

Society of American Law Teachers—SALT What's New

December 7, 2009

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December 11th is the deadline to place an ad in the SALT Annual Dinner

Journal! Friday, December 11th is the absolute deadline for submitting ad copy for the SALT Annual Dinner Journal. *Consider placing an ad to join in the celebration of Frank Valdés as SALT's 2010 Great Teacher or promoting a social justice issue or event. Don't miss this opportunity!*

Calendar these activities, and where necessary, reserve a space!

- **THURSDAY, JANUARY 7TH: 9:00 AM-1:00 PM:** [Day of Service](#)—co-hosted with the Poverty Law Teachers. [Register on line for this event](#); \$60 fee includes transportation, lunch, and a contribution to local activist organizations. A pdf flyer is attached for printing and distribution to faculty and administrators at your school who might enjoy the opportunity.
- **THURSDAY, JANUARY 7TH: 3:30 PM-4:30 PM:** Charles Ogletree will be signing books, including his latest "The Road to Abolition: The Future of Capital Punishment in the United States," at the NYU Press booth, #212, in the vendors' exhibit hall. [Learn more...](#)
- **FRIDAY, JANUARY 8TH: 8:00 PM-10:00 PM:** [Robert Cover Workshop](#)—(immediately following the AALS Gala) In the Public Interest: Exploring the Legacy of Robert Cover as Professor, Activist, and Scholar. **This is a free event!** No registration required. **Note that the day and time have been changed from the AALS Program.** A pdf flyer is attached for printing and distribution to faculty and administrators at your school who might enjoy this event.

- **SATURDAY, JANUARY 9: 5:00 PM-7:00 PM: [Sneak Preview—Cruz Reynoso: Sowing the Seeds of Justice](#)**—at the Hotel Monteleone, SALT, along with UC Davis School of Law, will be showing a sneak preview of "Cruz Reynoso: Sowing the Seeds of Justice," a new documentary by Abby Ginzberg about Cruz Reynoso: a founding SALT board member, a former justice of the California Supreme Court, the 1993 recipient of the SALT Great Teacher Award, and currently professor emeritus at UC Davis School of Law. **This is a free event!** Seating is limited. Dean Kevin R. Johnson is hosting a beverage service and will be moderating a discussion including the filmmaker and Justice Reynoso. Reserve a place by emailing rsvp@saltlaw.org.

HELP REPEAL DON'T ASK DON'T TELL

Servicemembers' Legal Defense Network (SLDN) is asking organizations for permission to use their names as co-supporters of repeal of "Don't Ask Don't Tell" when speaking with members of Congress. SALT has added our name to those organizations that support repeal. If you are a member of the governing board of an organization interested in joining as a partner to this effort, contact SALT board member Jackie Gardina at jgardina@saltlaw.org or 802 831 1272.

MEMBERSHIP DRIVE CONTINUES

One of the benefits of SALT membership is posting your publications. [Read Deirdre Bowen's latest on the racial implications of the controversial federal mammogram recommendations, posted on Cases & Controversies.](#)

Your membership counts! Help SALT advocate within the legal academy—especially at the ABA Council—within Congress and the Obama administration, and the media.

Renew your membership now! [Click here to renew on-line.](#)

Logging into the [SALT website](#) to renew your membership is easy:

If you had previously registered at the old SALT website, go to "login" on the top menu, then use your *email address as your user name* and your old password. If you have forgotten your password, click to get a new one emailed to you. Then go to "membership" and renew for this year.

For those of you who never logged in previously, go to "sign up" on the top menu to register. Remember, *your email address is your username* and create at least a six character login password. You will need to fill in all of the information requested in order to complete registration.

Then renew your membership for 2009-2010.

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Recruit a student interested in the theme reproductive rights as human rights. [Learn more ...](#)

January 4, 2010 is the deadline for the Williams Institute student writing competition for cutting edge LGBT issues. [Learn more...](#)

JOBS

- New job posting Department of Justice Tax Division looking for experienced civil and criminal trial attorneys. [Learn more...](#)

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- [SALT Teaching Conference: Teaching in a Transformative Era: The Law School of the Future](#) will examine the most pressing challenges law schools face in the 21st century—**Deadline January 15, 2010** for December 10-11, 2010 conference at University of Hawai'i School of Law
- [Third National People of Color Conference: **OUR COUNTRY, OUR WORLD IN A "POST-RACIAL ERA"**](#) Deadline **February 12, 2010** for September 9-12, 2010 conference at Seton Hall University School of Law