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30th Annual Auction

FOR PUBLIC INTEREST

SILENT AUCTION 6:30PM   LIVE AUCTION 8:00PM

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2016 SFF Auction
Thursday, March 17, 2016
Hutchins Hall

Order of Events

Food & Drink Service Begin
6:30 PM

Live Auction Begins
8:00 PM

Live Auction Ends
10:00 PM (estimated)

Food & Drink Service End
10:30 PM
Welcome to the 2016 Student Funded Fellowships Auction! The Auction is an annual highlight on the Michigan Law calendar, and we are thrilled to welcome you to tonight's event. Each spring, the Auction brings together students, faculty, alumni, and staff for one exciting night of fundraising. The 2015 Auction raised more than $50,000 in one night. We hope tonight's Auction is even more successful than the last.

Though the annual Auction is the culmination of our year, SFF raises money through a number of other channels to provide grants to 1Ls pursuing public interest work. Donate a Day's Pay (DADP) asks students to donate one day's worth of their summer law firm salary to SFF. The Law School Travel and Reimbursement (L-STAR) program allows students who are traveling for job interviews—and the law firms who are interviewing them—to support the public interest. And we are of course grateful to the students, alumni, faculty, and law firms who support us through monetary donations.

Beginning this year, SFF is also responsible for administering the brand new 1L summer funding program, which guarantees summer funding to 1Ls, regardless of job sector, in the form of interest-free loans. The program was made possible by gifts from the Himan Brown Charitable Trust and from Lisa and Chris Jeffries.

The SFF Auction would not be possible without the help and support of many members of the law school community—thank you for your constant support for and commitment to SFF's cause. Thank you, also, to Professor Hirshon and the Wein-Hirshon Charitable Foundation for the generous matching program in tonight's Auction. And finally, many thanks to Wolverine State Brewery and Picasso Restaurant Group for donating tonight's food and libations.

Once again, welcome to the 2016 SFF Auction. Have fun! And remember: bid high and bid often!

With love,
The SFF Board

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Welcome to the 38th Student Funded Fellowships Auction, arguably the most ridiculous night of the Michigan Law year.

It's also one of the most important. With summer funding assistance now guaranteed for first-year students, SFF's work is more essential than ever. Our ability to guarantee funding relies on SFF's continued ability to provide grants to 1Ls who are undertaking summer internships in the public interest. The vast majority of the money needed to award those grants will be raised tonight, so please take the auction's mantra to heart: bid high, and bid often.

Since its inception, SFF has raised more than $2.5 million—a wonderful illustration of Michigan Law's longstanding reputation for commitment to public service. But tonight's auction also showcases the rapport, self-deprecation, and humor that help define our community. Tonight you will see some of the world's preeminent legal scholars at their silliest (behavior from previous years includes awkward singing, awkward dancing, and confident thing-breaking). And you will see a group of students who genuinely enjoy spending time together cheering them all on.

Enjoy the evening, and thank you so much for your support.

Regards,

Mark D. West
Dean
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**Payment Instructions**

All items won during the Live Auction must be paid for, in full, the night of the Auction. Payment must be made by check or credit card (Visa, Mastercard, or American Express only); cash will not be accepted.

**ALL BIDDING IS BINDING – ALL SALES ARE FINAL**

All items will be available for pick-up Saturday, March 19, from 11am to 2pm and Monday, March 21, from 11:30am to 2pm in the Lower Commons Media Room. No items will be available for pick-up the night of the Auction or at any times other than those listed here.

**Notes & Disclaimers**

Item information contained in this Program and on Handbid is accurate to the best of SFF's knowledge, as of Program publication (March 7, 2016). The Addendum is considered part of this Program and should be consulted for any changes. The market value listed for any consumer item is the manufacturer's suggested retail price. It is the bidder's responsibility to take all steps he/she deems appropriate to determine the condition and fitness of, and acquire any additional details of interest regarding, an item prior to bidding on it. In particular, please note that certain items with no listed expiration date may have an expiration date that was not provided to SFF in time for publication; interested bidders are encouraged to contact the vendor or donor prior to bidding if expiration is a concern.

Bidder also acknowledges that certain items (including, but not limited to, event tickets, destinations, professional services, entertainment, meals, and experiences) are subject to performance by third parties, and that SFF shall bear no responsibility, financial or otherwise, should any such performance not meet the winning bidder's expectations. Bidder bears sole responsibility for arranging performance of items upon receipt of third party contact information.

Requests for refunds not based on material ambiguities in item descriptions will not be considered by SFF. Under no circumstances will SFF consider any requests for refunds after March 28, 2016, or seven days after receipt of item, whichever is later.

