

CARDOZO LAW

J.D. PROGRAM

Leadership and Community
for a New Legal Landscape



Why choose Cardozo Law for your J.D.?



At Cardozo Law, we take our academic mission seriously. Every day the law school strives to embody the wisdom, integrity and sense of fairness that Supreme Court Justice Benjamin N. Cardozo personified. Our internationally recognized programs are taught by world-class faculty. Our community is open and personal.

The animated debate in our classrooms and hallways is welcoming and respectful of diverse perspectives and backgrounds. And every day we recognize the critical role attorneys play in protecting the rights of all people, around the world. A Cardozo education enables

our students to pursue principles of justice in the United States and abroad.

The legal profession is changing. Tomorrow's lawyers need to operate in a 24/7 global environment, to become more entrepreneurial and to demonstrate passion, dedication and cultural savvy. They need to frame new arguments in a world of global, technological and business transitions. They need to be innovative problem solvers. We understand this new standard, and we're ready to help you meet its tests and embrace its opportunities.

Cardozo Law offers a combination of scholarship and hands-on experiences that will prepare you for new roles in emerging areas of the law whether they're found in the courtroom, the corporate boardroom, the DA's office, government or public service organizations.

The confidence, experience and attitude you acquire as a graduate of Cardozo Law will make you distinctive from day one—whether your path is criminal law, corporate litigation or legal counsel for a new media start-up. I hope you will give Cardozo your serious consideration.

—Dean Matthew Diller

Specialties: Social welfare law and policy, administrative law and public interest law. Currently teaches Elements of Law.

Are you ready
for a journey
that will

ignite your intellect

and fuel

your future?

It starts at Cardozo Law.



Why Cardozo Law?

1

We have a unique vision of legal education.

page 7

2

Cardozo Law is New York.

page 12

3

We are a welcoming community in the heart of Manhattan.

page 18

4

We are leaders in public service.

page 25

5

Our world-class faculty will know your name.

page 30

6

We are an intellectual powerhouse.

page 36

7

Clinics, externships and trial experience give you a real-world edge.

page 49

8

Diversity is a defining concept.

page 57

9

Career support from day one.

page 62

10

Our global alumni network will work for you.

page 67



Cardozo Law takes you



where *you want to go.*



1

Why Cardozo Law?

We have a unique vision of legal education.

Cardozo Law goes beyond the obvious ... far beyond the pages of casebooks. Our renowned faculty and internationally recognized programs provide a solid foundation for your future.

Cardozo Law provides a superb grounding in the essential principles that underpin our system of justice. Our students learn methods of analytical reasoning, the role lawyers play in society, and their ethical responsibilities to clients. We also enable students to build on this foundation so that they will be able to develop innovative approaches for a new legal landscape. As business models, cultural standards, and public institutions undergo major transformations, we help students understand the new challenges and new opportunities they will face. Those who grasp the implications of these rapid changes can craft solutions to problems and will practice at the highest levels of the profession. We nurture lawyers who are creative and flexible thinkers.

At Cardozo Law, we believe there is a complementary set of creative and concrete skills necessary for career success. The successful lawyer today needs

equal parts intellectual depth and practical skills. You will develop both when you study and train with our faculty of scholars and practitioners.

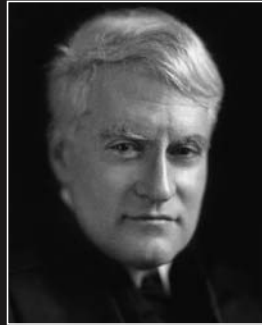
The Cardozo Law experience offers groundbreaking clinics, a selection of field clinics within major legal organizations, a robust range of externships and study abroad opportunities. You can choose from distinctive simulation programs, such as our Intensive Trial Advocacy Program and Intensive Mediation Advocacy Program. You'll learn how to think creatively and seize opportunities for yourself and your clients while deepening your understanding of the crucial human element in all aspects of legal work. You'll experience the important teamwork, negotiation and transactional skills that build law careers and create great leaders. And you will be working and studying in the legal capital of the world. As part of Yeshiva University we draw on the Jewish tradition of scholarship and ethics to build a superb secular and diverse law school.

At Cardozo, you'll gain the critical legal perspective that prepares you for opportunities—whether they're around the corner or across the globe.

"My three years at Cardozo have changed the way I see the world. I came to study intellectual property and quickly discovered how much I could learn outside the classroom. I viewed every opportunity as a chance to get hands-on experience by working in family court, studying in China and even representing clients in the Indie Film Clinic. I've learned to think on my feet and analyze all sides of an issue. Cardozo has helped me build upon my strengths and recognize my abilities. I'm prepared to take on any challenge."

HUSEINA SULAIMANEE 3L

Why Cardozo Law?



“The law never is,
but is always about
to be.”

SUPREME COURT JUSTICE BENJAMIN N. CARDOZO

As one of the leading legal minds of the 20th Century, Benjamin N. Cardozo believed the law must adapt to the realities and requirements of modern life. He believed in the importance of an ethical foundation in the pursuit of justice. Cardozo Law values his ideals grounded in serious scholarship and passionate advocacy; we apply them to a new and ever-changing legal landscape.



Cardozo students who worked as summer clerks in the New York State Supreme Court and New York City Civil Court

Why Cardozo Law?

TOP PROGRAMS TAUGHT BY RENOWNED FACULTY

- Alternative Dispute Resolution program is recognized worldwide for its comprehensive curriculum and hands-on training.
- First of their kind clinical programs—the Innocence Project and Indie Film Clinic—reflect Cardozo's commitment to innovative hands-on learning opportunities.
- Constitutional Law
- Corporate Law
- Holocaust and Human Rights Law
- Intellectual Property and Information Law program is consistently ranked among the best in the nation.
- Intensive Trial Advocacy Program
- Legal Ethics
- Legal Theory
- Public Service Law

A RICH CHOICE OF CONCENTRATIONS

- Commercial Law
- Corporate Law
- Criminal Law and Procedure
- Family and Matrimonial Law
- Intellectual Property and Information Law
- International and Comparative Law
- Litigation
- Property and Real Estate Law
- Public Law and Regulation

HANDS-ON LEARNING FOR A PROFESSIONAL ADVANTAGE

- Taxation
- Clinics, field clinics, externships and pro bono work in government, business, nonprofit and public service settings provide real-world law experience.
- Cardozo's immersion-simulation programs will hone your communication, teamwork, courtroom and negotiation skills.
- Moot court competitions, such as the Cardozo/BMI Moot Court Competition, teach you to think on your feet.

DYNAMIC STUDENT LIFE IN A SUPPORTIVE ENVIRONMENT

- Benefit from personal, one-on-one attention from faculty and administrators who maintain an open door policy.
- Share experiences with approximately 1,100 J.D. and 75 LL.M. students.
- Access New York City's unparalleled cultural, professional and social options.
- Enjoy a congenial community where students and faculty work together to sponsor almost 1,000 events each year.
- Choose from over 50 student-run groups and organizations to make connections that will last a lifetime.

STIMULATING INTELLECTUAL LIFE

- Eminent faculty scholars mentor students and engage in daily classroom debate.
- Cardozo's intimate learning environment values each student's contribution and provides a global perspective.
- On-campus conferences, panels, symposia and events bring the world's top scholars, business leaders and legal professionals to our doors.
- Cardozo sponsors six student-run journals; students in the Moot Court Honor Society write advocacy briefs and prepare for oral argument for inter-scholastic, intramural, national and regional moot court competitions.
- Study-abroad opportunities include programs in Australia, China, Israel and throughout Europe.
- Cardozo's "Seminar Abroad" programs with dedicated faculty offer unique short-term study-abroad options.
- Multiple joint degree options, such as J.D./M.S.W. (Masters of Social Work), J.D./M.P.H. (Master of Public Health) and J.D./M.BE (Masters in Bioethics) provide additional career opportunities and exciting interdisciplinary courses of study.

VITAL BUSINESS PERSPECTIVES

- The Heyman Center on Corporate Governance brings Wall Street, government and business leaders to campus.
- Our New York City location offers top externships in global businesses.
- Alumni on-campus lectures offer career- and practice-building insights.
- Lecturers from the business and legal communities provide insiders' views on corporate regulatory issues.

CAREER SUPPORT SERVICES

- Career counselors are attorneys who provide one-on-one counseling.
- On-campus and employer career and recruiting events help you define your career path.
- Over 10,000 alumni employed in large and small firms, corporations, government offices and academic departments provide networking opportunities.
- Cardozo's long-standing ties to top New York law firms are built upon our graduates' reputation for being creative problem solvers, who are experienced and ready to work.



"I chose Cardozo Law because of its outstanding reputation in New York City, strong alumni network and its great law journals."

JONATHAN BRENNER 3L

2

Why Cardozo Law?

Live and learn in Manhattan 24/7.

When you study at Cardozo, you'll learn through our extensive New York network of business and legal professionals. Our connections provide added value to your law degree and are powerful tools for exploring career interests and options.

CAREER WISE...

That means there's more opportunity for you—anytime, every day—and we are by your side to help you make the most of everything New York City offers. At Cardozo, you will have the academic opportunities that provide a career edge, with access to top-tier business and legal events, lectures and networking; the judicial, business and public service externships unique to New York City; and our long-standing relationships with leading recruiters and employers.

...AND CULTURALLY

New York City is at your doorstep, offering world-class museums, theater, dance and sporting events; vibrant ethnic neighborhoods where life is local and the accent is global; and more live music venues than Nashville, Austin and Los Angeles combined. The intellectual life is unparalleled as is its reputation for sky's-the-limit dreams.

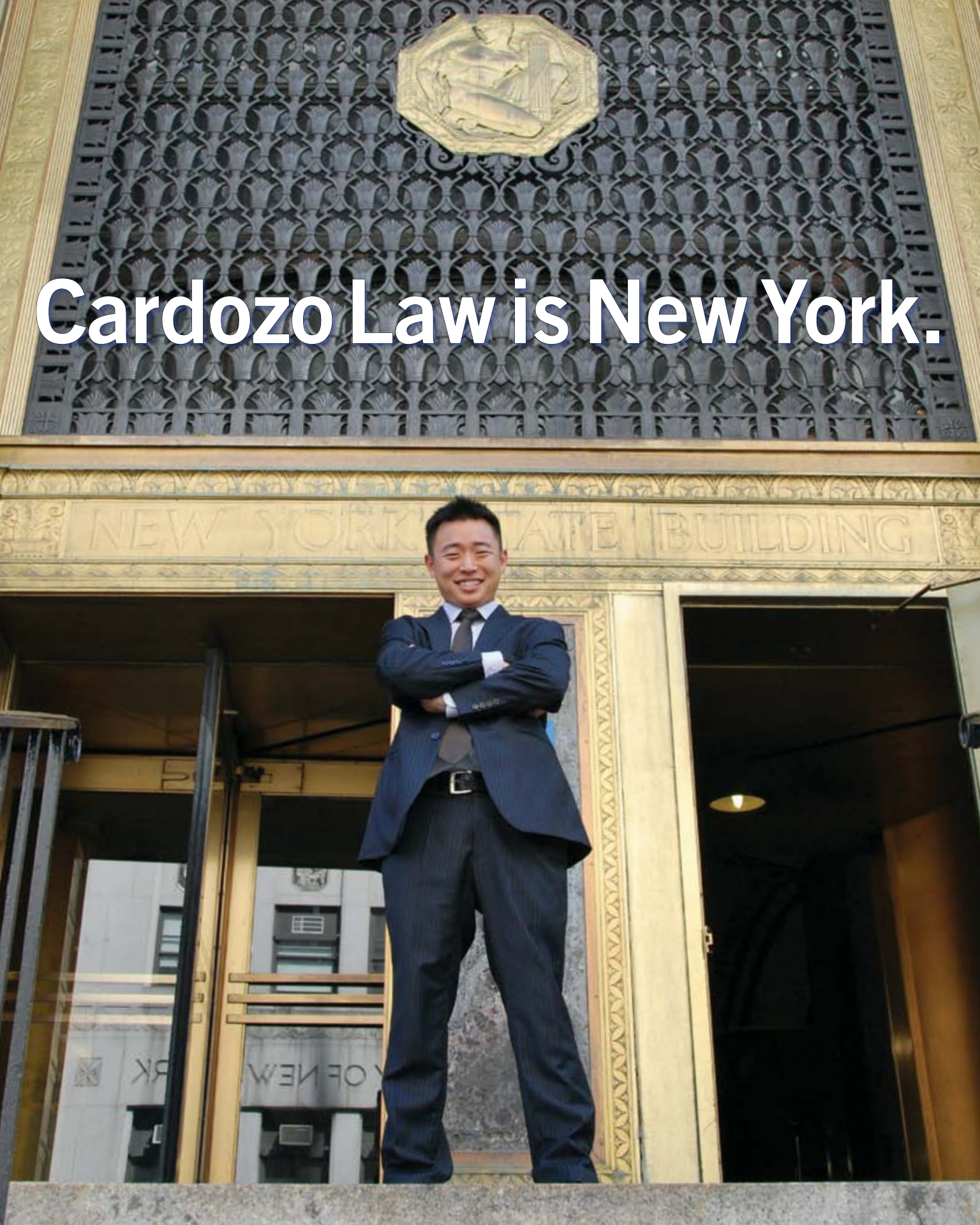
...AND THEN THERE'S THE FOOD!

Whatever your taste, from hummus to home-style, from bagels to bistro—even vegan stir-fries—you'll find it, and more, down the street from Cardozo.

"I've discovered that the opportunities to learn in New York that Cardozo provides are second to none. The experiential programs allow tangible partnerships, like my internship with the Family Violence and Child Abuse Bureau of the New York County District Attorney's office. By integrating the academic aspects of your legal education with real-life experiences, your perspective matures."

