

2014 Awards Day  
Ceremony  
University of Georgia  
School of Law  
Hatton Lovejoy Courtroom  
March 28, 2014  
3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Welcome and Presentation of Student Awards

*Dean Rebecca H. White  
Dean and J. Alton Hosch Professor of Law*

Presentation of Faculty Awards

*Alexandria E. Seay  
Class of 2014 President*

Order of the Coif Induction (Class of 2013)

*Erica J. Hashimoto  
Associate Professor of Law and  
Georgia Chapter of the Order of the Coif President*

Closing Remarks

*Dean Rebecca H. White*

*Reception immediately following on the first floor of the law school.*

**Class of 1933 Torts Law Award**

Lee A. Deneen  
Emily N. Evans  
William A. Smith

**Verner F. Chaffin Award for Excellence  
in the Study of Fiduciary Law**

David C. Wright  
Catherine Land Wiegand

**American Bankruptcy Institute Medal**

Jennifer M. Williams

**Julian McDonnell Award  
for Excellence in the Study of Commercial Law**

Alexander McDonald

**Donald P. Gilmore, Jr. Memorial Award  
for Excellence in the Study of Labor & Employment Law**

Katherine P. O'Shea

**The American Bar Association Section of Labor and Employment Law & The  
Bureau of National Affairs, Inc., Award for Excellence in the Study of Labor and  
Employment Law**

Katherine P. O'Shea

**The American Bar Association Section of Intellectual Property Law & The Bureau  
of National Affairs, Inc., Award for Excellence in the Study of Intellectual  
Property Law**

Robyn M. Flegal  
Kimberly N. Scott

**The American Bar Association Health Law Section & The Bureau of National  
Affairs, Inc., Award for  
Excellence in the Study of Health Law**

*Jingshi Shi*

**American Society of Law, Medicine and Ethics Annual Health Law Student Award**

Emily C. Cook

**The State Bar of Georgia  
Health Law Section Scholarship**

Victoria Garel

**The Atlanta Bar Association Section of  
Alternative Dispute Resolution Award**

Amanda J. Shaw

**The Georgia Chapter of the American Academy of Matrimonial Lawyers  
Custer-Tuggle Award for Excellence in Family Law**

Kathryn A. Clark

**Attorneys' Title Guaranty Fund Award for  
Excellence in the Study of Real Estate Law**

Grace E. Conway

**State Bar of Georgia Real Property Section Award**  
Nicholas P. Sexton

**John C. O'Byrne Award  
for Excellence in the Study of Taxation**  
Morgan L. Klinzing

**State Bar of Georgia Tax Section  
Outstanding Student Award**  
Thomas D. Powell

**Georgia Municipal Association  
Municipal Corporations Award**  
*John A. Eunice*

**Outstanding Prosecutorial Clinic Student**  
Catherine A. Sumner

**Outstanding Legal Defense Clinic Student**  
Sarah Bellacicco

**Georgia Association for Women Lawyers  
Outstanding Student Award**  
Ellen R. Clarke

**National Association of Women Lawyers  
Outstanding Student Award**  
Kelly V. Wegel

**Shelley D. Knox Award for  
Outstanding Public Interest Student**  
Kelly V. Wegel

**Ellen Jordan Award for  
Outstanding Public Interest Student**  
Kelly V. Wegel

**Georgia Defense Lawyers Association Willis J. "Dick" Richardson, Jr. Student  
Award for Outstanding Trial Advocacy**  
W. Matthew Wilson

**Weinberg, Wheeler, Hudgins, Gunn & Dial, LLP Award for  
Outstanding Mock Trial Advocate**  
Gregg J. Conley

**Weinberg, Wheeler, Hudgins, Gunn & Dial, LLP Award for  
Outstanding Moot Court Advocate**  
Allison L. Hill

**Kerry Harike Joedeke Memorial Award for Excellence  
Outstanding Moot Court Board Member**  
Yasmine Storme Murray

**Ronald Carlson Award for  
Excellence in the Study of Evidence**  
Margaret E. Randels

**Law School Alumni Association Award for  
Greatest Improvement in Academic Standing**  
1st to 2nd Year – Michael P. Orta  
2nd to 3rd Year – Andrew Robinson

**Law School Alumni Association Award for  
Highest Academic Average**  
Class of 2014 – Bryan W. Lutz  
Class of 2015 – Lee A. Deneen

