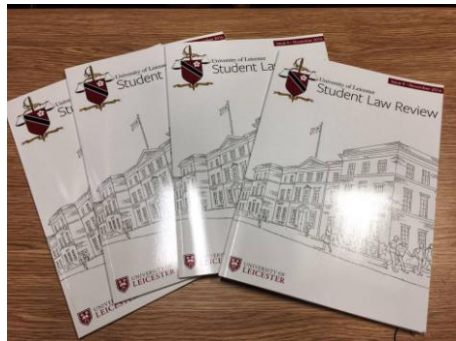


FORTNIGHTLY NEWSLETTER OF EVENTS

WEEK BEGINNING 14TH NOVEMBER 2016

LAW REVIEW, CAREERS & MEDICS VS LAWYERS CHRISTMAS SHOT DOWN SOCIAL



HIGHLIGHT FROM THE LAST 2 WEEKS

Last week saw the launch of the fourth issue of the University of Leicester Student Law Review! Now going into its third year, this publication is well-established, and subsequently was able to undergo a re-brand in line with the Law Society's summer rebrand. A lot of hard work from our sub-committee has gone into this. Read the Review online at:

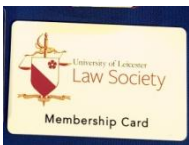
<http://luls.org.uk/lawreview/the-digital-publication/>

DATES TO NOTE FOR THE NEXT TWO WEEKS:

MONDAY

JOIN THE LAW SOCIETY AND PICK UP YOUR MEMBERSHIP CARD

- We are in the office 10-4pm every week day and there's a table of who's in there and when. You can get your LULS membership card by showing us your confirmation email of membership any day!
- To join the Law Society go to www.leicesterunion.com/groups/law--2 to make an SU account and pay! £15 for the year, £40 for lifetime.



MONDAY

UNIVERSITY OF LAW SPRINGBOARD INTO LAW – PART 1

- 2-4pm. Charles Wilson 4th Floor SR 409 Garendon
- A fantastic opportunity to gain essential the transferrable skills required to become a successful solicitor and enhance your CV with a certificate upon completion. This is the first of a 2 part course. Be quick to apply, places are limited!
- To attend you must confirm your attendance on this document: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc72BPUio9DeYfRZ5D_4-fzM9CN-akFvnMI52djUczKsHEatg/viewform?c=0&w=1
- Any questions? Email our Solicitors' Reps Kamran and Sophie on kst7 and seh57

MONDAY

COMPETITION TO WIN FREE TICKET TO JUNIOR LAWYERS BALL

- On Friday 18th in Leicester we are sending 8 students to the Leicestershire Junior Lawyers Division Ball, and the places have been sponsored by BPP. Tickets worth £40. A great networking opportunity.
- All you have to do is email Kamran on kst7@student.le.ac.uk with 250 words on "Why you will be a good representative for the University of Leicester Law Society".
- Deadline: 2pm on Wednesday 16th November so you will find out if you're successful before the event.
- Applications open to LULS and Pro Bono members.

TUESDAY

LEGAL WEEK DISCUSSION GROUP – AMERICAN ELECTION SPECIAL

- Informal discussion group which is hugely successful and both academics and students attend to analyse current issues from a legal perspective.
- 'The Trump Presidency: What Can We Expect?'
- Tuesday 15st November, 5pm, venue: L67



TUESDAY

HOWES PERCIVAL APPLICATION WORKSHOP

- 11-1. Charles Wilson 4th Floor SR 409 Garendon
- A leading commercial law firm with 6 offices across the country, including Leicester, offering a wide range of legal expertise. The workshop involves prep for the application process. Will involve tips from the initial stages right to assessment centre day. This is a great opportunity to find new ways to stand out from the crowd.
- If you are attending please indicate your definite attendance on the Facebook event:
<https://www.facebook.com/events/1216268855097248/>
- Any questions? Email our Solicitors' Rep Kamran on kst7

TUESDAY

BIRD & BIRD VIDEO INTERVIEW WORKSHOP

- 12-2. Careers Development Seminar room
- More firms, including leading international law firm Bird and Bird, are including a video interview stage during their application process. Valuable advice on how to approach this stage of the application process. To attend you must fill out the following form:
<https://mycareers.le.ac.uk/leap/event.html?id=3719&service=Careers+Service>

THURSDAY

LINKLATERS COMMERCIAL AWARENESS WORKSHOP 12-2pm.

