

THE VANDERBILT LAW REVIEW

ALUMNI NEWSLETTER

— SUMMER 2019 —

Message from the Editor in Chief and Executive Editor

Alumni and friends of the *Vanderbilt Law Review*,

We hope this bundle of highlights and updates finds you well! The *Law Review* is reflecting on a year worth celebrating and is kicking off a series of exciting projects.

During the last academic year, *Law Review* members worked hard to create six of the best issues of the *Law Review* to date. They selected, edited, proofread, and formatted over 2,545 pages of cutting-edge legal scholarship. They collected thousands of original sources for accuracy checks and cite-checked 12,030 footnotes. All 2L members wrote notes, and ten were selected for publication. *En Banc* published six article responses and twelve Delaware Corporate Law Bulletins. The Articles Committee reviewed about 3,800 submissions. This spring, it brought thirty-six pieces to Full Committee Review, taking thirteen of those to the offer stage.

In April, the *Law Review* hosted a symposium on corporate accountability in partnership with the Institute for Law & Economic Policy. Planning for the October symposium, “Governing Wicked Problems,” is now well underway. Co-hosted by Professors J.B. Ruhl and James Salzman, it will take an interdisciplinary approach and explore whether emerging theoretical and empirical work could offer generalizable tactics for governments to employ when faced with intractable policy challenges.

We are excited to welcome 32 new 2L members to the *Law Review*, selected from 149 applicants who completed the Write-On Competition in May. We recently held orientation to welcome them and get them up to speed. A revamped write-on process this summer allowed transfer students a meaningful opportunity to compete in the Write-On Competition for the first time in a few years. The 3L editors have already gotten to work on various stages of the October, November, and January issues.

Technological innovations are on the horizon. We have been working with the Massey Law Library to create a complete digital repository for our archives that should be more accessible and searchable. On top of her substantive editorial work, Senior *En Banc* Editor Micah Bradley (who put this newsletter together) has been working out the kinks in our newly redesigned website (vanderbiltlawreview.org) and has breathed new life into our various social media outlets.

We are grateful for our alumni's continued support of this fantastic organization and hope to continue fostering meaningful interactions among our current and former members. To that end, **the *Law Review* will be holding a casual open house from 4:30 to 6:00 p.m. in the Buschmann Suite on Friday, October 18.** Learn about recent issues and upcoming events—or simply drop in for a quick chat and a drink. This event is open to all *Law Review* alumni, not only those in town for Reunion weekend! We love hearing from you and we hope you will be in touch with any comments, updates, or ideas for future newsletters.

Sincerely,

Hannah Martins Miller (J.D. '20), Editor in Chief, and Jeff Turner (J.D. '20), Executive Editor

Meet the 2019-2020 Senior Board

Hannah Miller: *Editor in Chief*

Hannah is from Annandale, Virginia, and got her degree in English from Princeton University. She spent her 1L summer with the Office of the Staff Judge Advocate at Fort Benning, Georgia, and her 2L summer with the Client Legal Services and Trial Defense Services at Fort Campbell, Kentucky. She was previously a platoon leader, executive officer, and battalion staff officer in a U.S. Army Military Police unit, stationed in Grafenwöhr, Germany. She will clerk for the Honorable Amul Thapar of the Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals in 2023.



Jeff Turner: *Executive Editor*

Jeff is from Clarkston, Michigan, and got his undergraduate degree in Sports Management from the University of Michigan. He also earned an MBA from University of Detroit, Mercy. He spent his 2L summer working at Jones Day in Detroit, Michigan, with a focus on trial litigation. He will be clerking for the Honorable Joseph H. McKinley Jr. in the Western District of Kentucky after graduation.



Natalie Komrovsky: *Senior Articles Editor*

Natalie is from Independence, Ohio, and double majored in history and Russian at Middlebury. She spent her 1L summer working in SEC enforcement in Washington D.C. and spent her 2L summer with Williams & Connolly in Washington, D.C. She will be clerking for the Honorable Joan Larsen of the Sixth Circuit in Ann Arbor, Michigan, after graduation and with the Honorable Richard Leon on the District Court in D.C. in 2023.



