



MASTER OF LAWS AWARDS
CLASS OF 2023
Thomas Bradbury Chetwood, S.J. Prize

In each of the following programs, Master of Laws, Master of Laws in Environmental and Energy Law, Master of Laws in National & Global Health Law, Master of Laws in International Business & Economic Law, Master of Laws in International Legal Studies, Master of Laws in National Security Law, Master of Laws in Executive Securities & Financial Regulation, Master of Laws in Taxation, Master of Laws in Executive Taxation, and Master of Laws in Technology Policy, a plaque is awarded to the student who achieves the rank of distinction and has the highest academic average. Founded by the Law Center Class of 1928, the prize is given in honor of the Reverend Thomas B. Chetwood, S.J., a former Regent of the Law Center.

Chao Peng, Environmental and Energy Law
Giovanni Dall'Agnola, International Business & Economic Law
Joshua M. Kriesmann, International Legal Studies
Marzia Schilleci, Master of Laws (General)
Luis Gil Abinader, National & Global Health Law
Christian Leigh Colburn, National Security Law
Peter Mark Campana, Executive Securities & Financial Regulation
James Brian Babb, Taxation
Michelle Christine Dunbar, Executive Taxation
Xiaoou Jing, Master of Studies in Law (MSL) Taxation
Bianca Dammholz, Technology Law & Policy

Dorothy M. Mayer Award

In each year's graduating class, a foreign-trained LL.M. student is selected to receive the Dorothy M. Mayer Award based on academic achievement and the potential for contribution to the legal profession and to the individual's community. The award is given in honor of former Assistant Dean Dorothy Mayer, in recognition of her extraordinary contributions to international LL.M. students at Georgetown.

Ophelia Kemigisha



Pro Bono Pledge Honorees

In accordance with the principle that members of the legal profession and those aspiring to enter the legal profession have a special obligation to provide legal services and other assistance to individuals, groups or causes traditionally underserved and with limited access to the justice system, Georgetown encourages LL.M. students to complete at least 20 hours of pro bono service. Georgetown honors the following LL.M. graduates for their fulfillment of the Georgetown Law Pro Bono Pledge:

Alyanna Pauline Apacible
Yi Chiu

For achieving *Special Pro Bono Pledge Recognition* for contributing over 35 hours of pro bono service:

Milad Ali Said Barguil
Pier Giorgio Brugnara
Martha Isabel Cervantes
Hanxiang Tan
Jiaqi Tan

Ayako Tanaka
Francisco Tello Torres
Suchita Uppal
Fang-Hua Wang

For achieving *Exceptional Pro Bono Pledge Recognition* for contributing over 50 hours of pro bono service:

Cyriel Danneels
Miyuki Fujiwara
Qianrong Li
Sokunthyda Long
Yingjian Xie



JURIS DOCTOR AWARDS

CLASS OF 2023

American Bankruptcy Institute Medal of Excellence

A medal, certificate, and one-year membership in the American Bankruptcy Institute are awarded annually to the student who has achieved academic excellence in the area of bankruptcy law.

Name TBD

Joyce Chiang Memorial Award

Established in memory of Joyce Chiang, L'95, by her classmates, friends, and colleagues is presented to the graduating, part-time student with a demonstrable commitment to public service.

Erica Owens Yeager

Jeffrey Crandall Award

A prize of \$100 is presented to the graduating student who "best exemplifies the ideals and commitment of the late Jeffrey Crandall, whose involvement in legal aid and personal dedication to his fellow man inspired the establishment of the fund in his name".

Lauren Bailey Hodges

Dean's Achievement Award

This award is presented at Dean William M. Treanor's discretion and recognizes graduating J.D. students who have distinguished themselves through outstanding leadership and made invaluable contributions the Georgetown Law Community.

Molly Rose Connolly
Santiago Gutierrez



Dean's Certificates

Dean's Certificates are presented to graduating students in recognition of special and outstanding service to the Georgetown Law community.

