

SBA

# NEWSLETTER

November 2022



## FUTURE COUNSELORS,

MIDTERMS AND FINALS ARE FASTLY APPROACHING. WE CARE ABOUT THE EDUCATIONAL SUCCESS OF OUR PEERS AS WELL AS OUR PHYSICAL AND MENTAL HEALTH. TAKE SOME TIME TO RECHARGE THAT BRAIN POWER. WE WISH YOU LUCK THIS TESTING SEASON!

## UMKC's Two School of Law Trial Advocacy teams competed in the Missouri Challenge Mock Trial Competition.

The UMKC team of Stephanie Landers, Grant Honnold, and Sara Meier assisted by Tedeja Dean and Rachel Shryock captured the 1st place Championship. The second team of Teghan Groff, Ty Kalleck, and Ben Wietharn assisted by Stacy Gibson and Olivia Bess-Rhodes ended the competition with the second highest win/loss record behind the UMKC Championship team.

## STUDENT SPOTLIGHT

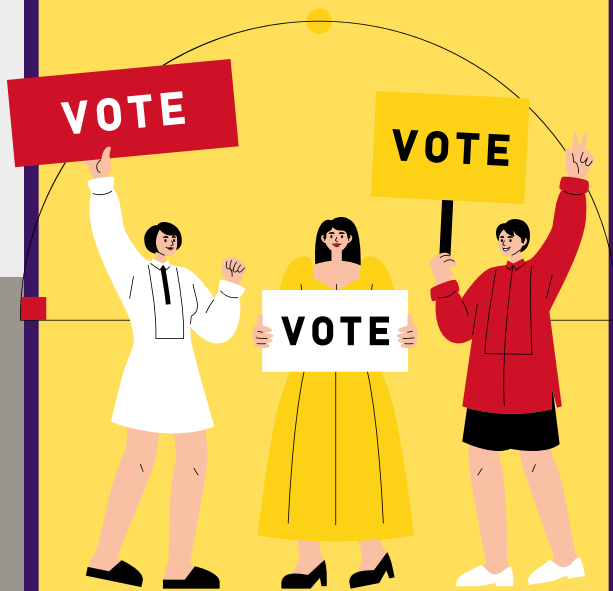


## STUDENT BAR ASSOCIATION

STAY TUNED FOR THE UPCOMING T-SHIRT SALE! MORE INFORMATION WILL BE PROVIDED SOON.

## BLACK LAW STUDENT ASSOCIATION

BLSA IS HOSTING A 1L STUDY CRASH COURSE THIS MONTH. STAY TUNED FOR MORE INFORMATION FROM BLSA RREPS!



**Missouri Election Day:  
November 08, 2022**

## INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW SOCIETY

PLEASE JOIN IPLS AT THEIR HAPPY HOUR EVENT NOVEMBER 11TH

A promotional poster for a 'Happy Hour' event. The background is dark blue with a large, glowing yellow beer mug in the center. The text 'Happy Hour' is written in a large, yellow, cursive font. To the left, a red circle contains the text 'Join IPLS for'. To the right, white text reads 'WITH LOCAL IP ATTORNEYS' and 'FOOD &amp; DRINK PROVIDED'. A red circle at the bottom right contains the date and time 'Nov 11 4-6 pm'. At the bottom left, a location pin icon is followed by the text 'Kona Grill 444 Ward Pkwy, Kansas City, MO'. A QR code is located in the bottom right corner.

*"The power of the lawyer is in the uncertainty of the law."*

*-- English Philosopher, Jeremy Bentham*

## INTERNATIONAL LAW SOCIETY

COME JOIN ILW ON NOVEMBER 15TH @ 7:00pm IN THE STUDENT LOUNGE AND TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE ON INTERNATIONALLY FILMED MOVIES AND MORE! TACO BELL WILL BE PROVIDED!

PLEASE REGISTER YOUR TEAM BY EMAILING ALI HUFFT @ [ach8r8@mail.umkc.edu](mailto:ach8r8@mail.umkc.edu)

The logo for Trivia Night features the word "Trivia" in large, colorful, block letters (T: blue, r: yellow, i: orange, v: teal, a: pink) and "Night" in a white, cursive font below it, all set against a black background with a brick pattern.

