2015 Awards Day Ceremony
University of Georgia
School of Law
Hatton Lovejoy Courtroom
April 17, 2015
3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Welcome and Presentation of Student Awards

Dean Peter B. “Bo” Rutledge
Dean & Herman E. Talmadge Chair of Law

Presentation of Faculty Awards

Carey A. Miller
Student Bar Association President
Sarah A. Richards
Class of 2015 President
Robert S. Arrington
Class of 2015 Vice-President

Order of the Coif Induction (Class of 2014)

Lisa Milot
Associate Professor of Law

Closing Remarks

Dean Peter B. “Bo” Rutledge

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

Constitutional Law I
Solesse L. Altman
Emily C. Cook
Michael A. DelGaudio
Carly Sumner Frelliche

Constitutional Law II
Stephanie Anne Adrean
Amanda M. McDowell
Cameron B. Roberts/Matthew G. Traut (tie)

Corporations
Michael A. DelGaudio
Elizabeth A. DeVos
Emily N. Evans

Criminal Procedure I
Lee A. Deneen
Amanda Pennington McBride

Evidence
Thomas E. Buscemi
Emily C. Cook
Daniel J. Gibbs

Federal Income Tax
Solesse L. Altman
Emily C. Cook

The Law and Ethics of Lawyering
Michael F. Green, Jr.
Hali A. Hill
Meghan C. Jones
Jordan C. Seal

Trust & Estates I
Solesse L. Altman
Thomas Powell
CALI
Excellence for the Future Awards

Civil Procedures
Spring 2014
Solesse L. Altman
Michael A. DelGaudio
Michael K. Newman

Fall 2014
Caitlin L. Amick
Troy A. Stram
Lauren E. Woodyard

Contracts
Solesse L. Altman
T. Chase Ogletree
Alexander D. Russo

Property
Solesse L. Altman
Lee A. Deneen
Trevor J. Peck

Torts
Solesse L. Altman
Michael A. DelGaudio
Phillip J. Skaliy

Legal Research & Writing
Michael A. DelGaudio
Lauren F. Gordon
David G. McGee
Elinore R. Carroll/Jackelyn M. Hamill (tie)
Carly S. Freliche/ Sarah H. Newman (tie)
Jennifer R. Stakich

Criminal Law
Rachel M. Bishop
Roshani H. Chokshi
Matthew B. Rosenthal
Class of 1933 Torts Law Award
Solesse L. Altman
Michael A. DelGaudio
Phillip J. Skaliy

Verner F. Chaffin Award for Excellence in the Study of Fiduciary Law
Solesse L. Altman
Thomas Powell

American Bankruptcy Institute Medal
Michael C. Sullivan

Julian McDonnell Award for Excellence in the Study of Commercial Law
Michael F. Green, Jr.

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

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
Corey J. Goerdt

Sarah M. Kessler

The American Bar Association Health Law Section & The Bureau of National Affairs, Inc., Award for Excellence in the Study of Health Law
Mitchell W. O’Hara

Outstanding Prosecutorial Clinic Student
Stephanie A. Adrean
Lindsey B. Sciavicco
(tie)

Outstanding Legal Defense Clinic Student
Caroline H. Bradley

Shelley D. Knox Award for Outstanding Public Interest Student
Alicia Luncheon

Ellen Jordan Award for Outstanding Public Interest Student
Hunter Leigh Jones

Georgia Defense Lawyers Association Willis J. “Dick” Richardson, Jr. Student Award for Outstanding Trial Advocacy
T. Peyton Bell

Weinberg, Wheeler, Hudgins, Gunn & Dial, LLP Award for Outstanding Mock Trial Advocate
Garrett S. Burrell

Weinberg, Wheeler, Hudgins, Gunn & Dial, LLP Award for Outstanding Moot Court Advocate
Amanda M. McDowell

Kerry Harike Joedeke Memorial Award for Excellence Outstanding Moot Court Board Member
Mark E. Grafton

Ronald Carlson Award for Excellence in the Study of Evidence
Cameron B. Roberts

Law School Alumni Association Award for Exceptional Diligence and Dedication in the Study of Law
2014 – Adrienne D. Mayfield
2015 – Stephany A. Sheriff
William King Meadow Award
T. Peyton Bell

Jesse & Dan MacDougald Memorial Award for First Honor Graduate
and
Isaac Meinhard Award for Highest Academic Average
Bryan W. Lutz

2015 Faculty Awards

John C. O’Byrne Memorial Award for Significant Contributions Furthering Student-Faculty Relations
Professor Christian Turner

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

C. Ronald Ellington Award for Excellence in Teaching
Professor Lori A. Ringhand

Induction Ceremony of the Class of 2014 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.

Brian Scott Abrams
Anne Horn Baroody
Wayne Morris Cartwright II
Ellen Rebecca Clarke
Melissa Conrad-Alam
Joseph Cannon Crumbley
Victoria Anne Cuneo
Allison Lynn Hill
Lindsay Sain Jones
Bryan William Lutz
Charles Martin McCranie
Katherine Patricia-Siuta O’Shea
Thomas Dixon Powell
Margaret Elizabeth Randels
Joe Patrick Reynolds
James Carrol Roberts
Kimberly Nicole Scott
Jordan Christopher Seal
Steven Leonard Strasberg
Koleen Stasia Sullivan
Benjamin Williams Thorpe
Matthew Gebhardt Traut
Dennis O. Vann
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
Joshua H. Dorminy
Candace D. Farmer
Whitney T. Judson
Xon R. Hostetter
M. Laughlin Kane
Alicia N. Luncheon
George S. Ray
W. Alexander Smith (Alex)
Nicolas M. Stanojevich
Andrew M. Whittaker

The State Bar of Georgia
Health Law Section Scholarship
Ricardo A. Lopez

The Atlanta Bar Association Section of Alternative Dispute Resolution Award
Andy Shin

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

Attorneys’ Title Guaranty Fund Award for Excellence in the Study of Real Estate Law
Hunter B. Carpenter

State Bar of Georgia Real Property Section Award
Elizabeth H. Verner

The State Bar of Georgia Environmental Law Section Award
Elinore R. Carroll

State Bar of Georgia Tax Section Outstanding Student Award
Benjamin Newell

John C. O’Byrne Award for Excellence in the Study of Taxation
Philip J. Wilkie, Jr.

Georgia Association for Women Lawyers Outstanding Student Award
Haley E. Chafin

National Association of Women Lawyers Outstanding Student Award
Whitney Taylor Judson