Abigail Keegan Balmert
Prabisha Basnet
Jabari Nadeke Benjamin
Molly Rose Connolly
Loriane Damián El Khoury
Rebecca Xiaobing DiPietro
Chibunkem C. Ezenekwe
Amber Nicole Freeney
Maya Devi Gandhi
Sanders Keyes Gilmer
Keniece Yakirah Gray
Mason A. Grow
Georgii Grygorian
Mariaeugenia Gurdian

Santiago Gutierrez
Elizabeth Nichole Hadley
Ramatoulie Isatou Jallow
Zhina Kamali
Andrea Nicole Khattabi
Torrell Esias Mills
Sara Lindsay Neier
Clariss Park
Chao Peng
Elizabeth Marie Pianucci
Alexandra Maria Ramella
Samantha M. Rudelich
Marianna A. Yearboro

Kathleen Stowe Dixon Visiting Student Award

A prize of \$100 is awarded annually to the visiting student earning the highest grade point average during his or her year at Georgetown University Law Center. [Must complete one full year.] The prize was created by a former visiting student in honor of his mother.

Name TBD

Domestic Violence Clinic Outstanding Advocate Award

This award recognizes a Domestic Violence Clinic student who engaged in empathic representation, zealous advocacy, and exemplary efforts on behalf of survivors of domestic violence.

Yue Bai
Isabelle Leigh Gilges

Domestic Violence Clinic Outstanding Student Attorney Award

This award recognizes a Domestic Violence Clinic student who engaged in extraordinary legal advocacy, empathic professionalism, and commitment to justice for survivors of domestic violence.



Michael Feldman Advocacy Award

This award is given by vote of the students in the Criminal Defense and Prisoner Advocacy Clinic to the outstanding advocate in the clinic. A trophy bearing the student's name will be on permanent display in the Clinic.

Omoyele K. Okunola

Elmer (Galbi) Galbiati Advocacy Awards

The Elmer (Galbi) Galbiati Advocacy Award was made possible by distinguished alumnus Mr. Elmer W. Galbi (L' 61. A long-time Oregon resident, Mr. Galbi holds family, community, and faith in high regard. The Elmer (Galbi) Galbiati Advocacy

Award is a cash award given to selected students participating in the Criminal Defense & Prisoner Advocacy Clinic, Criminal Justice Clinic, and Juvenile Justice Clinic who demonstrate outstanding advocacy and represent the mission and ideals of the Clinic.

Pranav Nanda

Omoyele K. Okunola

Jason M. Shumacher

The Georgetown University Alumni Club of DC

The Georgetown University Alumni Club of DC Award is presented to the graduate with the highest record of academic excellence who has completed both undergraduate and J.D. programs at Georgetown University.

Name TBD

Georgetown Law Journal Meritorious Service Award

The Georgetown Law Journal Meritorious Service award is presented to graduating journal members whose hard work and spirit as non Senior Board members made an outstanding contribution to the Journal. Winners receive a bound and embossed copy of their year's Volume.

Elizabeth Marie Butscher

Julia L. Gould

Kristen Paige Green

Steven Eric Yaffe



Alan J. Goldstein Memorial Award

An annual cash award is presented to the graduating student in the Criminal Justice Clinic who best demonstrated the qualities Alan J. Goldstein tried to instill in his students -- the use of intelligence, creativity, and resourcefulness in defending criminal clients and a dedication to criminal law, fair play, and justice.

Eliana Rae Geller

Bernard J. Greenfield Trial Practice Award

A cash award to help defray the cost of student loans is given to students in the Criminal Defense and Prisoner Advocacy Clinic or Criminal Justice Clinic who have accepted a position as a prosecutor or a public defender.