**Wein-Hirshon Charitable Foundation Matching Program**

Dean Mark West and Professor Robert Hirshon challenge you to bid high on this year's most exciting Live Auction items! Items marked with the Dean's Challenge shamrock symbol are eligible for the Foundation's Matching Donation. If a Dean's Challenge item garners a winning bid at or exceeding a particular dollar amount, a matching donation will be made to SFF equal to that amount. The matching amount for each Dean's Challenge item will be listed on the PowerPoint presentation at the Live Auction.
Live Auction

Live Auction items go to the individual with the highest bid when the auctioneer closes bidding.

*Winners must immediately proceed to the payment table at the front of Hutchins 100 to pay for items. Check or credit card only.*

**Emcees**

Dean Sarah Zearfoss  
Eric Cox III

**Auctioneers**

Professor Nicholas Bagley  
Professor Len Niehoff  
Professor John Pottow  
Professor Richard Friedman  
Professor Eve Brensike Primus  
Professor Gil Seinfeld
(1) “I wasn’t 100% sober when I admitted you.”
RBG wasn’t sober at last year’s State of the Union, and neither was Dean Z when she admitted you. We hope you saved your admission letter, because she will autograph it (or any of your other belongings) with the inscription “I wasn’t 100% sober when I admitted you.”

(2) Whirlyball with Professors Bagley, Mortenson, and Sankaran
Whirlyball is a combination of bumper cars, lacrosse, and basketball. You and your friends will spend an afternoon playing this great American sport with Professors Bagley, Mortenson, and Sankaran.

(3) Tigers Game with Professor Friedman
Minimum contacts, Friedman, and Tigers, oh my! Enjoy an outing to a Tigers game with Professor Friedman. For up to three students.

(4) Skydiving with Professor Reimann
Want to write a new torts hypo? Go skydiving with Professor Reimann! You and one friend will jump tandem with experienced instructors from 14,000 feet and free fall for a minute at over 120 MPH. Professor Reimann will follow and meet you in midair. The season opens in April. The jump may be delayed due to weather; 3Ls may need to work out a summer jump.

(5) Four Days at Suttons Bay, Michigan
You’ve always wanted to make waves. Now, you and three other people can do so by winning a four-day stay at a waterside condo on beautiful Suttons Bay, Michigan. Also includes paddleboard, kayak, pool, and bike trail access. Donated by Patrick Rawsthorne.

(6) Zingerman’s Baking Class
Join Professors Carr, Thomas, Appleberry, and Sankaran for a private baking class at Zingerman’s. Cinnamon rolls are on the menu. For up to six people.

(7) Paintball with Professors
Want to get revenge on your professor for that brutal cold call? This is the perfect opportunity. You and four friends will take on five professors (TBD) in a two-hour paintball session. All equipment included. Donated by MILVETS.
(8) Sailing on Long Island Sound
It's time to "seas" the day. Enjoy a relaxing tour of beautiful Long Island Sound with James Marsh, UM Law '90, in a J/80 sailboat. Lunch, beverages, and transportation provided. No sailing experience necessary. For up to five students.

(9) Professor Niehoff's Badass Bootcamp
Sick of reading cases? Want to vent your frustration? Join Professor Niehoff for a morning of handgun shooting suited to your level of experience, lunch at a biker bar in Hell, MI, and an afternoon of self-defense and board-breaking lessons. Celebratory drinks and cigars afterward!

(10) Gossip Hour with Dean Z, Dean Hakimi, and Michele Frasier Wing
Dinner, drinks, and gossip with the law school's female power trio of Dean Z, Dean Hakimi, and Michele Frasier Wing. For up to nine students.

(11) ACLU Tour
Join Kary Moss, Executive Director of the American Civil Liberties Union of Michigan, for an office tour followed by dinner and drinks at Selden Standard, where you can discuss how to use the law to achieve social justice as you prepare for your public interest career! For up to three students.

(12) Motown Museum Tour
Motown Records signed artists like Stevie Wonder, Marvin Gaye, and The Supremes. Learn about Detroit's most famous record company with Dean Baum, Dean Kaiser-Jarvis, and Director Nealy. Enjoy a delicious BBQ dinner at Slow's after. For up to six students.

(13) 10-day Stay in Barcelona
Perfect for your bar trip to Spain! Ann Parker Way, UM Law '90, lives in Barcelona and has an apartment near the center of the city with two guest rooms. Up to three students can stay with her for 10 days. She will be in the apartment, and the dates are subject to availability.

