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AABA-HOUSTON ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

Mentorship Kickoff Event on March 6th

Asian American Bar Association of Houston is kicking off its Mentorship program with a panel of distinguished attorneys and opportunity for mentors and mentees to pair up. The event is hosted at Kirkland & Ellis LLP, 609 Main Street, Houston, TX on March 6 from 6 to 8:30 pm. Confirmed panelists include Assistant US Attorney Michael Chu, Harris County 281st District Judge Christine Weems, Andrea Tran, an IP counsel with Schlumberger Technology Corp., and Stella Tang an M&A associate with Kirkland & Ellis LLP.

We invite you to attend and bring a colleague. Mentors and mentees will mingle within four general practice areas: litigation, transactional, government/public interest, and IP.

Click <u>here</u> to RSVP and click <u>here</u> to sign up to be a mentor or mentee.

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AABA OF HOUSTON

MENTORSHIP KICKOFF EVENT

Kirkland & Ellis LLP 609 Main St, Houston, TX 47th Floor

> MARCH 6, 2019 6:00 PM - 8:30 PM

PERSPECTIVE ON PRACTICING
AFTER GETTING YOUR JD

PANEL &
PAIR UP WITH A MENTOR

Hosted by Kirkland & Ellis LLP

Highlight: Helen Zia Book Signing on February 21st

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Highlight: Law Day Poster Contest Workshop on February 22nd









COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

Harris County Bench Bar Pro Bono Awards Nominations Deadline March 22nd

Did your firm or corporate legal department perform exceptional pro bono legal services during 2018? Were you or was someone you know an outstanding pro bono volunteer? Submit your nominations for the 2019 Harris County Bench Bar Pro Bono Awards. The Harris County Bench Bar Pro Bono Awards recognize outstanding contributions to pro bono services in Harris County by law firms, corporate legal departments and individuals. A log of nominee's pro bono service during the calendar year 2018 must be submitted along with the nomination form. Attorneys or firms may self-nominate or may be nominated by another individual, firm or organization. The pro bono work may be performed through any recognized legal services provider. A committee of judges and attorneys selects award recipients in several categories. Awards will be presented by the judiciary at a special luncheon on May 8 at the 1910 Courthouse.

Deadline: 5:00 p.m., Friday, March 22, 2019.

Click here for nomination criteria. Click here for nomination form.

For more information, contact Tara Shockley at (713) 759-1133.

Harris County Volunteer Deputy Voter Registrar Training and CLE on March 27th

Registration is OPEN for this free Harris County Volunteer Deputy Voter Registrar Training and CLE, March 27, 2019, 10 am - 12 pm, County Attorney's Office Conference Center, 1019 Congress, lower level. Attorneys earn 1.0 hour CLE; .25 ethics credit. Please register by March 22nd to obtain your volunteer deputy voter registrar certification immediately after the CLE. Registration required. Space is limited. Click here to register.

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Harris County Volunteer Deputy Voter Registrar Training and CLE*

(*1 hour CLE; .25 ethics)



Wednesday, March 27, 2019 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. (doors open at 9:30 a.m.) Harris County Attorney's Conference Center 1019 Congress, Basement Level

**All volunteer deputy voter registrar terms expired on Dec. 31, 2018 (evennumbered year). All deputies must attend training to extend appointments.

> Register here by March 22nd



















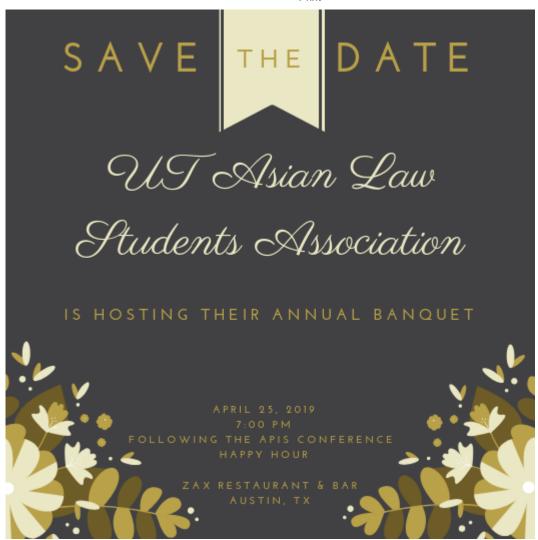




UT ALSA Annual Banquet on April 25th

The University of Texas Asian Law Student Association (ALSA) would like to invite you to our annual banquet on April 25, 2019 at 7:00 pm, to follow the APIS Conference kickoff happy hour. An invitation with ticket information will be sent in March. We hope you will attend to catch up with friends and meet some of our current students!

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National Conference of Vietnamese American Attorneys October 4-5

NCVAA is having its 13th annual conference in Dallas, TX on October 4-5. NCVAA is also looking for some law students to volunteer at the upcoming conference and conference preparation. Visit www.ncvaa.org and email info@ncvaa.org for more information.

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DALLAS, TX OCT. 4-5, 2019 13TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE

BUILDING BRIDGES

Every year NCVAA brings together Vietnamese-American judges, attorneys, government officials, and legal scholars from across the country to address issues and experiences of the Vietnamese legal community.

10/03/19 Group Outing to State Fair of Texas (meet at 4pm) 10/04/19 Welcome Reception (VIP at 5:30pm; General at 6:30pm) 10/05/19 Conference Day -5 hrs of CLE sessions (8am to 3pm)

10/05/19 Gala Dinner at Gilley's Dallas (6:30pm to 11pm) *Evening Cowboy Chic Dress Code (optional)

Visit NCVAA's website for updates, registration, and sponsorship opportunities.

5 HRS OF CLE

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If I weren't an attorney, I would be... a professional food photographer

In my spare time, I enjoy... being outside when



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the weather is nice, traveling, reading, and yoga

In my opinion, the best restaurant/bar in Houston is... the best restaurant is Theodore Rex and the best bar is Tongue Cut Sparrow

My last vacation was... San Diego over Christmas

My favorite TV show is... Game of Thrones

My favorite music artist is... Jay Chou

I recommend reading... An Artist of the Floating World by Kazuo Ishiguro

Most AABA members probably don't know that I... love to travel especially to obscure places! Luang Prabang and The Azores are the next places on my list!

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