

# Alumni Reunion 2019 june 6-8

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# Dear Law School Graduate,

I'm thrilled to invite you back to Ithaca on June 6-8 to celebrate Reunion 2019. Our unique sense of community and our culture of collegiality and civility will be on full display during this year's Reunion Weekend. As generations of alumni gather to rediscover, reacquaint, and reminisce, the bonds that form the Cornell Law School community only grow stronger.

Part of what makes this community so special is our commitment to diversity of belief and viewpoint. In this regard, a highlight of Reunion 2019 will be Saturday's conversation between Leonard Leo '89 and Ari Melber '09, two high-profile alumni from different sides of the political spectrum.



Leo is executive vice president of the Federalist Society and is nicknamed the "Trump Whisperer" for his role as the president's adviser on Supreme Court and judicial nominations. Melber is host of MSNBC's The Beat with Ari Melber and is the chief legal correspondent for NBC News. Be sure to catch their compelling discussion on "Judicial Philosophy and Advising U.S. Presidents."

Once back at the Law School, you're bound to notice some changes as you walk the halls where you studied, deliberated, debated, and began practicing law. This year's Reunion will showcase the recent, complete renovation of Hughes Hall, which has been converted into modern spaces essential to the fulfillment of the Law School's educational mission.

We will also host a variety of informative activities, including presentations from alumni and faculty at which you can learn about current Law School programs and initiatives. In addition, we are offering two CLE programs, one having to do with immigration under the Trump administration and the other with litigation analytics.

I want to thank the Reunion Class Committee members from each celebrating class who have volunteered their time to make Reunion Weekend a success. Your commitment and energy are inspiring and deeply appreciated.

On behalf of the entire Law School community and our alumni volunteers, we look forward to seeing you in June 2019.

With warm regards,

Eduardo M. Peñalver The Allan R. Tessler Dean and Professor of Law



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## A special thanks to the volunteers who helped to make Reunion 2019 a great success!

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# **Reunion Weekend 2019**

# Schedule of Events

#### **THURSDAY, JUNE 6**

2:00 – 8:00 p.m. Reunion Registration COLLEGE AVENUE ENTRANCE, MYRON TAYLOR HALL

#### 5:00 – 5:30 p.m. Guided Tour of the Newly Renovated Hughes Hall

MEET IN THE FOYER, MYRON TAYLOR HALL

#### 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

**Reunion Welcome Reception** 

with the Dean STUDENT COMMONS, MYRON TAYLOR HALL

#### FRIDAY, JUNE 7

#### 8:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Reunion Registration COLLEGE AVENUE ENTRANCE, MYRON TAYLOR HALL

10:00 – 10:30 a.m. Guided Tour of the Newly Renovated Hughes Hall MEET IN THE FOYER, MYRON TAYLOR HALL

#### 10:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

#### Recorded Program – "Law, Technology & Entrepreneurship at Cornell Tech" Featuring The Tech LLM Class of 2017 MACDONALD MOOT COURT ROOM 390, MYRON TAYLOR HALL

Want to hear how the new LLM degree being offered out of Cornell's Tech Campus in NYC is going? Stop by the Moot Court Room and watch a recording of the Tech LLM students being interviewed by David Schellhase, JD '90.

#### 10:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Recorded Program – "Cornell Law School Clinics Update" ROOM 186, MYRON TAYLOR HALL

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clinics! Listen to a recorded presentation hosted by John Blume, Samuel F. Leibowitz Professor of Trial Techniques; Director of Clinical, Advocacy and Skills Programs; Director, Cornell Death Penalty Project who will talk about all the clinics and why experiential learning is critical for today's law student.

#### 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. CLE Program - "Immigration in the Time of Trump: Caravans, "Crises," and Citizenship Concerns" ROOM 182, MYRON TAYLOR HALL

Immigration is at the forefront of U.S. law and policy. President Donald Trump is using his executive prerogative in a variety of ways to restrict immigration, including attempts to build a wall along the U.S.-Mexico border, make it harder to apply for asylum and easier to deport undocumented immigrants, separate children from parents, limit legal protections for abused youth, ban Muslims, and eliminate birthright citizenship. The Trump administration is making it harder for employers to legally hire foreign nationals, for U.S. citizens to sponsor family members for green cards, for immigrants to assert their legal rights in the workplace and in the courts, and for refugees to settle in the United States. Immigration advocates are challenging these actions through litigation and other creative means. Join Cornell Law Professors Jaclyn Kelley-Widmer, Beth Lyon, Estelle McKee and Stephen Yale-Loehr, along with Jordan Calazan Manalastas, Staff Attorney, Farmworker Legal Assistance Clinic part of Cornell Law School's expert team on immigration - as they analyze the legal and daily-life implications of immigration changes under the Trump administration and what Cornell Law faculty, students and alumni are doing in response.

