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| THE FEDERAL LEGISLATION CLINIC: PRIVACY, SURVEILLANCE & IMMIGRANT RIGHTS |

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| Faculty | Alvaro Bedoya, Director & Visiting Professor of Law,  Founding Director, Center on Privacy & Technology  Jolina Cuaresma, Supervising Attorney & Teaching Fellow |
| What students do | Learn to become effective policy advocates by working at the intersection of technology and social justice.  *Fall*: Students represent non-profits seeking to advance their policy agendas in Congress, the executive branch, and state legislatures on privacy, surveillance and immigrant rights issues.  *Spring*: Students take part in joint seminar with the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. They are paired with engineers and challenged to write privacy and surveillance legislation that they present to a panel of experts. |
| Semester or year-long | Year-long |
| Open to | All 2Ls and 3Ls (at least 30 credits) |
| Prerequisites | All first year courses. *You don’t need technology expertise to apply!* |
| Credits | 8 (fall) + 6 (spring) = 14 total |
| Student bar certification? | No |
| How many students | 12 |
| Conflicts | Handled on a case-by-case basis |
| Average time commitment | 28 hours/week (fall); 21 hours/week (spring) |
| Seminar hours | *Fall*: Tues, Thurs 1:20pm to 3:20pm  *Spring*: Thurs 3:30pm to 5:30pm |
| Orientation | Monday, August 19 – Thursday, August 21 (with closing reception) |
| **Information session** | **Wednesday, March 27, 3:30-5pm, McDonough Hall 336.**  **Email Prof. Bedoya (**[**amb420@georgetown.edu**](mailto:amb420@georgetown.edu)**) for more info.** |

**In the fall, we teach you how to be an effective and strategic policy advocate…**

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| * A primer in speechwriting from Hillary Clinton & Michelle Obama’s speechwriter. * An introduction to coalition politics from a top advisor to Sen. Ted Kennedy (D-MA) and President Obama. * A Q&A on oversight with a top aide on GOP House Oversight staff. | * Study revolutions in domestic policy: Ralph Nader and auto safety; Newt Gingrich and the Contract with America; Elizabeth Warren and the CFPB. * Improve your speaking skills in mock oversight hearings and short speeches. * In-depth writing feedback and tutorials. |

**…and you hone those skills representing privacy and immigrant rights groups.**

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| * Meet with senior House and Senate staff. * Moot a witness for a key House hearing on family separations. * Write witness statements and statements for the record in congressional hearings. | * Prepare a coalition strategy to fight ICE’s practice of using of data from detained children to find and deport their relatives. * Prepare a state legislative strategy for the passage of legislation to curb police face recognition technology. |

**In the spring, you team up with MIT students to write your *own* privacy bill…**

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| * We fly to MIT at the start of the semester for a crash course on privacy law. * MIT faculty includes computer scientists and former White House Deputy CTO. * Proposals have been published in the *Yale Journal of Law and Technology*, *Columbia Science & Tech. Law Review*. | * Students have briefed the staffs of Senators Cory Booker (D-NJ), Jeff Flake (R-AZ) and Al Franken (D-MN)… and the writers of *Last Week Tonight with John Oliver.* * The course has been written up in *The New York Times*, *The Washington Post*, and *WIRED*. |

**…and pitch it to a panel of national and regional experts. Past experts include:**

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| * The former general counsel of the FBI * An advisor to then-California Attorney General Kamala Harris, and current senior Senate staff. * The CEO of a face recognition company | * A state legislator representing Baltimore focusing on criminal justice reform * The former general counsel of Twitter, and top execs from Google and Uber * The ACLU’s top DC lobbyist |

**Interested in applying? Great!**

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| * Open house: 3:30-5pm, 3/27, McD 336. * Can’t come? That’s OK. Email [Alvaro](mailto:amb420@georgetown.edu). | * We *do* accept 2Ls. * You *don’t* need a background in tech. |