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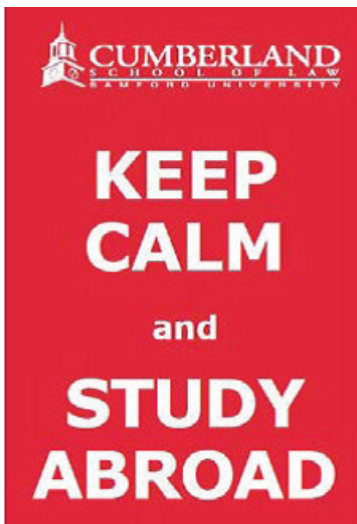
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Plan Ahead



We will be having an informational meeting about Cumberland's Cambridge Study Abroad Program.

**Thursday, January 25th
11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. in the
Bishop Conference Room, 226**

Lunch will be provided.

The Cambridge Study Abroad Program's dates are July 1 - August 2, 2018.

SAVE THE DATE

The Cumberland Black Law Students Association presents the 24th Annual Thurgood Marshall Symposium. This event also honors the 50th Anniversary of the admission of Samford and Cumberland's first African-American student Audrey L. Gaston Howard (Cumberland '70).

Date: February 15, 2018 at 5:30 p.m.

place: Samford University, Cooney Hall, Regions Community Resource Room, 4th floor



Integrating Spaces: Reflections on the Past, Present, and Future

SPEAKER:

The Honorable Cheri L. Beasley, Associate Justice, North Carolina Supreme Court

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Plan Ahead

Cumberland Society of the Arts will be running a Valentine's Day photo contest. Submissions should be sent to csoa@samford.edu. Prizes will be awarded.

CSOA

"Little Loves"

Valentine's Day Photo Contest

Who: Cumberland Kids, Grandchildren, Nieces and Nephews

When: Submit Pictures Now through February 6th via email

Voting: Will occur through our Facebook page
(Just like the Halloween Photo Contest)
Voting will open on February 7th

Winner: Announced February 14th





Announcements



President Andrew Westmoreland, Professor T. Brad Bishop, Anne Bishop, and Dean Corky Strickland at The Club

Along with other university employees, Cumberland School of Law faculty and staff were recognized on January 18th at The Club for their years of service at Samford University.

Most notable was **Professor Brad Bishop '71**, for 50 years of service; and **Professor David Smolin** for 30 years.

Others recognized were:

- **Professor Deborah Young** and staff member **Teresa Mauldin** – for 20 years;
- **Professors Wendy Greene** and **LaJuana Davis**, staff member **Anne Marovich** – for 10 years;
- Staff members **Valerie Price** and **Missi Bennett** – for 5 years

Announcements



Pictured from left to right: (Ret.) Judge Houston Brown '73, Dean Corky Strickland, Rev. Charles L. Howard, and Roderick J. Evans '10

Rev. Charles L. Howard, son of the first African-American student to be admitted to Samford and Cumberland, spoke at Samford on January 23. **Audrey L. Gaston Howard** was admitted to Cumberland in 1967 and graduated as one of only two women in the Class of 1970. Rev. Howard discussed his mother's life and her experiences at Samford and Cumberland.



Faculty Notes



Tracey Roberts has been invited to discuss the design of a carbon tax at a two-day workshop on Federal Options for Pricing Carbon February 21 and 22, 2018 in Houston, Texas. The workshop is sponsored by the University of Houston Law Center's Environment, Energy, and Natural Resources (EENR) Center, the UH Energy Initiative, Duke University's Nicholas Institute for Policy Solutions, and Duke University's Energy Initiative.

Photo of the Week



President Andrew Westmoreland, Spike, Mayor Randall Woodfin, and Dean Strickland at the Samford vs. Wofford basketball game on January 18.

Want to see your photos featured?

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