#### LAW JOURNAL AWARDS

Southern Illinois University Law Journal For the School Year of 2009-2010

#### **Best Casenote Award**

This award is presented to the author of the published casenote which scored the highest in a blind ranking by the previous year's Editor in Chief.

LAURA BARKE

#### **Best Comment Award**

This award is presented to the author of the published comment which scored the highest in a blind ranking by the previous year's Editor in Chief.

**BEN BRIDGES** 

#### **Best Casenote and Comment Editor**

This award is presented to the best casenote and comment editor based on facts such as quality of editing, dedication, ability to work with staff authors, evaluations by staff authors and the number of articles edited that were selected for publication.

LESLIE OLTMANN

#### **Best Articles Editor**

This award is presented to the Articles Editor who made the most significant contribution to the Law Journal based on factors such as: number of hours dedicated to Law Journal activities, the difficulty and importance of projects undertaken and the quality of editing.

LEVI BENNETT CYNDI BOLLMAN

**Outstanding Service** 

LAURA BARKE

#### Journal of Legal Medicine Award

This award is presented to the author of the best published Journal of Legal Medicine article as selected by the Editor of the Journal of Legal Medicine.

ERIC RAKESTRAW

#### **Legal Medicine Perspectives Award**

SHELBY PARK ANDREA TAYLOR

# HONORS AND AWARDS WITHIN THE LAW SCHOOL

Southern Illinois University For the School Year of 2009-2010

#### ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

| <u>CLASS OF 2011</u> | <u>CLASS OF 2010</u> |
|----------------------|----------------------|
| ELIZABETH BORATTO    | Laura Barke          |
| JENNIFER DONNELLY    | LEVI BENNETT         |
| COBIE EVANS          | BENJAMIN BRIDGES     |
| BRADY MCANINCH       | LINDSEY HALLAM       |
| GRANT MCBRIDE        | WHITNEY JONES        |
| KELLY MURRAY         | TIMOTHY O'HERN       |
| ALLISON PITZER       | LESLIE OLTMANN       |
| KATHRYN ROSS         | ERIC RAKESTRAW       |
| ROSS SORENSEN        | MICHAEL WALTERS      |
| KORY WATSON          | LESLIE WARREN        |

#### Al H. and James A. Chesser Endowed Scholarship

JERRY TUFFENTSAMER

#### **ALI-ABA Scholarship & Leadership Nominee**

LAURA BARKE

#### **ASLME Student Health Law Award**

JAYE LINDSAY

#### August L. "Gus" Fowler Scholarship

The scholarship is given to a student in good standing from Southern Illinois with preference to Marion or Williamson County.

SHERI PRUSAK

#### **Bessie Engram Community Service Award**

This award is presented for outstanding community service.

TROY LUSTER

#### **Beth and Darin Boggs Scholarship**

KORY WATSON

#### Charles D. and Fairy B. Neal Scholarship

ALLISON BALCH, ERIK GOWIN,
CRAIG GRIFFIN, MICHAEL HERZOG,
CHRISTINE HUMMERT, ALEXANDER HURST,
BRYCE JOINER, JONATHAN KIBLER,
JASON KLEINDORFER, TRAVIS LIVERMORE,
BRYANT MICHAEL, CHRISTOPHER NEAL,
BRYAN NORBUT, ANDREW PIKE,
JOSEPH RATHERT, BENJAMIN REED,
ANGELA ROLLINS, PATRICK SULLIVAN,
IAN WARREN, JENNIFER ZANFES

#### **Charles Hudson Patent Law Award**

LUKE STAFFORD

#### **Charter Class Award**

ROBERT CZARNIK, SARAH HAASIS, BRADLY RIGDON, MATTHEW SPAIN, DAVID SWENDSEN

#### Class of 1977 Rewards of Challenge Scholarship

JASON YAMBERT

#### **Class of 1994 Outstanding Research Assistant**

**ALLISON PITZER** 

#### Class of 1999/ RSD Memorial Scholarship for Sean M. Dempsey

ANGELA ROLLINS

#### **Consumer Protection Award**

JUDY PAYNE

#### **David C. Johnson Scholarship**

JESSICA ARMIJO

#### **Delos L. Duty Scholarship**

This scholarship, established in memory of Mr. Delos Duty, a well known Williamson County attorney, is awarded to an entering student for outstanding achievement.

