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## NDLS Communicator

### Week of 11.13.23

Good afternoon! Please read below for the latest law school news and events.

## The Latest News

### Panel Discussion

In recognition of Justice Richard Goldstone and the 50th anniversary  
of the creation of the Notre Dame Program in Human Rights Law  
Monday, November 13, 2023 | Constitutional Court of South Africa



Dean G. Marcus Cole  
Notre Dame Law School



Justice Richard Goldstone  
Constitutional Court  
of South Africa



Justice Mbuyiseli Madlanga  
Constitutional Court  
of South Africa



Hon. Reuben E. Brigety  
U.S. Ambassador to the  
Republic of South Africa

Our Notre Dame Law School delegation completed their visit to Cape Town and are now in Johannesburg.

Today Dean Marcus Cole and ND Law will host a panel discussion at the Constitutional Court of South Africa in recognition of Justice Richard Goldstone and the 50th anniversary of the creation of the Notre Dame Program in Human Rights Law.

The delegation's trip was covered by Indiana Lawyer [here](#).

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## **Honoring our Veterans: Reflecting on God, Country, Notre Dame**

In honor of Veterans Day, we are honored to showcase profiles of a few of the veterans and active duty military members who are part of the ND Law community. Each was invited to share their reflections on what "God, Country, Notre Dame" means to them. Read more [here](#).

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## **Professor Jimmy Gurulé to speak at the International Criminal Court**

Notre Dame Law Professor Jimmy Gurulé will be speaking at the International Criminal Court (ICC) on Monday, November 13. He will speak on war crimes, the scope of criminal liability, and the legal defenses. Read more [here](#).



## **Notre Dame Law School's Religious Liberty Initiative hosts the Law & Religion Junior Faculty Conference in Chicago**

The Religious Liberty Clinic hosted a thought-provoking and enriching conference at Notre Dame Law School's Chicago campus from October 27 to 28. The Law & Religion Junior Faculty Conference sought to advance scholarship that contributes to a deeper understanding of the dynamic relationship between law and religion. Read more [here](#).

**Mary Ellen O'Connell** wrote an op-ed, "Biden needs to call for a ceasefire and restore respect for international law" for CNN. Read more [here](#).



Her piece was also referenced in another CNN op-ed by the managing editor of CNN opinion [here](#).

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**Derek Muller** was quoted in several articles about state legal challenges to the use of the U.S. Constitution's "insurrection" clause to keep former President Donald Trump off of the 2024 election ballot.

Nation World News, [Minnesota Supreme Court won't remove Trump from GOP primary ballot in 14th Amendment challenge](#)

Nation World News, [Trump's presence on the ballot may depend on the meaning of insurrection](#)

Katie Couric Media, [Could This Civil War-Era Clause Keep Trump Off the Ballot in 2024?](#)

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**Sam Bray** and Prof. William Baude (University of Chicago) have written a comment on *Biden v. Nebraska* and standing doctrine for the Harvard Law Review's issue on the Supreme Court's October 2022 Term. Read more [here](#).

Sam also wrote, "Is Distinctive Law Downstream from Distinctive Judges and Counsel?" for Reason's The Volokh Conspiracy. Read more [here](#).

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**Lloyd Mayer** was quoted in an Orlando Sentinel article about property taxes. Read more [here](#).

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**Paolo Carozza** was quoted in the Lawfare article about Meta's Oversight Board. Read more [here](#).

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**Emily Bremer** will present her article, "Presidential Adjudication," this week at a faculty workshop at Wisconsin Law.

Emily also spoke on the panel, "The Administrative State, Its Supporters and Its Discontents" at the Federalist Society National Lawyers Convention. Watch her presentation (at the 34 min mark) [here](#).

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**Randy Kozel** spoke on the panel "Showcase Panel II: Whither Precedent?" at the Federalist Society National Lawyers Convention. Watch his presentation (at the 22 min mark) [here](#).

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**Diane Desierto** was interviewed for an article in The World on a landmark international business and human rights lawsuit in Thailand, filed by displaced Cambodian farmers against Coca-Cola's key sugar supplier. Read more [here](#).

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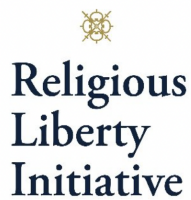


**Rick Garnett** will speak on Religion and the American Constitutional Experiment today at Hope College. More information is [here](#).



**David McIlroy** gave the keynote address on November 10 at the C.S. Lewis and Kindred Society Conference, 6th edition, at the Alexandru Ioan Cuza University of Iasi, Romania on the subject "Mere Legality: C.S. Lewis on Objective Morality, Natural Law, and the Rule of Law."

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The Religious Liberty Clinic's [case](#) representing an Iranian convert to Christianity in his asylum proceedings before the Executive Office for Immigration Review (EOIR) was covered in the National Jurist. Read more [here](#).

The Religious Liberty Clinic's [case](#) representing two Catholic dioceses in Oklahoma was included in an article in Catholic Vote. More [here](#).

