

David D. Meyer Arrives as New President and Dean



Brooklyn Law School welcomes new President and Joseph Crea Dean David D. Meyer, who, as of July 1, **officially became the 10th dean** since our founding in 1901. Dean Meyer's **first official message to the community** was to reaffirm the school's "unwavering commitment to ensuring a diverse and vibrant educational community" in response to the June 29 U.S. Supreme Court decision on affirmative action in higher education.



Class Notes: Digital Edition

There have been numerous movers, shakers, and partner-makers among our alumni. See the digital edition for career moves up to spring 2023, and look for the very latest when *Brooklyn Law Notes* arrives this fall.

UPCOMING EVENT



Join Us for On-Campus Reunions

Thursday, October 26, 2023 – join us on campus for an all-class reunion with a special reception for milestone classes ending in 3s and 8s. The event will be open to and free for all alumni and will be held on the Law School's campus. While reconnecting with classmates, alumni will also have the chance to meet the new Dean and President of Brooklyn Law School David D. Meyer.



Brooklyn Law Racks Up Awards and Accolades

A shower of honors rained down over Brooklyn Law School this spring and summer. In March, the National Law Journal cited us as one of the "Go-To Law Schools" for Big Law. Billboard name-checked Brooklyn Law on a list of leading school for top music lawyers, while the Hollywood Reporter proclaimed it a top school for entertainment lawyers. Most recently, seven alumnae made it onto an esteemed Crain's list for Notable Women in Law, and four were named to City & State New York's "2023 Real Estate Power 100 List."



Generations of Alumni Join a Joyous 2023 Commencement

Members of the Class of 2023 started their Brooklyn Law School journey on Zoom, but finished it in real life—and gloriously—with a **Commencement Day celebration** that featured New York Attorney General, Hon. Letitia "Tish" James as commencement speaker. Meanwhile, a couple of proud alumni grandmothers and other relatives turned the event **into a family affair**, handing diplomas to 16 new graduates.



Professor Aaron Twerski Honored at Symposium as Scholar and "Lion" of Faculty and Field

Aaron Twerski, the Irwin and Jill Cohen Professor of Law, is a memorable teacher for many past and current students, and is recognized as one of the most distinguished living scholars in the field of tort

law. On April 20 and 21, the *Brooklyn Journal of Corporate, Financial & Commercial Law* Annual Symposium celebrated his contributions to the Law School and the academy. **Read the story**.



New Faces Named as Associate Deans, Professors, Research Scholars and Directors

In July, a slew of new appointments were announced, including **new Associate Dean positions** for Karen Porter, Joy Kanwar and Susan Hazeldean. A slate of **new Professors** was also revealed, along with two new **Dean's Research Scholars** and new **Directors** for our International Program, Legal Research and Writing, and the Disability and Civil Rights Clinic.



Nearly 200 Students Pack Career Fair, Meet Alumni Recruiters and More

Law School students seeking summer internships and post-graduation jobs filled the fourth-floor dining room for a March 28 Career Fair where they had a chance to meet with recruiters, including 19 Brooklyn Law alumni. **Read the story**.