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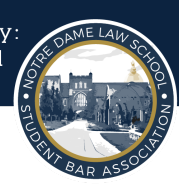
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**M**ONDAY **M**ORNING  
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**This Week @ NDLS**

**General Announcements and Reminders**

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**Crossings**

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

**Monday** - Spicy Chic Sandwich  
**Tuesday** - Chic Cordon Bleu Sandwich  
**Wednesday** - BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwich  
**Thursday** - Hot Italian Panini  
**Friday** - Mac and Cheese Bar

Non-meat options that are always available: Tuna Melt, Grilled Cheese, Black Bean Burger, Veggie, Tuna, Falafel

Crossings is now available through the GrubHub app Monday through Friday, from

8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

## **CDO**

The CDO is still offering Walk-In Hours Monday through Friday, 12:45-4:45pm. There is a new Walk-In link. <https://notredame.zoom.us/j/92926943286>

The Meeting ID is 92926943286

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.

## **The Father Mike Show**

Calling all Faculty, 1Ls, 2Ls, 3Ls, and LLM/JSDs! Interested in showing off your talents in the famous, annual NDLS tradition? Fill out [this interest form](#) by **Sunday, March 28 at 10pm**. Filling out the form does not commit or guarantee you to the show, I'm just trying to gauge interest for planning purposes. (As previously stated, the Father Mike Show is not guaranteed to happen this year, but we are really trying for it!)

## **Upcoming Deadlines**

London Law Program application is due on Wednesday, March 31st

## **Fall Externships Information for 1Ls and 2Ls**

This week, we have a host of Info Sessions about different externships for Fall 2021 (all are listed in the week's schedule below). The application deadline for most local externships is **Wednesday, April 7th, 11:59pm**. Each session will be led by a faculty member, and include time for Q&A. See the line-up below for details. We realize that some sessions conflict with class times, but we will be recording all the sessions and posting the links on the respective web pages.

More information about externships can also be found on our website, [here](#). There is also a 3-minute video which tells you all you need to know about the application and enrollment process:

<https://notredame.hosted.panopto.com/Panopto/Pages/Viewer.aspx?id=7bf17e99-578e-4142-a831-ac6f01172fd6>

Questions may be directed to Cathy Kustner, Externship Coordinator, at [ckustner@nd.edu](mailto:ckustner@nd.edu) or 574-631-9301.

## **Holy Week and Easter Mass Reservations**

Reservations will be necessary for all Triduum services on campus this year. **Request your ticket here** by **Wednesday, March 24 at 5:00pm**. To reserve a seat at a Basilica Easter Mass, please submit a request using the Basilica's [Easter reservation form](#) between **8:00am Monday, March 22 and Noon Wednesday, March 24**. Tickets will be assigned in the order the requests

are received. If you wish to sit near your roommates or friends, it is encouraged you to submit your forms at the same time. If you are a married student and wish to celebrate the Triduum services with your spouse, you are encouraged to submit the ticket request form and then email Campus Ministry at [basilica@nd.edu](mailto:basilica@nd.edu) to request a second ticket for your spouse.

## **SBA Store**

The SBA Store is open! Come get all of your NDLS gear **Monday-Thursday 11:30-3:30pm and Fridays 11:30-2:00pm.**

### Monday - March 22

- **Christian Legal Society Morning Prayer**
  - Join the Christian Legal Society family for a time of prayer, reflection, and fellowship. Coffee and snacks will be supplied to those in attendance!
  - This is a weekly gathering!
  - **8:30am, The Commons**
- Mass @ 5:15pm

### Tuesday - March 23

- **Global Lawyering in Practice: Litigation and Arbitration Abroad**
  - Join us for a conversation with Notre Dame alumni who help to resolve disputes for their clients abroad. We'll explore the nuances of managing cases and participating in an arbitration abroad, and examine what skills are most valuable when dispute resolution goes global. This panel will also spotlight opportunities in arbitration practices abroad and global aspects of litigation and regulatory compliance.
  - Speakers: [Brendan Gardiner](#), Chief Litigation & Regulatory Counsel and Director of Insurance at Archer Daniels Midland Company, NDLS 2000 [Michael J. Stepek](#), Partner, Winston & Strawn, LLP, London and New York
  - **8:00-9:00am, via Zoom:** <https://notredame.zoom.us/j/93047706772?pwd=Szl2M0dHcGhyV1FsaHUzMTNOU05LUT09> (Meeting ID: 930 4770 6772 Passcode: 153558)
- **'The Kids are Alright': A Discussion of *Fulton v. City of Philadelphia***
  - Professor McAward and Kara Ingelhart of Lambda Legal will discuss *Fulton v. City of Philadelphia*. *Fulton* involves Philadelphia's non-discrimination policy and its application to Catholic Social Services

in foster children placement. This case was argued before the Supreme Court on November 4, 2020.

