Celebrating the retirement of Professor Walter Taggart

The Villanova Law Community celebrated Professor Walter Taggart '68 this May as he retired following 47 years of service to the Law School. Colleagues and former students alike shared stories of experiences with Prof. Taggart over the years. As a professor and adviser to the Villanova Law Review for 43 years, Prof. Taggart educated, inspired and influenced generations of Villanova lawyers. He will continue to be a valued member of the Villanova Law family in his new role as Emeritus Professor.

Brett Frischmann named Charles Widger Endowed Professor in Law, Business and Economics

Brett Frischmann, a renowned scholar in intellectual property and internet law, was appointed as the Charles Widger Endowed University Professor in Law, Business and Economics.

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Richard Prebil '17 named Equal Justice Works Fellow

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Charles J. Dunlap '75 was recipient of St. Joseph's Office of Veteran Services' TEC5 George J. Beichl PhD '39 Award.

Ashe Puri '02 was named partner at Fox Rothschild LLP.

Adam Berger '10 was appointed Chair of the Pennsylvania Bar Association's Gaming Law
77 recent law graduates chosen as 2017 Equal Justice Works Fellows. Prebil will spend the next two years with the Military Assistance Project, a nonprofit that provides pro bono legal services to active duty, reserve component or veteran military personnel and their widows/spouses. Through direct representation, education and outreach, he will advocate for and assist low-income veterans in applying for service-connected pension benefits and discharge upgrades.

Villanova Magazine cover story: Luis Canales '17
Luis Canales '17, whose 9,500-mile journey took him from Honduras to Villanova Law, is the subject of the cover story of Villanova Magazine's spring 2017 edition.

Eight PIFP Fellowships Awarded
The Walter Lucas Public Interest Fellowship Program named eight fellows who will work in non-profit and public interest organizations in summer 2017. PIFP fellowships allow students to engage in the public service work that drew them to law school. Through these fellowships, students advance the work of their host organizations and enhance their own professional skills.

Students win IP writing competition
Eliese Herzl-Betz '17 and Chandel Boozer '18 earned top honors in the Pennsylvania Bar Association's 2017 Honorable Intellectual Property Law Section writing contest, respectively placing first and
second in the competition. Since 2013, Villanova Law has had three first place winners, four second place finishers and two honorable mentions at the competition.

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In Memoriam
The Villanova Law community mourns the loss of John P. Gregg ’74.