
UConn SCHOOL OF LAW COMMUNITY ENGAGED IMPACT & RESEARCH

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APRIL 17, 2024





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MACKENZIE HALL ACQUISITION



Asylum & Human Rights Clinic



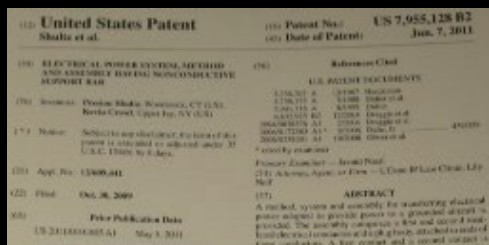
Tax Clinic



Criminal Defense Clinic



Animal Law Clinic



IP & Entrepreneurship Law Clinic



Transactional Law Clinic



Housing & Eviction Defense Clinic

IMPACT & LIFE-TRANSFORMATIVE EXPERIENCES

- 7 in-house clinics; 7 partnership clinics; and 6 field placement programs
- 166 Asylum and Human Rights Clinic clients granted asylum or relief from removal (+101 family members)
- 1825 low-income taxpayers helped by Tax Clinic (over \$2 mil. tax debt reduced)
- 135 cases in which Animal Law Clinic students were animal advocates
- 122 tenants (+ families) maintained housing through Housing Clinic
- Transactional Law Clinic helped non-profit connecting 1st Gen college students w/ mentors
- AY23-24: 154 students in clinical and field placements





PANEL DISCUSSION
HOW TO BECOME A JUDGE IN STATE COURT

SEPTEMBER 18, 2023

5:30 PM Check-in / Networking

6 - 8 PM Panel Discussion / Q & A

UConn School of Law
Reading Room
(William F. Starr Hall)



COMMUNITY PROGRAMS & PARTNERSHIPS

- CT Bar Association Free Legal Answers Virtual Housing Clinic
- CT Bar Foundation & Fellows The Law of Hate Symposium
- Offices of the Gov. & Lt. Gov., Judiciary Committee, & Judicial Selection Commission Program



THE LAW OF HATE

Symposium

November 17, 2023

8:30 am - 3:30 pm

**University of Connecticut
School of Law**

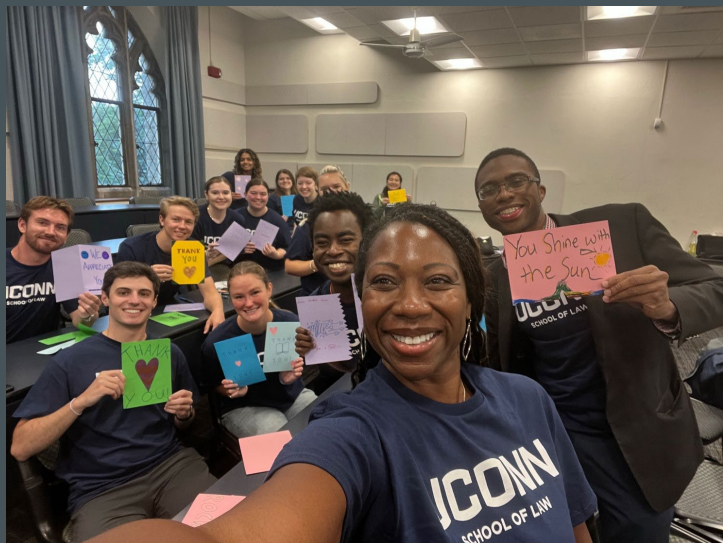
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FOR THE COMMUNITY"



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3 SUCCESSFUL YEARS! LIFTING THE LAW PROGRAM




INTELLECTUAL COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT


- Inaugural Jurist-In-Residence Program
- Inaugural In Conversation Program

The First Amendment and Antidiscrimination Law




*Proof:
The Rule of Law's
Most Essential
Element*



 The Honorable
Victor A. Bolden
United States District Court
District of Connecticut

**IN CONVERSATION:
THE SUPREME COURT**
*Students for Fair Admissions, Inc.
v. President and Fellows of Harvard College*



IN CONVERSATION: THE SUPREME COURT
*Electoral Anxiety:
Courts, Race and Democracy*



COMMUNITY ENGAGED RESEARCH

Professor Anna VanCleave

Associate Professor of Law and Director of the Criminal Defense Clinic

Examining the misuse of prison bank accounts by prison authorities to the detriment of inmates and their families.

Professor

Richard

Wilson

Gladstein Chair of Human

Rights and BOT

Distinguished

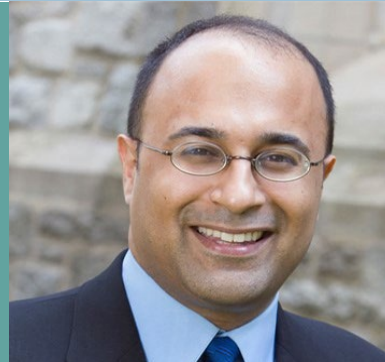
Professor of Law and Anthropology

Serves on the CT Hate Crimes Advisory Council and worked with a team at the State Police Academy to draft a hate crimes policy and reporting form for all law enforcement agencies in the state that was approved in November 2023 by the Police Officer Standards and Training Council.

