855>
- Mass @ 5:15pm

Tuesday - November 3

- **ELECTION DAY**



- Mass @ 5:15pm

Wednesday - November 4

- Mass @ 5:15pm

Thursday - November 5

- **LexisNexis 2L/3L Quick Tips Series: Practical Guidance Tools for Transactional Practice**
 - Come hear about valuable Lexis resources that will help prepare you for the real-world practice of law. Plus, get 100 Lexis Reward Points for just 15 minutes of training!
 - Registration encouraged at: www.lexisnexis.com/lawschool
 - **12:30-12:45pm, via Zoom:** <https://relx.zoom.us/j/92596533855>
- **Just Global Health: Integrating Human Right and Common Goods**
 - The covid-19 pandemic throws into sharp relief fundamental questions about global health justice and the institutions that are tasked with securing it. This talk considers some of the basic building blocks for thinking about global health justice, in particular, individual human rights, including the human right to health, and common goods, such as herd immunity. It tries to articulate an account of global health justice that integrates both human rights and common goods in a coherent way, transcending the familiar idea that they are in an antagonistic relationship. Along the way, some implications for the policy response to the covid-19 pandemic are considered.
 - Speaker: Professor John Tasioulas (King's College London and Notre Dame London Law Program) and Moderator: Professor Jeffrey Pojanowski (Notre Dame Law School)
 - **12:30-1:30pm, via Zoom register here:** https://notredame.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_wMOOgtXHSRqhBIDxv7cfgw
- **Representing Jacob Blake: A Conversation with Patrick Salvi II, '07 J.D. & Sunny Hostin, '94 J.D.**

- The Law School welcomes Patrick Salvi, Jacob Blake co-counsel, and Sunny Hostin, 3x Emmy Award-winning journalist, author, and co-host, ABC's "The View," for a conversation on the meaning, challenges, and impacts of representing Jacob Blake. Join us to hear how our alumni invigorate the meaning of being a Different Kind of Lawyer in a post-George Floyd era.
- Co-sponsors: Black Law Students Association, Law Alumni Relations Office, Klau Center for Civil and Human Rights
- **4:00pm, via Zoom:** https://notredame.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_Ng0-doBbQ62wgta2LVptNw
- **Virtual Tailgate: Chicago**
 - The Alumni Office, along with the Notre Dame Lawyer Committees in markets of interest to our students will be co-hosting these virtual tailgates throughout this fall. Please join us for a virtual tailgate!
 - **7:30pm, RSVP:** <https://forms.gle/zdEL3J3Mp5dmySvi8>
- Mass @ 5:15pm

Friday - November 6

- **Free Coffee Fridays!**
 - Friday at Crossings, **all day** The Student Services Office has partnered with the Crossings Cafe to provide *Free Coffee Fridays* for law students until the end of the semester. Stop by Crossings to give yourself a caffeine boost on us!
- **Building an Anti-Racist Vocabulary: COVID Racial Data Tracking**
 - Join the Klau Center for Civil and Human Rights as [Rachel Lee](#), project manager for the Boston University Center for Antiracist Research's Racial Data Tracker, explores the impact of race and ethnicity on COVID-19 prevalence and outcomes. Ms. Lee's writing and research focuses on racism, anti-Blackness, and ethnocentrism in East Asian countries and Asian American communities, through a close examination of history.
 - [The Klau Center for Civil and Human Rights](#) presents *Building an Anti-Racist Vocabulary*, a weekly lecture series presenting preeminent scholars, thought leaders, and public intellectuals to guide our community through topics necessary to a deeper understanding of systemic racism and racial justice.
 - **12:45-1:45pm, via Zoom:** [Registration is required](#)
- Mass @ 12:30pm

Saturday - November 7

- **The Fighting Irish away versus the Clemson Tigers—Go Irish!**
 - **7:30pm, Notre Dame Stadium or on NBC**

Sunday - November 8

- Mass @ 4:30pm
- Send me content for next week's MMU!
 - Please include the name of the event, any details, date and time, and a zoom link if needed.
 - **Please try to have all submissions in by 8:00pm.**

Submit content for next week's MMU!

Resources and Updates

Legal Writing Center

The Legal Writing Center is open and accepting appointments for law students who wish to seek advice on papers, exam answer structures, outlining techniques, and other legal writing advice. Before making an appointment with the Center, please check with your professor to make sure your intended use of the Center is allowed under course policies. Appointments can be made through the following link:

<https://nd.mywconline.com>

Note for 1Ls: 1Ls are not allowed to use the Center in connection with their first year legal writing course. 1Ls are allowed to use the center for the other resources described above.

The Writing Center offers free, one-on-one consultations for undergraduates, graduate students, postdoctoral fellows, and faculty on any aspect of the writing process. We work with writers at ALL levels from ANY discipline at ANY stage in the writing process.