Katie Clemmons: *Senior Notes Editor*

Katie is from Phoenix, Arizona, and attended Washington and Lee University, majoring in both Politics and Spanish. She spent her 1L summer with Troutman Sanders in Atlanta and her 2L summer with Weil, Gotshal, and Manges in New York City. She is interested in commercial litigation. After graduation, she will be clerking for the Honorable David A. Ezra in the Western District of Texas in San Antonio.



Amanda James: *Senior Managing Editor*

Amanda is from Commack, New York, and she majored in History at Colgate University. She worked her 1L summer with the Honorable Louis A. Scarcella in the Bankruptcy Court of the Eastern District of New York. She spent her 2L summer with Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton, & Garrison in New York. She is interested in bankruptcy, and she plans to join Paul, Weiss' Bankruptcy & Corporate Reorganization Department.



Micah Bradley: *Senior En Banc Editor*

Micah is from Nashville, Tennessee, and got her undergraduate degree in English from Rollins College. She spent both her 1L and 2L summers working at Sherrard Roe Voigt & Harbison and Bass Berry & Sims in Nashville, and she is interested in litigation. She will be clerking for the Honorable Eli Richardson in the Middle District of Tennessee after graduation.



Selection of Recent Citations to Law Review Scholarship

- ◆ “2 E-Discovery Takeaways From FTC V. Qualcomm” from Law360 discussed Robert Klonoff’s *Application of the New “Proportionality” Discovery Rule in Class Actions: Much Ado About Nothing*
- ◆ “What’s in a Name” on Property Jotwell discussed Nestor Davidson and David Fagundes’ *Law and Neighborhood Names*
- ◆ “Could Trump Use the Sept. 11 War Law to Attack Iran Without Going to Congress?” in The New York Times cited Shalev Roisman’s *Presidential Factfinding*
- ◆ “Balganesh on Censorial Copyright” for the Legal Theory Blog discussed Shyamkrishna Balganesh’s *Censorial Copyright*
- ◆ “Beauchamp on Founding-Era Patent Revocation” in Patent Progress discussed Christopher Beauchamp’s *Repealing Patents*
- ◆ Pamela Bookman published with Conflictoflaws.net about her piece *The Arbitration-Litigation Paradox*
- ◆ “Not all fun, part of the game: Jacobi & Sag on [laughter] at the Supreme Court” in the Appellate Advocacy Blog discussed Tonja Jacobi & Matthew Sag’s *Taking Laughter Seriously at the Supreme Court*
- ◆ “New paper documents mootness fee phenomenon in M&A cases, proposes solution” in Reuters discussed *Mootness Fees* by Matthew Cain, Steven Solomon, Jill Fisch, and Randall Thomas
- ◆ A recent Vanderbilt press release “Law School, VUMC team up on DHHS grant to develop and test ‘safe harbor’ standards of care” discussed the implementation of an idea first proposed by Professor James Blumstein in his 2006 article *Medical Malpractice Standard-Setting: Developing Malpractice ‘Safe Harbors’ as a New Role for QIOs*
- ◆ *Committee for Public Counsel Services v. Attorney General*, a Massachusetts Supreme Judicial Court case, cited Michael Cassidy’s *Plea Bargaining, Discovery, and the Intractable Problem of Impeachment Disclosures*

Cite as: 588 U. S. ____ (2019)

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DIGITAL REALTY TRUST, INC. v. SOMERS

Opinion of the Court

Opinion of THOMAS, J.

ernment action that took private property, it might also create a special owner-initiated procedure for obtaining compensation. But there were no general causes of action through which plaintiffs could obtain compensation for property taken for public use. Brauneis, *The First Constitutional Tort: The Remedial Revolution in Nineteenth-Century State Just Compensation Law*, 52 Vand. L. Rev. 57, 69–70, and n. 33 (1999).

Cong. Rec. 16918–16919 (1982)). See also Kethledge, *Ambiguities and Agency Cases: Reflections After (Almost) Ten Years on the Bench*, 70 Vand. L. Rev. En Banc 315, 317–318 (2017) (describing his experience as a Senate staffer who drafted legislative history “like being a teenager at home while your parents are away for the weekend: there was no supervision. I was able to write more or less what I pleased. . . . [M]ost members of Congress . . . have no idea at all about what is in the legislative history for a particular bill”).

Justice Roberts, Majority opinion
Knick v. Township of Scott, PA, 139 S.Ct. 2162 (2019).