**WE ARE BACK!**

# **FAMILY LAW SOCIETY**

FIRST MEMBER MEETING  
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2022 @ NOON  
ROOM 3  
PIZZA PROVIDED  
GLUTEN & VEGAN FRIENDLY



**PLEASE JOIN US ON ROOGRUUPS**

## **FAMILY LAW SOCIETY**

PLEASE JOIN FLS AT THEIR FIRST MEMBER MEETING NOVEMBER 29TH!

## PHI DELTA PHI



Phi Delta Phi is the oldest national and international association in the legal profession (predating the American Bar Association!) and we have a local chapter here at UMKC! The Powell Inn Chapter has just extended invitations for this semester to students with at least a 3.0 GPA and 12 credit hours completed. If this is you, please join us on RooGroups or reach out to Stacey Gibson for more information about dues. Membership comes with mentorship, scholarship and job opportunities as well as access to an outline bank.

All members, new and existing, are invited to a Happy Hour on November 10th! Join our group to find out the location.

# BOARD OF BARRISTERS (MOCK TRIAL)

THE FIRST TWO 1L CLINICS WERE A HUGE SUCCESS BUT IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO JOIN IN!

THE BOARD OF BARRISTERS HAS TWO MORE CLINICS THIS FALL. NO WORRIES IF YOU DIDN'T MAKE IT TO THE FIRST ONES, JOIN MOCK TRIAL FOR GOOD FOOD AS WE LEARN ABOUT DIRECT & CROSS EXAMINATIONS AND ANSWER SPECIFIC QUESTIONS!

## BOARD OF BARRISTERS (MOCK TRIAL) 1L INFORMATION CLINICS

LEARN ABOUT JOINING THE BOARD OF BARRISTERS AND PARTICIPATING IN THE LAST 1L STANDING COMPETITION AT THE 1L CLINICS

FOOD WILL BE PROVIDED!

CLINICS WILL BE HOSTED ON THE FOLLOWING DATES FROM 5PM-6PM IN THE THOMPSON COURTROOM:

- OCTOBER 18TH
- OCTOBER 25TH
- NOVEMBER 1ST
- NOVEMBER 8TH



ENVIRONMENTAL LAW  
SOCIETY & CRIMINAL LAW  
SOCIETY PRESENT:

recreational marijuana  
ballot initiative

# Legal Missouri 2022

Discuss the legal significance  
and expungement component  
of November's vote

**11:30 am**  
**November 1st**  
Room 3  
FOOD PROVIDED

## ENVIRONMENTAL LAW SOCIETY + CRIMINAL LAW SOCIETY

COME JOIN ELS AND CLS TO DISCUSS THE LEGAL SIGNIFICANCE AND EXPUNGEMENT COMPONENT OF NOVEMBER'S VOTE

U.S. BANK  
**Happy Hour**

*A networking opportunity  
with food & drinks*

**Learn about  
careers in  
Estates &  
Trusts**

November 10, 2022  
4pm - 6pm

4600 Madison  
Ave, 5th Floor,  
Kansas City, MO  
64112

Please RSVP on  
CONNECT!



## THE OLIVER CLUB

THE OLIVER CLUB ENCOURAGES YOU TO TAKE A BREAK FROM STUDYING AND ENJOY SOME TIME TO REJUVENATE AND REFRESH. HERE ARE A FEW FUN EVENTS:

- DOWNTOWN DAZZLE
- ACCESS+ABILITY AT THE NELSON ATKINS MUSEUM OF ART
- GREAT PUMPKIN SMASH- NOV. 2-3
- DAY OF THE DEAD FESTIVAL- NOV. 3
- FIND COZY SPOTS IN KC
- CAN'T MISS HOLIDAY SHOWS
- THE 90TH ANNUAL KCP&L PLAZA LIGHTING CERMONY- NOV 28
- MAYOR'S CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING CERMONY- NOV 29

## ESTATES AND TRUST SOCIETY



ESTATES AND TRUST SOCIETY WILL BE HAVING A NETWORKING EVENT AT US BANK. IT'S A GREAT EVENT TO COME AND LEARN ABOUT CAREERS IN THIS FIELD FROM LOCAL ATTORNEYS!

## OLDER WISER LAW STUDENTS

### Older Wiser Law Students (O.W.L.S.)

One page resume?!?  
If you're a non-traditional student this may be hard!

Join O.W.L.S. on  
**Nov. 17 in Room 2 at noon**  
to hear from the Career Service staff on how to build your resume and market yourself when you have more than just school!

Everyone is invited!  
**Food will be provided!**



Jennifer Dierks



Megan Dougherty



Desiree Rognie