LOCATIONS and HOURS

- Zoom
 - Monday: 2:30- 5:30pm
 - Tuesday: 10:00-12:00pm
 - Wednesday: 3:30-5:30 pm
 - Thursday: 2:00-5:00pm

The Current Students Section of the NDLS Website

A reminder for all students - the NDLS website has a ton of great resources and contains the most up-to-date information about a variety of things. This includes:

- A list of [writing competitions](#) that may be of interest to students
 - Including the annual [Albert S. Pergam International Law Writing Competition](#) (deadline for submission is 4:00 p.m. EST on Friday, November 6, 2020, sent to Carra Forgea at cforgea@nysba.org).
- An [external scholarship database](#)

- [The most current locker/mailbox list](#)

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](#).

Interested in feeling more mindful, more rested, and less stressed? **Registration is open now for McWell's free Koru Mindfulness classes!** [Koru](#) is an evidence-based mindfulness program developed specifically for college students by experts at Duke University. By joining Koru, you'll commit to four 75-minute sessions that take place once per week for four consecutive weeks and learn a variety of mindfulness skills. It's short and sweet but will leave a lasting impact! Go to the [McWell website](#) for details and to sign up!

Check out the **ABA Mental Health Toolkit** [here](#).

Free Professional Headshots

The Meruelo Family Center for Career Development is offering [free professional headshots](#)! Every Monday and Tuesday from now until the end of the semester, headshots will be offered from 11 a.m. to noon to graduate and undergraduate students. Wear your business professional attire and get your picture taken to use on online profiles, such as LinkedIn and professional websites. RSVP required. [Sign up on Handshake](#).

NDLS News Recommendations

Check out [this Google sheets](#) for news sources recommended by NDLS students and professors. Feel free to add to the list as well!

SBA Dropbox

Please submit all of your questions, comments, concerns for the SBA [here](#).

COVID Corner

Reminders of these key COVID protocols for the Law buildings:

More information is on the Law School's website [HERE](#) or at here.nd.edu.

- **Card access required for all exterior doors until further notice.** All Law School faculty, staff and students will be able to access the building using your Irish1card and 4-digit code. The default code for your Irish1card is the two digit month and two digit day of your birth date (ie. Jan 1 = 0101). You can view and update your Irish1Card 4-digit code by going to this link: <https://irish1card.nd.edu/pin/> *Note: you must be logged into the VPN or be on the campus network for the link to work properly.*
- **Masks must be worn at all times while studying and in class.** You should not remove your mask when studying in Library or elsewhere in the Law School buildings unless you are in a study room *by yourself with the door CLOSED*. Please also use the provided spray to wipe down your

study space when you leave.

- **Eating is only permitted in the Commons and South Reading Room.** You cannot eat in the classrooms or Library study spaces. You may remove your mask only during the time in which you are actively eating. Please be aware of the needs of your classmates and do not use these spaces as study spaces if other students are waiting for a spot to eat their lunch.
- **All in-person meetings with faculty and staff must be scheduled.** Your professors will send you information about how to schedule appointments with them. You can schedule appointments with staff through the links below:
 - CDO: through [IrishLink](#)
 - Student Services (Christine Holst-Haley): <https://calendly.com/ndls-cholst>
 - IT Support (Eric McCartney): <https://calendly.com/emccartn>
 - Wellness Consultant (Stella Miller): <https://calendly.com/stellamiller>
 - Registrar (Jenny Fox): No in-person meetings, email Jenny at jenniferfox@nd.edu with questions or to set up a phone or Zoom call.

A Message From the Editor ~Secretary~

Good Morning NDLS!

Have you changed your clocks yet? The first weekend of November has always been one of my favorites in the year. In Texas, it is the opening weekend of deer season, and also, it is the end of Daylight Savings time! When I was little, I used to think the extra hour was a gift to hunters. I come from a family of night owls—we'll stay up until the wee hours of the morning, but getting up during one of those hours is a true struggle. But we will drag ourselves out of bed for a hunt, and I always thought the extra hour was a nice little kindness for hunters that had a hard time getting up at 5:30am that first weekend. I now know that it has absolutely nothing to do with hunting season. That does not change the fact that I love sleeping an extra hour every year, and hope you enjoyed it too.

Now in case you've been living under a rock, I figure I too must add to the chorus of all the people informing you that Tuesday is in fact Election Day, and you should indeed vote. I don't mean to sound so incredibly underwhelmed when encouraging participation in our democratic process—I truly believe that voting and civic engagement in general is both very exciting and very important. But it perhaps is the notably great value that I attach to said engagement that is the inherent source of my confusion as to why such an insane amount of encouragement is needed, or thought to be needed. I've always been excited to vote, but then again I was also gravely disappointed 1L year when I found out lawyers rarely sit on juries. Since I was not called for jury duty before arriving in these hallowed halls, the odds of me being on a jury are very slim, which is just very depressing to my patriotic soul. Having this deep rooted predilection for civic service and engagement, I simply do not understand how or why a person lacks a desire or interest in voting. I completely understand that there do exist barriers to individual's ability and ease of voting—that's not what I'm talking about. That is a whole other issue. What I am talking about are the people who "don't think it matters," "don't care," or thinks it "makes a statement" to not vote. Those are positions I just do not understand, and probably never will.