Justice Thomas, Concurring opinion
Digital Realty Trust, Inc. v. Somers, 138 S.Ct. 767 (2018).

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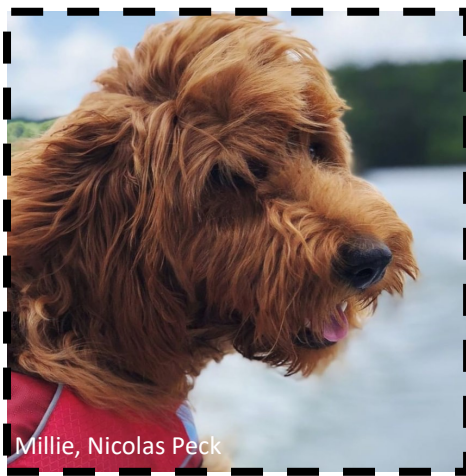
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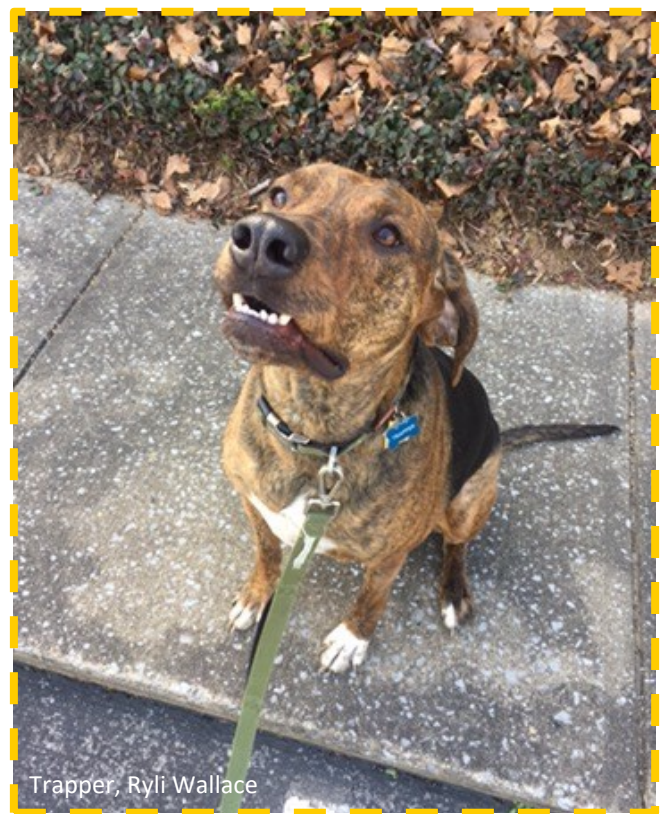
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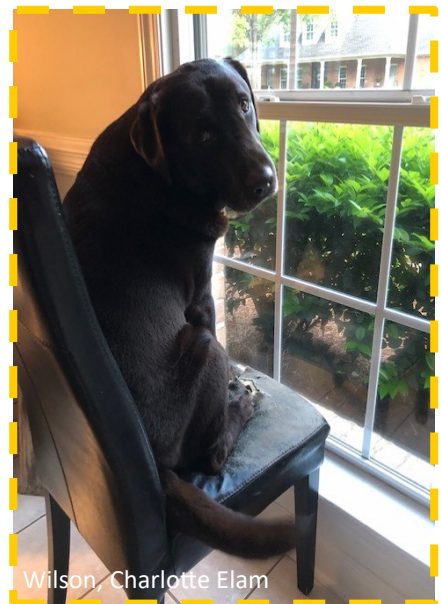
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Where our 3Ls spent their summers

Washington, D.C.:

Covington & Burling
DOJ Environment and Natural Resources Division
Hogan Lovells
King & Spalding
Latham & Watkins
Williams & Connolly

Chicago, IL:

