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## MMU: September 18


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**MONDAY MORNING**  
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**This Week @ NDLS**

Monday - September 18

### **Resume Workshop 8 (registration closed)**

Small group workshop on best practices for law school resumes. Bring your laptop as this is a working session. REGISTRATION CLOSED

- When: 12:00 PM
- Where: Eck 2172

### **Business on the Frontlines Information Session**



## INFORMATION SESSION

SEPT. 18 | STAYER 201 | NOON

Learn more about spring courses in the Meyer Business on the Frontlines Program: the flagship **Business on the Frontlines** course and the new **Regenerating Ecologies and Economies for Livelihoods (REEL)**.



Make an impact.  
Address tough global challenges.

UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME | MENDOZA COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

Looking for a way to make an impact and apply the dynamic skills of business to address tough global challenges? Join us to learn more about spring courses in the Meyer Business on the Frontlines Program: the flagship **Business on the Frontlines** course and the new **Regenerating Ecologies and Economies for Livelihoods (REEL)**.

Frontlines courses explore themes such as empathy, the dignity of work and corruption while partnering with organizations around the world to create jobs or set the conditions for economic growth. Teams consist of MBA, Law and other graduate students who together work to build solutions addressing violence, sustainability, poverty, illicit economies and exclusion.

The application for Business on the Frontlines opens 9/18.

Please [RSVP here](#) if you plan on attending. Questions? Contact Professors Kelly Rubey [kelly.rubey@nd.edu](mailto:kelly.rubey@nd.edu) or Drew Marcantonio [rmarcant@nd.edu](mailto:rmarcant@nd.edu).

More Info: [Meyer Business on the Frontlines Program Brochure Fall 2023](#)

- When: 12:00 - 1 PM
- Where: Stayer 210

**ND Law in DC Lunch-N-Learn**

A flyer for an event titled "ND Law in DC Externship Lunch-N-Learn". The flyer features a vertical image of the United States Capitol building on the left. The text on the right includes the NDLS logo and "THE LAW SCHOOL" at the top, followed by the text "Start planning your Spring '25 semester in the nation's capital!". The main title "ND Law in DC Externship Lunch-N-Learn" is prominently displayed. Below the title, the date and time "SEPTEMBER 18 12:30 P.M. - 1:30 P.M." and location "ECK 3130" are listed. A note states "Bruno's Pizza will be served." and there is a "Learn more" button with a QR code below it.

NDLS | THE LAW SCHOOL

Start planning your Spring '25 semester in the nation's capital!

**ND Law in DC Externship Lunch-N-Learn**

**SEPTEMBER 18  
12:30 P.M. - 1:30 P.M.  
ECK 3130**

Bruno's Pizza will be served.

Learn more



Come hear about the opportunity to gain real-world experiences and connections in the city that thrives on both! Extern in DC while learning valuable skills that will broaden your understanding of the law and make you more attractive to future employers, both public and private. Additional DC opportunities include building relationships with accomplished members of the NDLS network, and exclusive experiences that no other program can offer, including private conversations with judges and justices, meeting with Hill leaders and legislators, and behind-the-scenes tours of the White House, Supreme Court, and other institutions. There's only one way to be in the room where it happens—and that's by being there. Students can sign up for one-on-one meetings on Monday with Adjunct Prof. Devan Patel using the flyer QR Code. Bruno's pizza will be served.

- When: 12:30 - 1:30 PM
- Where: Eck 3130
- [Add to your calendar](#)

**A Life of Faith in the Law: Michael Scaperlanda**



ST. THOMAS MORE SOCIETY  
+  
CHRISTIAN LEGAL SOCIETY  
PRESENT:

# A Life of Faith in the Law: Monday, Sept. 18

**McAllister's Deli | Eck 3140**

**Michael Scaperlanda**

Chancellor of the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City



STMS and CLS invite you to join us for our second "integration" event of this semester. Michael Scaperlanda, Chancellor of the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City, will share his experience of living out his faith through his legal career. Sandwiches from McAllister's Deli will be served.

