MEET THE CLASS

Dr. Douglas Campos-Outcalt is the associate chair for the University of Arizona College of Medicine, Department of Family and Community Medicine, Phoenix Campus and is Board certified in both Family Practice and Preventive Medicine/Public Health. Campos-Outcalt is a practitioner and educator of public health and family medicine. He received his medical degree from the University of Arizona and completed residencies in Family Practice at the University of California, Davis, and Preventive Medicine/Public Health at the University of Arizona. He also received a Masters in Public Administration from Arizona State University. His public health practice experience has included being deputy director of the Arizona Department of Health Services, medical director of the Maricopa County Department of Public Health, interim health officer of the Maricopa County Department of Public Health, medical consultant to the Cochise County Health Department, and a public health consultant for two years to the country of Papua New Guinea. He has returned to Papua New Guinea twice, once a consultant to the World Health Organization. He has also served as an advisor to several local and tribal health departments throughout Arizona. He is on the faculty of the University of Arizona, College of Public Health, and taught the core public health administration course in the MPH program. Campos-Outcalt has been a family physician in the medically underserved Arizona communities of Guadalupe and South Tucson, and has been a medical educator for 20 years. He has been the director of a required family practice clerkship, a family practice residency director and the Chair of a large family practice department at a metropolitan public hospital and health care system. He is an active researcher and has published over 80 articles in scientific journals and has edited a textbook in preventive medicine, published by McGraw-Hill. His current interests include applied public health practice methods, health workforce distribution, public health preparedness and the interface between public health and medicine. Campos-Outcalt has been selected for several fellowships including the Public Health Service Primary Care Fellowship, the Kellogg Foundation Leadership Program and the Robert Wood Johnson Health Policy Fellowship, which was completed in the Senate Public Health Subcommittee of the Health, Education, Labor and Pensions Committee. While at the Public Health Subcommittee office he worked on bioterrorism preparedness, obesity prevention, global AIDS assistance, and numerous other public health issues. He was recently appointed to serve on the National Advisory Council of the Agency for Health Care Policy and Research and the Editorial Board of the American Journal of Preventive Medicine.

MARCHANT IN QUOTES

Professor Gary Marchant, Executive Director & Faculty Fellow, Center for the Study of Law, Science, & Technology; was quoted extensively in the September ABA Journal, in an article titled “Personalized Prescriptions: Legal Actions Will Help Determine the Success of Using Genetcs to Improve Drug Treatments.” Marchant discusses how the law is changing concerning liability of drug manufacturers. “The long-standing doctrine,” says Marchant, “has been that pharmaceutical drugs are ‘unavoidably unsafe products’ – useful products that have unavoidable side effects, but we still want to encourage their manufacture and protect them against strict liability.”

DID YOU KNOW?

Professor Paul Bender gives the Scottsdale Bar Association an annual Supreme Court Review with SWAMI (Scientific Way of Analyzing Mixed-Institution) Bender states: “The predictions are the work of SWAMI, my multi-award-winning computer program that predicts Supreme Court decisions based on the Justices’ past voting records, their LSAT scores, their favorite movies, how many of their law clerks have been members of the Federalist Society, and a grammatical analysis of the Justices’ most recent speeches. SWAMI has consistently outperformed Linda Greenhouse, Dan Rather and LDF staff members in predicting Supreme Court decisions.” This year’s presentation is at noon on Tuesday, Oct. 10, at the Scottsdale Athletic Club, 8225 E. Indian Bend Road, Scottsdale. For more information, contact Helene Fenlon, helene.fenlon@asu.edu.

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A panel on “Free Press & National Security: What is the Role of a Free Press in a Time of War?” will be held from noon to 1:30 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 19, in Room 114 of Armstrong Hall. The panel is being held in celebration of National Freedom of Speech Week, and will include opening remarks from Patrick Maines, president of The Media Institute in Washington, D.C. Panelists include: Ward Buriche, editor of The Arizona Republic; Professor Joseph Russomanno, of the Walter Cronkite School of Journalism and Mass Communications; and Professors Laurence H. Winer and Orde Kittrie, of the Sandra Day O’Connor College of Law. The event is free and open to the public.

PHARMACEUTICALLY SPEAKING

Jim Beery, former General Counsel of SmithKline Beecham, will speak on “The Pharmaceutical Industry: Inside and Out,” at 12:10 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 10, in Room 114 of Armstrong Hall. A biography posted on Orchid Cellmark’s Web site contains the following information: James Beery has served as a member of Orchid’s Board of Directors since November 2004. Mr. Beery has more than 30 years experience as a lawyer in international business and corporate transactions. Currently, he is Senior Counsel to the law firm Covington & Burling, where he specializes in pharmaceutical and biotechnology matters. Prior to joining Covington & Burling in 2002, Mr. Beery was senior vice president and general counsel of GlaxoSmithKline PLC where he was part of the core senior management team and provided legal support to its global business operations. He also had functional responsibility for intellectual property, corporate secretarial, environment, health and safety, insurance, security, corporate ethics and compliance. Beery was senior vice president, general counsel and corporate secretary of SmithKline Beecham PLC for seven years prior to the firm’s merger with Glaxo Wellcome in 2000, and managed the integration of the two companies’ legal departments following the merger until his retirement in June 2001. Prior to joining SmithKline Beecham in 1993, Beery held senior positions at several leading international law firms where his practice responsibilities included general corporate, commercial, government affairs, banking and international business transactions over two decades. He served in Vietnam as a captain in the U.S. Marine Corps. Beery holds a J.D. from Stanford Law School and an undergraduate degree in physical sciences from Harvard College. He also serves as a member of the board of Martek Biosciences Corporation.

