



Samford University  
Cumberland School of Law

# The Dean's Weekly Newsletter

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## This Week's Events

The Career Development Office presents

### A Family Law Panel

Thursday, February 16

11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. | ROBH 120

RSVP:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/family-law-panel-tickets-31688182206>

Lunch will be provided to those who RSVP.

**What is family court?** The Family Court of Jefferson County exercises jurisdiction primarily in matters involving children. These matters might include cases in which a child is alleged to be delinquent, dependent, or in need of supervision. The Court also exercises jurisdiction over proceedings for establishment of paternity, child support enforcement, protection from abuse, termination of parental rights, and more. Family Court in Jefferson County involves attorneys both in the private practice sector as well as attorneys from several different government agencies, including DHR, Legal Aid, & the District Attorney's Office.

#### SPEAKERS:

- Judge Raymond Chambliss
- Komal Chandiramani, Attorney at Legal Aid Society of Birmingham
- Beverly Aldridge, Senior Probation Officer at Jefferson County Family Court.
- Steve Sexton, partner at Sexton Miller, LLC.

**AMERICAN SHAKESPEARE CENTER** **2016/17 HUNGRY HEARTS TOUR**



**Samford University**  
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Wallace, Jordan, Ratliff & Brandt, LLC is delighted to present these remarkable productions:

**Friday, February 17**  
**ROMEO AND JULIET**  
7:00 p.m. • Great Room  
(live musical prelude at 6:30 p.m.)



**Saturday, February 18**  
**TWO GENTLEMEN OF VERONA**  
7:00 p.m. • Great Room  
(live musical prelude at 6:30 p.m.)

**Free Admission. Space is limited.**  
**R.S.V.P. by February 10**  
to Caroline Young  
[charbin@samford.edu](mailto:charbin@samford.edu)  
(205) 726-2797

(Photos from top to bottom) Josh Clark as Romeo and Zoe Speas as Juliet in *Romeo and Juliet*. Harper as Crab (adopted in 2011 from Mercy Rescue and Adoption, North Vernon, IN) and Andrew Goldwasser as Launce in *The Two Gentlemen of Verona*. Photos by Michael Bailey.

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The official Facebook page is "Cumberland School of Law" and the official Twitter account is "CumberlandLaw"



## This Week's Events



## Meet an International Trade Lawyer

Featuring: Alan Enslen of  
Maynard Cooper and Gale

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 16

11AM

ROOM 123

FOOD & REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED

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## Plan Ahead

Thurgood Marshall Symposium,  
"Civil Rights Movement 50 Years Later,"  
featuring Keynote Speaker Judge Carlton Reeves.

Thursday, March 2, 2017 at 11:00 a.m. in the Great Room.  
Reception following.

*This event is open to the public and free of charge; no RSVP necessary.*



**GRACE HOUSE**  
ministries, inc.  
*giving hope to girls in crisis*

PICS, Cumberland Children's Center, and Women In Law are co-hosting a supply drive to benefit Grace House that will run from **Monday, February 20 to Friday, March 3**. Donations will be collected in the breezeway.

### CLEANING SUPPLIES

- Dishwashing liquid
- Laundry detergent
- Fabric softener
- Bleach
- Clorox Bleach for colors
- Sani-flush
- Scrub-free bathroom cleaner
- Lysol Disinfectant Spray
- Glade Air Freshener
- Pine Sol (original scent)
- Anti-bacterial hand soap refill
- Furniture polish (dusting)
- Glass cleaner
- Comet/AJAX
- Carpet deodorizer

- Cotton wring-out mops (replace frequently)

### PAPER PRODUCTS/ HOME MAINTENANCE

- Copy paper
- Toilet paper (Angel Soft 24 pack)
- Paper towels (Sparkle 8 count)
- Napkins
- Paper plates
- Paper bowls
- Plastic/foam cups
- Glad gallon freezer bags
- Gallon storage bags
- Zipper seal sandwich bags
- Zipper seal quart

- storage bags
- Aluminum foil
- Wax paper
- Plastic wrap
- Dish rags/towels
- Medicine/ mouthwash cups
- 13-gallon draw string kitchen trash bags
- 30-gallon drawstring bags
- 8-gallon bags

### TOILETRIES

- Toothpaste
- Tooth brushes (soft)
- Mouthwash
- Dental floss
- Lotion

- Body wash
- Bar soap
- Facewash
- Anti-bacterial hand sanitizer
- Wash rags
- Deodorant
- Shaving cream or gel
- Razors
- Cotton balls
- Q-tips
- Cough drops
- Band-aids
- Neosporin
- Fingernail clippers
- Shampoo and Conditioner
- Tampons (Tampax Pearl -

- all sizes)
- Panty liners
- Maxi pads

### OFFICE SUPPLIES

- Copy paper
- Post-Its
- Note pads
- Pens
- Binder clips
- Staples
- Tape
- Colored paper
- Card stock
- Stamps
- Highlighters
- Legal pad notebooks

## Plan Ahead

This year's Project Homeless Connect Outreach Day will be held on **Saturday, March 4, 2017 at the Boutwell Auditorium from 7:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.** Law student volunteers are needed to conduct intake interviews for those coming to PHC for legal assistance. This is a great way for law students to gain insightful experience while making an immediate impact on our community! Volunteers are asked to wear their red Cumberland Volunteer t-shirts and jeans, and to bring their laptop. If you do not have a t-shirt, please stop by ROBH 215 to acquire one.