- When: 12:30 PM
- Where: Eck 3140
- Co-Sponsored by: STMS, CLS
- [Add to your calendar](#)

### **Commons Menu Specials:**

- Meatball Sub
- Soup: Chili

### **SBA Store Hours**

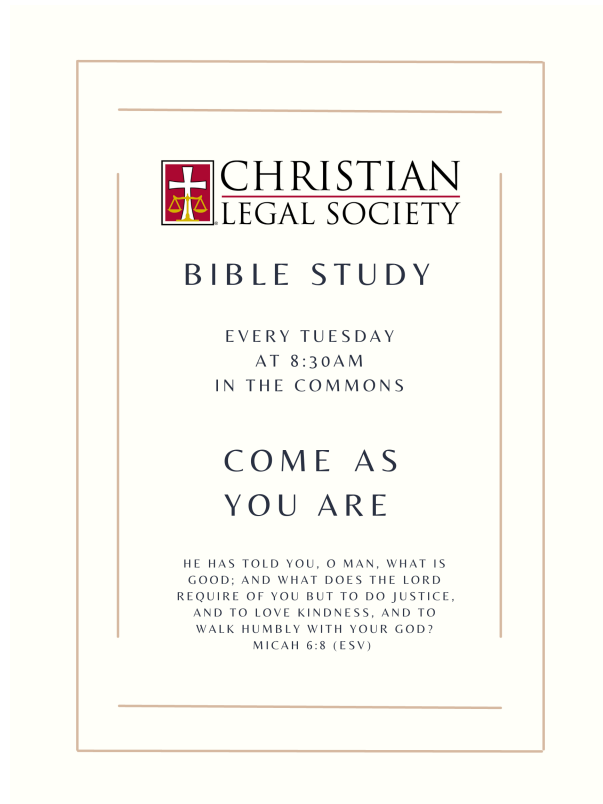
- 11 AM - 4 PM

### **In Other News:**

- Evening Mass, 5:05 PM

**Tuesday - September 19**

**CLS Bible Study and Prayer Meeting**



Please join us for a time of Bible study, prayer, and fellowship. Coffee and bagels will be provided. For questions, contact [Brent Nymeyer](#).

- When: 8:30 AM
- Where: Eck Commons (couches and chairs near the entrance)

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Small group workshop on best practices for law school resumes. Bring your laptop as this is a working session. REGISTRATION CLOSED

- When: 12:00 PM
- Where: Eck 2172

**Business Law Forum Welcome Lunch**



# BUSINESS LAW FORUM

**Welcome Lunch!**

Meet new and existing members, learn more about BLF, and hear about the upcoming events we have planned for the semester!

 **Biolchini Hall of Law, Room 1310**

 **Tuesday, September 19th at 12:30pm**

**Pizza will be provided for all in attendance!**

**Come and join us!**

Meet new and existing members, learn more about BLF, and hear about the upcoming events we have planned for the semester!

- When: 12:30 PM
- Where: Biolchini 1310
- [Add to your calendar](#)

## Descendants of the First Christians: A Conversation about the Maronite Tradition



MIDDLE EASTERN LAW STUDENTS ASSOCIATION PRESENTS:

### **DESCENDANTS OF THE FIRST CHRISTIANS**

A CONVERSATION ABOUT THE MARONITE TRADITION



**FATHER  
JOHN PAUL KIMES**

Fr. John Paul Kimes is an Associate Professor of the Practice at Notre Dame Law School and the Raymond of Peñafort Fellow in Canon Law at the de Nicola Center for Ethics and Culture. Prior to joining the Notre Dame Law School faculty, he served for 11 years as a canon lawyer at the Vatican's Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith.



**FATHER  
MICHAEL SHAMI**

Fr. Michael Shami is a PhD student at Notre Dame. He graduated from NYU with a BA in history and philosophy. He attended seminary at the Pontifical North American College in Rome and received an STB from the Pontifical Gregorian University.



**PERLA KHATTAR**

Perla Khattar is a JSD candidate at Notre Dame Law School. Originally from Lebanon, Perla is an attorney that specialises in human rights and consumer privacy. She's a fellow at the Kellogg Institute for International Studies, and an affiliate at the Klau Institute for Civil and Human Rights.

LUNCH WILL BE SERVED!  
TUESDAY SEP. 19  
ECK 3140



MELSA will be hosting a panel talk/conversation about the Maronite Catholic tradition and its historical roots. The Maronite church is descended from the first Christians and is still operating today in Lebanon, the United States, and other countries. The conversation will be led by two Maronite priests, Fr. Michael Shami and Fr. John Paul Kimes, and moderated by Perla Khattar.