HISTORICALLY SPEAKING

More than 500 people joined a standing-room only crowd in the Great Hall on Oct. 3 for a Navajo Nation Presidential Debate. Current President Joe Shirley Jr. and his challenger, Lynda Lovejoy squared off in the first debate they have had since each won their respective primaries. Lovejoy is the first woman to seek the office. The election will be held Nov. 7. The event was hosted by the Indian Legal Program at the Sandra Day O’Connor College of Law, the American Indian Policy and Leadership Development Center at ASU and the Phoenix Indian Center. Press reports noted that there are an estimated 25,000 members of the Navajo Nation living in the Phoenix metropolitan area, and 800 Navajo students attending ASU. State Press reporter Annalyn Censky quoted law student Anne Begay, who called the election “monumental” because Lovejoy is the first woman to run for Navajo Nation president. “I would love it if she won,” Begay told Censky. “She could be an example for the Navajo Nation and to the U.S. government.” Brian Beex, an accounting and Indian studies junior, was quoted by the paper saying he’s cautious of voting for a woman because it’s contrary to tribe tradition. “I know it’s a trend right now,” he said. “More women are serving on councils. But, right now, a lot of people are saying she won’t win.” Censky also quoted Kate Rosielle, director of the Indian Legal Program, saying “This is a great way for us to provide a forum for urban Indians.”

THE RULE OF LAW

Professor Nicholas Capaldi, Léguerè-Soule Distinguished Chair in Business Ethics at Loyola University in New Orleans, will speak on “Why the Rule of Law
Law is not Taught in American Law Schools," at 12:15 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 12, in Room 114 of Armstrong Hall. Capaldi’s principal research and teaching interest is in public policy and its interaction with political science, philosophy, law, religion, and economics. He is a member of the editorial board of six journals and has served most recently as editor of Public Affairs Quarterly. He is an internationally recognized Hume scholar and a domestic public policy specialist on such issues as higher education, bioethics, business ethics, affirmative action, and immigration. Capaldi is currently writing an intellectual biography of John Stuart Mill for Cambridge University Press. In addition he is creator and editor of Masterworks in the Western Tradition, a series of books on major thinkers being published by Peter Lang.

A PAPERLESS INVITATION

Kraig Marton of Jaburg & Willk, P.C., will speak on "Litigating a Paperless Trial" at 12:15 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 11, in Room 105 of Armstrong Hall. The speech is presented by the Clinical Program, and wrap and cookie lunch will be served. Marton, who has a longstanding interest in technology, professionally and personally, will discuss e-courtrooms, e-filing and the advantages of conducting a paperless trial. He has tried a number of paperless jury trials and hopes to bring some of his experience to others. He firmly believes that every lawyer's efficiency and effectiveness can be improved through technology. Marton, a partner in the Phoenix firm of Jaburg & Willk, P.C., has served on the State Bar committee that oversees the bar's Internet site, and was a longstanding member of the State Bar's Technology Task Force.

PRIDE OR PREJUDICE

Bernard Franklin, Senior Vice President of the NCAA, will be the keynote speaker at the upcoming conference: "Pride or Prejudice: Indian Mascots and Imagery in the United States," scheduled for Friday, Oct. 20, in the Great Hall. Scholarships are available for the conference, which was organized by the Indian Legal Program. It will feature key players in the ongoing dispute over the propriety of Indian mascots, and will explore both the legal and ethical implications of the use of such imagery by American universities and public schools. Throughout the 20th century, Indians and images of Indians became popular for use in branding products and as mascots for athletic teams. As the 21st century began, these mascots received new scrutiny and disapproval, most recently with the decision of the National Collegiate Athletic Association to prohibit the use of certain mascots and images at NCAA-sponsored events. For information, contact Karen Rosier, 480-965-6204.

SCHOLARSHIPS

The Office of Financial Aid is now accepting applications for:

- 2006-2007 State Bar Real Property Section Scholarship
  Deadline: October 9, 2006
- 2006-2007 Curtis A. Jennings Scholarship
  Deadline: October 9, 2006
- 2006-2007 Hon. Valdemar Cordova/Los Abogados Scholarship
  Deadline: October 16, 2006

Please visit the Financial Aid page (http://www.law.asu.edu/?id=8659) for these and other applications.

