

## Conclusion to Volume 48

This year, Volume 48 of the *Loyola University Chicago Law Journal* proudly hosted two conferences, published four complete issues packed with captivating scholarship, transitioned six Loyola Law students into published authors, increased its overall *Law Journal* ranking, and created a team of the most intelligent students this school has to offer. Volume 48 facilitated important conversations about antitrust in the health care industry during its conference, with the help of Professor Waller and the American Bar Association and later hosted a praiseworthy Symposium examining the super-secret global court of investor-state dispute settlements.

To each contributing author of Volume 48, I thank you for your patience, noteworthy effort, and trust as you allowed the *Law Journal* to publish your impactful and meaningful scholarship throughout four special issues. On behalf of the *Law Journal*, I would also like to thank the Loyola University Chicago School of Law administration and faculty for their continued support throughout the years.

Between 2016 and 2017, Volume 48 achieved many goals, but it would have accomplished nothing without each of the sixty-five names listed on the Volume 48 masthead. Staff members, LAEs, and SAEs: you are the gears that keep this *Law Journal* operating. A special recognition is warranted for the nine Volume 48 executive board members as they acted as my supportive stilts and are the reason the *Law Journal* accomplished its publication goals. As I exhale and review the success and legacy Volume 48 has created, I am overcome with satisfaction and pride. Volume 48 has continued to make formal legal writing relevant, important, and exciting because of its sixty-five members. To my teammates, thank you for your faithful and tireless efforts; the *Law Journal's* accomplishments are rooted in you.

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