- When: 12:30 PM
- Where: Eck 3140
- [Add to your calendar](#)

### **Faith-Based Charter Schools After Carson**

The poster is a vertical rectangle with a blue and white color scheme. At the top, it reads 'NDLS FEDERALIST SOCIETY' in white on a dark blue background. Below that, the title 'FAITH-BASED CHARTER SCHOOLS AFTER CARSON' is written in white on a dark blue background. Underneath, 'CHANCELLOR OF THE OKLAHOMA CITY ARCHDIOCESE' is written in white on a light blue background. A portrait of Michael Scaperlanda, a man with glasses and a beard, is centered in the middle. Below the portrait, his name 'MICHAEL SCAPERLANDA' is written in large, bold, dark blue letters. A dark blue bar below the name contains the text 'SEPT 19 12:30 PM ECK 1130' in white. Below that, another dark blue bar contains 'NOODLES & CO. FOR LUNCH' in white. At the bottom, there are three logos: 'CENTER FOR CITIZENSHIP & CONSTITUTIONAL GOVERNMENT', 'NOTRE DAME LAW SCHOOL Religious Liberty Initiative', and 'THE FEDERALIST SOCIETY'.

Join Michael Scaperlanda, the Chancellor of the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City, for a discussion on religious charter schools. Fr. Reidy will provide short commentary following Mr. Scaperlanda's talk.

- When: 12:30 PM
- Where: Eck 1130
- Co-sponsored by: The Center for Citizenship & Constitutional Government, Notre Dame Law School Religious Liberty Initiative

### **Weekly Eucharistic Adoration**

Please join us during a holy hour of Eucharistic adoration in the St. Thomas More Chapel every Tuesday from 12:30-1:30 PM.

Eucharistic Adoration is an ancient Catholic practice of prayer before a consecrated host—the Blessed Sacrament—where Jesus is present body, blood, soul, and divinity.

All people of all (or no) faith traditions are welcome to come and go throughout the hour. For questions, please contact Bernadette Shaughnessy.

- Sponsored by: St. Thomas More Society
- When: 12:30 - 1:30 PM
- Where: St. Thomas More Chapel

### Commons Menu Specials:

- BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwich
- Soup: Corn Chowder

### SBA Store Hours

- 11 AM - 4 PM

### In Other News:

- Evening Mass, 5:05 PM

Wednesday - September 20

### The Future of Democracy

**THE FUTURE OF  
DEMOCRACY**

**ANTHONY MICHAEL KREIS**

DISCUSSION  
ON MAJOR  
ELECTION  
LAW CASES  
IN GEORGIA

**SEPTEMBER 20**  
**ECK 1130**  
**12:30 PM**  
LUNCH WILL BE  
SERVED

ACS AMERICAN CONSTITUTION SOCIETY  
Notre Dame Law School Chapter

NOTRE DAME CENTER FOR  
CITIZENSHIP &  
CONSTITUTIONAL  
GOVERNMENT

NOTRE DAME LAW SCHOOL  
LGBT LAW FORUM

Professor Anthony Michael Kreis will speak on the future of democracy in regards to major election law cases looming at the federal level and in the state of Georgia. The event is co-sponsored by the LGBT Law Forum and Notre Dame Center for Citizenship & Constitutional Government. Lunch will be provided.

- When: 12:30 PM
- Where: Eck 1130
- Co-Sponsored by: LGBT Law Forum, Notre Dame Center for Citizenship & Constitutional Government
- [Add to your calendar](#)

### International Human Rights Society General Meeting



Join IHRIS on our first meeting of the semester! This is a chance to learn more about our org and upcoming events for the semester! We'll be electing 1L/LLM representatives as well as a new secretary. Lunch will be provided!

- When: 12:30 PM
- Where: Eck 3130
- [Add to your calendar](#)

**SBA Service Committee Opportunity: Dismas House**

# MAKE AND SHARE A MEAL

AT

# DISMAS HOUSE

## A WAY BACK TO SOCIETY

Our home was founded in 1986 to provide transitional housing and support services to men and women who have been recently released from incarceration. We offer a variety of programs to assist our residents in their transition back into society.