- First 10 attendees receive ND glasses from the bookstore.
- **12:30pm, via Zoom:** Register [here](#)

- **Intercollegiate Athletics Externship Info Session**

- **12:30-1:30pm, via Zoom:** <https://notredame.zoom.us/j/95745192027?pwd=OHBWRGg4NU9Xc3lvaFVHL2ZZNG9mUT09>

- **London Externship Info Session**

- **12:30-1:30pm, via Zoom:** <https://notredame.zoom.us/j/96305595100?pwd=S2ZUR2cyMW5ubEtPTUExcjIXNTNRdz09>

- **Lexis for Judicial Clerkships**

- Learn some of the top tips for using Lexis for judicial clerkships, including great tools to quickly learn more about your judge and find previously filed briefs, pleadings, and motions!
- Attendees receive 350 Points!
- **12:45pm, via Zoom:** <https://relx.zoom.us/j/93198591866> and register at [www.lexisnexis.com/lawschool](http://www.lexisnexis.com/lawschool)

- **NDEP - Junk Science Month: Arson!**

- Join the Notre Dame Exoneration Project for our final Junk Science Month Event as we learn from Kristine Bunch. After her son passed away during an accidental fire, Kristine was convicted of murder by arson. We hope to see you all there!
- **2:30pm, via Zoom:** <https://notredame.zoom.us/j/99328817729>

- **ND in Chicago Info Session**

- **5:00-6:00pm, via Zoom:** <https://notredame.zoom.us/j/96171283762?pwd=VTdRY1FZbFJzbGp6dVdIU0RER3ZCZz09>

- **Plaintiff's Bar with Edelson PC**

- Join Associate Eli Wade-Scott and Chief of Staff Kelsey McCann from the nationally recognized plaintiffs' firm Edelson PC to learn why a career in plaintiffs' work might be right for you, and how to navigate plaintiffs' firm recruiting. The firm specializes in securing multi-million dollar settlements against tech giants in cases involving privacy and data security. The firm is known for its willingness to tackle issues that other firms shy away from and has represented plaintiffs in suits against the NCAA, the pharmaceutical industry, chemical manufacturers contaminating water supplies, and more.
- **5:00-6:00pm, via Zoom:** <https://notredame.zoom.us/j/91360216186>

- **Career Paths in Health Law: More Than Just Science**

- If you can dream it, you can do it in health law. Health Law involves Corporate & Securities, Transactions, Regulatory, Civil and Criminal Litigation, Real Estate, and much more.
- The Health Law Society invites you to a panel discussion with three preeminent health law attorneys who will discuss the varied opportunities in health law, their paths, and how students can launch careers in the health law space:
  - David Cade: CEO of the D.C.-based American Health Lawyers Association and former partner at Polsinelli, former Deputy General Counsel at HHS, former Director of CMS's Family &

Children's Health Programs Group, and former Acting Deputy Director of the Medicaid Bureau.

- **Bob Homchick (JD '82):** Partner at Davis, Wright, Tremaine in Seattle, WA specializing in healthcare transactions and regulatory and compliance law.
- **Jim Flynn (BA '97, JD '90):** Managing Partner at Bricker & Eckler in Columbus, OH specializing in corporate governance, transactions, and health law, including regulatory and governance matters, reimbursement, and long-term care.
- **7:00pm, via Zoom:** <https://notredame.zoom.us/j/94730577248>
- Mass @ 5:15pm

## Wednesday - March 24

- **Moot Court Information**
  - Some of the members of Moot Court will be tabling outside the Commons near the library on Wednesday, March 24th to answer any and all questions about Moot Court! Stop by and say hello to discover more about Moot Court and the 1L Tournament!
  - **11:45-1:45pm, the Commons**
- **Combating the Financing of Terrorism in an Era of Public Corruption**
  - Paraguayan Attorney General Sandra Quiñonez and Notre Dame Law School alumnus Brian Skaret '02 J.D. of the U.S. Department of Justice will discuss the links between drug traffickers in Latin America and international terrorism.
  - **12:30-1:30 p.m., via Zoom** [Click here to register for the event.](#)
- **Lawyering Practice Externship Info Session**
  - **12:30pm, via Zoom:** <https://notredame.zoom.us/j/96191399090?pwd=bDVBT0ZzT0E1ekphb3haMi9JSzMxZz09>
- **Lexis for Judicial Clerkships**
  - Learn some of the top tips for using Lexis for judicial clerkships, including great tools to quickly learn more about your judge and find previously filed briefs, pleadings, and motions!
  - Attendees receive 350 Points!
  - **12:45pm, via Zoom:** <https://relx.zoom.us/j/93198591866> and register at [www.lexisnexis.com/lawschool](http://www.lexisnexis.com/lawschool)
- Mass @ 5:15pm

