

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS	
Friday, May 2	“The Face of Disparity: Overrepresentation in the Juvenile Justice System”
Monday, May 5, 2003	Registration for Fall Classes Begins
Thurs., May 22	LL.M. and M.J. Graduation Dinner
Saturday, May 24, 2003	Graduation

**Fall 2003 Child and Family Law Class Offerings**

Below is a listing of the Child & Family Law curriculum for the Fall, 2003 available to all J.D., LL.M., and M. J. students. This year returning students will register beginning May 5. Please contact a member of the ChildLaw faculty (see contact information on reverse side) if you have questions about these courses or would like to schedule a curriculum planning conference.

**ChildLaw Legislation** - Course # 606, 2 credit hours, Wednesday, 7-9 p.m., Professor Weinberg

**Child, Parent & State** - Course # 601, 2 credit hours, Thursday, 5-7 p.m., Professor Geraghty

**Children's Legal Rights Journal Editing Skills Seminar** - Course # 640, 1 credit hour, Monday 5-6 p.m., Professor Geraghty

**Family Law** - Course # 245, 3 credit hours, Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, 3-4 p.m., Professor Locke

**Family Law (evening)** - Course # 245, 3 credit hours, Monday, 6-9 p.m., Professor Anderson

**Mediation Seminar** - Course # 456, 2 credit hours, Thursday, 7-9 p.m., Professors Levitz & Nathanson

**Special Education Law** - Course # 664, 2 credit hours, Tuesday, 7-9 p.m., Professor Moran

For LL.M. students only:

**LL.M. Seminar** - Course # 653, one credit hour, Tuesday, 6-7 p.m., Professor Geraghty

For M.J. students only:

**M.J. ChildLaw Torts/Civil Procedure** - Course # 627, 2 credit hours, Thursday, 7-9 p.m., Professors Besler & Miller.

**M.J. Family Law** - Course # 611, 2 credit hours, Wednesday, 5-7 p.m., Professor Kuffer

**M.J. Introduction to ChildLaw I** - Course # 661, 2 credit hours, Monday, 7-9 p.m., Professor Casey

**M.J. Legal Research & Writing - ChildLaw** - Course # 616, 2 credit hours, Thursday, 5-7 p.m., Professor Chao

For J.D. and LL.M. Students only:

**Child & Family Law Clinic** - Course # 620, 4 credit hours, Tuesday, 4-6 p.m., Professor Boyer & Platt.

For J.D. student only:

**Advocacy S.10** - (ChildLaw section) Course # 410, 2 credit hours, Tuesday, 7-9 p.m., Professor Schrup

**Legal Writing I, S.** - Course # 190, 2 credit hours, Wednesday, 5-7 p.m., Professor Alexander

**Disproportionate Minority Representation in the Juvenile Justice System**

On Friday, May 2, from 2:30 - 5:30, there will

be a program on "The Face of Disparity: Addressing Overrepresentation in Juvenile Justice" at Northwestern Law School, Thorne Auditorium. Speakers with both a national and local perspective will present, including Judge Ernestine Gray, head of the National Council on Juvenile and Family Court Judges and Mark Soler, President of the Youth Law Center. Admission is free, but advanced registration is required. To register, please call Phyllis Lester, at 312-726-8775.

## Career Opportunities

There are several job openings at the Juvenile Court Clinic for the Circuit Court of Cook County, Illinois. For more information, please get a copy of the announcement from Sandra at the ChildLaw Center, or e-mail Julie L. Biehl, at [j-biehl@law.northwestern.edu](mailto:j-biehl@law.northwestern.edu).

*Resource Supervisor* - Master's or doctoral level degree in social work, psychology, or related field, and experience working with community and social service agencies in Cook County.

*Intake Worker* - Good interpersonal skills, detail-oriented, with the ability to maintain accurate and complete documentation. Experience with child welfare or juvenile justice helpful. Excellent communication skills required.

*Clinical Coordinator* - Master's degree or equivalent in social work, forensic psychology, or related discipline, and experience working with children, youth, and families in the child welfare

*Forensic Psychologist* - Seeking full-time licensed psychologists to conduct court ordered child protection and juvenile justice forensic evaluations. Specialized forensic training preferred but not required.

The Washington DC Office of the Pennsylvania Coalition Against Domestic Violence (PCADV) has an opening for Senior Attorney in the Legal Assistance Providers' Technical Outreach Project (LAPTOP). The Senior Attorney will design and implement civil legal advocacy programs and a clearinghouse of information on policy, law and practice. For more information contact Gretta Gordy at [gg@pcadv.org](mailto:gg@pcadv.org) or write to Human Resources, PCADV, 6400 Flank Drive, Suite 1300 Harrisburg, PA 17112.

The ABA, Washington DC Office, seeks a Staff Director for its Commission on Domestic Violence. Requires a law degree and seven years of experience in the field of domestic violence. Candidates should have

previous experience as a trainer, grant developer, project manager, and/or supervisor. Salary in the 60s. Please send a cover letter and resume to: ABA, ATTN: HR-P1035, 740 15<sup>th</sup> St. NW, Washington, DC 20005 or fax to: (202) 662-1032 or e-mail to: [abajobsdc@abanet.org](mailto:abajobsdc@abanet.org).

## Alumni News

Best wishes to **Stephanie Sauter '97**, on her recent marriage to Paul Kelly in California.

And congratulations to **Jennifer Rosen Valverde, '97**, who has been recommended for clinical tenure at Rutgers School of Law, Newark.

## Faculty and Staff Directory

**Paula M. Besler** - is Director of Attorney Training. She can be reached at 915-7944 (Mondays).

**Bruce Boyer** - is Director of the ChildLaw Clinic. He can be reached at 915-7927.

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**Diane Geraghty** - is Professor of Law and Director of Child and Family Law Programs. She can be reached at 915-7155.

**Stacey Platt** - is Associate Director of the ChildLaw Clinic. She can be reached at 915-7931.

**Silvia Rodriguez** - is Program Coordinator for the ChildLaw Center. She can be reached at 915-7950.

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**HAVE A PEACEFUL AND PRODUCTIVE SUMMER.**