WEDNESDAY  
SEPTEMBER 20  
5:30-7:30 PM



- When: 5:30 - 7: 30 PM
- Where: Dismas House, [521 S St Joseph St, South Bend, IN 46601](#)
- Sign-up at the QR code in the flyer

**Commons Menu Specials:**

- Warm Roast Beef Sandwich
- Soup: Clam Chowder

**SBA Store Hours**

- 11 AM - 4 PM

**In Other News:**

- Evening Mass, 5:05 PM

Thursday - September 21

**Resume Workshop 10**

Small group workshop on best practices for law school resumes. Bring your laptop as this is a working session. [Register here.](#)

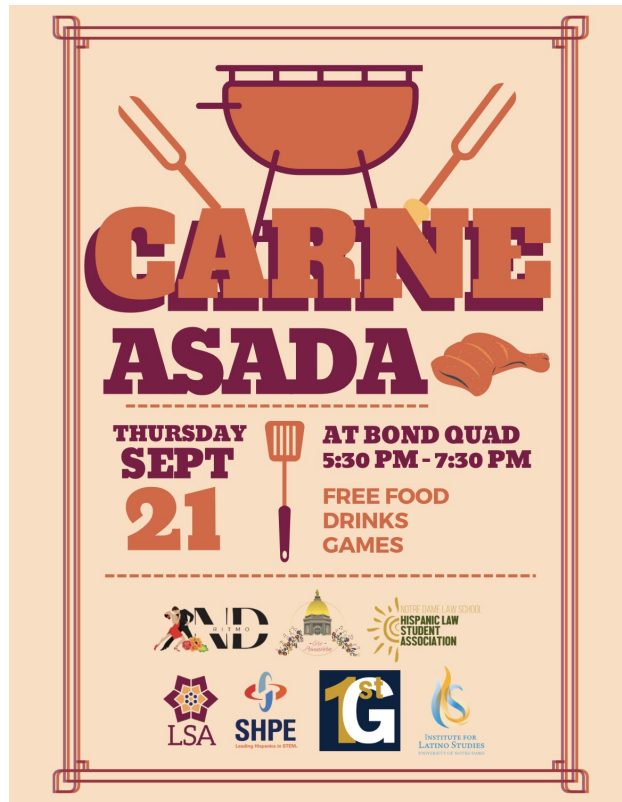
- When: 12:00 PM
- Where: Eck 2172

**Student Bar Association General Body Meeting Monthly Meeting**

Come here from us regarding upcoming programming and general initiatives! Lunch will be provided.

- When: 12:30 PM
- Where: Eck 1140
- [Add to your calendar](#)

**Hispanic Heritage Month Carne Asada**



Join the Hispanic Law Student Association and other Latino student organizations at Notre Dame this Thursday, September 21st at 5:30 pm at Bond Quad to kick off Hispanic Heritage Month!

- When: 5:30 - 7:30 PM
- Where: Bond Quad
- Co-Sponsored by: Latino Student Alliance, RitmoND, 1stG ND, Coro Primavera, Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers at Notre Dame, and the Institute for Latino Studies

**Commons Menu Specials:**

- Burrito Bowl
- Soup: Broccoli Cheese

**SBA Store Hours**

- 11 AM - 4 PM

**In Other News:**

- Evening Mass, 5:05 PM

Friday - September 22

**Commons Menu Specials:**

- Grilled Cheese
- Soup: Tomato Bisque



### **SBA Store Hours**

- 11 AM - 4 PM

### **In Other News:**

- Mass, 12:30 PM

Saturday - September 23

Sunday - September 24

### **In Other News:**

- Mass, 4:30 PM

## **GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

Introducing: 1L SBA and Honor Council Reps!

### **1L SBA Representatives**



Vince Gullo

Content recommendation: "'Love Actually,' because its a great commentary on both the uniqueness and importance of the most fundamental human emotion, love. Also, Alan Rickman is awesome in it."

Sydni Hart

Content recommendation: "I would love to suggest The Wombats, they're an English, indie rock band and I can honestly say I've been listening to them for the majority of my life haha. If i were to recommend one song, it would be Greek Tragedy! I feel like their music speaks to my soul and hopefully others will too!"