JAMES LEE 3L

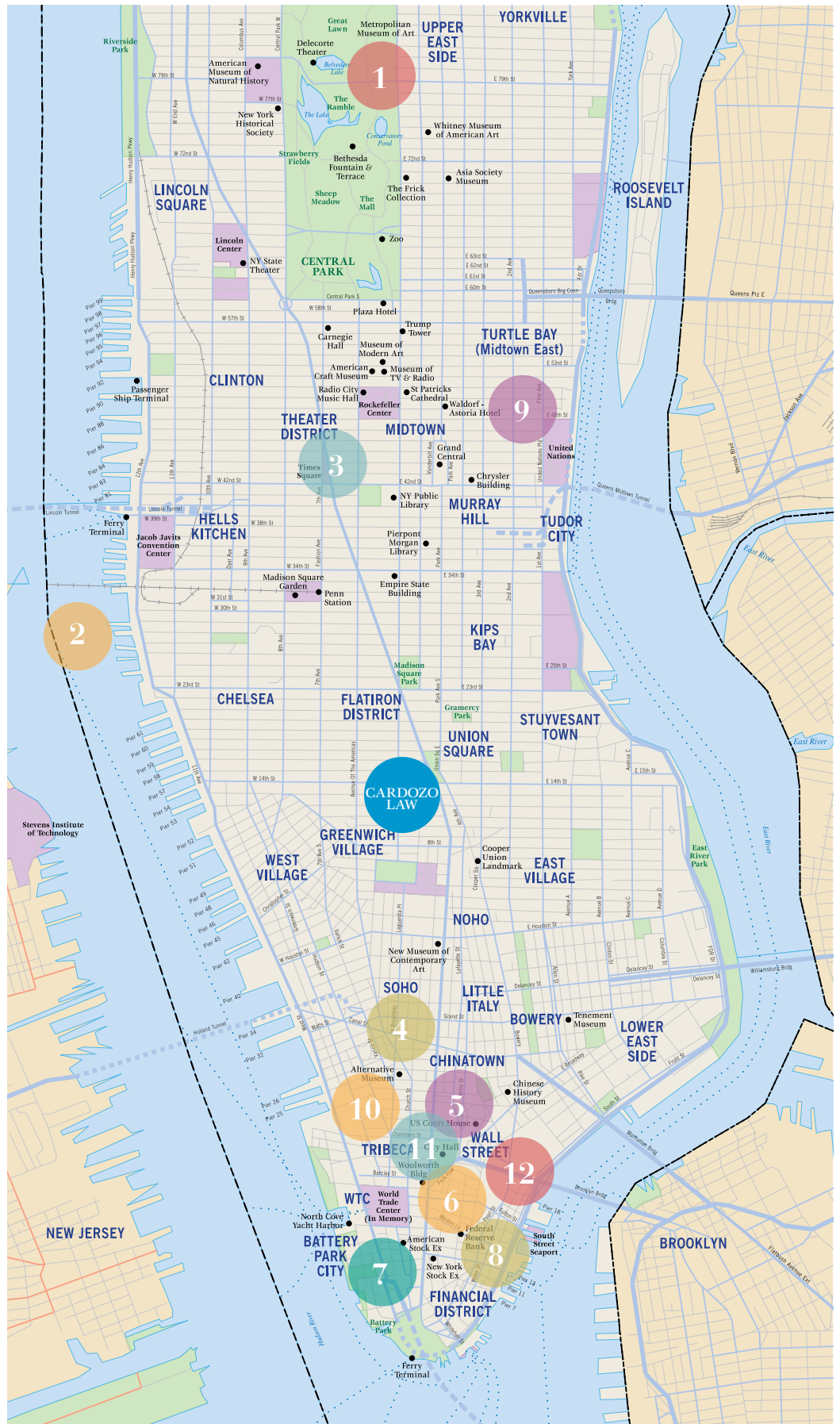
Cardozo Law is New York.



NEW YORK CITY HAS IT ALL

LOCATION, LOCATION, LOCATION

You'll study law on Fifth Avenue at the crossroads of Greenwich Village and Union Square—two of New York City's iconic neighborhoods, legendary as the creative hub for artists and writers and now a home for innovative start-ups. Our prime location is a magnet for top legal talent—and that's to your benefit. Cardozo's highly accomplished professors bring their insights and practical experiences into the classroom. They also bring a wealth of professional colleagues and experts from all fields in the law to Cardozo. As leading members of the New York Bar, they make our extraordinarily rich curriculum come alive in the classroom—and in the field.



CARDOZO LAW IS YOUR CONNECTION



NEW YORK CITY IS ARTS & CULTURE

The *Cardozo Arts & Entertainment Law Journal* is recognized as one of the top intellectual property law journals.

1



578 MILES OF WATERFRONT

Cardozo students run the Environmental Law Society and have externships with the Waterfront Commission of New York Harbor.

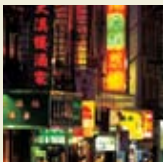
2



A MEDIA MECCA

The Howard M. Squadron Program in Law, Media and Society, along with Oxford University formed Globalmedialaw.com. Student externships include MTV, CBS, Forbes and Spike TV.

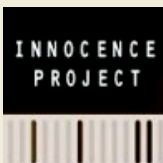
3



ONE MILLION IMMIGRANTS

Cardozo's Immigration Justice Clinic provides free legal representation, as well as advocating for change in immigration policy.

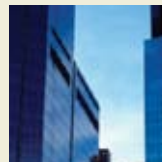
4



THE INNOCENCE PROJECT

Founded at Cardozo in 1992, the Innocence Project has overturned hundreds of life sentences and wrongful convictions, including those of death row inmates.

5



800,000 BUSINESSES AND CORPORATIONS

Cardozo students have externships at Burberry, Coach, Christie's, FINRA, NASDAQ and many other corporate offices.

6



WALL STREET AND THE NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

The Samuel and Ronnie Heyman Center on Corporate Governance focuses on corporate and securities law. JP Morgan Chase partners with Cardozo on its Summer Associate Program.

7



CITY AND STATE GOVERNMENT OFFICES

Cardozo offers Field Clinics with the City of Newark and the New York State Attorney General's office as well as a similar program with the New York City Law Department.

8



THE UNITED NATIONS

The Holocaust and Human Rights Program works on laws to prevent future genocide. The Human Rights and Genocide Clinic successfully won a major case before the European Court of Human Rights.

9



AN INDEPENDENT FILM CAPITAL

Cardozo's Indie Film Clinic provides free legal services to filmmakers and is the only clinic of its kind in New York.

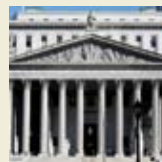
10



CRIME AND PUNISHMENT

Over 32 Cardozo Law alumni work in the Manhattan DA's Office alone. Cardozo alumni are defense attorneys practicing throughout the city. New York has the lowest crime rate of the 25 largest U.S. cities.

11



CIVIL AND CRIMINAL COURTS

Cardozo students are in the courts regularly, advocating for clients as well as clerking for judges.

12



Learning at 55 Fifth

Everything you need is at our 55 Fifth Avenue location: a welcoming community in a state-of-the-art environment.

The Kathryn O. and Alan C. Greenberg Center for Student Life provides students with a spacious, comfortable lounge and café. The Dr. Lillian and Dr. Rebecca Chutick Law Library is the center of student and faculty research at Cardozo. Both the library and student center overlook Fifth Avenue.

The library holds more than 545,000 books, periodicals, microforms and audio and video materials. You'll access many law and law-related electronic resources and an exceptionally comprehensive

reference collection. Cardozo's library is a selective federal depository, housing congressional publications, executive agency reports and documents and judicial materials.

CARDOZO'S RESIDENCE HALL IS JUST DOWN THE STREET...

Cardozo's residence hall, **The Alabama**, is a newly renovated historic building, located one block from the law school on a tree-lined street between Fifth Avenue and University Place. It welcomes students to studio, one-bedroom and two-bedroom furnished apartments.



"Cardozo students bring a special intensity of purpose, enthusiasm and thoughtful approach to solving clients' legal issues; Jones Day has been hiring Cardozo students for many years. Cardozo alumni are partners in Jones Day offices in New York and elsewhere, and there is a critical mass of graduates working as associates across our different practice areas. As a proud Cardozo graduate, it gives me great pleasure to see Cardozo graduates consistently excel at the firm."

HAROLD GORDON '88, PARTNER, JONES DAY

We are a welcoming community in the heart of Manhattan.

We build our community one student at a time. The commonalities—and diversity—among our students are the strengths of our exceptional Cardozo Law community. Each student is essential to the conversation ... and the conversation is never dull.

3

*Why
Cardozo Law?*



“As a 1L from California not knowing anyone in New York City, I quickly felt at ease because of Cardozo’s tight-knit community. Now, as a 3L, I’ve built friendships that will last a lifetime. I routinely reach out to 1Ls by coaching test-taking skills. It’s what we do at Cardozo. We’re a community of support and encouragement.”

IRIS YAO 3L



IS THERE A TYPICAL CARDOZO LAW STUDENT?

Each student brings something different—and dynamic—to the Cardozo Law community of almost 1,200 motivated and enthusiastic learners. About 75 students are seeking a Master of Laws degree; the rest are pursuing a J.D. degree or one of our joint degree options. Each has been selected based on academic excellence, personal and/or professional background and experiences.

Recent student body facts:

- *Students of Color:*
22-24%
- *Women:*
50%
- *Entering Directly from College:*
33%
- *Students with Advanced Degrees:*
7-11%
- *Age Range:*
20-59
- *Average Age:*
24

THE ANSWER IS “YES” ... They are smart problem solvers and analytical thinkers who appreciate the energy and sense of joint mission found in a close-knit academic community. They are team players who are not afraid to stand out in a crowd. Cardozo students are culturally astute, valuing different backgrounds and ideas. They know the importance of hands-on experience and are eager to take advantage of Cardozo's extended partnerships to build their careers. And they want to be in New York City, recognizing that it is the ideal place to study law.

... AND “NO” Cardozo Law students are from more than 135 geographically diverse undergraduate institutions, including these in such countries as China, Colombia, Germany, South Africa and Korea. They represent a wide cross section of life skills and backgrounds—which we believe is a key advantage for future lawyers working in an increasingly global profession. Some Cardozo students start right after college and others join us after taking a postcollege break. Some have experiences as parents and armed forces veterans, others as teachers, financial analysts, engineers, software programmers, patent agents, paralegals, writers and editors, community organizers and artists. Some hold graduate degrees in such areas as business, psychology, accounting, history, philosophy, chemistry and political science.



AMERICAN CONSTITUTION SOCIETY ASIAN PACIFIC
AMERICAN LAW STUDENTS ASSOCIATION BLACK LAW
STUDENTS ASSOCIATION CARDOZO ADVOCATES AGAINST
CANCER CARDOZO ADVOCATES FOR BATTERED WOMEN
CARDOZO ADVOCATES FOR KIDS CARDOZO ART LAW
SOCIETY CARDOZO BASKETBALL CLUB CARDOZO BUSINESS
LAW SOCIETY CARDOZO CHRISTIAN LEGAL SOCIETY
CARDOZO CYBERLAW SOCIETY CARDOZO DEMOCRATS
CARDOZO DISPUTE RESOLUTION SOCIETY CARDOZO
ENVIRONMENTAL LAW SOCIETY CARDOZO FEDERALIST
SOCIETY CARDOZO INTERNATIONAL LAW SOCIETY CARDOZO
ISRAEL ALLIANCE CARDOZO JEWISH LAW STUDENTS
ASSOCIATION CARDOZO JURIST CARDOZO LABOR AND
EMPLOYMENT LAW SOCIETY CARDOZO SKI CLUB

STUDENT CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS

CARDOZO STUDENTS FOR HUMAN RIGHTS CARDOZO
TARGET SHOOTING CLUB CARDOZO TENNIS SOCIETY
CARDOZO YOUTH ADVOCATES CHABAD CHILDREN'S RIGHTS
INSTITUTE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SOCIETY FAMILY LAW CLUB
INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW SOCIETY KOREAN
AMERICAN LAW STUDENTS ASSOCIATION LATIN AMERICAN
LAW STUDENTS ASSOCIATION LAW REVUE SHOW
LAW STUDENTS FOR REPRODUCTIVE JUSTICE
MINORITY LAW STUDENTS ASSOCIATION OUTLAW PHI
ALPHA DELTA PUBLIC INTEREST LAW STUDENTS
ASSOCIATION SOFTBALL TEAM SOUTH ASIAN LAW
STUDENTS ASSOCIATION SPORTS & ENTERTAINMENT LAW
STUDENTS ASSOCIATION STUDENT ANIMAL LEGAL
DEFENSE FUND STUDENT BAR ASSOCIATION TAX LAW
SOCIETY UNEMPLOYMENT ACTION CENTER WOMEN LAW
STUDENTS ASSOCIATION YOGA CLUB



"I chose Cardozo because it offered just the right balance of warm personality and the famed 'New York City hustle 'n' bustle.' I found all types of people from all sorts of backgrounds. Cardozo has provided me with opportunities on all things legal and all things cultural as well."

ANSHEL JOEL KAPLAN 3L



"I contacted past chairs of OUTlaw, the LGBT student group on campus, and got very positive feedback from them about student life at the school. That was definitely a factor in choosing Cardozo."

LANCE ESTEIBAR 3L

**3
Minutes
North**

Fifth Avenue: Shopping, museums and New York's most celebrated avenue are at your door.



**12
Minutes
West**

Hike the Highline: This restored elevated railway turned public park gives New Yorkers river views amid the peaceful spectacle of Manhattan's Westside neighborhoods.

An Oasis in the Heart of New York City

Minutes from Cardozo Law you can find excitement or tranquility when you need to refresh, reboot or just get away.



*4
Minutes
East*

Browse the Strand Bookstore: One of New York's oldest and most beloved bookstores boasts over 2.5 million used, new and rare books.



*6
Minutes
South*

Washington Square: Stroll the local parks and see street musicians, performance artists and the birthplace of the New York Folk scene.



