International News

Upcoming Events:

**Vis Mini-Moot**
February 9, 2008

**International Law Review Symposium**
“WTO: The State of the Discipline”
Loyola Law Center
February 15, 2008

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**Study Law Abroad**

**Chile**
March 2 thru March 8, 2008

**Thailand**
March 2 thru March 8, 2008

**Rome, Italy**
May 24 thru June 21, 2008

**Beijing, China**
June 29 thru July 19, 2008

For more information go to:
http://www.luc.edu/law/academics/special/studyabroad.html

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**LOYOLA LAW STUDENTS VISIT LONDON**

Loyola’s 19th annual London Comparative Advocacy Program was conducted in London, England from December 27 to January 11. Nine Loyola students were joined by members of Loyola’s faculty, administration and alumni for classes in the historic Middle Temple, criminal trials at the Old Bailey, guided tours of Parliament, the Inns of Court and the Central Criminal Court, and a day at the official inquest into the death of Diana, Princess of Wales. As in previous years, the program was hosted by English barristers and legal professionals who shared their experience and knowledge with students and faculty. Students used unscheduled time to explore London and Oxford, visit museums and historic sites, and take in West End theater.

**THE PUBLIC INTEREST LAW REPORTER PRESENTS “IMMIGRATION: IF EVERYONE HAS A SOLUTION, WHAT’S THE PROBLEM” ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 29, 2008**

With the 2008 presidential election looming, and the issue of national immigration reform in the spotlight, Loyola’s Public Interest Law Reporter is pleased to present a day-long symposium that will help to separate myth from fact, challenge traditional notions of a one-size-fits-all solution, and present contemporary thinking about the immigration challenges facing our nation. The symposium will bring together local and national leaders from many sides of the immigration issue to vigorously explore the key legal and public interest issues currently under discussion and in litigation.

To view the symposium brochure visit:

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**VIS MINI-MOOT**

This will be the third year of the Vis Mini-Moot at Loyola. It is co-sponsored by the Chicago International Dispute Resolution Association (CIDRA), and this year is also sponsored by the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators. The president of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, Hew Dundas, from London, will be attending this year. We also have arbitrators coming from Toronto and New York, as well as locally. A number of the arbitrators will be Loyola graduates who participated in the Vis Moot Program in years past. We invite all of the mid-western teams who participate in either the Hong Kong or the Vienna Moot. They will gather here on February 9th (Saturday), for two rounds of arguments. This year so far we know that John Marshall, Chicago-Kent, DePaul, Michigan State, and possible Hamline, University of Chicago, and Wisconsin will participate.

**WILLEM C. VIS INTERNATIONAL COMMERICAL ARBITRATION MOOT TEAMS**

The dates of the Moot are March 3 through March 9 in Hong Kong, and March 14 through March 20 in Vienna. Members of the Hong Kong Team are Beata Guzik, Josh Heffernan, Tiffany Jaspers, Hsiang Lum, Katie Staba, and Yuree Whang. The Vienna Team this year will be Tim Brennan, Christina Cotter, Jon Robilotto, and Terri Stough.

**JESSUP INTERNATIONAL LAW MOOT COURT**

Matthew Adair, Aruna Subramanian, James Weiler, and Allison Matthews will represent Loyola in the Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition February 14-17 in the Midwest Super Regional here in Chicago. The 2008 Jessup Problem involves one of the most important, controversial, and timely issues of the day: the tension between ensuring human rights and responding to acts of terrorism. Loyola’s Jessup team is coached by Edward Shin, senior associate at Greenberg Traurig.
INTERNATIONAL CLASSES
The law school is offering a large number of courses related to international and comparative law in the spring semester. Among them are: Comparative Contracts Law - China (Leonhard), Comparative Patent and Health Law (Ho), Global Financial Market Transactions (Johnson), Immigration Law and the Workplace (McCormick), International and Comparative Family Law (Coupet), International Commercial Practicum (Moses), International Criminal Law (Norton and Raphael), International Law and Practice (Haney and Shaffer sections), Law and War (Wexler), and Transnational Dispute Resolution (Waller).

Also being offered are Comparative Law Seminars in Chile and Thailand with Professors Haney and Platt that will take place March 2 through March 8, 2008.

Professor Lesley Wexler is visiting Loyola from Florida State University where she teaches courses in Torts, Employment Discrimination and International Law, including Laws of War. During her time here at Loyola she will teach Law and War.

Previously to FSU Professor Wexler taught at the University of Chicago Law School as a Harry A. Bigelow Law Fellow. She has also clerked in the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit and at the Eastern District of Texas. She received her JD from the University of Chicago Law School and her BA from the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.

SUMMER PROGRAMS
ROME - Here's your chance to be greeted by the Pope, a Supreme Court Justice, the Attorney General and get great gelati! From May 24th through June 21st you can study in the city where a legal system was born and experience Italian art and culture. Find out more at www.luc.edu/law/rome.

BEIJING - See the Great Wall and the Forbidden City! Walk to the 2008 Olympic grounds and join in the pre-games excitement! This is a great opportunity to immerse yourself in ancient Chinese culture and earn 4 credits in only 3 concise weeks. Dates for this program are June 29th through July 19th. For further details go to www.luc.edu/law/china.

SPACES ARE STILL AVAILABLE FOR BOTH PROGRAMS but please register soon to allow time for flights and visas!

ALUMNI IN INTERNATIONAL LAW
Pawel Chudzicki (’98) is a partner in the Chicago law firm of Bell, Boyd & Lloyd, where he does corporate work and assists foreign companies doing business in the U.S. Since 2005, he has been the chairman of the Warsaw Committee of the Chicago Sister Cities International Program, an official program of the City of Chicago to link Chicago with cities around the world. Warsaw was the first city to establish a relationship with Chicago Sister Cities. Chudzicki accompanied Mayor Daley on his trip to Warsaw in 2005, and last spring he helped bring the mayor of Warsaw to Chicago. Chudzicki, who was born in Poland, was recently recognized in Millennium Park when the President of Poland, Lech Kaczynski, awarded him the Silver Cross of Merit, an honor given to Polish nationals for their public work. (This information is taken from a story, “Building ties between both of his countries,” by Pat Milhizer, which appeared in the Chicago Daily Law Bulletin on October 8, 2007.)

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