## Thursday - March 25

- **Empowering Women Through Religious Liberty**
  - In celebration of Women's History Month, join the Notre Dame Law School Religious Liberty Initiative in a discussion about how religious liberty protections can empower women. Hear perspectives about a variety of faith communities, including Muslim, Jewish, Catholic, and Native American.
  - Sponsors: Religious Liberty Initiative
  - **11:00-12:30pm, via Zoom:** Registration information at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/empowering-women-through-religious-liberty-tickets-146785117237>
- **Global Lawyering in Practice event: Real Estate Law Between the U.S. and Asia**
  - In the global world of real estate investment, real estate transactions routinely cross international borders: foreign investors regularly buy property in the United States, while United States companies invest in properties abroad. Understanding cultural, legal and commercial differences among markets is critical to any real estate law practice that involves cross-border issues or international parties. How can lawyers best help clients navigate the complexities of cross-border real estate investments, including the legal nuances across different geographies? Join us for a conversation with Michael Haworth, a Partner at DLA Piper with extensive experience practicing in Tokyo, Hong Kong and New York. Moderator: Professor Dan Kelly, Notre Dame Law School
  - This event is co-sponsored with the Fitzgerald Institute for Real Estate.
  - **12:30-1:30pm, via Zoom:** <https://notredame.zoom.us/j/93139302211?pwd=bTNmaGZiOTN3WldwVk5uQzh0aXBmdz09> (Meeting ID: 931 3930 2211 Passcode: 261356)
- **Judicial Externship Info Session**
  - **12:30-1:30pm, via Zoom:** <https://notredame.zoom.us/j/95393692329?pwd=NGNma2VGUnNENGt0T2g0UCt3QjZqZz09>
- Mass @ 5:15pm

Friday - March 26

- **Corporate Counsel Externship**
  - **12:30-1:30pm, via Zoom:** <https://notredame.zoom.us/j/96025368136?pwd=MFYrb1hqBGJaZUkvVG1MM1FxbzNyQT09>
- **IP Lecture Series: Copyright and Distributive Justice, Justin Hughes**
  - Join us for our 2020-2021 IP Lecture Series focused on issues relating to race in intellectual property and technology law. Professor Justin Hughes and Robert Merges' article Copyright and Distributive Justice proposes that copyright has been and remains an important tool for wealth distribution to a large and diverse group of individual creators. Focusing on the distribution of income that flows from sales of copyrighted works, the authors argue that the income streams created

by copyright constitute another of copyright's contributions to distributive justice. As a result, the authors propose that copyright has been central to whatever limited "equality of opportunity" African-Americans have enjoyed in the United States. Indeed, for the wealthiest African-Americans, copyright has been the most important form of property for social and economic advancement as one of the few social institutions that permit a person to turn labor directly into economic assets. Join us for this lecture with Professor Hughes as he presents this work in light of contemporary conversations about the relationship between race and copyright law.

- **12:30pm, via Zoom:** <https://notredame.zoom.us/j/95495423151?pwd=c2luT1JYSlozOHJFUUVQ3Q3dCbzd0QT09> (Passcode: NDLawIP!)

- **Building an Anti-Racist Vocabulary: "Misuse of Civil Rights History"**

- Join the Klau Center for Civil and Human Rights as [Jeanne Theoharis](#), Brooklyn College, explores how the civil rights movement has been misrepresented and compromised through myth-making. Theoharis is Distinguished Professor of Political Science and author of *A More Beautiful and Terrible History: The Uses and Misuses of Civil Rights History*.
- **12:45pm, via Zoom:** Register at [https://notredame.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_yv-F4PsBTTu21vWBB8yLgw](https://notredame.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_yv-F4PsBTTu21vWBB8yLgw)

- Mass @ 12:30pm

Saturday - March 27

Sunday - March 28

- 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 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>

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: 10:00am-12:30pm
  - Thursday: 10:00am-12:30pm

## **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
- 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](mailto:stella.miller@nd.edu) or make an appointment at [www.calendly.com/stellamiller](http://www.calendly.com/stellamiller).