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Indiana Lawyer wrote about the new special education clinic helping parents advocate for their children with special needs. Read more [here](#).

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Dear faculty and staff,  
We want to share your scholarship and other news and accomplishments with the ND Law community. If you have a new research piece, receive an award, or have anything else to share please let us know. You can email news [here](#).

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## Events

### Tuesday, Nov. 14

- Faculty colloquium, Joshua Macey, University of Chicago, 12:30 p.m., 2130 Eck Hall of Law

- Health Law Litigation Panel, 12:30 p.m., 3140 Eck Hall of Law
- Kellogg Lecture: What You Don't Know Will Hurt You – Fighting the Privacy Paradox By Designing for Privacy and Enforcing Protective Technology, 12:30 p.m., Hesburgh Center, Room C103.
  - This presentation, by JSD candidate Perla Khattar, explores how most people suffer from something called "the privacy paradox." In short, people say that they care about their privacy, but are unwilling to take the steps to protect it. With this fact in mind, and knowing that the right to privacy is one of the pillars of a democratic society, different legislation is needed.

### **Wednesday, Nov. 15**

- A Conversation with Steve Theriot, 12:15 p.m., 3130 Eck Hall of Law
- IHRS LL.M./J.S.D Showcase, 12:30 p.m., 1140 Eck Hall of Law
  - Join IHRS as we host some of our esteemed LL.M./J.S.D students to discuss their work as practicing attorneys in the international human rights field.
- Notre Dame Law School—in collaboration with Notre Dame's Futures Group—is hosting Sláinte! Wine, Beer, & Spirits | Law Symposium, Wednesday, November 15 to Friday, November 17.
  - Previous registration was required.

### **Thursday, Nov. 16**

- Newman on the University, 12:30 p.m., 3130 Eck Hall of Law
  - Dr. Thomas Hibbs, professor of Philosophy at Baylor, will speak about Newman's idea of a university.
- Peace Through Law Lecture, 1 p.m. via Zoom in 1140 Eck Hall of Law
  - The lecture is taking place at the London Global Gateway and is being streamed back to the law school. This year's

Notre Dame Law School Peace Through Law award winner is Dr. Fatou Bom Bensouda, a Gambian lawyer and former Prosecutor of the International Criminal Court (ICC), who has served as the Gambian High Commissioner to the United Kingdom since August 2022.

**Friday, Nov. 17**

- A Discussion with Danny Cevallos, Cevallos & Wong LLP, 12:15 p.m., Zoom
  - SCELf will host a moderated conversation with Danny Cevallos, an ND Law alum and current lawyer who frequently appears on numerous outlets.
- Faculty Meeting, 12:30 p.m., 2130 Eck Hall of Law
- The Opioid Bankruptcy: Purdue Pharma, the Sacklers, and the Future of Bankruptcy Law, 12:30 p.m., 1310 Biolchini.
  - Can the Sackler family be released of its liability for the opioid crisis in Purdue Pharma's bankruptcy? The answer to that question promises to reshape bankruptcy practice as well as tort litigation and to define, for decades to come, the role of bankruptcy courts in addressing wide-ranging societal injuries.
- Arrogance, Showing Off, and Hiding the Ball: The Dangers of Judicial Rhetoric for American Democracy, 12:30 p.m., 213 DeBartolo Hall
  - Judge Bibas of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit will deliver a talk addressing the pitfalls of judicial rhetoric and the negative impact they can have on American democracy.
- Above the Ground: A True Story of the Troubles in Northern Ireland book talk, 12:30 p.m., 1130 Eck Hall of Law
  - In 1983, twenty-four-year-old Catholic taxicab driver Kevin Barry Artt was convicted and sentenced to life for murder, falsely named by an IRA member-turned-jailhouse-informant desperate to please his captors.



Author Dan Lawton's exculpatory evidence set Artt free in 2020.


**Saturday, Nov. 18**

- Notre Dame vs. Wake Forest, 3:30 p.m.

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## Around the Watercooler

### Blood Drive TODAY!




*Give Blood  
Give Thanks*

**Blood Drive with  
Notre Dame Law School**


**Monday, November 13<sup>th</sup>**  
**9:00 am - 2:00 pm**  
Bloodmobile Onsite  
Between Eck Hall of Law and McKenna Hall

Sign up online at  
**GiveBloodNow.com**

November donors will receive  
their choice of a **Martin's turkey voucher**,  
while supplies last, or a **Meijer gift card**!

  
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Please eat a healthy meal and drink plenty of water. Bring a photo ID.  
Taking extra iron-rich foods the week before can help prevent deferral.





## November Birthdays

Join us to celebrate our November Birthdays  
Wednesday, November 15  
3 p.m.  
Admissions conference room

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## Free Access to New York Times

In partnership with Notre Dame's student government and the Kresge Law Library, Hesburgh Libraries now offers full digital access to the New York Times for the Notre Dame community.

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*We would love to share more news, milestones, and accomplishments of our Law School colleagues. Drop us a note [here](#).*

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Have a great week!



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