**We are leaders in
public service**

4

Why Cardozo Law?

Public service is at the heart of the Cardozo experience.

A commitment to public service has been at the core of Cardozo's educational mission since we opened our doors in 1976. Founded, in part, to offer opportunities to groups previously excluded from the mainstream practice, the School hosts a vibrant Center for Public Service Law, which supports public service initiatives, often intersecting with fundamental issues of social justice.

"Cardozo offers many externships and clinics, including a human rights and genocide clinic, that help me combine my passions for human rights and justice. I've been active in the area of genocide prevention and human rights for several years now, mostly speaking out as a survivor of the 1994 genocide in Rwanda. My experiences here will give me the practical skills I need to succeed as an international human rights lawyer."

JACQUELINE MURAKATETE 3L

A SELECTION OF CLASSES FOR STUDENTS INTERESTED IN PUBLIC SERVICE

Administrative Law

Animal Law

Domestic Violence and Child Abuse

Education Law

Election Law

Employment Discrimination

Environmental Law

Ethics for Public Service Lawyers

Ethics in Criminal Advocacy

Federal Civil Rights Law

Global Climate Change and the Law

Housing Rights Seminar

International Human Rights

Law of War and Contemporary Conflicts

Multiculturalism and the Human Rights of Women: International and Comparative Law Perspectives

Philosophy of Human Rights

Public Health Law and Policy

Race, Law and Remediation

Remedies for Wartime Confiscation

Rights of Prisoners and Detainees

Selected Issues in Nonprofit Governance

Sexual Orientation, Gender and the Law

Social Welfare Litigation Seminar

Wrongful Convictions

A CALL TO ACTION

Public service is woven into the life of the law school. On-campus panels and symposia, domestic and foreign service programs and informal brown-bag lunches focused on public interest issues promote values supporting a commitment to the greater good. To help students envision careers in public service, the Center for Public Service Law holds school-wide informational sessions and counsels students one-on-one on how to develop into public service attorneys. Career networking events are coordinated with the Office of Career Services.

PUBLIC SERVICE LAW ADVOCACY WEEK

Cardozo's commitment to public service work is highlighted during a weeklong event known as P*LAW Week. Daily panels and workshops feature topics pertinent to practicing public interest law. The school becomes abuzz with panelists invited by students, including legal practitioners and community advocates and organizers, addressing important issues, such as domestic violence, LGBT rights, prisoners' rights, immigration reform and education reform. Recent speakers have included Randi Weingarten '83, president of the American Federation of Teachers; Judge Fern Fisher, Deputy Chief Administrative Judge, New York City Courts; and Susan Jacobs, Department of Labor, Office of the Solicitor. The climax of the week is Cardozo's Inspire Awards ceremony and reception honoring student, alumni and faculty achievements in public service. To learn more about our recent P*LAW events, visit: [➔ www.cardozo.yu.edu/Plaw](https://www.cardozo.yu.edu/Plaw)

EDUCATING FOR CHANGE

Through coursework and hands-on learning you can explore diverse public service areas, such as family law, international human rights, housing and immigration rights, labor and employment law and criminal defense. Groundbreaking Cardozo clinics within the public service sphere are in the vanguard of social justice causes. Cardozo provides the public interest options that allow you to find your passion and make a difference. At Cardozo, public service is all about leadership, commitment and results.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE SCHOLARS PROGRAM

The Public Service Scholars Program prepares future lawyers for the practice of law in public service through a comprehensive three-year program that offers specialized training and experience in public interest law. Public Service Scholars are selected through an application process on the basis of their ability to continue the strong tradition of public service at Cardozo Law. Students who are accepted into the program come with diverse backgrounds and interests, and many bring to the program prior activities in public interest organizations, non-profits and government work. To learn more about public service internships at Cardozo, visit:

[➔ www.cardozo.yu.edu/Internships](https://www.cardozo.yu.edu/Internships)



"The Howard M. Squadron Program funded my summer internship at the Electronic Frontier Foundation, a San Francisco impact litigation organization that focuses on defending digital civil liberties. I worked with some of the best legal minds in the field to address issues at the intersection of technology, intellectual property and constitutional law. I had a great team-building experience working with amazing interns from around the country, helped draft an amicus brief filed before the U.S. Supreme Court and learned practical skills, like how to write and file Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) requests. As someone who wants to practice litigation at the nexus of technology and law, I can't think of a better internship experience."

SHANE WAGMAN 3L



Eliza Gabai worked for an organization in Rwanda providing legal, medical and social service aid.



"Working with an international NGO can provide you with the experience of a lifetime. A person cannot be given a better opportunity to learn about an international legal system. This exposure will help improve your research skills, writing skills and your understanding of the American judicial system. Living in Delhi, India, and working for the Lawyers Collective HIV/AIDS Unit (LCHAU) provided me with all these opportunities."

JAMES HORTON 2L



Cardozo founded the **Innocence Project**

in 1992... a first in
clinical education.

Over 270 prisoners have been exonerated by DNA testing conducted by Cardozo's Innocence Project. Each year Cardozo students work on cases with clients who averaged 13 years behind bars before winning their freedom.



STUDENT RUN PUBLIC SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS

You can turn your passion into action during your first year at law school providing legal assistance to clients in need.

CARDOZO ADVOCATES FOR BATTERED WOMEN (CABW) A student-run club, CABW brings domestic-violence advocacy programs to the Cardozo community. These include the Courtroom Advocates Project and the Uncontested Divorce Program. The Courtroom Advocates Project trains students to provide legal assistance to battered women seeking protective orders. The Uncontested Divorce Program provides legal assistance to survivors of domestic violence seeking uncontested divorces throughout New York City.

CABW also hosts community events, such as a toy drive for children and panel discussions on such issues as incorporating domestic-violence advocacy into a legal career and the rights of incarcerated women who fought back against their abusers.

CARDOZO YOUTH ADVOCATES Students teach a class called Law Talk to students at Washington Irving High School, near Cardozo. The class covers topics from the death penalty to same-sex marriage to the First Amendment, inspiring young people to think about the law.

UNEMPLOYMENT ACTION CENTER Students help laid-off workers navigate the regulatory maze of unemployment benefits and to advocate on clients' behalf before administrative hearing officers.

PRISONERS' RIGHTS PROJECT Students counsel mothers incarcerated on Rikers Island on issues of child custody and visitation and conduct legal-information sessions for groups of mothers on their parental rights and responsibilities.

RESOLUTION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM Cardozo students assist unrepresented litigants in housing court proceedings.

DISASTER RELIEF PROJECTS Following the 2010 earthquake in Haiti, Cardozo students organized fundraisers, clothing and supply drives and other events to benefit the disaster relief efforts. Cardozo students joined law students from across the country to form the Student Hurricane Network (SHN), a national association dedicated to providing assistance to communities affected by Hurricanes Katrina and Rita.



OUR PUBLIC SERVICE AUCTION SUSTAINS STUDENT SERVICE

Cardozo's commitment to public service is supported by the annual student-run Public Service Auction, which permits hundreds of students to take summer internships at public interest organizations and government agencies in the United States and abroad. Our extended community participates through online bidding and live auction to contribute to one of the most generous student stipend programs in the nation. Many students obtain summer jobs in New York City, while others serve across the globe. Each year, through the valued contributions of Cardozo's community of students, faculty, alumni, administration, board leadership and friends, more students are able to gain important public service legal experience, increasing their value in the legal profession and working for the greater good.

To learn more about public service internships at Cardozo, visit:

➔ www.cardozo.yu.edu/Internships

LOAN REPAYMENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (LRAP)

Cardozo Law's alumni and friends continue to support the school's commitment to tomorrow's public service leaders. In September 2008, Laurie M. Tisch made a \$5 million gift to establish the Laurie M. Tisch Loan Repayment Assistance Program at Cardozo. This endowment strengthened and expanded the existing LRAP program to provide annual forgivable loans to graduates working in public service for up to five years after graduation to assist them in overcoming their educational debts. This particularly expansive LRAP program provides support not only to those graduates who go to work for nonprofit public interest organizations but also to those working for government agencies, including prosecutors' offices.

.....

WANT TO LEARN MORE?

You can watch our faculty and students—in action—giving testimony in an immigration rights hearing, working at the Innocence Project to exonerate the wrongfully convicted, sharing their public service experiences and more. Link to our videos from our homepage at www.cardozo.yu.edu.



Our world-class faculty will know your name.

5

*Why
Cardozo Law?*

Cardozo faculty bring warmth to the classroom and a fresh approach to teaching. They are serious scholars who care about their students and about how the law relates to areas of human inquiry and expression, such as philosophy, literature, economics, politics and history. Cardozo faculty members are dedicated to collaborating with their students. They are intellectual path breakers who bring students a wealth of connections from New York and around the world.

Faculty Briefs

Cardozo Law professors are engaged in the major legal debates of our time... and they are energized by the prospect of conveying big ideas to students who will use them in their future careers. The following is a sampling of our full-time faculty members.



To see any of the videos referenced in the following pages, visit: [➔ www.cardozo.yu.edu/FeaturedFaculty](https://www.cardozo.yu.edu/FeaturedFaculty)



MICHELLE ADAMS | Professor of Law

RECENT COURSES: Constitutional Law I & II, Federal Civil Rights Law, Federal Courts, Race, Law and Remediation

A leading scholar in civil rights law • A former staff attorney at the Legal Aid Society where she worked on major fair housing cases • Recently worked on an amicus brief about the use of race in student selection in public schools • Most recent article: *Is Integration a Discriminatory Purpose?*

VIDEO: Professor Adams on her conference “Acknowledging Race in a ‘Post-Racial’ Era”



RICHARD BIERSCHBACH | Associate Professor of Law

RECENT COURSES: Administrative Law, Corporations

A former attorney-advisor for the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Legal Counsel • Bristow Fellow, U.S. Department of Justice, Office of the Solicitor General • An associate in the New York Office of Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering • Clerked for U.S. Supreme Court Justice Sandra Day O'Connor, as did Prof. Marci Hamilton, also pictured



SUSAN CRAWFORD | Professor of Law

RECENT COURSES: Communications Law, Copyright, Internet Law II, Law of Surveillance

A former Special Assistant to President Obama for Science, Technology and Innovation Policy, for which *Wired* magazine called her “the most powerful geek close to the president” • Quoted in the press almost weekly on Internet and Information technology

VIDEO: Professor Crawford’s interview on intellectual property law in the digital age





TOBY GOLICK | Clinical Professor of Law, Director, Clinical Legal Education

RECENT COURSES: Bet Tzedek Clinic, Litigation Seminar, Social Welfare

Developed and oversees Cardozo's pioneering clinical program • Litigated important cases involving the rights of the elderly and disabled as a senior attorney for 10 years at Legal Services for the Elderly in New York City • Founding director of the pioneering Bet Tzedek Legal Services Clinic, a nationally prominent legal service provider for the poor



MARCI A. HAMILTON | Professor of Law,
Paul R. Verkuil Chair in Public Law

RECENT COURSES: Constitutional Law I & II, First Amendment,
Law & Religion

A leading church/state scholar • The author of *Justice Denied: What America Must Do to Protect Its Children* • A columnist on constitutional issues for www.justia.com • Clerked for Supreme Court Justice Sandra Day O'Connor • Argued cases before the Supreme Court

VIDEO: Professor Hamilton on Vatican sex abuse cases



MICHAEL ERIC HERZ | Arthur Kaplan Professor of Law,
Director, Floersheimer Center for Constitutional Democracy

RECENT COURSES: Administrative Law, Climate Change and the Law, Constitutional Law,
Elements of Law, Environmental Law, Supreme Court Seminar

Former attorney for the Environmental Defense Fund • Former vice dean (2006–2009) • Co-author of two leading casebooks, including one with Supreme Court Justice Stephen Breyer, and others • Chair of the ABA's Section of Administrative Law and Regulatory Practice • Clerked for Supreme Court Justice Byron R. White and for Chief Judge Levin H. Campbell of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the First Circuit



JUSTIN HUGHES | Professor of Law

RECENT COURSES: Copyright and New Technologies, Copyright,
International Intellectual Property Law: Selected Topics,
International Trade, Trademark

An expert in international trade law and intellectual property law • A policy expert for the U.S. Department of Commerce (USPTO) • Built Cardozo's relationship with China's State Intellectual Property Office • Founded the Indie Film Clinic at Cardozo

VIDEO: Professor Hughes on intellectual property law





Cardozo's clinical faculty help students connect their legal training to New York City and beyond

From the Innocence Project to the Indie Film Clinic, Cardozo has been an incubator for 17 clinics. Known for innovation, our clinics are recognized for their tenacious pursuit of justice, faculty who lead by example and the diverse and specialized opportunities New York City offers to work with clients. Students represent clients in actual cases under the supervision of Cardozo faculty and staff attorneys. With clinical placements in more than 17 areas of the law, students have the opportunity to develop expertise and connections in a wide range of legal areas. To learn more about our clinical faculty, visit: ➔ www.cardozo.yu.edu/FeaturedClinicalFaculty



LELA P. LOVE | Professor of Law, Director, Kukin Program for Conflict Resolution and the Cardozo Mediation Clinic

RECENT COURSES: Dispute Resolution Processes, Mediation Clinic, Representation in Mediation

An internationally recognized leader in the mediation field • Former Chair of the ABA Section of Dispute Resolution • Mediated hundreds of community, civil court and employment discrimination • Teaches summer mediation program in Budapest • Awarded a Lifetime Achievement Award by the American College of Civil Trial Mediators

VIDEO: Professor Love discussing Cardozo's pioneering program



DEBORAH PEARLSTEIN | Assistant Professor of Law

RECENT COURSES: International Law, Constitutional Law I

A leading human rights lawyer for *Human Rights First* • Litigation and monitoring of U.S. detention and interrogation at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba • Former senior editor and speechwriter for President Clinton (1993–1995) • Clerked for Justice John Paul Stevens of the U.S. Supreme Court • Formerly an associate research scholar in the Law and Public Affairs Program at the Woodrow Wilson School for Public and International Affairs at Princeton University



