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Week of July 2, 2013

News and Events

Welcome new faculty member Stephen Yelderman to NDLS. He received his J.D. degree from the University of Chicago Law School and a M.S. in Electrical Engineering from Stanford University. He was an attorney in Telecommunications & Media Enforcement for the United States Department of Justice in the Antitrust Division. He will teach Patent Law in the fall and Copyright in the spring. His office is 2112.

Rick Garnett will speak on the topic “Why Religious Freedom Matters” at 7 p.m. July 3 at Saint Matthew Cathedral, 1701 Miami St., South Bend. The talk is part of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops’ “Fortnight for Freedom,” June 21-July 4, a period of prayer, sacrifice and education for the cause of religious liberty.

Carter Snead delivered the keynote address at the 43rd annual National Right to Life Convention in Dallas, Texas on June 27. He opened the conference with the keynote presentation entitled “Created Equal: Our Duty to Protect Innocent Human Life.” On June 28, he was quoted in the CNN article UK takes step toward ‘three-parent babies’

On June 26, Jennifer Mason McAward was quoted in the USA Today article Supreme Court rules on voting rights law: Now what? This quote was reprinted in many other newspapers.

John Nagle posted the article What Hath Lynn White Wrought? to SSRN.

On June 28, Jimmy Gurulé was quoted in the Huffington Post article Here’s Why There Will Be No Criminal Charges In The MF Global Case

Rick Garnett filed an amicus curiae brief in McCullen v. Coakley, which involves censorship of abortion-protesters outside clinics. The brief is available here: He was also quoted in the CNN article Is Anthony Kennedy ‘the first gay justice’?
Washington Post article A conservative Supreme Court swerves to avoid easy definition.

The Spring 2013 Notre Dame Lawyer is now available online.

Office Moves:

- Doug Cassel from 2156 to 2155
- Bill Kelley from 2112 to 2116
- John Robinson from 2116 to 1115
- Jim Seckinger from 2155 to 3102
- Stephen Yelderman 2112

Doug Cassel said that cleaning out his office was “tiring.”

Dean’s Bookshelf

I received two contributions – a book chapter from Mary Ellen O’Connell and a book review from Jeff Pojanowski. The cites are:

Mary Ellen O’Connell, Good Law against War, in DIMENSIONS OF GOODNESS, at 339-361 (Vittorio Hösle, ed., Cambridge Scholars Press 2013);


Thanks and congratulations to Mary Ellen and Jeff!

News from London

Marta Haines-Ferrari has announced her retirement from the London Law Program. She has been teaching in the London Program since 2001. Thank you Marta and best wishes on retirement!

Have a save and happy 4th of July!
Have a submission for *The NDLS Update*? Send an email by noon on Thursday for inclusion the following Tuesday, to libnews@nd.edu, or contact NDLS Update editors Susan Good or Beth Given.

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