Presented by Stephen Yale-Loehr, AB '77, JD '81, Professor of Immigration Law Practice; Jaclyn Kelley-Widmer, Assistant Clinical Professor of Law (Lawyering), Beth Lyon, Clinical Professor of Law, Estelle M. McKee, Clinical Professor of Law (Lawyering), and Jordan Calazan Manalastas, Staff Attorney, Farmworker Legal Assistance Clinic.

Attendees will be eligible to receive 1.5 hours of New York State credit in the area of Professional Practice (Attorneys who practice outside New York may be eligible for reciprocal CLE credit.)

#### 12:00 – 1:30 p.m.

#### Alumni and Faculty Luncheon THE PURCELL COURTYARD, MYRON TAYLOR HALL

Enjoy a casual lunch with classmates and faculty members and catch up on news about the Law School.

#### 1:30 - 3:00 p.m.

#### CLE Program – "Litigation Analytics: Comparing and Contrasting What is Available from Bloomberg, Lexis and Westlaw."

#### ROOM 182, MYRON TAYLOR HALL

Litigation analytics are being championed for their ability to assist attorneys in making client pitches and data-driven decisions as to litigation strategy. This CLE will explore the results of some benchmarks chosen by the presenter to evaluate the extent of the data available on each platform. Furthermore, this CLE will explore and compare the available offerings contextualized by the insightneeds capable of being answered by each vendor.

**Presented by** Peter A. Hook, Head of Digital and Scholarly Resources, LawArXiv Administrator, Adjunct Professor of Law, Cornell Law Library

Attendees will receive 1.5 NY CLE credit in the area of Skills (Attorneys who practice outside New York may be eligible for reciprocal CLE credit.)

#### 3:30 - 5:00 p.m.

#### Law School Reunion Wine Tasting GALLERY, NEW ACADEMIC WING MYRON TAYLOR HALL

Experience wines from New York State and around the world.

#### 6:30 p.m.

#### Reunion Class Cocktail Receptions and Dinners

Enjoy a festive evening in the company of your fellow classmates and have your Reunion 2019 class photo taken. Class dinner locations are listed on the reunion website and will be available at the registration desk.

#### 10:00 p.m. – 1:00 a.m. Reunion Tent Parties ARTS QUAD

A Reunion 2019 button is required (no one under 21 admitted).

#### **SATURDAY, JUNE 8**

### 8:00 a.m. <mark>Reunion 5K</mark>

#### ARBORETUM, CORNELL BOTANIC GARDENS

Please refer to the university reunion website at alumni.cornell.edu/reunion for details.

#### 8:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

#### **Reunion Registration** COLLEGE AVENUE ENTRANCE, MYRON TAYLOR HALL

9:00 – 10:15 a.m.

Reunion Breakfast with Dean Eduardo M. Peñalver and Dean's State of the Law School Address ROOM 184, MYRON TAYLOR HALL

#### 10:30 a.m.

#### A Conversation with Martha E. Pollack, President, Cornell University BAILEY HALL

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#### 12:00 - 2:00 p.m.

#### Dinosaur Barbecue Lunch and Reunion Campaign Celebration THE PURCELL COURTYARD, MYRON TAYLOR HALL

Join alumni, faculty, and guests for this long-standing old-fashioned family barbecue tradition and celebrate with your class committee members.

#### 1:00 - 5:00 p.m.

#### Dawson Rare Book Room Exhibits MYRON TAYLOR HALL

Visit the Law Library's newly refurbished Dawson Rare Book Room where you'll see exhibits of Supreme Court bobble-head figurines and the model train used as an exhibit in the Scottsboro Boys trial. Yearbooks, photographs, and other CLS memorabilia related to your reunion class will also be available for perusal. Come reminisce with your classmates and show your family what you looked like as a law student!

#### 2:30 - 4:00 p.m.

The "Trump Whisperer": Judicial Philosophy and Advising U.S. Presidents

#### LANDIS AUDITORIUM, MYRON TAYLOR HALL

Join Emmy Award Winning Ari N. Melber, JD '09, Host of MSNBC's "The Beat with Ari Melber," MSNBC Chief Legal Correspondent & NBC News Legal Analyst and Leonard Leo, AB '87, JD '89, Executive Vice President of the Federalist Society, referred to as "a Trump Whisperer" by Politico Magazine, for a revealing conversation on the selection of federal judges, and judicial philosophy. Leo, having advised on the appointment of dozens of life-tenure judges (four of whom are currently sitting on the Supreme Court) shares some of his whispered thoughts.