DAVID RUDENSTINE | Sheldon H. Solow Professor of Law

RECENT COURSES: Constitutional Law

Former Dean of the School (2000–2009) • A major authority on national security and freedom of the press • Author of *The Day the Presses Stopped: A History of the Pentagon Papers Case* • Spent two years in Uganda with the Peace Corps • Litigated cases with the New York Civil Liberties Union

VIDEO: Professor Rudenstine on Wikileaks and the Pentagon Papers



EDWARD STEIN | Vice Dean, Professor of Law, Director, Program in Family Law, Policy and Bioethics

RECENT COURSES: Elements of Law, Family Law, Gender & The Law, Sexual Orientation

A leading scholar in family law and sexual orientation and the law • Taught in the philosophy departments at Yale University, Mount Holyoke College and New York University • Author of *The Mismeasure of Desire: The Science, Theory and Ethics of Sexual Orientation*

VIDEO: Professor Stein on Same-Sex Marriage





STEWART STERK | H. Bert and Ruth Mack Professor of Real Estate Law

RECENT COURSES: Conflict of Laws, Land Use Regulation, Property, Real Estate Reporter, Trusts & Estates

A leading scholar in real estate law • Co-author of a leading casebook on trusts and estates • Edits the *New York Real Estate Law Reporter*, a monthly newsletter published with the assistance of Cardozo students • Frequently voted professor of the year • Expert on the New York Court of Appeals



JULIE SUK | Professor of Law

RECENT COURSES: Civil Procedure, Comparative Law, Employment Law

Research focuses on the intersection of comparative law and public policy, employment law, antidiscrimination law, social policy in European countries and the relationship between law and the social welfare state • Clerked for the U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit • A Jean Monnet Fellow at the European University Institute • Fluent in French and Korean • Proficient in German, Italian and Latin • Holds a doctorate from Oxford University in Politics



RICHARD WEISBERG | Walter Floersheimer Professor of Constitutional Law

RECENT COURSES: Constitutional Law II, European Legal Institutions & The Holocaust, First Amendment, First Amendment Theory, Law & Literature, Torts

Successfully litigated cases on behalf of holocaust victims • Founder of the Floersheimer Center for Constitutional Democracy at Cardozo Law • Awarded the French Legion of Honor in 2008 • Appointed by President Obama to the Commission for the Preservation of America's Heritage Abroad in 2011



ELLEN YAROSHEFSKY | Clinical Professor of Law, Director, Jacob Burns Center for Ethics in the Practice of Law

RECENT COURSES: Ethics in Criminal Advocacy, Ethics in Public Interest, Evidence, Professional Responsibility, Wrongful Convictions

Director of Cardozo's Intensive Trial Advocacy Program • One of the nation's leading scholars on ethics and criminal law • A former criminal defense lawyer • An expert witness who also represents lawyers in criminal, civil and disciplinary matters

VIDEO: Professor Yaroshefsky on Cardozo's Intensive Trial Advocacy Program

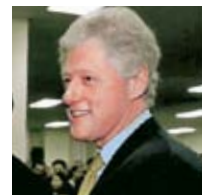
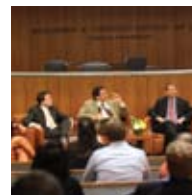


6

Why Cardozo Law?

We are an intellectual powerhouse... with a rich and deep curriculum.

From alternative dispute resolution to white-collar crime, Cardozo prepares you for today's global legal environment and tomorrow's opportunities. Along with the core essentials of legal education, our curriculum has the sought-after range of electives you want to customize your J.D. degree. Together with experiential opportunities, study abroad options and joint degree choices, you'll have all the tools you need to define your goals—and prepare for success.





Former Supreme Court Justice Sandra Day O'Connor participated in a conversation with students and Dean Diller at the School.

ACADEMIC DEPTH & BREADTH OFFER CHOICE AND SPECIALIZATION.

As a first-year student, you will work long and hard mastering the fundamentals of legal practice, including civil procedure, constitutional law, contracts, criminal law, property, torts and legal writing. Along with Elements of Law, a course designed by Cardozo faculty members, your first-year courses will provide you with theory, ethical understanding and analytical skills as well as a deep appreciation for the role of the law and the value of lawyers in society. These courses are taught by a world-class faculty who will prepare you for the upper-level classes that permit you to construct a personalized skill set reflecting your passions.

Cardozo is known nationally for comprehensive programs in alternative dispute resolution, intellectual property and information law, public service law and

legal theory. We feature programs in Holocaust and human rights studies, law and humanities, Jewish law, family law, corporate governance, entertainment law, communications law, comparative law and ethics. We continually expand our offerings and ensure a broad scope of class choices each year.

You may choose to concentrate in a single practice area. That means you'll take five courses related to that field of study, priming you for a career in that field. Currently, Cardozo offers concentrations in:

- Commercial Law**
- Corporate Law**
- Criminal Law and Procedure**
- Family and Matrimonial Law**
- Intellectual Property and Information Law**
- International and Comparative Law**
- Litigation**
- Property and Real Estate Law**
- Public Law and Regulation**
- Taxation**

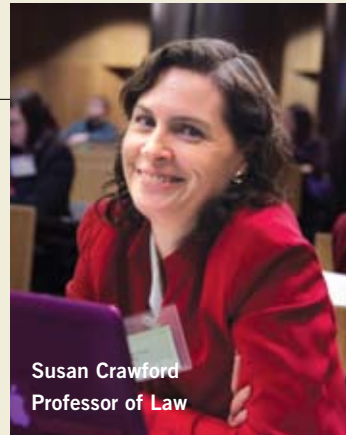
Curriculum Close-Ups

INTERNATIONALLY RECOGNIZED PROGRAMS
TAUGHT BY LEADERS IN THEIR FIELDS

INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND INFORMATION LAW

Cardozo Law has long been a pioneer in the field of intellectual property law (IP), with an outstanding entertainment and media law program. In recent years we have solidified our reputation as a world leader in information law as well. Members of our faculty are leaders in every aspect of IP and information law, including international trade, Internet law, scientific patents and music and entertainment. The Howard M. Squadron Program in Law, Media and Society is a leading force in American legal education on questions of media law and brings internationally known journalists, artists, musicians and media executives to Cardozo every year.

Cardozo's Intellectual Property and Information Law program provides advanced study options in copyright, Internet, trademark and patent law. Cardozo's Indie Film Clinic is the first of its kind, and the only law school clinic offering hands-on skill development with New York filmmakers. The Cardozo/BMI Entertainment and Communications Law Moot Court Competition offers a yearly forum for students to participate in and interact with leaders in the field. The *Cardozo Arts & Entertainment Law Journal* is among the top journals in the country specializing in intellectual property; it's been cited three times by the United States Supreme Court and multiple times by various Courts of Appeal.



Susan Crawford
Professor of Law



Felix Wu
Assistant Professor of Law

A SELECTION OF CLASSES:

- Antitrust and Intellectual Property
- Art Law
- Biotechnology and Pharmaceutical Patents
- Copyright
- Cultural Heritage
- Entertainment and Media Law
- Fashion Law
- Indie Film Clinic
- IP Business and Transactional Law
- IP Colloquium
- Internet Law I/Internet Law II
- International IP: Selected Topics
- Law of Surveillance
- Patent
- Trademark
- Patent Law Practice
- Privacy Law
- Sports Law
- Technology Licensing Agreements

To learn more about IP and Information Law at Cardozo, visit: ➔ www.cardozo.yu.edu/IPProgram

CORPORATE LAW

New York City's international business and financial community provides the ideal setting for Cardozo's Heyman Center on Corporate Governance—the law school's focal point for corporate and securities law. The Heyman Center hosts on-campus public symposia; its lunchtime speakers series and evening lectures host more than 30 prominent business leaders and legal scholars each year to address such topics as shareholders' rights, municipal bankruptcies and SEC regulatory issues. In addition, the Heyman Center supports study-abroad options in China and the United Kingdom.

The Samuel & Ronnie Heyman Center on Corporate Governance negotiated a unique program with The Hong Kong Securities and Futures Commission for Cardozo students wishing to work for a summer in Hong Kong. Students are selected to work as interns in the SFC's Enforcement, Derivatives and International Affairs divisions. Students receive financial support from the International Corporate/IP fellowship. This is the first time the SFC has accepted U.S. law students as interns.

A SELECTION OF CLASSES:

Antitrust

Antitrust and Intellectual Property

Business Reorganizations

Comparative Corporate Governance

Corporate Internal Investigations

Debtors' and Creditors' Rights

Distressed Investing

Environmental Concerns in Corporate Transactions

International Finance

Mergers and Acquisitions

Partnerships and LLCs

Private Equity Transactions

Securities Arbitration Clinic

Securities Regulation

White Collar Crime

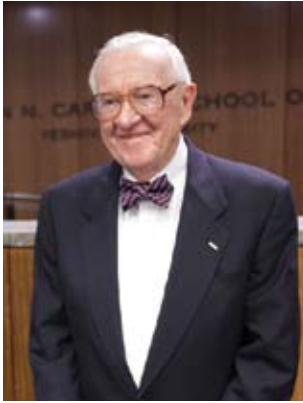
To learn more about the Heyman Center on Corporate Governance, visit:

➔ www.cardozo.yu.edu/HeymanCenter

Learn Through Our Global Connections

Cardozo Law students build their lawyering skills through our worldwide opportunities in corporate, public service and nonprofit externships.





Supreme Court Justice John Paul Stevens participated in a Floersheimer Center immigration conference.

Constitutional Law

The Floersheimer Center for Constitutional Democracy is a focal point for the study of constitutional law at Cardozo; its goal is to better understand, and to assist in improving, the functioning of constitutional democracies, both at home and abroad. The Floersheimer Center supports research by scholars and policymakers, issues publications and provides financial support for visiting scholars and student projects. The center also sponsors major conferences each year and a weekly legal theory colloquium featuring distinguished guest speakers each spring. The colloquium functions both as a course for Cardozo students and as a scholarly forum attended by academics from inside and outside the law school.

JURISPRUDENCE AND LEGAL THEORY

Cardozo is internationally recognized as a leading center of intellectual investigation and analysis in legal theory. This discipline examines the historical basis of legal systems and explores such topics as law and morality, theories of punishment and law and sexuality. Notable scholars and philosophers, including Jacques Derrida, Jürgen Habermas, Stanley Fish, Renata Salecl and Bernhard Schlink, have called Cardozo their intellectual home. Our symposia, roundtables and seminars—many under the auspices of specialized centers, such as the Center for Jewish Law and the Floersheimer Center for Constitutional Democracy—continue to fulfill our commitment to a vibrant legal theory both inside and outside the classroom.

A SELECTION OF CLASSES:

Authority and Liberty

Hegel's Logic

History of Western Law

Jewish Law

Jurisprudence

Law and Film

Law and Literature

Law and Religion

Philosophical Foundations of the Common Law

Rationality and the Law

To see more about our courses, visit:

➔ www.cardozo.yu.edu/CourseListings



"You can be a very good lawyer by being a technical, relentless thinker. But you can't be a great lawyer without thinking deeply about the law. Great lawyers have at least a touch of the philosopher in them. In my classes my goal is not just to teach the law, it's to teach how to think about the law. My students feel surprised and liberated when I ask them to express their deeply considered convictions when we explore jurisprudence."

EKOW YANKAH, ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF LAW

ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION (ADR)

Cardozo Law's pioneering Kukin Program for Conflict Resolution is one of the leading ADR programs in the country. You can work on a journal, participate in any of our three different mediation clinic options and/or immerse yourself in our weeklong Intensive Mediation Advocacy Program (IMAP) under the supervision of Prof. Lela Love, director of the Kukin Program for Conflict Resolution. Professor Love is a recognized leader in the field and has been selected by the American College of Civil Trial Mediators to receive its Lifetime Achievement Award.

A SELECTION OF CLASSES:

ADR Clinic

ADR Team

Dispute Resolution Processes

Divorce Mediation Clinic/

Advanced Divorce Mediation Seminar

Domestic Commercial Arbitration

International Commercial Arbitration

International Commercial Arbitration Practicum

International Dispute Resolution

Interviewing and Counseling

Negotiation Theories and Skills

Representation in Mediation

To learn more about ADR at Cardozo, visit:

➔ www.cardozo.yu.edu/Kukin



"With no mediation background, I was somewhat unsure about participating in IMAP. We were in great hands with Professor Love, and the program not only challenged me but exceeded my expectations. Two of my classmates even used the skills learned during IMAP to compete in an international mediation competition in Paris. The interest-based problem-solving approaches learned during IMAP are some of the most important skills that I have added to my repertoire as a future legal professional."

ANDREW HANNIBAL 2L

FAMILY LAW, POLICY AND BIOETHICS

The national and state debates over same-sex marriage are only one major sign of change in the legal landscape of family law. Technological advances and social transformations have made this one of the most exciting and innovative areas of the law.

At Cardozo, students have the opportunity to earn a concentration in family law, enabling them to graduate fully prepared to become specialists in the field. Students may choose from a variety of interesting courses in addition to family law, the foundational course for the concentration. Courses focus on building legal skills, critiquing policy justification for existing laws and exploring how the law responds to large societal changes.

A SELECTION OF CLASSES:

Bioethics and the Law
Divorce Mediation
Domestic Violence and Child Abuse
Education Law
Family Law
Health Law
Public Health Law and Policy
Reproduction Policy and Law
Sexual Orientation, Gender and the Law

FIELD EXPERIENCE:

As early as their first year of law school, students may volunteer for **Cardozo Advocates for Battered Women**, which provides representation for victims of domestic violence in family courts throughout New York City.

The Family Court Clinic offers students the opportunity to work with judges or attorneys representing clients in New York Family Court.