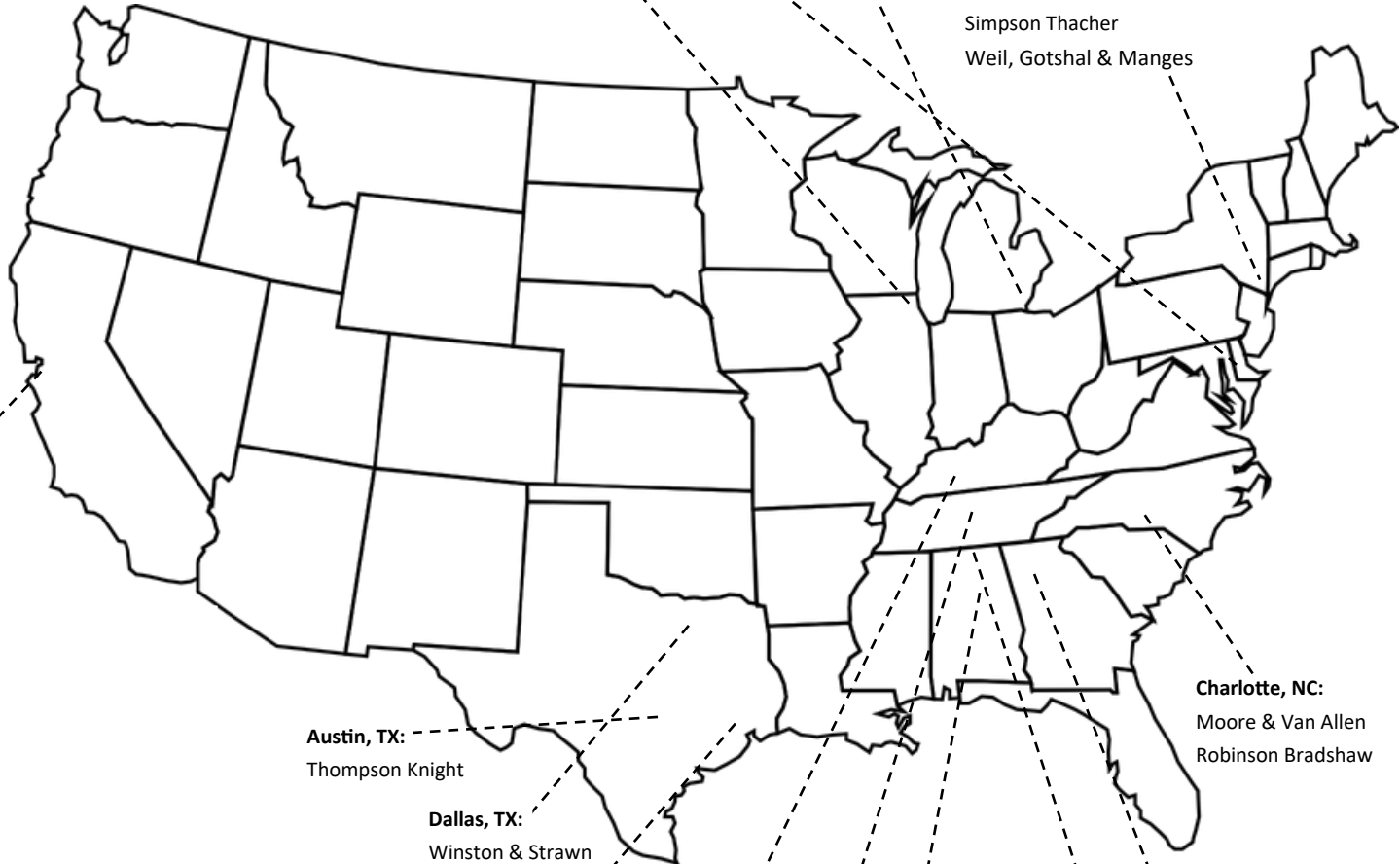
Jenner & Block

Detroit, MI:

Jones Day

New York City, NY:

Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton
Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton, & Garrison (3)
Simpson Thacher
Weil, Gotshal & Manges



Palo Alto, CA:

Bartlett

Austin, TX:

Thompson Knight

Dallas, TX:

Winston & Strawn

Houston, TX:

AZA
Kirkland & Ellis

Fort Campbell, KY:

U.S. Army

Birmingham, AL:

Bradley
Burr Forman

Nashville, TN:

Bass, Berry & Sims (2)
Baker Donelson
Bradley (3)
Sherrard, Roe, Voigt & Harbison

Atlanta, GA:

Alston Bird
King & Spalding (2)

Huntsville, AL:

Lanier Ford Shaver & Payne

Charlotte, NC:

Moore & Van Allen
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and our third years on their new positions.

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