**William King Meadow Award**  
Joe P. Reynolds

**Jesse & Dan MacDougald Memorial Award for  
First Honor Graduate  
and  
Isaac Meinhard Award for Highest Academic Average**  
Matthew V. H. Noller

**2014 Faculty Awards**

**John C. O'Byrne Memorial Award for Significant Contributions Furthering  
Student-Faculty Relations**  
Professor Elizabeth Chamblee Burch

**Student Bar Association Professionalism Award**  
Associate Dean Lonnie T. Brown, Jr.

**C. Ronald Ellington Award for  
Excellence in Teaching**  
Professor Erica J. Hashimoto

## **National Order of Barristers**

The Order of Barristers is a national honorary organization whose purpose is the encouragement of oral advocacy and brief writing skills through effective law school oral advocacy programs. The Order seeks to improve these programs through interscholastic sharing of ideas, information and resources. The Order also provides national recognition for individuals who have excelled in advocacy and service at their respective schools and for successful participation in regional, national and international interscholastic advocacy competitions.

### Order of the Barristers

Jeremy B. Dailey

David B. Dove

Constance A. Parks

Margaret E. Randels

Utrophia D. Robinson

Alexandria E. Seay

Steven L. Strasberg

Benjamin W. Thorpe

Emily K. Westberry

W. Matthew Wilson

**Induction Ceremony of the  
Class of 2013 Order of the Coif**

The Order of the Coif is an honorary scholastic society, the purpose of which is to encourage excellence in legal education by fostering a spirit of careful study, recognizing those who as law students excelled in their studies and honoring those who as lawyers, judges and teachers attained high distinction for their scholarly or professional accomplishments.

Kelly Amanda Blair  
Lucas Drayton Bradley  
James Matthew Brigman  
Brad A. Chynoweth  
Ava Joy Conger  
Katie Anne Croghan  
John Thomas Dixon  
Marguerite Clare Ellis  
Barclay Sutton Hendrix  
Robert William Jacques  
Crystal Marissa Johnson  
Alexander Scott King  
Brian E. Lake  
Mary Elizabeth Martinez  
Colleen McCaffrey  
Daniel John Monahan  
Matthew V.H. Noller  
Virginia Ann Norman  
Matthew Curtis Onyett  
Alan Gregory Poole Jr.  
Jacob Michael Reif  
Sajid Saleem  
Rory A. Weeks  
Lawrence S. Winsor

**CALI**  
**Excellence for the Future Awards**

**Civil Procedures**  
**Spring 2013**

Cameron B. Roberts/Lee A. Deneen  
Chelsey N. McDade  
Ricardo A. Lopez

**Fall 2013**

Solesse L. Altman  
Fisher K. Law/Terrell C. Ogletree  
Michael A. DelGaudio

**Contracts**

Lee A. Deneen  
Hunter B. Carpenter  
Maria del Rosar Rivera-Diaz

**Property**

Amanda L. McBride  
Daniel J. Campen/Kyle P. Shaughnessy

**Torts**

Lee A. Deneen  
Emily N. Evans  
William A. Smith

**Legal Research & Writing**

Nicola M. Rossi  
Elizabeth H. Verner  
Sarah C. McMahan  
Nicole L. Penn  
Colton R. Caldwell  
William A. Smith

**Criminal Law**

Solesse J. Altman/Stephen D. Morrison  
Charles K. Thimmesch  
Michael A. DelGaudio

**Constitutional Law I**

Lee A. Deneen  
Corey Goerd  
Bryan W. Lutz  
Cameron B. Roberts

**Constitutional Law II**

Sarah A. Hill  
Dennis O. Vann  
Charles M. McCranie

**Corporations**

Brian S. Abrams  
Nicola M. Rossi/Joseph C. Phillips  
Matthew V. H. Noller

**Criminal Procedure I**

Joseph C. Crumbley  
Maria del Rosar Rivera-Diaz

**Criminal Procedure II**

Brittany A. Conklin  
Bryan W. Lutz

**Evidence**

Cameron B. Roberts  
Bryan W. Lutz  
Melissa A. Conrad-Alam

**Federal Income Tax**

Thomas D. Powell  
Bryan W. Lutz

**The Law and Ethics of Lawyering**

Shawn Chang/Robert G. Goff, Jr.  
Bryan W. Lutz

**Trust & Estates I**

David C. Wright  
Catherine Land Wiegand