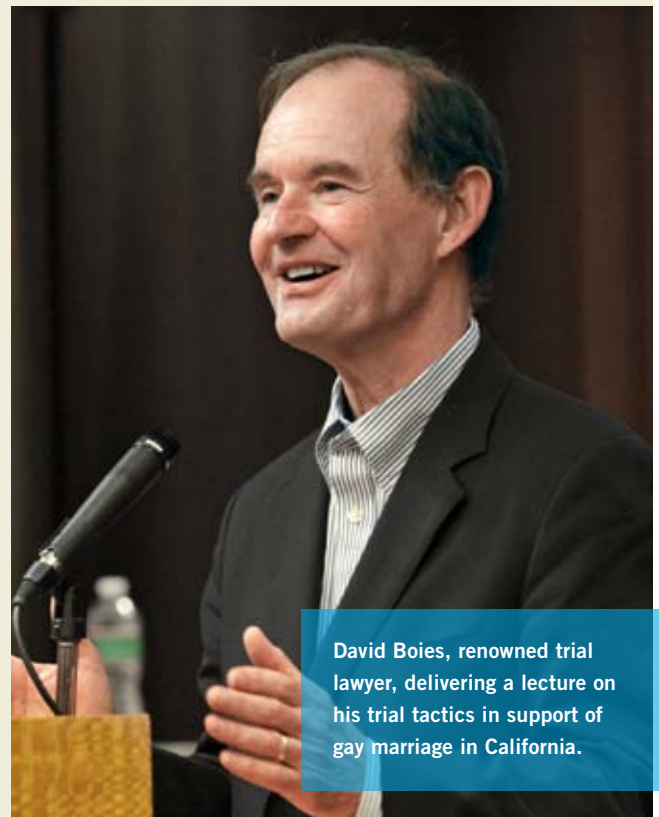
Through the **Mediation Clinic**, students become expert problem solvers as they hone communication and negotiation skills.

Students learn to help elderly clients navigate the maze of government regulation through the **Bet Tzedek Clinic**.

Cardozo student journals offer students the opportunity to write on the scholarly subject of their choosing, including health care, family law and civil rights.

To learn more about Family Law at Cardozo Law, visit:

➔ www.cardozo.yu.edu/FamilyLaw



David Boies, renowned trial lawyer, delivering a lecture on his trial tactics in support of gay marriage in California.

JOINT DEGREES & INTERNATIONAL SEMINARS

Cardozo provides certificate and joint degree options that give you numerous distinctive opportunities, including a career edge in mediation or the newest career opportunities at the nexus of science, health care and law.

J.D./LL.M. JOINT DEGREE IN DISPUTE RESOLUTION AND ADVOCACY: This joint degree program in Dispute Resolution and Advocacy makes it possible for Cardozo J.D. students (and students earning a J.D. from another law school who visit Cardozo for two semesters) to receive both degrees in seven consecutive full-time semesters rather than the eight semesters that are normally required.

J.D./M.BE: Cardozo Law is the only law school—anywhere—to offer a J.D. and Masters of Bioethics jointly with a medical school. This program, offered with Albert Einstein College of Medicine, is a unique degree option providing a distinct advantage for attorneys interested in the expanding opportunities in health care law.

J.D./M.P.H.: Together with the Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Cardozo Law offers the option to earn a joint degree in law and public health. Certificate programs are also available in public health and social work.

J.D./M.S.W.: This joint degree program, offered with the Wurzweiler School of Social Work, enhances educational opportunities at the intersection of law and social work.

International Law

Students in Cardozo's International Law Program are offered a wealth of courses in human rights, immigration, intellectual property and trademark law. They then have the opportunity to apply what they've learned in the classroom by taking seminars abroad. Cardozo students have traveled to China, India, Japan and Britain, where they visited courts and law firms, and examined the legal system compared to the United States.

In Ecuador students studied how two systems of justice function under one constitution.

CARDOZO SEMINARS ABROAD: Cardozo offers short-term, intensive, for-credit programs abroad scheduled during winter and summer breaks. These add to the intellectual offerings of the school and allow you to develop an international focus. Recent offerings included Paris, Rwanda and Colombia.



A legal writing program that offers advanced research as well as academic support.

Clear and concise writing is a powerful tool for achieving excellence in law school and in the legal profession. Cardozo's Legal Writing Center provides students with in-depth instruction in legal writing, research, legal analysis and lawyering skills. The center brings together a wide range of services, including the first-year Lawyering Skills and Legal Writing course, advanced writing workshops and courses, academic support services and skills workshops.

To learn more about the center's services, visit:

➔ www.cardozo.yu.edu/LegalWriting

STUDENT JOURNALS

Working on a journal helps develop legal research, writing and analytical skills, and enriches your coursework experiences while contributing to the advancement of legal scholarship. Cardozo sponsors six student-run journals that publish articles by distinguished academics and practitioners, as well as student notes and comments. Additionally, students and faculty collaborate to produce *New York Real Estate Law Reporter* and, in cooperation with the University of California Press, *Law and Literature*.

To learn more about Cardozo's journals, visit:

➔ www.cardozo.yu.edu/Journals

MOOT COURT

The Moot Court Honor Society is structured like a publication, with oralists, editors and staff selected on the basis of grades, writing ability and oral advocacy skills. The organization is entirely student run and is faculty advised. Members participate in approximately six competitions each semester, including the popular Cardozo/BMI Moot Court Competition each spring.

To learn more about Cardozo's Moot Court Honor Society, visit:

➔ www.cardozo.yu.edu/MootCourtHonorSociety



Cardozo Law Review

Cardozo Arts & Entertainment Law Journal

Cardozo Journal of International and Comparative Law

Cardozo Public Law, Policy, and Ethics Journal

Cardozo Journal of Law and Gender

Cardozo Journal of Conflict Resolution

New York Real Estate Law Reporter

Law and Literature



"In an era where transnational legal problems are frequent, my study abroad experiences are a distinct advantage in my upcoming job search. I studied overseas through three Cardozo programs—and I am convinced I could not have done that anywhere else. My six-month placement in China, including a summer working for the Hong Kong Securities and Futures Commission arranged through the Heyman Center, solidified my career direction. I feel prepared to practice corporate law specializing in international transactions throughout Asia."

ERIC VICTORSON 3L



Study abroad

As the legal profession becomes more globally interconnected, lawyers increasingly benefit from the broader perspective international legal study provides. You can study in Spain, China, Budapest, Hamburg, Paris—and more.

SEMESTER ABROAD

- Amsterdam Law School: Amsterdam, the Netherlands
- Bucerius Law School: Hamburg, Germany
- Central European University: Budapest, Hungary
- Chinese University of Hong Kong: Hong Kong
- Independent Study Abroad
- Tel Aviv University: Tel Aviv, Israel
- University of Deusto: Bilbao, Spain
- Université Paris X-Nanterre: Paris, France
- University of Roma Tre: Rome, Italy
- University of Sydney: Sydney, Australia

SUMMER ABROAD

Summer study-abroad options:

- Enroll in a summer study-abroad program offered by Cardozo Law, which includes Mediation and Democratic Dialogue (Budapest) and the Center Program in Comparative Corporate Governance at Oxford University.

or

- Get permission to attend an ABA-approved summer study-abroad program hosted by another law school.

Vibrant intellectual debate outside the classroom

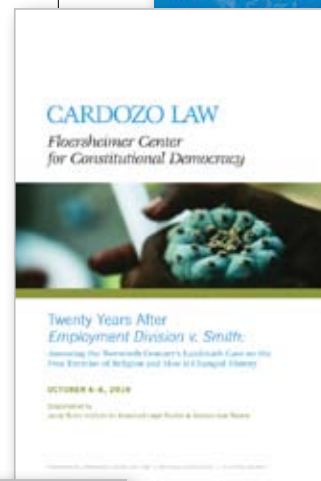
A wide variety of expanded learning opportunities held right on campus means that your day at Cardozo extends far past your last class. New ideas and broader perspectives are all part of our vision of legal education.

CONFERENCES AND SYMPOSIA Hundreds of events each year bring lively debate and discovery to our doors. Through a rich program of conferences, symposia and panels, noted leaders in law, finance and politics—including Supreme Court Justices Sonia Sotomayor, Stephen Breyer, Sandra Day O'Connor and John Paul Stevens; President Bill Clinton; the noted author-scholar Bernhard Schlink; and world-renowned financier T. Boone Pickens—come to Cardozo to speak to our community. Recent events include:

- “Public Secrets: From the Pentagon Papers to WikiLeaks”
- “Immigration: New Ways of Defending Immigrants”
Participants included Supreme Court Justice John Paul Stevens
- “Modest Proposals: New Ideas for IP Law”
- “Conference on Gender, Sexuality and Democratic Citizenship”
- “Twenty Years After *Employment Div. v. Smith*: Assessing the 20th Century’s Landmark Case on the Free Exercise of Religion and How it Changed History”
- “The Content and Context of ‘Hate Speech’: Rethinking Regulation and Remedies”
- “Acknowledging Race in a ‘Post-Racial’ Era”
- “Conversations on the Constitution: ‘Prop 8, Meet the 14th Amendment: Same-Sex Marriage & the Constitution(s)’”
- “Strengthening Human Rights in Iraq: One Law at a Time”

To learn more about our events, visit:

➔ www.cardozo.yu.edu/Calendar







Clinics, externships and trial experience give you a real-world edge.

FROM EXPERIENCE COMES OPPORTUNITY

The doctrinal foundation you build through classwork springs to life through the rich array of hands-on experiential opportunities you'll have at Cardozo. Learning by doing helps you master the research, teamwork, oral advocacy and leadership skills that employers value.

"The focus on clinics at Cardozo is one of the school's best assets; it's the best opportunity a law student can have. Whether you're speaking in front of the New York City Council or you're in court advocating for a client, you can actually do that as a law student. You get to take ownership of your law school career and of your public service interests."

NICK KATZ 3L

Clinics at Cardozo

Students are selected to participate in one of Cardozo's nationally recognized and unique clinical programs, gaining practical experience combined with strong academic scholarship.

CLINICS

BET TZEDEK LEGAL SERVICES CLINIC

Students represent elderly or disabled clients in civil matters.

CRIMINAL APPEALS CLINIC

Students do intensive appellate advocacy and draft and argue appellate briefs in court.

CRIMINAL DEFENSE CLINIC

Students work with clients from their initial interviews through trials and sentencing.

DIVORCE MEDIATION CLINIC

Students serve as mediators in matrimonial cases referred from the Office of Court Administration.

FAMILY COURT CLINIC

Students are placed in Family Court or with attorneys representing clients in Family Court.

GUARDIANSHIP CLINIC

Students advocate for low-income clients and assist the court in legal issues related to court-appointed guardian cases, including medical benefits and estate planning.

HOLOCAUST CLAIMS RESTITUTION PRACTICUM

Students investigate and pursue claims made by Holocaust survivors.

HOUSING RIGHTS CLINIC

Students represent people facing eviction and assist clients in obtaining repairs at their residences.

HUMAN RIGHTS AND GENOCIDE CLINIC

Students work on U.S. and international human rights cases involving individuals, human rights organizations and UN agencies.

INDIE FILM CLINIC

Students provide free legal services to qualifying New York filmmakers producing independent, documentary and student films.

THE INNOCENCE PROJECT

Students work on motions and briefs regarding the reopening of cases and reversal of convictions using DNA evidence.

KATHRYN O. GREENBERG IMMIGRATION JUSTICE CLINIC

Students represent immigrants facing deportation before federal immigration authorities and in the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit and assist immigrant community-based organizations on litigation and advocacy projects.

LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT LAW CLINIC

Students represent clients on issues arising under wage and hour laws, collective bargaining agreements, Title VII of the Civil Rights Act and the National Labor Relations Act.

MEDIATION CLINIC

Students serve as mediators at dispute resolution centers in the metropolitan area.

PROSECUTOR PRACTICUM

Students intern full-time for a semester at the Manhattan D.A.'s office as student assistant district attorneys.

SECURITIES ARBITRATION CLINIC

Students are assigned to arbitration cases referred by the NYSE, NASD and AAA and serve as advocates for claimants.

TAX CLINIC

Students have primary responsibility for representing clients in tax disputes.



THE INNOCENCE PROJECT

"Cardozo students working at the Innocence Project are idealistic, smart and have a hunger to see justice done. That's exactly what you want to see in students and young lawyers. At the Innocence Project, we train complete lawyers, problem solvers. It's not enough to know the case law. It's not enough to understand records and do fact gathering. It's not enough to write briefs. It's not enough to understand the media environment and other forces that affect decision makers within the criminal justice system. You have to know everything: the law, the facts, the social science issues that are involved in the evidence brought before the court. When students have completed their work with us, I feel confident that they have gained these skills and know how to change the system that led to terrible miscarriages of justice."

BARRY SCHECK, PROFESSOR OF LAW AND CO-DIRECTOR, THE INNOCENCE PROJECT

To learn more about the Innocence Project, visit: ➔ www.innocenceproject.org

YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE AT CARDOZO LAW

Each year close to 250 students, working with the clinics' supervising faculty, give voice to the underserved who face a vast range of legal challenges, from criminal charges to domestic violence and from housing and employment issues to divorce. Many of our clients are elderly, indigent or from New York City's large immigrant community. Cardozo students pursue justice for their clients: wrongful convictions are overturned, deportations are avoided, life savings are recovered and families are able to retain their homes.



SECURITIES ARBITRATION CLINIC

"Since its inception, the Securities Arbitration Clinic has recovered more than \$1 million in losses suffered by small retail investors. These cases run the gamut from common law claims like fraud, breach of contract and negligence to highly technical securities law claims and involve securities ranging from stocks and bonds to complex derivatives products and commodities. Students in the clinic learn to navigate the challenging landscape of securities and commodities regulation and to directly represent clients in Financial Industry Regulatory Authority and National Futures Association proceedings."