Tim Vuong

Content recommendation: "*If We Were Villains* by M.L. Rio.

This book takes place at an elite conservatory in rural Illinois and follows a group of Shakespearean actors as they navigate their senior year. After their first Fall performance, one of their group members turns up dead, and the remainder spends the rest of the year slowly unraveling and becoming more unhinged from the loss of their friend and the secrets they've been keeping from each other. I highly recommend this book to anyone who likes a good murder mystery with dark academia vibes! It's

not too long (~300 pages), so it totally flies by. If you do end up reading it, please come see me—I need people to talk about this book with!"

**1L Honor Council Representatives**



Kendall Tribus

Content recommendation: "Would strongly, strongly, strongly recommend watching *The Bear* if anyone hasn't yet!"



Abby Wolfe

Content recommendation: "Any form of trashy reality TV (*Love Island*, *The Ultimatum*, *Love is Blind*) LOL"

**Spirit Week 2023**



It is that time of year again! On behalf of the Student Bar Association, this year's Spirit Committee presents to you "SPIRIT WEEK 2023!"

**Monday** (9/18): Decades Day

This is your opportunity to channel your love for a decade of your choice! Love the fashion of the 90s? 20s? 70s? 2010s? Let's see it!

**Tuesday** (9/19): Squad Day

Grab your bestie(s) and dress as a squad (Spice Girls, The Office, etc.)

**Wednesday** (9/20): Rep your Cohort Day

Calling all 1Ls, 2Ls, 3Ls, LLMs, and Faculty/Staff! Rep your cohort's color!

**1L:** Irish Green

**2L:** ND Blue

**3L:** Game Day Gold

**LLMs:** Dome Yellow

**Faculty/Staff:** Our Lady White

**Thursday** (9/21): Notre Dame Day

Wear your favorite Game Day attire! Go Irish Beat Buckeyes!

Please send a photo of your outfit to Shideya ([sparrill@nd.edu](mailto:sparrill@nd.edu)) or Grace ([gakin@nd.edu](mailto:gakin@nd.edu)). (There will also be a SBA committee member in the Commons from 12:30- 1:30 to snap photos!) We will be compiling all pictures for a slideshow and the ND Law community will be voting for the best dressed and **prizes will be awarded!**

**Update from the SBA Athletics Committee**

Hi all, for those interested in participating in IM sports this fall, the SBA Athletics Committee put together [this handy spreadsheet](#) to get organized. Please note, all costs are borne by participants.

**1L Panel: Outlining Strategies and Perspectives**



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STUDENT SERVICES: 1L ACADEMIC  
SUPPORT PROGRAMMING

## Outlining Strategies and Perspectives Student Panel

Wednesday, September 27  
12:30 - 1:30 p.m. | 1130 Eck

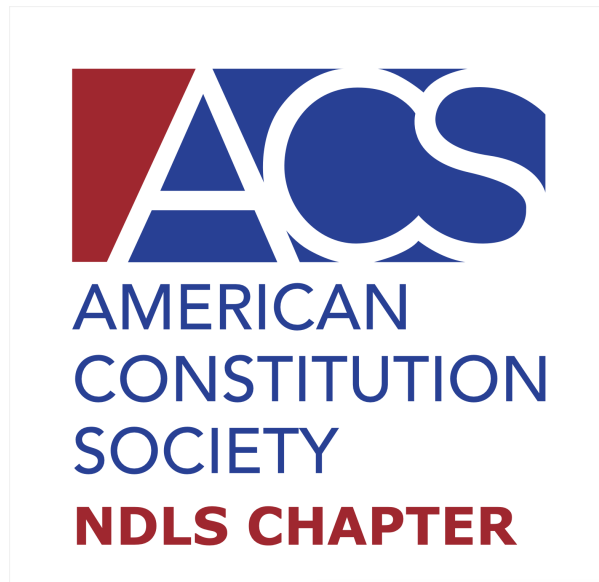
Our panel will share tips for honing your notes and creating outlines and using tools like supplements and other resources. This is a good opportunity to check in and get a fresh perspective on your study strategies.

*Join us for lunch and an open discussion!*

Join a panel of 2L students to talk about how and when (if?) to start outlining and learn how good notetaking skills can help create a strong outline.