**Presented by** Leonard Leo, AB '87, JD '89, Executive Vice President of the Federalist Society and Ari N. Melber, JD '09, MSNBC Chief Legal Correspondent & NBC News Legal Analyst

#### 3:00 – 5:30 p.m. Taughannock Falls State Park Gorge Trail

#### MEET AT THE REGISTRATION DESK LOCATED NEAR THE COLLEGE AVENUE ENTRANCE, MYRON TAYLOR HALL

Taughannock Falls is the most photographed waterfall in Ithaca NY. At 215 feet tall, it surpasses Niagara Falls in height. Join us on a 1.5 mile round trip hike along Taughannock Creek to the base of the falls. Along the way, we will see natural history landmarks and explore how the waterfall and creek have changed the landscape in the last 10,000 years. This hike is completely flat and suitable for ages 6 and up. At the end of the hike, we will treat you to a Finger Lakes-flavored experience of Purity Ice Cream.

Weather Alert! This tour will move forward if the weather is overcast or lightly raining. Ponchos and umbrellas will be provided. We will cancel the tour if weather conditions become unsafe, such as torrential rains, thunderstorms, or in the event of flood or ice warnings.

Price: \$75 per adult, \$55 per child (ages 6-12). This tour is not recommended for children 5 years or younger. These prices

include the transportation, guided hike, a Purity Ice Cream treat, and gratuity for the tour guide & bus driver. Tour group will leave promptly at 3 p.m. from the registration desk. Pre-registration and an additional fee (noted above) is required for this activity. Limited seating.

#### 5:30 – 6:00 p.m. Guided Tour of the Newly Renovated Hughes Hall MEET IN THE FOYER, MYRON TAYLOR HALL

#### 5:30 – 6:15 p.m. Dean's Leadership Donor Reception

In recognition of their commitment to Cornell Law School this year, donors giving at the Tower Club level and above are encouraged to attend.

#### 6:00 – 10:00 p.m. All-Class Celebration and Buffet Dinner THE PURCELL COURTYARD,

# MYRON TAYLOR HALL

Join us for this final gathering under the tent. There will be cocktails and food stations. Not a stuffy sit down format, but an opportunity to mingle and visit with friends. There will be seating for when you need a table and chair, but you are free to wander at will. There will be a DJ and dancing should your feet start to tap uncontrollably.

#### 10:00 p.m. – 1:00 a.m. Reunion Tent Parties ARTS QUAD

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#### For a full list of Cornell Reunion activities go to: www.alumni.cornell. edu/reunion

Learn about recreational events including golf, campus tours, hikes, wine tasting and more. Be sure to add some playtime to your itinerary!

# Lodging, Kids Club & Other Resources

#### **Hotel Accommodations**

Cornell University has reserved a block of rooms at the hotels listed below. (The price of accommodations is not included in the Reunion package fee.)

Clarion Inn 2310 N. Triphammer Road (607) 257-3100

Country Inn & Suites 1100 Danby Road (607) 256-1100

Courtyard Marriott 29 Thornwood Drive (607) 330-1000

Econo Lodge 2303 N. Triphammer Road (607) 257-1400

Embassy Inn 1083 Dryden Road (607) 272-3721

Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott 359 Elmira Road (607) 277-1000

Holiday Inn Express & Suites 371 Elmira Road (607) 277-1100

Homewood Suite by Hilton-Ithaca 36 Cinema Drive (607) 266-0000

#### **Hotel Ithaca**

222 South Cayuga Street (607) 272-1000

Quality Inn 356 Elmira Road (607) 272-0100

Super 8 400 S. Meadow Street (607) 273-8088

Trip Hotel One Sheraton Drive (607) 257-2000

For more information on these hotel blocks go to http://www.lawschool.

cornell.edu/alumni/reunion/ and click on Lodging. Other lodging in the Ithaca area can be searched for at www. visitithaca.com/lodging or at air BNB and VRBO.com where many lovely local houses are available for rent.

#### **Dress Guidelines**

Dress throughout Reunion Weekend is casual. Many participants do however, enjoy dressing somewhat more formally (e.g., jackets for gentlemen) at the Friday evening Class Dinners. An umbrella in Ithaca is always a prudent precaution, and comfortable walking shoes are advised for those who will be participating in any of the tours.