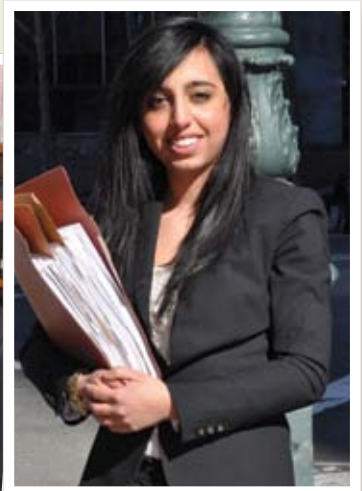
ELIZABETH GOLDMAN,
CLINICAL ASSOCIATE
PROFESSOR OF LAW AND
DIRECTOR, SECURITIES
ARBITRATION CLINIC



THE HOLOCAUST CLAIMS RESTITUTION PRACTICUM

"During my clinic experience at the firm Herrick, Feinstein LLP, I used my contract and property law knowledge from my first year's studies, in conjunction with my German language skills, to translate original Nazi-era documents. I assisted the team of attorneys I was working with in their efforts to recover artwork looted from rightful Jewish owners before and during World War II."

JONATHAN RUSSO 3L



KATHRYN O. GREENBERG IMMIGRATION JUSTICE CLINIC

"My experience with the clinic has been extraordinary—and challenging. I'm working for a client whose situation is similar to my family's two decades ago when we left Iran. I understand his mind-set—I'm an immigrant to the U.S. Over the past year, my clinic partner and I have been extensively researching the law to prevent his deportation. So far, we've had one court appearance fighting his case—another one has just been scheduled. It's an amazing opportunity to help someone I can relate to in this special circumstance."

RACHEL SHIRIAN 2L



**BET TZEDEK
(HOUSE OF JUSTICE)
CLINIC**

“My clinic work has been incredibly rewarding, keeping the under-represented in their homes and helping elderly clients receive the government benefits they need to help maintain some quality of life. My intent in participating in this clinic was to gain experience in the litigation process and in managing an active caseload. But I’ve graduated with so much more. I’ve practiced the human side of law. We approached each case from a client-centered perspective. It’s not about applying the best court strategy to practice our skills—it’s all about finding the best overall solution to meet a client’s fundamental need.”

TODD BARNEY '11



**ALEXANDER
FELLOWS PROGRAM**

“Cardozo helped me define who I want to be as an attorney. As a participant in the Alexander Fellows Program, I had the opportunity to observe federal trials with the chambers and discuss them with the judge after they ended. I also got to draft decisions for Social Security disability cases and work on default judgment cases. In addition, I was a staffer and board member for the Cardozo Journal of Law & Gender. These experiences, along with my coursework, prepared me to work as a law clerk.”

CHANTAL N. HAMLIN '10,
JUDICIAL LAW CLERK IN
THE SUPERIOR COURT OF
NEW JERSEY CHANCERY
DIVISION—FAMILY PART



**WATERFRONT
COMMISSION
EXTERNSHIP**

“The Waterfront Commission of New York Harbor is the perfect place to prepare for a career in the public interest. New York Harbor is the city’s lifeblood, and being a part of an organization that keeps that lifeblood crime-free means I am truly making a difference. The experience allowed me to hone my investigative skills and legal talents by conducting witness interviews and engaging in legal research—all while being an integral part of the battle against organized crime and corruption.”

TALIA ENGLANDER 2L



**CRIMINAL DEFENSE
CLINIC**

“Being a part of the immigration justice and criminal defense clinics is invaluable to my overall experience; your understanding of the law and how you practice the law is shaped by how you interact with clients and present cases in a formal setting. I’d be at a disadvantage if I graduated without clinic experience.”

NYASA HICKEY '11

EXTERNSHIPS

Heyman/American Corporate
Counsel Association In-House
Counsel Externship

Holocaust Restitution Claims
Practicum

Immigration Law Externship

Intellectual Property Externship

Labor and Employment Law
Externship

New York City Law Department
Appellate Externship

Prosecutor Practicum

Public Sector Externship

FIELD CLINICS Our Field Clinics program is built on our partnerships with nonprofit and government law offices throughout the New York metropolitan area. Host-organization partners provide rigorous, hands-on experience as students assist practitioners with semester-long, part-time work. Seminars are taught by the same attorneys who supervise students in the field. This connection helps build the practical and critical-thinking skills essential to all legal work. Currently, Cardozo has four Field Clinics. Students can be placed with the New York State Attorney General's Office, Social Justice Division or the City of Newark's Law Department in New Jersey. Additional opportunities include working in the field of Consumer Debt Protection with a national leader in poverty law, and on Health Care Reform with Legal Aid.

EXTERNSHIPS Cardozo's New York City location provides you with unparalleled chances to pursue legal areas of interest under the careful supervision of leaders in their respective fields. From politics to grassroots advocacy to impact litigation, it's all here in New York City.

Cardozo externships are a critical tool for career exploration—and future opportunities. Each year, more than 250 students choose from public service nonprofit organizations, businesses, government offices or federal or state court opportunities. By litigating; by engaging in complex legal research, writing and analysis; by representing individual clients; and by promoting broad policy changes, you'll sharpen the practical and critical-thinking skills that forge powerful advocates.

Current students in public service externships are working at such nonprofits as Safe Horizons and the Urban Justice Center. Additional externs are working at city, state and federal government offices, including the New York City Council, the EEOC and the Waterfront Commission on New York Harbor. Heyman/ACCA In-House Counsel externs are placed in such companies as Burberry, CBS, Christie's, Forbes Media, FINRA and Nasdaq.

To learn more about clinics, field clinics and externships, visit:

➔ www.cardozo.yu.edu/Clinics





Other experiential learning opportunities

INTENSIVE TRIAL ADVOCACY PROGRAM Cardozo was one of the first law schools in the country to offer an Intensive Trial Advocacy Program (ITAP), which is the cornerstone of the law school's practical skills curriculum. Leading trial attorneys and judges from across the country gather at Cardozo to work with approximately 130 second- and third-year students in a rigorous two-week course simulating the intensity of a real trial. Each participant works on the full range of necessary trial skills, including examination and cross-examination techniques, introduction of evidence and full trial strategies. By the completion of this "boot camp" experience, students are capable of trying a case—and ready for career success.

To learn more about Intensive Trial Advocacy Program, visit:

➔ www.cardozo.yu.edu/ITAP

ALEXANDER FELLOWS PROGRAM This judicial clerkship program is one of the most highly selective programs at Cardozo. While working for a federal judge in chambers five days a week for a full semester, you'll gain an insider's view of judicial decision making. You'll research and prepare memoranda on legal issues, participate in conferences and draft opinions. A weekly seminar, usually led by a federal judge, provides an in-depth study of judicial administration. Skills developed in this program put you a step ahead of your peers if you pursue a clerkship after graduation.

"ITAP was such a great experience for me—both in teaching me how to become a trial lawyer and exposing me to excellent faculty who truly care about the students in the program and are willing to take the time to help them professionally. One ITAP faculty member had extremely encouraging things to say and offered to send my resume to colleagues at firms throughout New York City. Based on his recommendation, I interviewed and received an offer for a great job. My story is proof that ITAP is an outstanding opportunity to network as well as learn trial advocacy skills."

ERICA THAU '11

8

*Why
Cardozo Law?*





Diversity is a defining concept.

Cardozo's focus on diversity is central to the intellectual and community life of the law school. Our inclusive student body, faculty and administration ensure a welcoming—and respectful—environment for all. Cardozo Law's activities, academic opportunities, targeted support services, scholarship and career services initiatives all reflect the fundamental value of living and working in a community with wide-ranging viewpoints, experiences and expertise. You'll see diversity reflected in our student groups, clubs, publications and, most significantly, in the ideas expressed in classroom debates. You can be sure that when you propose a legal argument, one of your classmates will be on the other side of it. That's the nature of the law—and that's the nature of learning at Cardozo.



“Cardozo offers a universe of cutting-edge opportunities for every interest. Students are trained to think creatively and parlay their interests into the legal profession. My experience in the Human Rights and Genocide Clinic exemplifies Cardozo’s spirit of public service and social responsibility, fusing different ideas to promote progress.”

DANIEL DAVIDSON 3L
POLITICAL CHAIR OF
OUTLAW



“When you see people around you who look like you and have had similar experiences, it helps you feel that you too can achieve that.”

ROCIO GARZA '11
NEW YORK CITY
BAR FELLOW

DIVERSITY OF BACKGROUNDS = DIVERSITY OF IDEAS

Each year’s incoming class hails from all over the United States as well as overseas.

Typically about 24 percent of the class is comprised of students of color, with six percent African American, 6 percent Hispanic/Latino and about 10 percent of the class Asian Pacific Islanders.

Fifty percent of incoming students are women. About one third of the class comes directly from college, and 10 percent hold advanced degrees.

Cardozo Law School looks at diversity as multidimensional, expressed in our classes, clinics, special events and hands-on learning opportunities. We encourage students from all backgrounds to help change the face of the law community at large, and we support a student groups to support that cause.

STUDENT GROUPS

The Asian Pacific American Law Students Association (APALSA)

APALSA organizes programs and events, and offers a mentor program that pairs upper-level students with first-year students. The APALSA annual Lunar New Year celebration is a Cardozo favorite.

The Black Law Students Association (BLSA) provides support and advice to students who identify themselves as African American, Caribbean or African.

BLSA is very active and invites all Cardozo students to be members. Programs include the annual Horizons orientation, intensive first-year success program, exam prep programs with alumni, mentoring as well as a number of social events including JazzFest and an annual awards dinner.

The Korean American Law Students Association (KALSA)

Supports students interested in Korean culture, has ties with Korean American Lawyers Association of Greater New York, and each fall has a school-wide festival celebrating the Korean holiday Chuseok.

The Latin American Law Students Association (LALSA)

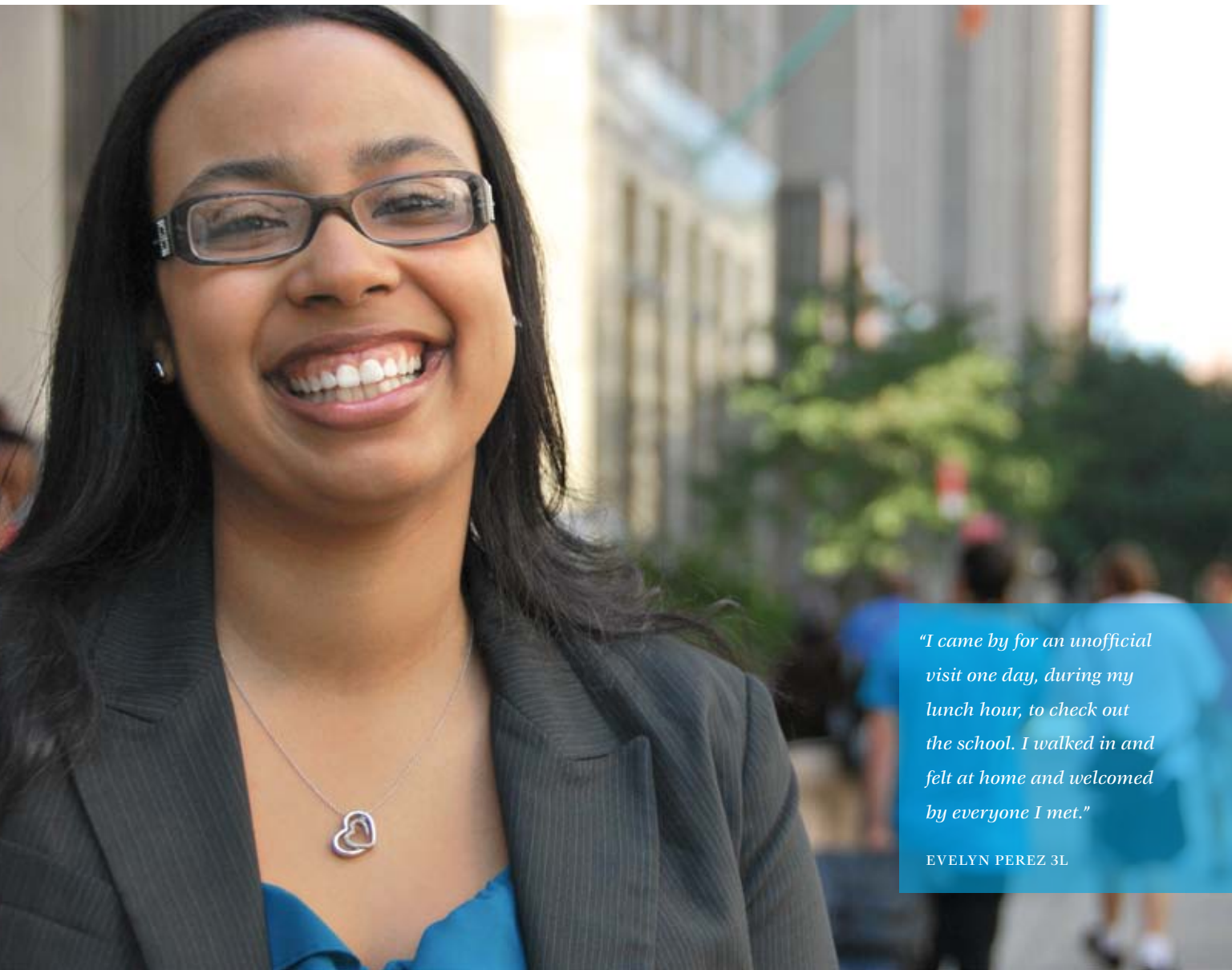
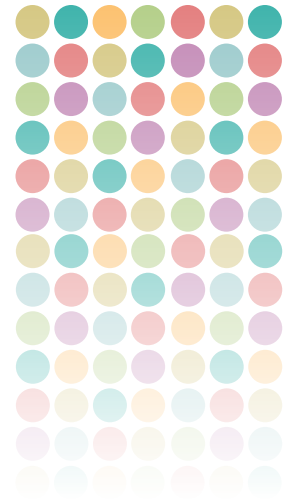
Offers mentoring programs with ties to the Latino legal community as well as help with job fairs, internships and events that reach out to the wider Latino community. LALSA hosts a Thanksgiving potluck dinner for the law school each year and a spring “Fiesta” event with live music and dance.