**Sarah A. Finley
Charlotte Anne Gilliland
Melissa J. Miller**

**Brittany Leigh Porter
Elaina Rahrig
Macker Wilson**

Nelson T. Hartson Memorial Tax Scholarship Award

This annual scholarship award, in the amount of \$5000, is presented to a graduating student in the J.D. program on the basis of scholastic achievement, economic need, or a combination of these two factors. The scholarship is to be used for graduate study in the field of tax law. The fund to support the award was donated in 1977 by the law firm of Hogan & Hartson as a memorial to its distinguished founding partner and Georgetown adjunct professor of taxation.

Name TBA

Kirby Howlett Criminal Justice Clinic Award

The Kirby Howlett Award was created to honor Kirby Howlett, an adjunct professor in the Criminal Justice Clinic for over fifteen years before his death in 1995.

Named by Georgetown Law as the Fahy Distinguished Adjunct Professor in 1992, Kirby was a source of inspiration, humor, and affection for a generation of clinic students.

This award in his name is a stipend presented each year to a graduating clinic student who has accepted employment in a public defender office. The award was created to encourage and enable students with educational loans to pursue a career as a public defender.

**Marissa A. Martinez
Katharine Marie Poppe**



International Academy of Trial Lawyers Student Advocacy Awards

Each year the award is presented to students who - in the course of their clinic work - demonstrate the skills necessary to excel in the art of advocacy. Graduating students from each of the advocacy clinical programs are selected by the Dean upon recommendation of the faculty supervisors for the clinics. The award is on permanent display outside the Hart Auditorium. In addition, each winner receives a scroll suitable for framing.

Lauren Bailey Hodges, *Center for Applied Legal Studies*

Nina P. Moraitou-Politz, *Center for Applied Legal Studies*

Madeline S. Emmett, *Civil Rights Clinic*

Micah Asizwah Poulson, *Civil Rights Clinic*

Jean Hanna McCrum, *Criminal Defense and Prisoner Advocacy Clinic*

Megan M. Monteleone, *Domestic Violence Clinic*

Brooke K. Brimo, *Rising for Justice (Housing Litigation and Advocacy Clinic)*

Juvenile Justice Clinic Public Service Award

This cash award, established by the alumni of the Juvenile Justice Clinic to help defray the cost of student loans, is given each year to graduating clinic students who have accepted a job providing service to the community.

Paige E. Ackman

Samantha M. Rudelich



Milton A. Kaufman Award

A cash award and an accompanying plaque is presented to the students who do the best work for the year on the Georgetown Law Journal. The late Milton A. Kaufman, of the District of Columbia Bar, graduated from the Georgetown University Law Center in the class of 1913.

**Radiance Jeanette Campbell
David Gerber Offit**

John F. Kennedy Labor Law Award

The annual prize of \$400 and accompanying plaque was created by Jacob Kossman in memory of John F. Kennedy, President of the United States. The prize is awarded to the graduating student who has achieved the best overall performance in the field of Labor Law.

Name TBD

Francis E. Lucey, S.J. Award

A plaque is given to the graduating student who has earned the highest academic achievement for his or her law school career, awarded in honor of the Reverend Francis E. Lucey, Regent of the Law School for 30 years.

Name TBD

The St. Thomas More Award

An award consisting of a framed certificate is presented to the top three graduating note authors for their outstanding work on the Georgetown Journal of Legal Ethics

**Kayla Michele Ahmed
Brooke K. Brimo
Nathan Levine Winshall**



National Association of Women Lawyers Outstanding Law Student Award

This award is presented to the graduating student who best represents the following criteria: contributes to the advancement of women in society; promotes issues and concerns of women in the profession; exhibits motivation, tenacity and academic achievement; and earns the respect of the Georgetown Law community.

Omoyele K. Okunola

Vincent G. Panati Memorial Award

From the proceeds of a fund created by the friends of the late Vincent G. Panati, LL.B., Georgetown 1934, former first Assistant District Attorney for Philadelphia and former Secretary of Revenue for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, a cash prize is awarded each year to the student in the Day or Evening Division achieving the best combined scholastic record in the courses in Criminal Justice.