(14) Korean Barbecue Dinner with Professors Bagley and Daugirdas
Enjoy dinner at Tomukun BBQ with Professors Daugirdas and Bagley. Must be redeemed before finals. For up to six people.
(15) **Bieber Concert with the Deans**
You won't be "Sorry" you bid on this amazing experience. You and three of your friends will join Dean West and Dean Z for the Justin Bieber concert at the Palace of Auburn Hills on April 24th. And you won't be sitting in the nosebleeds; courtesy of Arn Tellem, '79, you'll be occupying the owner's suite. Dean West is getting the limo, and Dean Z will provide the refreshments.

(16) **Karaoke Night with Professors Pottow and Starr**
Perform pitch perfect piping with Professor Pottow and Professor Starr at Blue Karaoke. For up to 12 students.

(17) **Sailing with Professor Barr**
He didn't let the banks sink; he won't let you sink either. Go sailing with Professor Barr on his classic 16-foot Bullseye on nearby Lake Erie. Also includes Zingerman's sandwiches, munchies, brownies, and local brew. For three or four students.

(18) **Dinner at Slow's BBQ with Professors Hershovitz and Prescott**
Pig out on the best barbecue served for several hundred miles. Professors Hershovitz and Prescott will take up to six students to Slow's in downtown Detroit for all sorts of smoky goodness: brisket, pulled pork, and ribs. And to make sure it goes down smooth, they'll treat you to craft cocktails at Sugar House. A truly decadent Detroit experience.

(19) **Poker Night with Professors Seinfeld and Pinto**
Play some no limit Texas hold'em at Professor Seinfeld's house. They'll pay for the buy-in, and you keep what you win. Plus beer! For up to six students.

(20) **Golf and Cigars**
Golf at Woodland Hills Country Club, and drinks and cigars in the Grand Havana Room with M-Law alumnus Derek M. Milosavljevic, '07. WHCC is a country club in the San Fernando Valley. The Grand Havana Room is a private cigar club in Beverly Hills with a large celebrity membership. For up to three people.
(21) Detox/Retox with Professors Sankaran(s) and Kay
The IM Building is closed, and you haven’t exercised all year. No more excuses! Try CrossFit with Professors Sankaran, Sankaran, and Kay at Wolverine Strength and Conditioning. And just when you start to feel good about your life choices, throw back some empty calories at the nearest pub. For up to 10 students.

(22) Dinner at Morgan & York with Professors Uhlmann & Barr
Un¬"vine" at Morgan & York, where Professors Uhlmann and Barr will treat you to a wine tasting and dinner. Up to six.

(23) An Evening with Feminist Lawyers
Join Alyson Robbins, Melanie Macey, and Robin Kaplan for an evening of drinking, dining, and dessert with some rock star public interest feminist lawyers including Kary Moss, Executive Director of the American Civil Liberties Union of Michigan, Sarah Prescott and Jennifer Salvatore, founders of a public interest law firm focused on civil rights and employment discrimination, Justice Bridget Mary McCormack of the Michigan Supreme Court, and Judge Judy Levy of the Eastern District of Michigan. Join them on the evening of Tuesday, April 19th in downtown Ann Arbor for drinks, dinner, and dessert.

(24) Rick’s Black Card
The line at Rick’s is so infamous that it once had its own live video feed. Many nights have been planned around avoiding it. With the Rick’s Black Card, you and a friend jump straight to the front of the line and don’t pay cover. Valid for one year.

(25) Berkshires Getaway
Win a stay at a country house in the Berkshires, a perfect weekend getaway from Boston or New York. 3 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms. Large eat-in kitchen with everything for cooking and eating. Comfortable and cozy living room w/ rustic wood-burning fireplace. Beautiful deck with woodland view. Large grounds with scenic country walks. Caretaker on premises. Dates to be arranged with house manager. Donated by Professor Gross.
SFF is once again using Handbid’s mobile and online bidding platform for the Silent Auction. To bid, you must first register for an account with Handbid. You can do so by downloading the Handbid application on your iPhone or Android device or at https://www.handbid.com/log-in/. Once you have an account, you can find all of the Silent Auction items on the “2016 Michigan Law SFF Auction” page: www.handbid.com/auctions/2016-michigan-law-sff-auction/.

All bidding must be done through Handbid. You can access the application on your personal device or on one of the iPads circulating at the Auction. All payment is processed through the app, and you will be prompted to enter credit card information before bidding on an item. A credit card processing fee of 3.5% applies. You will be notified if you are outbid, so pay attention to your device throughout the night! Bidding will remain open until the end of the Auction at 10:30 pm on March 17.

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2016 SFF Auction Map