

Mighty First Circuit

September 2010 Newsletter of the ABA Law Student Division 1st Circuit

The Streets of Philadelphia

Dear Friends,

Catch a train, plane or automobile to Philadelphia this weekend - it's going to be awesome! Email me if you have any questions.

On an unrelated note, you may be interested to hear that one of our circuit law schools has changed names! Franklin Pierce Law Center is now an affiliate of the University of New Hampshire. The law school will now be known as the University of New Hampshire School of Law.

That's all for now, folks. Let's get ready for Philly!

Liz Bailey
Governor, First Circuit
ABA Law Student Division

Report from Annual Meeting

We had a great First Circuit presence at the Annual Meeting in San Francisco. Here's what some attendees had to say:

"My time at the ABA Annual Conference in San Francisco was one of the best experiences in law school. I met and spent time with other SBA Presidents and was able to represent my school in one of the most influential legal organizations in the country. I learned so much about the ABA and the Law Student Division, and was amazed by the support levels made available to SBA Presidents and ABA Representatives."

-Yam Menon, SBA President
University of Connecticut School of Law

"The different sessions gave me the opportunity to hear about cutting edge topics and expert opinions on recent supreme court cases affecting my field of interest."

-Micah Ascano, Lt. Governor
University of New Hampshire School of Law

Fall Regional Leadership Conference

Our fall regional leadership conference will be October 1-2, 2010 at Villanova University School of Law.

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WNEC Basketball Tournament on February 11-13, 2011

The 36th Annual Western New England College School of Law Basketball Invitational will take place on February 11-13, 2011. Entry deposits due by November 1, 2010. For more information on the competition and how to register, contact Katie Tonkovich at wneclawbasketball@gmail.com or go to www.wneclawinvitational.com.

Important dates in October

1st-2nd [Fall Conference](#)
2nd-3rd [Work-a-Day](#)
9th-10th [Work-a-Day](#)
22nd [Client Counseling Competition Entry Deadline](#)

Check out our new website just for you!

www.ABAforLawStudents.org

Your MFC Lt. Governors

Mike Saracino
Executive

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Here are some things to look forward to:

- The weekend kicks off on October 1 with a social networking event from 7-9pm at the law school. Come meet other students from law schools across the northeast, plus practicing attorneys, judges, and members of the ABA Young Lawyers Division
- October 2 will be a full day of keynote speakers, roundtables, panel discussions and resume review

Travel / Hotel Information:

- Free parking; Train service from 30th Street Station in downtown Philadelphia stops right in front of the law school; Philadelphia International Airport is only miles from the train station
- For those who wish to stay overnight, rooms are blocked off at the Radnor Hotel on Lancaster Ave (1 mile from the law school). \$149 for a king bed, \$159 for 2 double beds. **Please refer to the ABA – Law Student Division *Third* Circuit when you book your room for this discounted rate.** 1-800-537-3000

This event is **free** and for all law students, not just members of the ABA, so tell your friends. (Did I mention the conference is free?) Breakfast and lunch are also provided. This is a wonderful opportunity to meet the Governors of the four circuits in the northeast (1,2,3 & 11), as well as our Lt. Governors and other leaders in the ABA.

If you have any questions, please email Governor Liz Bailey at elizabethrbailey@gmail.com.

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It's always sunny in Philadelphia!