NICOLE LAFORTE

#### Donny J. Schmeder Memorial Scholarship

RYAN BACH

#### Edgar O. & Bonnie Zimmer Scholarship

GRANT MCBRIDE CASSIE LINDERS HEATHER HEISNER

#### Edward L. Welch Labor Law Award

GERALD SMITH

#### Frank Bietto Memorial Scholarship

KEVIN MORRISSON JOHN MURPHY BRYCE PIERSON

#### **Garwin Family Foundation Scholarship**

LAURA WARDWELL

#### **Gilbert Family Memorial Scholarship**

This scholarship is presented to second year students from Southern Illinois who demonstrated service to the law school.

KELLY MURRAY

#### Harold W. "Hank" Hannah Ag Law Scholarship

**DUSTIN PROBST** 

#### **Health Law Contribution Award**

The award is given to the student with strong academic achievement who intends to practice health law.

RYAN BACH

#### Hiram H. & Rosalee Lesar Scholarship

MICHAEL HASSEL TIMOTHY SHRAKE

#### Howard B. Eisenberg Client Service Award

RON COMPARIN

#### Joan Dawley and John A. Maher Scholarship

WARNER JONES

#### Joe & Irene Dell'Era Public Service Award

MICHAEL BANTZ
MICHAEL BUTTS
JOSHUA CHUMBLEY
JOHN CLARK
STEPHEN LINK
NATALIE LORENZ
JOSHUA WALTRIP

#### **Judge James Foreman Scholarship**

LESLIE OLTMANN

#### Judge James O. Monroe Award

BENJAMIN BRIDGES

#### Judge Richard E. Richman Ethics Award

SHANNON CRAIN

#### Judge Richard E. Richman Endowed Scholarship

The scholarship was established by Lois Richman to recognize a student who embraces the ideals of character, verbal skills, humanity and compassion.

**DUSTIN PROBST** 

#### **Judge Richard Mills Scholarship**

TIMOTHY JAMES O'HERN

#### Julius A. & Norma H. Johnson Scholarship

NAILA ROBINSON

#### Lincoln's Inn

MICHAEL BAILEY, LAURA BARKE,
BEN BRIDGES, NATE BROWN,
LACY COLE, SARA DAVIS,
KYLEE JORDAN, DANIELLE MACALUSO,
ANDREA TAYLOR, BRUCE ZYWIEC

#### **Lisa Franke Scholarship**

ANDREA TAYLOR

#### Lowell H. Jacobson Scholarship Nominee

The scholarship is awarded competitively to a student from one of the law schools within the Seventh Circuit to recognize personal commitment and achievement.

JENNIFER DONNELLY

#### **Madison County Illinois Bar Association Scholarship**

BRAD EVETTS

#### **Max Turner Memorial Scholarship**

JESSICA DAVIS

#### **Moot Court Awards**

Chief Justice-Danielle K. Macaluso

#### **Appellate Division**

Associate Justice–Kylee J. Jordan
Stephen L. Boling
Robert C. Creighton
Elizabeth A. Dahlmann
Nicole M. Grashoff Werner
Bartelo J. Pupillo
Eric J. Rakestraw
Joshua N. Severit
Andrew Kyle Shadowens

#### **Trial Division**

MICHAEL G. BAILEY
LEVI C. BENNETT
BRIDGET M. CARLSON
KENNETH R. EIHUSEN
NATHAN D. LYLE
DIANE L. REGAN
STEPHANIE A. SCHMITT
LESLIE M. WARREN