Name TBD

Bettina E. Pruckmayr Memorial Award

The Bettina E. Pruckmayr Memorial Award is presented to the graduating J.D. student who has demonstrated a commitment to international human rights work. The cash award honors the memory of Bettina Pruckmayr, a 1994 Georgetown Law graduate.

Abbey Koenning-Rutherford

Leon Robbin Patent Award

From proceeds of a fund created by Leon Robbin, LL.B. 1992, a gold medallion will be awarded annually to the graduating student who has done the best work in courses in the field of patent law at the Law Center.

Name TBD



Sewall Key Prize

The Sewall Key prize of \$200 has been established by friends of the late Sewall Key, LL.B., Georgetown 1920, formerly Special Assistant to the Attorney General, Tax Division, Department of Justice. The prize is awarded annually to the graduating student who does the best work in the field of taxation at the Law Center.

Name TBD

Tutorial Award

The Tutorial Award is presented to graduating students for their outstanding contributions to the Tutorial Program.

David Gerber Offit

Washington Law Reporter Award

Established by the Washington Law Reporter Company, the prize consists of a one year subscription to The Washington Law Reporter. The award is presented to the graduating student whose efforts during the preceding six months have most contributed to the success of the Student Bar Association.

Mariaeugenia Gurdian



Westin Scholar Book Award

The Westin Scholar Book Award is sponsored by the International Association of Privacy Professionals (IAPP), which created a fund to support students who are identified by their professors as future leaders in the field of privacy or data protection.

Honorees will receive the following:

- A \$1,000 cash award
- A copy of the book Privacy and Freedom
- 2 years of membership with the IAPP
- 3 complimentary exams for IAPP certifications (good for 2 years)
- 2 years of unlimited access to online training for all IAPP certification programs
- Where applicable and when possible, presentation of the award at one of the IAPP's local KnowledgeNet meetings.

Award recipients will be selected based on:

- Demonstrated commitment to privacy
- Performance in relevant course
- Interest in a privacy law and policy career.

Raghav Ahojja
Nate Kim

American Law Institute Continuing Legal Education Scholarship and Leadership Award

The American Law Institute Continuing Legal Education Scholarship and Leadership award is presented to a law student in the graduating class who best represents a combination of scholarship and leadership, the qualities of the

Radiance Jeanette Campbell



Pro Bono Pledge Honorees

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Yasmine Ahkami
Diane M. Alexander
Rachel Elizabeth Bass
Lauren Ann Bidwell
Christopher Bristol
Radiance Jeanette Campbell
Samella Anne Carryl
Corinne Davis Cathcart
Gianfranco G. Cesareo
Robert Jeremiah Cetrino
Erin Seulgi Chang
Samantha Luisa Crisanti
Kenton Joseph DeBouter
Jonathan Matthew Johannes de Jong
Amy Mayako Shuler Donofrio
Fabienne Josephine El-Cid
Patrick J. Engle
Melanie Nicole Fineman
Nichol AlecSandran Fletcher
Maya Devi Gandhi
Elizabeth Goldstein
Teresa Elena Griego
Carmen Rae Grisaffi
Morgan Brittany Grizzle
Mariaeugenia Gurdian
Santiago Gutierrez
Sarah Devereaux Hardimon
Shannon Rose Henris
Nathan R. Hogan
Tanya L. Khiatani
Tracy N.A. Lindsay
Sarah Elizabeth Ludwick

