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- Andrea Armstrong presented her article on the Thirteenth Amendment and prison slavery at a conference on prisoners’ rights at Southeastern Louisiana University on September 14, 2012. Bill Quigley gave an inspiring keynote address at the same conference.

ROBERT GARDA, Professor of Law
- Rob was asked by the Department of Education and the Office of Civil Rights to participate in a policy discussion roundtable regarding special education in charter schools in Washington, D.C. in October, 2012. He was also invited to participate in a conference at Thurgood Marshall School of Law regarding the No Child Left Behind Act in February, 2013.

JAMES MARSHALL KLEBBA, Victor H. Schiro Professor of Law
- Professor Klebba delivered a lecture in Moscow on Sept. 17th at the Higher School of Economics on the topic of “Civil Procedure in the United States.” This lecture was in conjunction with Professor Klebba’s participation in the annual conference of the International Association of Procedural Law (IAPL), an event attended by over 500 law professors, judges and practicing lawyers from 47 countries. The IAPL was founded in 1950; this was the first time their annual conference has been held in Russia.

KATHRYN VENTURATOS LORIO, Leon Sarpy Distinguished Professor of Law
- Professor Lorio was among the law professors writing in the area of assisted reproduction law who was invited to a Roundtable Conference at the University of Indiana, Bloomington. On September 27-29. The senior professors were asked to help mentor and critique newer scholars embarking on research in this area.

M. ISABEL MEDINA, Ferris Family Distinguished Professor of Law
- M. Isabel Medina spoke at Tulane Law School at the invitation of the Tulane Law Review on "De-Emphasizing Marriage? Comments on Erez Aloni’s proposal to provide a registered contractual relationship alternative to civil marriage" on Wednesday, September 12, 2012.

D. MAJEEDA SNEAD, Clinical Professor
- Professor Snead was a faculty member at the Defense Training Institute in Baton Rouge, LA from September 9 – 14, 2012. The training was sponsored by the Louisiana Public Defender Board.

WILLIAM QUIGLEY, Janet Mary Riley Distinguished Professor of Law
- Keynote Speaker, “Racism and Resistance,” Columbia Law School, Inaugural conference of New York City Public Interest Collective of twelve NYC law schools, September 23, 2012;
- Speaker, “New Orleans and Haiti: Partners in Disaster,” Other Worlds, Tulane University School of Latin American Studies and New Orleans Worker Center, September 14, 2012;
- Keynote Speaker, “Do Prisoners Have Human Rights?” Southeastern Louisiana University conference, September 14, 2012;
- Speaker, “The Illegality of Drone Assassinations,” Community Christian Church, Kansas City, MO and KKFI, September 9, 2012;
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SANDI S. VARNADO, Assistant Professor of Law
- Sandi S. Varnado, Assistant Professor of Law, presented her most recent article, Avatars, Scarlet "A"s, and Adultery in the Technological Age, at Marquette University Law School on September 28.

ROBERT R.M. VERCHICK, Gauthier-St. Martin Chair in Environmental Law
- Protecting the Coast, in THE LAW OF ADAPTATION TO CLIMATE CHANGE (ABA Publishing) (Michael B. Gerard and Katrina Kuh, eds., 2012) (with Joel Scheraga, U.S. E.P.A.)
- Professor Verchick presented "Can Tort Law Save the Climate?" at the Centre for Policy Research in New Delhi, India.

BERNARD KEITH VETTER, Ted and Louana Frois Distinguished Professor of Law for International Studies
- Professor Keith Vetter was an honoree at a banquet held on September twenty 2012, in the Great Hall of All Souls College, Oxford. The banquet was hosted by Professor Boudewijn Sirks, Regius Professor of Civil Law at Oxford. It was given on behalf of former members of the Comité Directeur of the Société Internationale Pour l’Histoire des Droits d’antiquité. Professor Vetter served as a member of the three person Comité, with Dean Peter Pieler of the University of Vienna Law School and Dr. Peter Birks, then Regius Professor of Civil Law at Oxford. Professor Vetter has previously lectured at St. Catherine's College, Oxford.
- In addition, Professor Vetter delivered a eulogy for Professor Obrad Stanojevic at the 66th Congress of the Société, held from the eighteenth to the twenty second of September 2012, at St. Catherine's College, Oxford. Professor Stanojevic taught at Loyola College of Law both in New Orleans and in Summer Sessions in Mexico and Russia. He was a renowned Roman Law scholar, former Dean of the University of Belgrade Law School, and has many friends on the Loyola College of Law faculty.