



# The Digest

WIDENER UNIVERSITY COMMONWEALTH LAW SCHOOL  
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## Free & Confidential Student Walk-In Clinic Hours

Lawyers Concerned for Lawyers: Monday, October 21<sup>st</sup> 11:00 - 2:30 p.m.

Library Building - Law & Government Flex Room (1<sup>st</sup> Floor)



Are you. . .

- Stressed?
- Overwhelmed?
- Anxious?
- Depressed?
- Self-medicating?

You are not alone. Support and resources are available. Please stop by to learn more.

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

#### October

- 21 **Lawyers Concerned for Lawyers Walk-In Clinic**
- 21 **Federalist Society Debate Forum on the Second Amendment**
- 23 **October Town Hall w/Auditor General Eugene DePasquale**
- 24 **Public Interest Law Society Bake Sale**
- 24 **Cycling Class**
- 25 **Exceptional Children Conference 2019**
- 29 **Environmental Law Distinguished Speaker Series**
- 31 **Cycling Class**

#### November

- 2 **SBA Halloween Party**
- 5 **CDO FBI Lunch & Learn**
- 8 **Veterans Day Ceremony and CLE**
- 12 **CDO Lunch & Learn**
- 13 **Evening at the Capitol**
- 14 **Puppies in the Pit**
- 18 **Puppies in the Pit**
- 26 **Last Day of Classes**

### Oct. Cycling Classes

Thursday, Oct. 3 @ 4:15 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 10 @ 4:15 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 17 @ 4:15 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 24 @ 4:15 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 31 @ 4:15 p.m.



There is no fee for these classes. Sign up through Office of Student Affairs - Dean of Students TWEN page. Bikes are limited, sign up early. Please remove yourself from the sign up sheet if you are not attending. When possible, please give 24 hours notice of cancellation so other students can join.



## GUN CONTROL DEBATE

The Widener Federalist Society would like to welcome you to join us and our guests, **Dr. John Lott** and **Senator Daylin Leach** (PA-17), for a debate on Red Flag laws and Universal Background Checks.

When: Monday October 21, 2019 at 4:30pm

Where: Room L202

Food and beverages will be provided



Widener Law Commonwealth is pleased to host its annual

## Evening at the Capitol

with

Joe Scarnati, *Senate President Pro Tempore*; Mike Turzai, *House Speaker*;  
Jay Costa, Jr., *Senate Democratic Leader*; and Frank Dermody, *House Democratic Leader*.

Dean Christian A. Johnson cordially invites you to join us  
as we celebrate and honor:

**Widener Law Commonwealth's 30th Anniversary**  
and

**Irene M. Bizzoso '92,**  
*Prothonotary of the Pennsylvania Supreme Court*  
*2019 recipient of the Excellence in Public Service Award*

Tuesday, November 12, 2019  
5:00 – 7:00 pm  
Pennsylvania State Capitol Building  
Main Rotunda

Complimentary hors d'oeuvres and beverages.  
RSVP online at [commonwealthlaw.widener.edu](http://commonwealthlaw.widener.edu)  
or call 717-541-3974.



## CAREER DEVELOPMENT

Careers w/FBI Lunch & Learn

11/5/19, 12:00-1:00, Room TBD

Register on CORE

Lunch & Learn/Info about the CAMP 1L  
Program/PLAN MLK Jr. Internship &  
Fellowship

11/12/19, 12:00-1:00, TBD

Register on CORE





**OCTOBER TOWN HALL WITH**  
*Auditor General Eugene DePasquale*



"The exchange of ideas and holding elected leaders accountable is essential to a thriving democracy."

Wednesday, October 23, 2019  
6:30 – 8:00 PM, Room A180

Widener Law Commonwealth  
3737 Vartan Way  
Harrisburg, PA  
*Open to Public*

# THE PUBLIC INTEREST LAW SOCIETY'S

ANNUAL



# BAKE SALE



All day, Thursday,  
October 24 in the Pit

Bring your cash to purchase baked goods  
made by faculty, staff and students!

All proceeds benefit the YWCA of  
Greater Harrisburg

**Environmental Law Distinguished Speaker Series**  
*Sponsored by the Environmental Law and Sustainability Center,  
Widener University Commonwealth Law School*



**Tuesday, October 29, 2019  
4:00 PM**

**James R. May**  
*"Environmental Rights and Wrongs: Implementing  
Environmental Constitutionalism"*

*Widener Law Commonwealth  
Administration Building, A180  
3737 Vartan Way, Harrisburg, PA*

*1 free CLE (substantive) credit is available*

The notion that every human being has a right to a clean, healthy and sustainable environment has caught the imagination of people across religions, cultures, constitutions, countries and continents. According to the UN Environment Program, about 150 countries have environmental provisions in their constitutions, including approximately 88 that recognize an express constitutional right to a healthy environment.

And yet, there is little evidence as to how, where and why environmental rights have improved outcomes for human beings or nature. This presentation aims to elucidate the reasons for this, including the inherent and institutional challenges of implementing environmental rights.

Questions: [CLEcwlaw@widener.edu](mailto:CLEcwlaw@widener.edu)

Registration: [commonwealthlaw.widener.edu/eventregistration](http://commonwealthlaw.widener.edu/eventregistration)



## Veterans Day Ceremony And CLE



Join us on Friday, November 8, 2019, for our  
Annual Veterans Day Ceremony and CLE

Widener Law Commonwealth  
3737 Vartan Way  
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania  
Room A180

- 8:00 AM CLE “Rules of Engagement and Why We Need Them, presented by Jonathan Crisp, Esquire ‘98 (1 Free Substantive PA Credit)
- 9:15 AM Veterans Day Ceremony

To register for CLE: <https://commonwealthlaw.widener.edu/prospective-students/why-widener/events/detail/3393/>

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