You can check up on your wellness throughout the year using the Lawyers and Wellness self-assessment tool exclusively for NDLS students. It's completely confidential and can easily be completed in less than a minute. Based on your score, the assessment will recommend next steps to help support your mental health and wellbeing. Take the assessment here: [law.nd.edu/wellnesscheck](http://law.nd.edu/wellnesscheck).

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 new mental health self-assessment tool is exclusively for law students at

NDLS. It's completely confidential and can easily be completed in less than a minute. We invite you to use this tool to check up on your wellness throughout the year. Based on your score, the assessment will recommend next steps to help support your mental health and wellbeing. Take the assessment here: [law.nd.edu/wellnesscheck](http://law.nd.edu/wellnesscheck)

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

## **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](http://here.nd.edu).

- **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 (Ed Marshall): <https://calendly.com/ejmarshall>
  - Wellness Consultant (Stella Miller): <https://calendly.com/stellamiller>
  - Registrar (Jenny Fox): No in-person meetings, email Jenny at [jenniferfox@nd.edu](mailto:jenniferfox@nd.edu) with questions or to set up a phone or Zoom call.

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## **A Message From the Editor ~Secretary~**

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Good Morning NDLS!

So if no one, no fellow student or professor told you, last week marked the half way mark of the semester and we are officially closer to the end than the beginning of Spring 2021. As a 3L who has been ignoring the fact that I will actually be graduating, taking the bar exam, and entering the "real world" at the close of this semester, that came as unnecessary cold water right in the face. (Also, time, it do be a flyin'. Crazy.) Do not mistake me, I am PUMPED about graduating and entering the "real world." While I love academia and am considered by my father to be a "collector of degrees," I have often seen the position of a student to be a rather self-centered role. We spend a lot of our time and money doing/thinking/worrying about things that increase our own knowledge, understanding, and academic success, and in large part what we measure as that success benefits us primarily in the immediate short term. Yes, the knowledge will help us to be productive, contributing members of society in the long term, but that long term as always been a long way away. Not so much anymore, and that is very exciting. On the flip side of that very exciting coin, however, I don't particularly feel like the "grown up" paper would indicate. Like I still end up with sticky hands when I eat and ice cream and paint all over my clothes when I take up a brush.

Increasingly, I am convinced that the conception of a "grown up" is a falsehood we make up as children. Certainly as we get older we learn more of the world, are able to understand nuances, and take up responsibilities, but let's be honest, fart jokes are never not funny. It's never not fun to spend the day playing outside in the sun with your friends. A card with cold hard cash is never not a primo gift (especially if it's filled with \$2 bills like my aunt used to do). Getting unnecessarily competitive during a pickup game of any sport is never off the table. Popping bubblewrap is never not satisfying. Forts are never not cool, and scrapped knees don't ever not hurt at least a little bit. And even the things we did when we were younger that we "age out of," we just end up making a more "mature" version. Pin-the-tail-on-the-donkey, meet darts and ax throwing. Middle school, meet high school. High school, meet college. College, meet the office. (You get it.) Heck, one of the things people look forward to most about growing old is being able to say whatever you want, something kids do all the time. My point is that, unless I am missing something, we never truly become "grown ups" like kids imagine, we just happen to grow up.

It makes sense too. Y'all ever just look around and wonder "where are all the grown ups?" Left, right, and center, decisions are made all the time that make no sense and have you (or I suppose I shouldn't speak for you, so I myself at least) wanting to scream "where is the adult in charge and why are they letting this happen?" Turns out the world isn't exactly run by "grown ups." But, then again, maybe that's a good idea. I'm not entirely convinced life and the world around us is that complicated. I think sometimes we make it more complicated. Kids seem to be able to see the world in much more simple terms, and I am not altogether convinced they aren't better off for it. Yes, we can analyze something until we're blue in the face, coming up with reason after theory after justification. But sometimes those theories, reasons, and justifications just aren't satisfactory. Sometimes right is just right and wrong is just wrong. And maybe we should quit pretending that adults mature out of all the little things [three year olds](#) seem to understand and that that's for the better. Maybe we should lean into the "childlike" things that stay with us and that we appreciate most in kids, like innocence, optimism, honesty, and kindness. At the very least we should all have a good week and jump in the puddles that will appear with all the rain.

Go Irish!

Krystal

P.S. Speaking of grown up things needing to get done, best of luck to the 1Ls starting the moot competition and 3Ls preparing for the MPRE this week!