- UPDATE: Now full but sign up to get on the waiting list:
<https://l.facebook.com/l.php?u=https%3A%2F%2Fmycareers.le.ac.uk%2Fstudent%2Fevents.html%3Fexecution%3De2s1&h=IAQEPVxR>

NEXT MON

A DAY IN THE LIFE OF A BARRISTER

- 21ST November. 6-7pm. Venue TBC.
- Come hear from a local barrister about their experience in a career at the Bar. They will be talking about their experience in a pupillage, what tasks they perform on a daily basis whether it be an active day in court or a case prep day at the office, and will be able to give first hand advice and tips to aspiring barristers.
- Any questions? Email our Barristers' Rep Caitlin on CM597

NEXT WED

UNIVERSITY OF LAW SPRINGBOARD INTO LAW – PART 2

- Time TBC. 23rd November.
- University of Law – Birmingham Campus
- Only applicable for those who attended part 1.

NEXT WED

TOUR OF THE HONOURABLE SOCIETY OF THE INNER TEMPLE

- UPDATE: All places now full.
- For those who are attending and have been notified on the first come first served basis: free train ticket if you have a railcard (otherwise you will have to pay the difference)
- Any questions? Email Barristers' Rep Caitlin on cm597

NEXT FRI

LAWYERS VS MEDICS CHRISTMAS SOCIAL – SHOT DOWN!!!

- The Law Medic Christmas Shot Showdown is back. The two societies will be battling it out to emerge victorious from this epic clash.
- Medics will be dressing as Reindeer and lawyers as snowmen.
- The showdown will start at 19:30 at the Corn Exchange and then move on to Marz Bar and Fatcat before the power hour (hour of power) at the Loaded Dog. We look forward to seeing you all there. 25th Nov.
- Any questions? Email Events Coordinator Ollie on ow24.

COMING UP

BAKER & MCKENZIE SELF-BRANDING/MAKING A GOOD 1ST IMPRESSION WORKSHOP & NETWORKING

- 4-7pm. 28th Nov. Jan Grodecki Room.

COMING UP

ADRIAN ROBERTS 'LEGAL CHALLENGES OF BREXIT'

- 12:30 – 1:30. 30TH Nov. Attenborough 208.
- Revolving around the topic of commercial awareness, a major concern for the legal sector is Brexit, and the challenges international law firms face. Imperative for with Vacation Scheme and Training Contract interviews.





VICTORIA FISHER ESSAY COMPETITION – WOMEN AND THE LAW

- Write an essay on the topic of women and the law of no more than 10,000 words. Winning entry wins £250.
- Victoria was a lecturer in the Faculty of Law at the University of Leicester. She was a funding member of the Women and the Law Group and was an active trade unionist.
- Deadline – 30th November 2016
- For more info on how to enter contact Linda Henfrey at LH55@le.ac.uk

UPDATES & IN OTHER NEWS:

LAW SOCIETY AGONY AUNT

- This new initiative allows you to ask anonymous questions to our knowledgeable and sassy 3rd year agony aunt! We had some fantastic questions and it's becoming a really fun project, so keep asking ANYTHING to do with being a student/law student or about law school.
- The next set of answers to be posted in two weeks. Get asking!
<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeVKSdoJfPC9OOaubmbx5hEQn3Prd9rwBo8BqBM7PUqko43w/viewform?c=0&w=1>

MOOTING & COMPETITIONS UPDATE

- Negotiations, Mooting and Client Interviewing are now well underway - well done to everyone that has progressed so far.
- In terms of external competitions, last week our external mooters Nabeel Moallem and Casey Dorey did amazingly at the Landmark Chambers Property moot and have proceeded to the quarter finals, doing LULS very proud!

LAW SOC OF THE YEAR

- This year we are entering various awards for the hard work we do and to be affiliated with a law soc that's won an award is definitely something to shout about CV wise, and personally.
- We have already entered one competition which concerns the number of work experience opportunities we offer, so we will see if we get shortlisted!
- But soon we will be entering for Law Society of the Year award where YOU, the members, get to put forward submissions to let them know what you think of us. More info to follow, but as a LULS community we can achieve this together!

NEW INITIATIVES

- We have tonnes of new projects this year, including the Solicitors' monthly newsletter to boost commercial awareness, and the Essay Help Seminars. All have been a huge success so far! Email Chairperson Scarlett on gss16 for qs.