#### **Intramural Best Brief**

DOUGLASS R. BITNER & ROSS J. SORENSEN ALEX M. VANSAGHI & KENDRA A. WOLTERS (2ND PLACE)

#### **Best Oralist**

MICHELLE A. DEWEY
DOUGLASS R. BITNER (2ND PLACE)
KATHRYN G. ROSS (3RD PLACE)

#### **Intramural Champions**

DOUGLASS R. BITNER & ROSS J. SORENSEN

#### **Intramural Second Place Team**

SHANNON D. CRAIN & KARI SCOTT

#### **National Association Of Women Lawyers Award**

This award is presented to a third year student demonstrating academic achievement and motivation and who also shows promise to contribute to the advancement of women in society.

JENNIFER KIEFFER

#### **Natural Resources Award**

ROBERT MENEES

#### **Order of Barristers**

This award is based on advocacy and brief writing skills through law school appellate moot court and mock trial programs.

STEVEN L. BOLING
ROBERT C. CREIGHTON
ELIZABETH A. DAHLMANN
NICOLE GRASHOFF WERNER
KYLEE J. JORDAN
DANIELLE K. MACALUSO
BARTELO J. PUPILLO
ERIC J. RAKESTRAW
JOSHUA N. SEVERIT
ANDREW KYLE SHADOWENS

#### **Pat Caporale Scholarship Prize**

BRUCE ZYWIEC

#### Phi Delta Phi Award

This award is given to the students with the highest grades in Professional Responsibility or Legal Ethics.

LAURA BARKE LINDSEY HALLAM STEVEN WALTERS

#### Phi Kappa Phi National Honor Society

The Society Nominates students who represent the top 10% of their class in recognition of superior scholarship.

ELIZABETH BORATTO, MORGAN CLYMER,
JENNIFER DONNELLY, COBIE EVANS,
BRADY MCANINCH, GRANT MCBRIDE
KELLY MURRAY, ALLISON PITZER,
KATHRYN ROSS, ROSS SORENSEN
KORY WATSON

LAURA BARKE, LEVI BENNETT, CYNDI BOLLMAN, BENJAMIN BRIDGES, LINDSEY HALLAM, WHITNEY JONES, CARSON MARICLE, WILLIAM MCCALL, TIMOTHY O'HERN, LESLIE OLTMANN, ERIC RAKESTRAW, LUKE STAFFORD, MICHAEL WALTERS, LESLIE WARREN

#### **Pro Bono Award Immigration Detention Program**

FRANCISCO DEL GRANADO
RICHARD GARCIA
AMY OHTANI
SHEILA O'SULLIVAN
MARK PHILIPP
ALEJANDRO SOTO
ANDREA TAYLOR
JEREMY WANG

#### Pro Bono Award Veterans' Legal Assistant Program

CYNDI BOLLMAN
TREVOR BURGGRAFF
SARA DAVIS
MARK PHILIPP
DANIEL SWIFT

#### Ron E. Osman Endowed Scholarship

The scholarship, made possible by the generosity of local attorney, Ronald Osman, is given to a student from Union or Williamson county based on financial need

CHARLES MCGUIRE

#### School of Law Dean's Club Scholarship Spiros Alikakos

School of Law 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Scholarship REBECCA WARREN

# School of Law Alumni Association Scholarship COLE WILLIAMS ELIZABETH ADAMS

### Scott H. Nichols Memorial Endowed Scholarship NICK TINSMAN

**Senior Class Award** Professor Paul McGreal

#### Senior Class Commencement Speaker Benjamin Bridges

#### **SIU Public Interest Award**

LETISHA LUECKING ORLET
ANGELA ROLLINS
NEIL SCHONERT
ANDREW FLYNN
JONATHAN INGRAM
LISA FORAN

Student Writing Award LINDSEY HALLAM

## Women's Bar Association of Illinois Foundation Award Recipient

MICHELLE DEWEY

#### Women's Bar Association of Illinois Foundation Award Nominee

ALLISON PITZER