Abigail M. Johnson
Brennan Octavia McCray
Blair L. Mills
Johanna Elizabeth Mintz
Brittney Diann Moreno
Maynor Joel Navarro
Angela Nguyen
Omoyele K. Okunola
Mine Orer
Lúisa Estrada Paganini
Kaitlyn Elizabeth Powell
Kathryn Prince
Elaina Rahrig
Joshua David Raizner
Daniel D.B. Ramey
Matthew H. Rawson
Da'Shaun S. Rogers
Samuel Howard Rubin
Giana SanGiovanni
Shane Sanderson
Jason M. Shumacher
Clayton B. Stone
Jeffrey W. Talley
Xinyuan Tan
Juliet Amelia May Tracy
Chun Hin Tsoi
Kira Koula George Tsougarakis
Chelsea Elizabeth Wein
Mckenzie K. Whalen
Yu Won Yang
Erica Owens Yeager
Lauren Evelyn Young



For achieving Special Pro Bono Pledge
Recognition for contributing over 100 hours of
pro bono service [50 for transfer students]:

Kayla Michele Ahmed
Lynn Aleen Arbid
Jessica H. Arnell
Jacqueline M. Braslow
Brooke K. Brimo
Seana E. Buzbee
Molly Rose Connolly
Corinne Elise Cook
Hawah Almatu Cyllah
Annie V. Dang
Alison Virginia Dietze
Kyle John Finnegan
Grace L. Gibson
Isabelle Leigh Gilges
Charlotte Anne Gilliland
Kristen Paige Green
Julia L. Gould
Sarah Rebecca Gutman
Carly Ann Hoffman
Reema Mukesh Holz
Nicole Ruth Johnson
Andrea Nicole Khattabi
Angelika Marianthi Kligos
Caroline Freeman Kraczon
Christina Alexandra Lantuh
Madeleine Marie MacLeod Lippey
Jordan Alexander Mallory
Alexis Victoria Manson
Melissa Kristina McCafferty

Jean Hanna McCrum
Chelsea McDonald
Torrell Esias Mills
Nina P. Moraitou-Politz
Melissa Lauren Neal
Sara Lindsay Neier
Theodoros Pantelis Papazekos
Claris Park
Katharine Marie Poppe
Kelsey Lyn Quan
Johanna Vanessa Quintanilla
Samantha M. Rudelich
John Andrew Schnettler
Emma Sadie Juhasz Schwartz
Audrey Hope Sheils
Reuben Ilan Siegman
Thaxton Blaise Springfield
Ashley Nicolle Geneva Stewart
Darya Tahan
Janelle Apha Taylor
Madeline A. Terlap
Isabelle Sarah Margarita Terranova
Hari Narasimharao Vutukuru
Daniel James Whittam
Noah Chase Widmann
Quincey D. Wilson
Sofia Serena Wyman
Kennedy Ann Woodard



For achieving *Exceptional Pro Bono Pledge Recognition* for contributing over 200 hours of pro bono service [125 for transfer students]:

Courtney Estes Bernard
David Taylor Bernhardt, Jr.
William Andrew Berns
Allison G. Black
Kendra Sofia Blandon
Anoushka R. Bose
Nichole Yieng Chen
Nia B. Colon
Stephen Thomas Day
Susannah M. Dibble
Hamsa I. Fayed
Sarah A. Finley
Richard N. Garzola Jr.
Eliana Rae Geller
Joanna Lorynn Goodman
Sarah Belle Hart
Lauren Bailey Hodges
Sean Michael Jettner
Rachel Lotz Kassler
Megan Christine Kilduff
Caroline LaGumina
Kilian Liptrot

Yang Liu
Sarah Acadia Lubiner
Edward Galvin McAuliffe
Katherine Maureen McMullen
Pranav Nanda
Jennifer C. Ok
Karina Alaide Pereira
Elizabeth Marie Pianucci
Dylan Samuel Reichman
Rebecca Lenora Richard
Tate Breann Schneider
Maya S. Shair
Victoria Theresa Sheber
Madeleine Harley Stern
Shervin Ziba Taheran
Eric J. Tarosky
Emma Lee Tremblay
Jason Matthew Tsudik
Emily Lucille Webb
Tara Jessica Wendell
Shelby Anna Young