In addition, all volunteers are asked to attend a brief mandatory training for the event on **March 2, 2017 in the Great room from 4:30-6:00 p.m.** Two hour time slots have been published for you to select the time that best fits you. If you desire to stay longer than the two hours allotted, please email [ccmc@samford.edu](mailto:ccmc@samford.edu) with your desired volunteer time. Please use the link below to sign up electronically via "Signup Genius" for the time slots that work best for you!

[www.SignUpGenius.com/go/409044BAAA82AA6F94-phcsign2](http://www.SignUpGenius.com/go/409044BAAA82AA6F94-phcsign2)

The Cumberland  
Air & Space Law  
Society is hosting  
**MR. PIERCE LEHR,**  
Director of Boeing  
Space Systems, as a  
guest speaker on  
Feb 21st at 11:30 a.m.  
in the Great Room.

## Future CDO events:

- **PAD's Lunch with a Lawyer** (Come listen to Jeremy Richter and David Graves as they discuss the differences between plaintiff and defense work and what makes a good associate in the respective fields. Lunch will be served to those who RSVP.) **Thursday, February 23, 10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m., ROBH 120, RSVP: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/pads-lunch-with-a-lawyer-tickets-31452677806>**

- **Public Interest Fair** (Dress professionally and come to speak to Public Interest from Birmingham and the surrounding areas. We will be confirming the attendance list in the coming weeks and will keep you posted on which employers are attending.) **Wednesday, March 8, 10 a.m. – 2p.m., Great Room, RSVP: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/public-interest-fair-tickets-29574062818>**

## Law School Announcements

The law school would like to welcome **Ms. Jennifer Lovelady**, our new Program Assistant for International Studies. Her office is **Robinson Hall Room 220-A**; telephone (205) 726-2796; email [jdlovela@samford.edu](mailto:jdlovela@samford.edu). She comes to us with exceptionally strong recommendations and has substantial previous work experience at Saint Mark Kindergarten and State Farm Insurance. She and her husband are both Samford graduates and they and their two sons have lived in Homewood for a number of years. Please stop by and welcome Ms. Lovelady to Cumberland!




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**Apply to be an Admission Ambassador**

Now accepting applications for the  
2017-2018 school year  
(Current 1L and 2L students may apply)

Check your email for the online application  
or visit the admission office



# Alumni News

**MARK  
YOUR  
CALENDAR**

THE BIRMINGHAM BAR FOUNDATION  
*presents*  
**A Conversation with**

**DEAN A. STRANG**

Noted Criminal Defense Attorney

*featured in*

**MAKING  
A  
MURDERER**

**MARCH 16, 2017 - 7 P.M.**

Lyric Theatre | Birmingham, Alabama

Tickets: \$30 | Students Tickets: \$20



**TICKETS AVAILABLE ON TICKETMASTER.**

For more information, visit [www.bbfound.org](http://www.bbfound.org) or call (205) 251-2231.

## The Office of Alumni Relations is seeking nominations for the following awards:

- **The Distinguished Alumnus Award** is given to a Cumberland graduate who has distinguished herself/himself in the practice of law, service to the community, and leadership in the profession.
- **The Young Alumnus of the Year Award** is given to a graduate who graduated within the last 15 years, and to someone who has distinguished herself/himself in the practice of law, service to the community, and leadership in the profession.
- **The Volunteer of the Year Award** is given to a graduate who has provided exceptional volunteer service to the law school and its constituents. The recipient has distinguished himself/herself by assisting in multiple facets of the law school program.
- **The Friend of the Law School Award** is given to a person who is not a graduate of Cumberland, but who has, through financial and other means of support, made a significant investment in Cumberland and its future.

Please send your nomination to Anne Marovich at [amarovic@samford.edu](mailto:amarovic@samford.edu).

Any information you can provide about the nominee is appreciated. Awards will be announced April 1, 2017.

## Alumni News

3L students are invited to join Cumberland School of Law alumni, Dean H.C. Strickland and others at Samford University for a men's basketball game and pre-game supper.

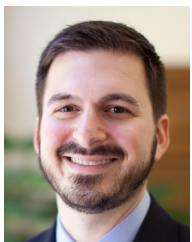
**Saturday, February 25**  
**The Pete Hanna Center**

**Supper begins at 5 p.m.**  
**tip-off begins at 6 p.m.**

Email Anne Marovich to reserve your spot today at [amarovic@samford.edu](mailto:amarovic@samford.edu).



## Faculty Notes



• Last week, **Woodrow Hartzog '03** was selected as a Google Fellow to moderate discussion at the Privacy Law Salon in Miami, Florida. The Salon is a gathering of top privacy professionals and the chief privacy officers from top US companies and firms such

as Google, Microsoft, Facebook, and more. More information can be found here: <https://privacylawsalon.com/privacy-roundtable/> Hartzog also presented a draft of his forthcoming book, *Privacy's Blueprint: The Battle to Control the Design of New Technologies* at the University of Maryland Law School last week. Finally, he

participated in a symposium organized by the Maryland Law Review on the topic of "Security and Privacy in the Digital Age." His talk was on "The Inadequate, Invaluable Fair Information Practices." More information on the event can be found here: <http://elm.umaryland.edu/security-and-privacy-in-the-digital-age/>



• Last week, **Cassandra Adams** sat on a panel for RUF (an undergraduate Christian organization) for a segment on "Race, Privilege, and Relations and How it Relates to the Gospel."

## Photo of the Week

Assistant Dean Cassandra Adams pictured with RUF student organization leaders following her panel presentation on "Race, Privilege, and Relations and How it Relates to the Gospel."



Want to see your photos featured?  
Send them to [Polly Manuel](#)  
for inclusion in upcoming editions  
of the Dean's Newsletter