JURORS NEEDED

The Civil Justice Clinic is looking for first-year law students to participate in a jury selection exercise. This is an excellent opportunity to find out first hand what it would be like to take a clinical class. In addition, participants will earn pro bono credit for their participation. The jury selection exercise is Tuesday, Nov. 7, from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. in Room 115 (the Ryan C. Harris Electronic Courtroom). Participants must also attend a half-hour briefing on noon on Tuesday, Nov. 7. Please contact Karen Barnett at karen.barnett@asu.edu or 480-965-6487.

A LEADING LIGHT

Andrew Ortiz (Class of 1998), project manager for capacity building with the ASU Center for Nonprofit Leadership & Management, was highlighted in the national publication of the Points of Light Foundation in Washington, D.C. Ortiz was featured for his extensive volunteerism and community service efforts in Arizona and nationally.

SPORTS AND ENTERTAINMENT LAW SYMPOSIUM

The annual Sports and Entertainment Law Students Association will be held on Friday, Oct. 13, in the Great Hall. The event, which is free and open to the public, is sponsored by SOMA Café and the Arizona Cardinals. Attending attorneys may receive up to four CLE credits. A light breakfast will be served before the sports panel, with lunch provided at noon courtesy of SOMA Café. The sports panel, “Legal issues in Professional Sports,” will begin at 10 a.m. Panelists include: Debbie Wardrop (moderator), president and CEO, Arizona Super Bowl Host Committee; Michael Bidwill, VP & general counsel, Arizona Cardinals Football Club; Laurence Gilman, senior VP and assistant general manager, Phoenix Coyotes Hockey Club; Ray Artigue, executive director, W.P. Carey School of Business, ASU, Sports MBA program; Brian Mueller, attorney, Maricopa, Weeks, McIntyre & Friedlander PA; and Michael Kennedy, co-founding partner at Galagher & Kennedy PA, and chairman of the board of the Arizona Super Bowl Host Committee. The entertainment panel, “Legal issues in Film and Television,” will begin at 1 p.m. Panelists include: Brent Roam (moderator), actor and law student at the Sandra Day O’Connor College of Law; Michael Marshall, vice president/business and legal affairs at Marvel Studios; Dean Servin, Hollywood Entertainment attorney; Maria Maggenti, writer/producer (Without a Trace, The Love Letter); Jason Shoyer, managing attorney, United Talent Agency; and Stephen Wade Nebgen, local entertainment attorney. To RSVP, e-mail SELSA secretary Andrea Nicholson at andrea_nicholson@yahoo.com.

DIRECTOR TO WATCH

Associate Dean Marylin R. Seymann was featured as a “Director to Watch” in the fall issue of Law Week magazine. Seymann was nominated by Bush as chairman of the U.S. Advisory Commission on Public Diplomacy, unanimously confirmed by the U.S. Senate and sworn in by Secretary of State Colin L. Powell on May 8, 2003. According to the U.S. State Department website, Barrett has applied her legal and business experience as President and CEO of a multimillion-dollar business and on the boards of companies - from small start-ups to multimillion-dollar global giants. Today she serves on the corporate boards of Raytheon and Exponent, Inc. She is a frequent speaker and has been published on the topics of business ethics, trade policy, aviation, corporate governance and leadership. Before she was 30 she was an officer and an executive of two Fortune 500 companies. In 2000, at the request of the Chinese government, Barrett led a delegation of some of the leading women of the world to six cities in the People's Republic of China as President of the International Women's Forum. In 1981 she became vice chairman of the United States Civil Aeronautics Board where she negotiated aviation agreements with countries around the world. Later, as the first woman deputy administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration, she managed 47,000 employees worldwide with a $6 billion annual budget. Currently, she serves on the U.S.-African Women's Council and the Defense Department's Business Board. Barrett earned her Bachelor, Master and Law degrees at Arizona State University where she also received a Doctorate of Humane Letters (Honoris Causa). In 1999, Barrett was a recipient of the Horatio Alger Award. She is an instrument rated pilot and was the first civilian woman to land in an F-18 Hornet on an aircraft carrier. She and her husband live in Paradise Valley.

LOOKING FOR ANSWERS

The Arizona Foundation for Legal Services and Education needs your help to provide legal information (under the supervision of an attorney) to citizens being filed with the public on the Web site, www.AzLawHelp.org. The Web site is a community legal resource that has been undergoing revitalization for the past few months. The first batch of questions is on landlord-tenant issues. Please contact K Royal, KRoyal@asu.edu, if you are willing to volunteer some time for this project.

EXPLAINING ENERGY

Professor Adam Chodorow spoke on Sept. 27 about "The California Energy Debacle." Many of Enron’s business activities focused on California and its peculiar arrangements for the generation and acquisition of energy. In many respects, Enron exploited the opportunities that California created. The result of that special relationship was an unprecedented energy crunch in California that led to the removal of its governor, the election of a new governor, and the eventual imprisonment of various Enron executives. The collapse of the corporation.

Chodorow, who previously served as an attorney with PG&E, provided an insider view of the conditions that permitted the crisis to arise and have such a widespread, penetrating impact.