- When: Wednesday, September 27, 12:30 - 1:30 PM
- Where: Eck 1130
- Co-Sponsored by: First Gen and SBA Mental Health Committee
- [Add to your calendar](#)

## **Follow ACS on Instagram!**



[Follow](#) the ACS Notre Dame Law Chapter on Instagram to see upcoming events and event recaps.

## **ACS 1L Representative Applications Open!**

Applications to be a 1L Representative for ACS are now open. Being a 1L Rep is a great way to contribute to the organization and get involved in the law school. The commitment is minimal; we understand 1Ls are very busy. Complete [this form](#) by Friday, September 22 at 11:59 pm to apply.

## **Constitution Annotated - 100 years**

CONSTITUTION ANNOTATED  
Analysis and Interpretation of the U.S. Constitution

September 17th is Constitution Day and the Library of Congress has put together a special website celebrating 100 years of publishing [The Constitution Annotated](#). The

Constitution Annotated is the only constitutional law treatise formally authorized by federal law and functions as the official Constitution of record. Explore the origins of the Constitution, interpretations of each article and amendment, discussion of the Supreme Court's latest opinions, and other fascinating facts and images! You can also find the Constitution Annotated in print in the Kresge Law Library Reference collection.

## **New LibGuide - Major Legal Databases**

Check out the Kresge Law Library's new LibGuide for [Major Legal Databases](#)! This guide provides quick access to our most popular databases (Lexis, Westlaw, Bloomberg Law, HeinOnline, ProQuest, PLI Plus), a complete A-to-Z list of all our research databases and ebook collections, and Databases by Subject.

## **Saint of the Week: St. Thomas of Villanova with Charlie Nugent**

I have a special devotion to St. Thomas of Villanova, the patron saint of Villanova University. Villanova has always been a part of my life. I'm very lucky, and proud, to be one of over sixty family members to have graduated from the University. For anyone who knows me, it's no shocker that I chose St. Thomas of Villanova to be my confirmation saint.

Tomas Garcia Martinez was born in the 1480s, and he was raised in Villanueva de Los Infantes, Spain. From the beginning, everyone knew of Tomas's brilliance. In his early twenties, Tomas became one of the youngest professors at the University of Alcala, where he taught art, theology, logic, and philosophy. His reputation as a professor spread, and, in 1516, the chancellor of the renowned University of Salamanca offered him a professorship. Tomas declined the offer and instead entered the Augustinian monastery. Tomas surrendered all that he was to God.

Tomas was a skilled writer and eloquent orator. Legend has it that Charles V, after hearing one of his sermons, observed: "This monsignor can move even the stones." Tomas had a profound sense of how to govern, and so, he held many positions of leadership in the Church. He was a local prior, a regional superior, and eventually the Archbishop of Valencia. Tomas always cared for his people, and he believed deeply in the structural reform of society. At a time when many in the Church used wealth for unholy means, he used his power and influence to establish schools, hospitals, kitchens, homeless shelters, and sanitary prisons. Tomas died in 1555, and he was canonized as St. Thomas of Villanova in 1658. His feast day is celebrated on September 22.

Words cannot capture the eternal gratitude I have for St. Thomas of Villanova. As Notre Dame lawyers, we can learn a thing or two from him. A different kind of lawyer recognizes that the law is a vocation, not a profession. He uses his power and influence to serve the common good.

## **Law School's Mourning Dove Chicks Ready for Their Close-Up**





The natural areas of campus provide a great refuge for local wildlife, but even the developed parts can make a nice habitat. Have you ever noticed the Mourning Doves who live above one of the Law School's external light fixtures? If so, now you can see their chicks too! [photo by University Photographer [mcashore@nd.edu](mailto:mcashore@nd.edu)]

### **Access to NDLS's Events Calendar**

Did you know there is an all-inclusive law school events calendar that runs for the entire semester?! See what's happening at NDLS in the weeks to come by visiting the [NDLS Google Calendar](#).

### **SBA Dropbox:**

Do you have ideas you'd like to see implemented in the law school? Got any suggestions? Please submit all of your questions, comments, concerns for the SBA [HERE](#).

### **Submit to the MMU:**

To submit events/announcements to next week's MMU, [please complete the form linked here](#).

**Follow the SBA for more updates!**



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