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The Business Issue

ALUMNI ENTREPRENEURS SHARE THEIR STORIES



2008



Troy Carnrite, an attorney in Bradley Arant's Tampa office, has earned his certification as a registered agent of the National Football League Players Association. Carnrite represents athletes and entertainers in a variety of matters, including team contracts and endorsement deals.

Daniel E. Newman has been promoted to counsel at Davis Polk & Wardwell. He is counsel in the corporate department, practicing in the Financial Institutions Group in New York City.

2011



Amanda Baer has been named to the 2015 Massachusetts *Super Lawyer* list. She is an associate in the labor, employment and employee benefits group and litigation group at Mirick O'Connell.

2012

Daniel Harawa was recognized as one of *Forbes Magazine's* "Top 30 Under 30" in law and policy. Harawa is an appellate staff attorney at the Public Defender Service for the District of Columbia.

Douglas MacLean is executive director of Justice Without Borders (JWB), which seeks to empower victims of human trafficking and exploitation to pursue legal remedies against their abusers in targeted host countries by building support networks across national borders. JWB recently celebrated its official launch in Hong Kong, organized an inaugural series of workshops on access to just compensation for returnees in Indonesia, and collaborated with the National University of Singapore's law faculty to offer a semester-long legal clinic as part of an elective curriculum.

Katie Shay has joined Yahoo as legal counsel on business and human rights. In her new role, Shay executes Yahoo's initiatives to promote privacy and free expression on the Internet and to identify innovative solutions to human rights challenges.

2015

Anne T. Ben-Ami has joined Hollingsworth as an associate in the firm's Washington, D.C., office. She practices in the firm's complex litigation, pharmaceutical products, and toxic torts and products liability groups.

Christopher H. Haake has joined Hollingsworth as an associate in the firm's Washington, D.C., office. He practices in the firm's complex litigation, pharmaceutical products, and toxic torts and products liability groups.

Abraham J. Shanedling has joined Hollingsworth as an associate in the firm's Washington, D.C., office. He practices in the firm's complex litigation, pharmaceutical products, and toxic torts and products liability groups.

Michael P. Smith has joined the energy and natural resources department of Brownstein Hyatt Farber Schreck. He works in the firm's Denver office.

2016

Brook Hill is the winner of the 2016 Dick Hill Memorial Lecture prize. Before law school, Hill worked on tenants' rights issues in New York City. As an evening student, Hill has worked for the Washington Lawyer's Committee for Civil Rights and Urban Affairs. He has been awarded a post-graduate Equal Justice Works fellowship to represent tenants in buildings that are timing out of subsidy and thus help to preserve affordability and ensure compliance with fair housing laws.

Terry Iannaconi (B'65) was honored by the organization D.C. Law Students in Court with the 2015 Nathan A. Neal Award for Outstanding Advocacy.

2017

Alexander Patten was awarded a 10-week summer fellowship from the Peggy Browning Fund to work at Farmworker Justice in Washington, D.C. He first became interested in employment law while interning at the Department of Homeland Security as an Equal Employment Opportunity analyst. He witnessed the discrimination and harsh working conditions employees face in both the public and private sectors. While a student at Florida State University, he founded the school's undergraduate moot court team.

Mubeen Malik was named to the *Forbes* "30 Under 30" Social Entrepreneur list. The article reports that Malik "co-founded 1DocWay, which was recently acquired by Genoa to become Genoa Telepsychiatry. Through an online telepsychiatry platform, the company connects users to medical professionals who can assist with mental illness and emotional disturbances. Malik now serves as vice president of telepsychiatry operations."

Sochie Nnaemeka was awarded a 10-week summer fellowship from the Peggy Browning Fund at the New Orleans Workers' Center for Racial Justice in New Orleans. After graduating from Yale, she spent five years working for Unite Here, organizing hundreds of students, workers, elected officials and the unemployed around issues of racial and economic justice. She has interned at the Center for Popular Democracy as a Haywood Burns Fellow and served as a law clerk in the general counsel's office of the AFL-CIO.

Johanna Schmidt was awarded a 10-week summer fellowship from the Peggy Browning Fund to work at the union-side law firm Murphy Anderson in Washington, D.C. She came to law school after serving at AmeriCorps VISTA with low-income, minority, prospective first-generation college-bound high school students. In working with her students, Schmidt's interest for furthering economic justice ignited as she saw the continual need for economic justice and equality. This led her to the labor movement to help workers gain power in their societies.

2008 Bimal Patel



Bimal Patel has been promoted to partner in the Washington, D.C., and New York City offices of O'Melveny & Myers. He heads the firm's financial advisory and Regulation practice, and specializes in matters related to financial services, public policy and political strategy. Patel represents major financial institutions and their counterparties, including sovereign wealth funds, hedge funds and private equity funds in complex transactions, litigation and matters before the federal banking agencies and the Department of the Treasury.