If there is one thing every person in my Statutory Interpretation class seems to agree on, it's that the system is not functioning properly right now. And if there is one thing my Statutory Interpretation class certainly has different opinions on, it's how best to go about addressing the disfunction. Certainly one important step, no matter you opinion on the solution, is to vote. So, in case you were waiting for yet another push to go out and vote tomorrow, do it. Also, try and get on a jury while you still can.

God bless America and have mercy on us during finals.

Go Irish!

Krystal

1L OF THE WEEK

This week's 1L of the Week is Lizzie Walter. She took time to talk with me last night when I'm sure she had better things to be doing. Not only that, she was a true joy. Buy her a free SBA coffee.



Q: Where is your hometown?

A: I am from Buffalo, New York. Go Bills! Everyone goes to games because they are so cheap, and we have to suffer together so it's bonding. Though I don't know if I can say that now because Josh Allen is pulling us up.

Q: Where did you attend and what did you study in undergrad?

A: I actually went here at Notre Dame and I studied English and Business, had to be a little practical at least.

Q: What did you do this summer?

A: I worked at a law firm, because I graduated in 2018. Thankfully the courts started up back up in New York and I worked over the summer.

Q: What did you do with your extra hour this weekend?

A: Definitely slept right on through it. I actually forgot about it until you mentioned it. Truly thriving.

Q: Have you ever been called for jury duty?

A: Eh no, thank God. I know it's my civic duty and whatever, but I'll let someone else do it. I mean what if you get it wrong? I would be the person that wakes up in the middle of the night ten years later worried about sending someone to prison.

Q: What's your favorite Christmas song?

A: Gotta go with the classic All I Want for Christmas is You, the deluxe extra festive theme song. I love

this time of year when Mariah Carey and Michael Bublé come out of hibernation.

Q: What kind of secret society would you start?

A: Just give me a minute. The one that is going to get Brittany Spears out of the conservatorship of her father. I definitely want to be a part of that cause.

Q: What's the best candle scent?

A: It is controversial because of course Apple Spice is good, but Pine Tree scents are better for focusing. The other ones just makes me want to eat dessert.

Q: What is your favorite Chess piece?

A: A rook. And I will not be explaining further.



Q: Do you have anything else you'd like to say to all of your fans?

A: Oh my fans, so many of them. Please no flash photography in the coming weeks. I will be spending all of my time indoors and will be sensitive to bright light and easily startle-able .

Q: Who do you nominate to be next week's 1L of the Week?

A: Definitely AJ Stautz.

3LOL: Mikhael Bunda

This week's 3LOL is Mikhael Bunda, another resident of the hundred year old house full of 3L dudes. Everyone will be happy and proud to know that Mikael and the other gentlemen did their civic duty as homeowners and put out candy for trick-or-treaters Halloween night. No one came as far as Mikhael is aware. It's the thought that counts.

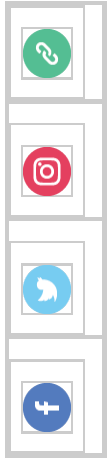


Though currently holding the worst record in the Madden competition, Mikhael is optimistic that he will make a come back and prevail as the champion. In fact, he's probably only behind currently because of all his other regular activities, which include exploring the South Bend area for a basketball court since the school's are shut down. Mikhael has been successful in finding three courts so far, but will not disclose their location since that is top secret information. Mikhael also has to keep up with all of the stars coming out of all of the The Voice's around the world via YouTube clips. He is convinced the best singers are from the Netherlands.

When the world is not in COVID, Mikhael likes to explore the world backpacking. No actual hiking is involved in Mikhael's adventures. Rather, meandering around places meeting new people and being out of his usual elements, like he did in Southeast Asia for two months. Post-Bar Mikhael is hoping to explore South America. Also in non-COVID times, Mikhael could be found most Thursdays at the so called 'Bar Review.' In fact, before they were for-sure cancelled, I had contracted Mikhael to be person responsible for coming up with the Thursday word scrambles. Alas.

Born in the San Francisco Bay area, moving to Philippines when he was three and then to Berkley for undergrad, today Mikhael today keeps up with the technology and business industries, and thinks that the value of algorithms and use of wearable devices are the next frontiers in technology and human understanding of health and society. So invest early people. Also, Mikhael suggests keeping your eyes on long term goals. Enjoy the process of getting there, work hard, and you'll get there.

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