OUTlaw

Cardozo's pioneer student group for lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender students and their allies organizes meetings, educational panels and school activities to advance LGBT rights issues. Each year OUTlaw sponsors the E. Nathaniel Gates Award, which is named in honor of a beloved Cardozo professor and is presented to notable Cardozo LGBT alumni.

The South Asian Law Students Association (SALSA)

Offers mentoring programs for first-year students, career panels and alumni receptions. Each year SALSA offers the Diwali/Eid Festival, celebrating the Hindu holiday of Diwali, and the Muslim holiday of Eid with fellow students, staff and faculty. The festival is one of the best-attended events at the law school, featuring dance, music and a traditional dinner.



"I came by for an unofficial visit one day, during my lunch hour, to check out the school. I walked in and felt at home and welcomed by everyone I met."

EVELYN PEREZ '3L

From Student Achievement to “Big Law”

Cardozo 1L's regularly receive more than 10% of all New York City Bar Diversity Fellowships offered, which provide paid internships at leading large law firms. Some of our recent graduates—and their employers:

Algeria Aljure

J.D. 2007
Sidley Austin LLP

Shriram Bhashyam

J.D. 2009
Shearman & Sterling LLP

Liliana Chang

J.D. 2010
Herrick, Feinstein, LLP

Gino Cheng

J.D. 2008
Orrick (Orange County, CA)

Jason Chien

J.D. 2008
Kirkland & Ellis LLP

Marvin Mills

J.D. 2010
Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Virginia Tomotani Uelze

J.D. 2009
Jones Day

Michael Wong

J.D. 2007
Paul, Weiss

DIVERSITY FELLOWSHIPS One of the most prestigious fellowships available to students is the New York City Bar Diversity Fellowship Program, a competitive program sponsored by the New York City Bar Committee on Recruitment and Retention of Lawyers, of which an Office of Career Services (OCS) professional is an active member. The participating New York City law schools nominate diverse first-year law students as candidates for summer fellowship opportunities with prominent law firms and corporations in the New York City metropolitan area.

CLEO MEMBERSHIP Cardozo is a long-standing member of the Council on Legal Education Opportunity (CLEO) and has received numerous awards for our continuing commitment to diversifying the legal profession. Funded by the U.S. Department of Education through the Thurgood Marshall Legal Educational Opportunity Program, CLEO is dedicated to diversifying the legal profession by expanding opportunities to minority, low-income and disadvantaged groups.

DIVERSITY EVENTS The OCS notifies students about upcoming events by e-mail, the OCS calendar and through the OCS monthly newsletter, *Career Times*.

In the late fall and early winter, OCS provides support for the New York County Lawyers' Association Minority Judicial Internship Program. This initiative is administered by NYCLA's Committee on Minorities and the Law, and provides an important opportunity for first- and second-year law students of color to be introduced to the judicial system during a paid eight-week summer internship. Each intern is assigned to the office of a state or federal judge, where s/he performs legal research, drafts memoranda, assists with the preparation of jury instructions and observes court proceedings.

Many employers also invite Cardozo students to participate in diversity receptions and events that they host or sponsor. Students are introduced to the employers and learn about the types of work they do and their efforts to promote and support diversity in their workplaces. Some of the employers who have recently invited Cardozo students to their diversity events include:

- Bryan Cave LLP
- Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton LLP
- Dewey & LeBoeuf LLP
- MetLife
- Morgan Lewis & Bockius LLP
- New York City Law Department
- Proskauer Rose LLP
- Shearman & Sterling LLP
- Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
- SNR Denton
- Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP
- Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP
- Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLP

OUR ALUMNI ARE CHANGING THE FACE OF THE LAW COMMUNITY

Cardozo alumni, now numbering more than 10,000, live and work throughout the world. They are leaders in the legal profession as well as in business, the arts, politics and academia. Alumni give back to the law school by serving on the Board of Overseers and the Alumni Association, by being mentors to current students, as speakers, and as employers of other Cardozo grads. They enrich the community and are ambassadors and trailblazers for future Cardozo graduates.



HON. DIANNE T. RENWICK '86
NEW YORK STATE
SUPREME COURT JUSTICE
APPELLATE DIVISION, FIRST
DEPARTMENT

"Diversity of people, backgrounds, and ideas improves our courts, our institutions of higher learning and our society because we come to appreciate and understand one another better."



PARVIN AMINOLROAYA '08
ASSOCIATE, SEEGER WEISS
LLP

"While at Cardozo, I found that even the busiest members of the Cardozo community were willing to offer me guidance on how to reach my goals—whether it was perfecting an oral argument for a moot court competition before some of the most esteemed members of the judiciary or securing postgraduate employment. Their insights proved to be indispensable."



MARVIN MILLS '09
ASSOCIATE,
WEIL, GOTSHAL & MANGES
LLP

"I chose Cardozo because I wanted to attend a school that is progressive and well respected and that would provide me with tangible career opportunities. During the three years that I attended Cardozo, I participated in several unique programs, including the Mediation Clinic, which enables Cardozo's law students to both collaboratively and independently assist in dispute resolution in New York courts and community centers. I also had the pleasure of competing in moot court and negotiation competitions on both coasts, in which Cardozo's teams have had frequent success. As an alum, I recognize that Cardozo provides an excellent bridge into professional practice and that the career counselors' support is invaluable."



DIEGO CARVAJAL '10,
CORPORATE ASSOCIATE,
CADWALADER

"I spent my last two years at Cardozo working as a mediator. I mediated everything from divorces to small claims to multi-million dollar lawsuits. The most difficult part of any mediation was writing the settlement agreement. It was a challenging and time-consuming process because it forced the parties to think about details of their agreement. Every word was heavily negotiated. It was, however, a valuable skill that I now use every day. My firm produces negotiated documents that reflect the interests of many different parties. Although I am dealing with more legally sophisticated parties and longer agreements, I am applying the same drafting and negotiation skills I learned while mediating at Cardozo."

9

Why Cardozo Law?

Career support from day one.

We'll be with you every step of the way. Cardozo's Office of Career Services (OCS), along with Cardozo's Center for Public Service Law, works hand in hand with employers to make the job connections you need. We never follow a one-size-fits-all approach; throughout your time at Cardozo, we will be actively involved in making employment connections to meet your goals and offer multiple career paths to explore.

WE HELP YOU GET THE JOB DONE

As part of the Cardozo Law community, you're at the hub of some of the best business, finance, government, judicial and public service opportunities found anywhere. And our expanding network of New York City business partnerships helps put you on track for a legal career in one of the world's most desirable markets.

In the first year of law school, you'll meet with at least one of our eight full-time counselors to begin exploring and defining your individualized career path. Throughout the school year, a range of OCS programs will prepare you for your future job search. You'll learn about the many practice areas within the public and private sectors; develop the skills necessary to compete effectively; meet and network with practicing attorneys, including many of our alumni across the globe; and obtain access, through the fall and spring recruitment programs, to hundreds of potential employers and judges for internships, summer associate positions and postgraduate employment.

Every fall and spring, representatives of private- and public-sector employers interview our students at Cardozo in their offices and through virtual interviews using our teleconference technology.

"I came to Cardozo straight from college, and while I was excited to be in law school, I wasn't sure about the direction my career would take. Career Services made me feel that it was totally normal to not be certain about my future while also making the many options I had clear to me. My counselor encouraged me to do public interest work my first summer, and during my second summer I worked at Skadden. Through these two summer experiences, I gained exposure to exciting options. The fact that attorneys work in Career Services is invaluable. Career Services was a terrific resource throughout law school. Next year I'm excited to be returning to Skadden."

MADELINE STAVIS 3L



A SELECTION OF RECENT CARDOZO EMPLOYERS

LAW FIRMS

Allen & Overy LLP
 Alston & Bird LLP
 Amster, Rothstein & Ebenstein LLP
 Anderson Kill & Olick P.C.
 Anderson, McPharlin & Connors LLP
 Arent Fox PLLC
 Axinn, Veltrop & Harkrider
 Baker & McKenzie
 Baker Botts LLP
 Ballon Stoll Bader & Nadler P.C.
 Berdon LLP
 Bingham McCutchen LLP
 Blank Rome LLP
 Boies, Schiller & Flexner LLP
 Bracewell & Giuliani LLP
 Brown Rudnick LLP
 Bryan Cave LLP
 Buchanan Ingersoll & Rooney P.C.
 BuckleySandler LLP
 Budd Lerner P.C.
 Cades Schutte LLP
 Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft LLP
 Cahill Gordon & Reindel LLP
 Carter Ledyard & Milburn LLP
 Chadbourne & Parke LLP
 Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton LLP
 Clifford Chance LLP
 Cohn Lifland Pearlman Herrmann & Knopf LLP
 Cole, Schotz, Meisel, Forman & Leonard, P.A.
 Cozen O'Connor P.C.
 Cravath, Swaine & Moore LLP
 Crowell & Moring LLP
 Curtis, Mallett-Prevost, Colt & Mosle LLP
 Davis Polk & Wardwell LLP
 Day Pitney LLP
 Debevoise & Plimpton LLP
 Dewey & LeBoeuf LLP
 Dickstein Shapiro LLP
 DLA Piper
 Dollinger & Ostrowsky L.L.C.
 Duval & Stachenfeld LLP
 Fish & Richardson P.C.
 Fitzpatrick, Cella, Harper & Scinto
 Foley & Lardner LLP
 Fox Rothschild LLP
 Fragomen, Del Rey, Bernsen & Lowey LLP
 Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson LLP
 Frommer Lawrence & Haug LLP
 Fulbright & Jaworski LLP
 Goodwin Procter LLP
 Greenbaum, Rowe, Smith & Davis LLP
 Greenberg Traurig LLP
 Harris Beach PLLC
 Haynes and Boone LLP
 Herrick, Feinstein LLP
 Hodgson Russ LLP
 Hogan & Lovells US LLP
 Holland & Knight LLP
 Hughes Hubbard & Reed LLP
 Hunton & Williams LLP
 Jones Day
 K&L Gates LLP
 Kasowitz Benson Torres Friedman LLP
 Katten Muchin Rosenman LLP
 Kaufman Borgeest & Ryan LLP
 Kaye Scholer LLP
 Kelley Drye & Warren LLP
 Kenyon & Kenyon LLP
 Kilpatrick Townsend & Stockton LLP
 King & Spalding
 Kirkland & Ellis LLP
 Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel LLP
 Ladas & Parry LLP
 Lansner Kubitschek Schaffer
 Latham & Watkins LLP
 Lester Schwab Katz Dwyer LLP
 Linklaters LLP
 Loeb & Loeb LLP
 London Fischer LLP
 Lowenstein Sandler P.C.
 Martin Clearwater and Bell LLP
 Mayer Brown LLP
 McDermott Will & Emery LLP
 McLeroy, Deutsch, Mulvaney & Carpenter LLP
 McLaughlin & Stern LLP
 Milbank, Tweed, Hadley & McCloy LLP
 Mintz, Levin, Cohn, Ferris, Glovsky and Popeo P.C.
 Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP
 Morrison & Foerster LLP
 Moses & Singer LLP
 Mound Cotton Wollan & Greengrass
 Nixon Peabody LLP
 Oliff & Berridge, PLC
 Olshan Grundman Frome Rosenzweig & Wolosky LLP
 O'Melveny & Myers LLP
 Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP
 Oved & Oved LLP
 Patterson & Sheridan LLP
 Patton Boggs LLP
 Paul, Hastings, Janofsky & Walker LLP
 Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP
 Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP
 Porzio, Bromberg & Newman P.C.
 Proskauer Rose LLP
 Pryor Cashman LLP
 Reed Smith LLP
 Riker Danzig Scherer Hyland & Perretti LLP
 Rivkin Radler LLP
 Robinson Brog Leinwand Greene
 Genovese & Gluck P.C.
 Ropes & Gray LLP
 Ruskin Moscou Faltischek P.C.
 Schiff Hardin LLP
 Schulte Roth & Zabel LLP
 Sedgwick LLP
 Seward & Kissel LLP
 Seyfarth Shaw LLP
 Shearman & Sterling LLP
 Sheppard Mullin Richter & Hampton LLP
 Shipman & Goodwin LLP
 Sidley Austin LLP
 Sills Cummins & Gross P.C.
 Simpson Thacher & Bartlett LLP
 Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
 SNR Denton
 St. Onge Steward Johnston & Reens, LLC
 Stroock & Stroock & Lavan LLP
 Sullivan & Cromwell LLP
 Sullivan & Worcester LLP
 Troutman Sanders LLP

Vedder Price P.C.
 Venable LLP
 Vinson & Elkins LLP
 Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP
 White & Case LLP
 Wilentz, Goldman & Spitzer P.A.
 Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP
 Wilson Elser Moskowitz Edelman & Dicker LLP
 Wolff & Samson PC