## **1L OF THE WEEK**

This week's 1L of the Week is Angelica Fromer. She agrees with me that the iPhone has a design flaw in swiping left to right to answer a call on the lock screen but then the buttons when your phone is unlocked and a call comes in are decline on left and answer on the right. She is in the know. Buy her a coffee to share in her insights.



**Q: Where is your hometown?**

A: I'm from a town called Ocean Port, New Jersey. I've lived there pretty much all my life, and it's actually one of the greatest places.

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

A: I attended the University of Miami and double majored in International Relations and Public Advocacy.

**Q: If we did have a spring break, what would you want to do?**

A: I would probably go back to Miami to visit my friends still in college. I just graduated in May so I still have a lot of friends there. We'd probably just do what we did every weekend in undergrad.

**Q: What are the odds we're in the matrix currently?**

A: I would say more likely than not. There are so many coincidences, it has to be a perfect design. I also think it's interesting that genetic code is code, like how you would code a computer program. So there is biological evidence.

**Q: Do you hit the snooze button or wake up immediately?**

A: Depends on the day. I used to be a person who wakes up immediately, but law school is a different animal and I have gotten a lot more acquainted with my snooze button.

**Q: What age are you on the inside?**

A: Like 17, I would say. I haven't really progressed a lot since then.

**Q: Can you fold a fitted sheet?**

A: No, definitely not. I have no idea how to do that. It's just not worth it.

**Q: Do you eat or drink soup?**

A: Personally, neither. But I suppose if I was going to consume soup, I would consider it eating.

**Q: If you could kill off any TV show character, who would it be, and why?**

A: Maybe Carly from iCarly. I think it's really problematic that she named the show after herself when she had other people on it too.

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

A: Just keep on keeping on, and thank you for your support.

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

A: I'll nominate Lisa Lavelle.

## **3LOL: Shannon Gaffney**

This week's 3LOL is Shannon Gaffney, the half-Irish New York native, pictured here celebrating this year's St. Patrick's Day in festive dress and her very own Irish Soda Bread that turned out so (obviously) beautiful Shannon was emotional taking it out of the oven. Shannon, an avid baker in college, has been getting back into her talents in this second semester 3L year because 1) 3LOL, and 2) she would like to be able to feed herself upon graduation and leaving her current position as an AR in BP. Not to mention the carbs have been calling. The New York City in Shannon knows that pizza and bagels, specifically a baconater, from a bodega cannot be topped, but that does not stop her wanting pizza and bagels here in South Bend, Indiana, where she patrons chains for their reliability. Hit her up for coffee and NYC food recs.





When the world opens back up for big, lots of people events, you can find Shannon at concerts and music festivals, but now as a civilized, more grown up person. Back in the day, Shannon could be found camping out—complete with a tent, sleeping bag, and 1/2 mile walk to a portapotty—in a sunlit spot at four day festivals like Firefly (which she has been to three times for its variety in musical genres performed). Today, Shannon has decided life can be better, and that a hotel or RV—complete with bed, A/C, shower, and bathroom—is worth the money and the very least of what she deserves in post-student life. Similarly, Shannon will likely be found towards the middle or back of the crowd where she can just chill and enjoy the show, sans other people's sweat. She has seen the Weekend perform ("phenomenal"), Kygo, and Lincoln Park a "few" (read seven) years ago.

Besides seeing star musicians in concert, Shannon has a knack for seeing stars in their everyday life too. Living in Manhattan during undergrad, Shannon does not particularly think that much of the occasional random sighting, such as Iggy Azalea with her head out of a car window as it drives by. However, her 1L summer, Shannon worked at the DA's office in Queens (a part of New York that apparently does not typically see all the cool, headlining action) when something notable happened. Suddenly at lunch the office got word that Cardi B's arraignment would be happening later in the afternoon and they all went down to the courthouse an hour early to get a seat (particularly because no standing room was allowed). Shannon saw Cardi's handbag and nails before she saw Cardi, but was able to identify her from the sight nonetheless. While the whole proceeding was uneventful and straightforward legally speaking, Shannon will never forget the only words Cardi B spoke, "Not guilty, sir, Your Honor...?" as if it were a question. Oof. But now Shannon has a very fun fact that she has 100% dropped in interviews.

To make it out of law school alive, Shannon stresses that you should not neglect your mental health for three years. During Covid, conversations have become a bit more prominent, but Shannon still supports more mental health discussions between law students, because it always feels worse in your head and most everyone

around you can relate.

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