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## Welcome Back!

Lisa Smith-Butler, Assistant Dean & Director, Law Library & Technology Center & Associate Professor of Law

The Law Library & Technology Center staff is delighted to welcome returning faculty. We look forward to working with everyone throughout the upcoming year, assisting you with your research, scholarship, and technology needs. Over the summer, we placed a **FACULTY HANDBOOK** in your mailboxes to provide information about our services and our staff. We also created a training site for incoming first year students, **SYNK**, which is available at <http://www.nsulaw.nova.edu/students/virtualtraining/index.cfm> . There is useful information at this site with **Technology How To Guides** as well as information about library electronic and print resources. Please check it out. We also suggest you visit the new facstaff **intranet** which is also available at <http://www.nsulaw.nova.edu/intranet/> .

To log onto this site, open your Internet browser to <http://www.nsulaw.nova.edu/intranet> . At the pop up password screen, key in your Law Center user name and password. Access to information is determined by password, i.e. a staff member will have access to information under the **General** and **Library** tabs but not the **Faculty** tab.

Our goal was to make many items more easily accessible. We also included a blog to which you can post, sharing resources and ideas with your colleagues.

Under the **Faculty** tab, check out the **Academic Calendar** as well as the **Master Calendar**. The Dean's **Annual Reviews** are posted here along with the most recent **Committee lists**. There is a link that allows you to directly access the **University's bookstore** and **order your textbooks**. You can **view your student evaluations** at this site as well as **schedule the evaluations**. You can **update and edit your faculty web page**, adding URLs, CVs, syllabi, power points, and other publication information. You can view your class with the **student photo book** as

well.

The **General** tab provides you with access to the Law Center's phone directory, University forms, and links to University policies and procedures. There are also links to Webstar and Webmail.

The **Library** tab provides you with access to passwords for the few electronic resources that are password protected. You can also access the table of contents of current law reviews with our electronic current awareness resource, **CILP**. Planned additions include links to the library's Internet legal portal and links to special sites such as **Special Legal Bulletins**, **Research Guides**, **Technology How to Guides**, and **Novacat**. We also plan to provide a list of recently acquired titles.

We hope you find these resources helpful. If you can think of anything else that should be added to the site, please let us know.

In addition to faculty publications, we are adding a few more items to the newsletter. We plan to include a **Book of the Month**, **URL of the Month** and a **Tech Tip**. If you would like to offer suggestions for a book or URL, please send Carol Yecies an email. We'll be delighted to include and will provide attribution. If you have a suggestion or question about tech tips, let Carol know. We'll then try to answer in our next month's Tech Tip.

Again, welcome back. We're excited to be working with you.

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## Book of the Month:

Weinberger, David, EVERYTHING IS MISCELLANEOUS: THE POWER OF THE NEW DIGITAL DISORDER (New York: Times Books 2007.)  
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## URL/Website of the Month:

Check out **Law Professor Blogs** at <http://www.lawprofessorblogs.com/>.

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## Tech Tip of the Month:

Want to reduce the amount of Spam you receive? Adjust your Splog settings. Check out our **Technology How to Guide on Splog Settings** at

## Faculty & Staff Publications:

**Joel Mintz:** ENVIRONMENTAL ENFORCEMENT: CASES AND MATERIALS (Carolina Academic Press 2007) (co-author).

STATE AND LOCAL TAXATION AND FINANCE IN A NUTSHELL (3RD. ed., Thompson West 2007) (co-author).

**Florence Shu-Acquaye:** *There is a Necessity for a Law to Govern People Living with HIV/AIDS in Cameroon*, SOCIETY FOR WOMEN WITH AIDS IN AFRICA – SWAA ECHOS, No. 4 CAMEROON, 2006.

*Some Comparative Corporate Governance Issues: United States and the European Union*, HOUSTON JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL LAW, VOL. 29, NO. 3.

## Forthcoming Works:

**Tony Chase:** *Mass Culture of Property*, LOYOLA LOS ANGELES LAW REVIEW.

**Debra Curtis:** *In a Case, In a Screen, Do They Remember What They've Seen* , HAMLINE LAW REVIEW.

**Judith Karp:** *In a Case, In a Screen, Do They Remember What They've Seen*, HAMLINE LAW REVIEW.

**Eloisa Rodriguez-Dod:** *Ashes to Ashes: Comparative Law Regarding Survivors' Disputes Concerning Cremation and Cremation Remains*, UNIVERSITY OF IOWA TRANSNATIONAL LAW AND CONTEMPORARY PROBLEMS JOURNAL.

**Florence Shu-Acquaye:** *The Cameroon Woman of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century: What Progress?*, SWAA MAGAZINE.

**Steve Wisotsky:** *Appellate Malpractice* appearing as a chapter in LEGAL MALPRACTICE LAW: PROBLEMS AND PREVENTION by Johnson & Fortney (Thompson West).