Professor Miguel de Figueiredo

Professor of Law and Terry J. Tondro Research Scholar

Examining the effects of pretrial detention and expungement on re-offense and employment, the value of assigning youth to the juvenile versus adult justice system, and the impact of corruption on voting behavior.



Professor Sachin Pandya

Professor of Law

Ongoing study to identify the technical and socio-legal challenges faced by state sentencing commissions in developing and maintaining a criminal sentencing database for evidence-based criminal justice policy analysis.





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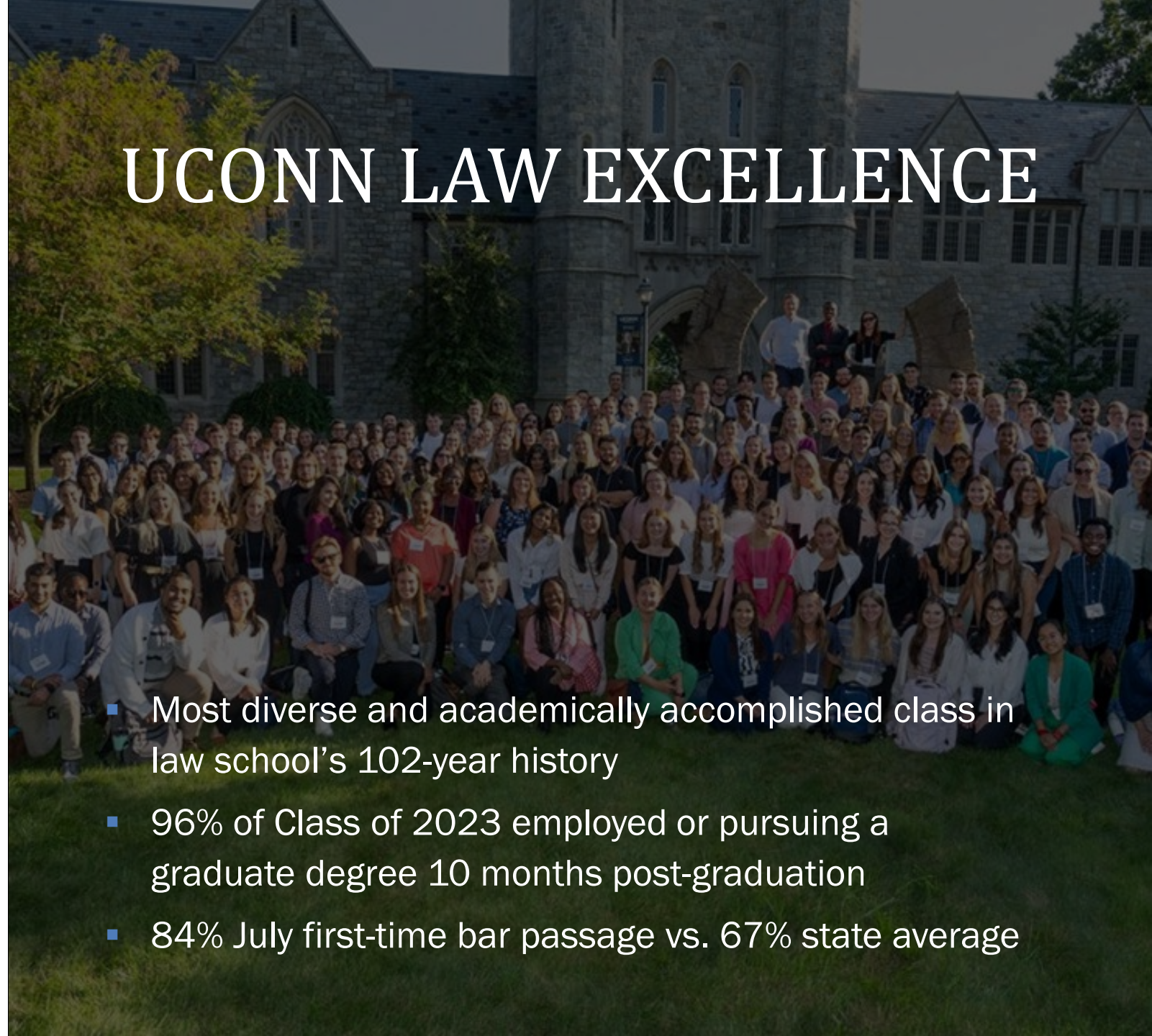


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UCONN LAW EXCELLENCE

- Most diverse and academically accomplished class in law school's 102-year history
- 96% of Class of 2023 employed or pursuing a graduate degree 10 months post-graduation
- 84% July first-time bar passage vs. 67% state average



THANK YOU!

GO HUSKIES!