PUBLIC INTEREST ORGANIZATIONS & GOVERNMENT AGENCIES

Advocates for Children
 Alliance for Arab Women
 American Civil Liberties Union
 American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals
 Amnesty International
 Bridges Across Borders Southeast Asia
 Bronx County District Attorney's Office
 Bronx Defenders
 Center for Court Innovation
 Center for Family Representation
 Center for Reproductive Law & Policy
 Central Intelligence Agency
 Children's Law Center
 Circuit Court for Baltimore City
 Clark County Nevada Public Defenders
 Classic Media, Inc.
 Connecticut Judicial Branch
 Correctional Association of New York
 Defender Association of Philadelphia
 District of Columbia, Circuit Court
 District of Columbia Court of Appeals
 District Council 37, AFSCME, AFL-CIO
 Department of Defense
 Department of Homeland Security
 Department of Justice
 Department of Transportation
 The Door
 Environmental Defense Fund
 Environmental Protection Agency
 Equal Justice Alliance
 Executive Office of Immigration Review
 Federal Communications Commission
 Federal Defenders of San Diego, Inc.
 Federal Reserve Bank of New York
 Financial Industry Regulatory Authority
 Global Justice Center
 Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society
 InMotion, Inc.
 Internal Revenue Service
 International Bridges to Justice
 International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda
 International Rescue Committee
 Kings County District Attorney's Office
 Lawyers for Children
 Legal Aid Society
 Legal Momentum
 Legal Services of Hudson Valley
 Los Angeles County Public Defender
 Los Angeles Family Law Help Center
 Miami-Dade County Public Defender
 Miami-Dade State Attorney's Office
 Midwest Environmental Advocates
 Nassau County Attorney's Office
 Nassau County District Attorney's Office
 National Labor Relations Board
 Neighborhood Defender Service of Harlem
 New Jersey Public Defender
 New Jersey State Courts
 New York City Administration for Children's Services
 New York City Bar Association
 New York City Department of Finance
 New York City Housing Authority
 New York City Law Department Corporation Counsel
 New York Civil Liberties Union
 New York County District Attorney's Office
 New York Lawyers for the Public Interest
 New York Legal Assistance Group
 New York State Courts
 New York State Senate
 New York Stock Exchange
 Office of the Colorado State Public Defender
 Office of the Massachusetts Attorney General
 Office of The Mayor, New York City
 Office of the New York State Attorney General
 Orleans Public Defender
 Philadelphia District Attorney's Office
 Poverty & Race Research Action Council
 Public Defender Service of D.C.
 Public Patent Foundation
 Queens County District Attorney's Office
 Red Hook Community Justice Center
 San Diego District Attorney's Office
 San Diego County Office of the Public Defender
 Second Circuit Court of Appeals
 Seeds of Peace
 Service Employees International Union
 Senate Judiciary Committee
 South Brooklyn Legal Services
 Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
 Sylvia Rivera Law Project
 Transportation Alternatives
 U.S. Attorney General's Office
 U.S. Army JAG Corps
 U.S. Court of Appeals, Second Circuit
 U.S. District Court, District of Massachusetts
 U.S. District Court, District of New Jersey
 U.S. District Court, District of New Mexico
 U.S. District Court, Northern District of Illinois
 U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York
 U.S. District Court, Southern District of Texas
 U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission
 U.S. House of Representatives
 U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
 U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
 U.S. Office of Personnel Management
 U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission
 World Intellectual Property Organization

CORPORATIONS/ INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY/ ENTERTAINMENT/SPORTS

ABC-Disney
 Accenture
 Africa Israel USA
 AIG Risk Management
 American Express
 American Lawyer Media
 AOL Time-Warner
 ASCAP
 Authors Guild
 Bank of America
 The Bank of New York Mellon
 Beecher Carlson
 Bloomberg
 BMI
 Bristol-Myers Squibb
 Burberry
 Calvin Klein

CB Richard Ellis
CBS
Chanel
Chartis
Citigroup
Citrin Cooperman & Company LLP
Classic Media
CNBC
Colgate-Palmolive Company
Conde Nast Publications
Credit Suisse Group AG
DC Comics/MAD Magazine
Deloitte
The Donna Karan Company
Digitas
Empire Blue Cross Blue Shield
Ernst & Young LLP
Estefan Enterprises
Focus Features
Frontline Communications Corporation
GFI Group, Inc.
Goldman Sachs
Guidance Software
Harry Fox Agency
ICE Futures US
JPMorgan Chase
Keystone Equities Group
KPMG
Kroll
LG Electronic
Liz Claiborne
Major League Baseball
Major League Soccer
Marvel Comics
Merck
Meridian Capital Group, LLC
Merrill Lynch
Modell's Sporting Goods
Morgan Stanley
MTV Networks
NBA
NBC
New Jersey Nets
News Corp
OppenheimerFunds, Inc.
Penguin Group (USA)
Penton Media
Pfizer
Prudential Securities, Inc.
PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP
Razor & Tie
Rodale, Inc.
Sanctuary Records Group
Scholastic Inc.
SESAC
Societe Generale
Sony Music Entertainment
Stuart Weitzman
The Weinstein Company
Tory Burch
Trump Organization
UBP Asset Management
UBS Financial
United Talent Agency
Universal/Motown Records
VH1
Viacom
Warner Music Group
Webman Group
Westwood One
William Morris Agency

OUTREACH TO EMPLOYERS

Cardozo continually mines the marketplace to provide employers multiple opportunities to meet our students—their future hires. Cardozo's historic commitment to public service work has created connections through our clinics, externships and ITAP programs that lead to postgraduate employment. The Heyman Center for Corporate Governance is a major point of contact for students seeking work in corporate settings.

FALL RECRUITMENT EMPLOYER EXPO Employers are invited to participate in a “Table Talk” expo to meet our students.

LUNCHES / RECEPTIONS FOR 1L STUDENTS Employers come to campus to sponsor a lunch or other reception for interested 1L students. The employer often sends a small group of attorneys and recruitment professionals who share firm experiences, providing some insight on the employer's “personality.”

DIVERSITY RECEPTIONS OCS will publicize employers' receptions and other opportunities for law students from diverse backgrounds.

PRACTICE AREA EXPOS “Table Talk” expos give employers an opportunity to informally meet and familiarize themselves with a large group of students. Expos cover a broad range of legal practice areas.

PRACTICE PROFILE LUNCH SERIES Throughout the academic year, practicing attorneys come to campus to meet students at an informal brown-bag lunch and speak about their practice areas.

ADVERTISE IN *CAREER TIMES*, OCS'S MAGAZINE OCS publishes *Career Times*, an electronic newsletter for students. As well as *The Daily Vitamin* which offers employment information and updates. Employers are invited to place ads and stories about their firms and programs.

For more information, visit: ➔ www.cardozo.yu.edu/CareerServices

Career Opportunities

Cardozo helps students attend nationwide career fairs organized by region, practice area and diversity. Cardozo students have attended the Chicago-based Loyola Patent Law Interview Program, New Hampshire Legal Interview Program, Los Angeles Interview Program, D.C.–Area Equal Justice Works Career Fair and the San Francisco Intellectual Property Law Association Bay Area Job Fair among others.



10

*Why
Cardozo Law?*

Our global alumni network will work for you.

Cardozo alumni are regular on-campus visitors, returning to meet with students and share their insights into the real-world practice of law. Through networking events, various speakers' series and actual on-site recruitment, our graduates take an active role in helping students connect to career-building opportunities right after law school. Our graduates make things happen.

"My job is to leverage my company's patent portfolio, financial resources and technology assets to stay ahead of emerging competition. At Cardozo, I declared a concentration in IP law and participated in two Seminars Abroad. American Express hired me as a legal intern after my first year, and I stayed with the company part-time through the rest of law school. Through Career Services placement, I also worked at a law firm in Vietnam during my second summer, returning to AmEx and classes that fall. I can safely say that Cardozo's IP courses, supplemental programs and opportunities abroad positioned me to succeed as an intern at AmEx. I was promoted to my current role after graduating and successfully taking the Patent Bar Exam. American Express is a great company to work for, and I genuinely have fun doing my job."

LEE PHAM '10, MANAGER OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY STRATEGY, AMERICAN EXPRESS, NEW YORK CITY



Matthew Schneid '10
Associate, DLA Piper



Vered Rabia '98
Partner, Skadden Arps



David Samson '93
President, Florida Marlins



Sabrina B. Kraus '91
Judge, New York City
Civil Court Housing Part

Alumni Network Career Connections

Each year, close to 100 alumni return to campus to connect with current students through programs and events sponsored by student groups, the Heyman Center on Corporate Governance and our Career Services, Institutional Affairs and Alumni offices.



Magda Jimenez Train '95
Partner, Boies, Schiller &
Flexner LLP



Adam Lurie '00
Senior Counsel to
Assistant Attorney
General, U.S.
Department of Justice



Julian Chung '95
Partner, Cadwalader



Randi Weingarten '83
President, American
Federation of Teachers

Cardozo's 10,000-plus graduates are a major asset for you—not just because of their number but because of what they do and the variety of jobs they hold. Alumni with J.D. or LL.M. degrees live and practice in 49 states and 48 countries. Cardozo can boast that graduates have served as law clerks on the U.S. Supreme Court, Federal District and Appellate Courts, and the highest state courts; sit as judges; are partners at major law firms; are corporate counsel; are senior executives at financial institutions; scores are elected or appointed city and state officials; and dozens have senior positions as assistant district attorneys, U.S. attorneys and public defenders. They hold major offices in local bar associations, and many who have chosen careers outside of the law are business executives, union leaders, community activists, art dealers, writers, actors and professors.

Cardozo graduates bring their values, principles and dedication to a vast scope of enterprises. They work around the world—and they are ready to work for you.



Julie Swidler '82, Executive Vice President for Business Affairs and General Counsel, Sony Music Entertainment, gave advice to students at a recent Dean's Speaker Series.



Judge Sandra J. Feuerstein '79 sits on the United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York. She is a member of the first graduating class at Cardozo and an inspirational alumnae who is an active member of the community.



CHARITY BRADY 2L

Beginning your journey: *are you ready?*

FIND YOURSELF AT CARDOZO

We hope that you approach your application process to Cardozo Law as an opportunity to launch the journey of your life. We review every application thoroughly and carefully, making every effort to build an incoming class that will contribute intellectually, ethically and socially to the life of the Cardozo community.

We encourage you to make an appointment to visit us. You can meet with an admissions counselor, speak with our students, observe a first-year class and tour the law school.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Cardozo's Office of Student Finance is here to guide you through your financing options. There are several types of financial aid available, including merit scholarships, institutional need-based grants and loans, federal Stafford and graduate PLUS loans and private credit-based student loans.

TIMING IS EVERYTHING:

CHOOSE FROM THREE START DATES

For some Cardozo students life doesn't fit into the traditional academic calendar. Our flexible start dates may be another reason Cardozo Law could be a perfect fit for you.

- Traditional three-year program starts in the fall.
- January start date: Receive your J.D. in 2 1/2 years. Students choosing this option begin their studies in January and continue through the summer months, to complete the first-year course of study in time to merge with the full class in September.
- May start date: Spread out your first year classes over three semesters. You will graduate at the same time as full-time students who began in the fall.

MERIT SCHOLARSHIPS

Cardozo offers numerous scholarships based on academic merit. Full-time admitted students are automatically considered for merit assistance. Following their first year, the dean's committee also reviews current students for merit awards based on their academic performance. Merit scholarships include:

- The Dean's Merit Scholarship
- The Monrad Paulsen Scholarship
- The Cardozo Scholars Program

To learn more about financing options, visit:

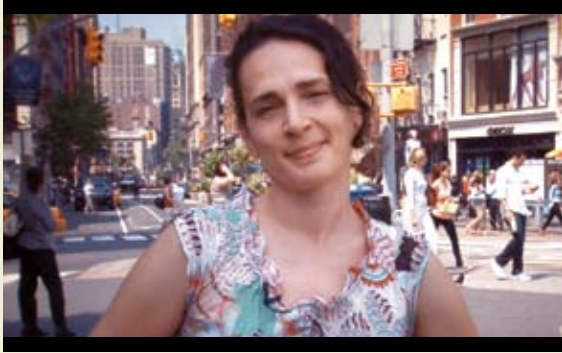
➔ www.cardozo.yu.edu/StudentFinance

If you have any questions about the admissions process at Cardozo, we're here to answer them. Contact the Office of Admissions at 212.790.0274 or by e-mail at lawinfo@yu.edu.

MY CARDOZO, MY NEW YORK

To hear Cardozo Law students talk about their professional and personal connections to New York City visit:

👉 www.cardozo.yu.edu/MyNewYork



Irina Tarsis '11 | Kiev, Ukraine
Art Law



Gugsu Abraham Dabela '11 | Bethesda, MD
Securities Arbitration Clinic



Jonathan Eskow '11 | Olney, MD
Dispute Resolution



Rachel Rivero 2L | Miami, FL
International Law and Human Rights



Nyasa Hickey '11 | Switzerland
Immigration Justice Clinic & Criminal Defense Clinic



Evan Schnittman '11 | Dix Hills, New York
Public Service

Leadership and Community for a New Legal Landscape

Office of Admissions • lawinfo@yu.edu • www.cardozo.yu.edu • 212.790.0274

This publication is intended for the guidance of prospective Cardozo Law School students. Cardozo Law School reserves the right to depart without notice from the descriptions in this publication. Academic rules and regulations are set forth in the Cardozo Student handbook. Cardozo School of Law is fully accredited by the American Bar Association and is a member of the Association of American Law Schools. We advise you to learn about the bar requirements in the states where you may wish to practice law. Cardozo Law School of Yeshiva University is committed to a policy of equal opportunity and non-discrimination in admissions and for all other facets of its educational programs and activities. All decisions with regard to students are based on equitably applied standards of excellence, and all programs involving students are administered without regard to race, religion, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, veteran or disabled veteran status, marital status, sexual orientation, or citizenship status as those terms are used in the law. In addition, this policy is designed to maintain an academic environment free of sexual harassment and intimidation.

Photographers include: Dennis Wile • Lauren Freudmann • Peter Howard • Norman Goldberg • Sari Goodfriend • Danuta Otfinowski • 85 Photo • Getty Images

CARDOZO LAW

BENJAMIN N. CARDOZO SCHOOL OF LAW • YESHIVA UNIVERSITY

JACOB BURNS INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED LEGAL STUDIES

BROOKDALE CENTER • 55 FIFTH AVENUE

NEW YORK, NEW YORK 10003-4391 • 212.790.0274

For more information, e-mail: lawinfo@yu.edu

For an application, go to www.cardozo.yu.edu/admissions