#### Youth Program and Child Care

The University will be offering the Cornell Kids Club on Friday and Saturday for children 6 to 15 years old. The program provides adult supervision, dinner, and academic and recreational activities. Activities are designed to be age-appropriate, with separate schedules for ages 6 to 8, 9 to 12, and 13 to 15. The Cornell Kids Club begins with registration at 3:00 p.m. and concludes each evening at 11:00 p.m. Pre-registration is highly encouraged as the program does fill up. Walk-in registrations will be handled on a case by case basis, but there is no guarantee that space will be available. You will be able to sign up for the Cornell Kids Club for your child when you register online at www. lawschool.cornell.edu/alumni/reunion.

More information about childcare can be found on the reunion website.

#### **Athletics During Reunion**

Cornell University sponsors a wide array of athletic activities during the weekend, such as canoeing and zip lining. Law alumni are eligible to participate in any and all of these offerings. They may also obtain a free Reunion Weekend pass to the University's fitness centers and sign up for tee times at the golf course. Please refer to www. alumni.cornell.edu/reunion for details. Please note that pre-registration and additional fees are required for some of these activities.

#### New Space at the Law School

Check out the Law School's newly renovated Hughes Hall. Guided tours available.



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#### **REUNION REGISTRATION**

#### 1) REUNION FULL WEEKEND PACKAGE

Includes all events for the weekend: Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

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	CHILDREN AGED 6-12	# of CHILDREN @ \$55	= \$	
	ADULTS	# of ADULTS @ \$75	= \$	
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	CHILDREN AGED 6-15	# of CHILDREN @ \$35	= \$	
	YOUTH AGED 16-20			
	ADULTS	# of ADULTS @ \$85	= \$	
	Does not include Reunion Button	n.		
3)	FRIDAY NIGHT CLASS DINN	ER ONLY		
	CHILDREN AGED 6-15 IN KIDS CLUB	# of CHILDREN @ \$30	= \$	
	CHILDREN AGED 6-15	# of CHILDREN @ \$60	= \$	
	YOUTH AGED 16–20	# of YOUTH @ \$80	= \$	
		# of ADULTS @ \$180		
	EARLY BIRD	# of ADULTS @ \$165	= \$	
	Includes either Friday events only or Saturday events only.			
2)	ONE DAY PACKAGES	FRIDAY (Includes Thursday Reception)		SATURDAY
	CHILDREN AGED 6-15 IN KIDS CLUB	# of CHILDREN @ \$60	= \$	
	CHILDREN AGED 6-15			
	YOUTH AGED 16-20			
	AFTER MAY 10	# of ADULTS @ \$295	= \$	
	EARLY BIRD	# of ADULTS @ \$280	= \$	

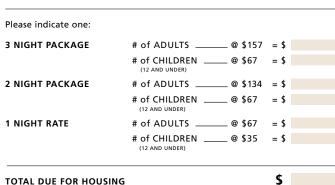
Early bird rates are valid through midnight on Friday, May 10th.

#### UNIVERSITY ACCOMMODATIONS

We will be staying in Cascadilla Hall:

Double/single dorm rooms are available with daily towel service in Cascadilla Hall. Please note that this dorm <u>does not</u> provide air conditioning. Children with sleeping bags may stay in their parents' room at no cost.

YES NO



#### **EVENT PLANNING**

#### TO ASSIST US WITH OUR PLANNING, PLEASE INDICATE THE TOTAL NUMBER IN YOUR PARTY (INCLUDING YOURSELF) THAT WILL ATTEND THE FOLLOWING EVENTS:

Tour of the Newly Renovated Hughes Hall (please circle one) THU 5:00 PM / FRI 10:00 AM / SAT 5:30 PM # \_\_\_\_\_ THU Welcome Reception # \_\_\_\_\_ FRI "Immigration in the Time of Trump: Caravans, "Crises", and Citizenship Concerns" - CLE CREDIT PROVIDED # \_\_\_\_\_ FRI The Alumni and Faculty Luncheon # \_\_\_\_\_ FRI "Litigation Analytics: Comparing and Contrasting What is Available from Bloomberg, Lexis and Westlaw." - CLE CREDIT PROVIDED # \_\_\_\_\_ FRI Wine Tasting Event # \_\_\_\_\_ FRI Class Cocktail Reception and Dinner # \_\_\_\_\_\_ SAT Reunion Breakfast & Dean's State of the Law School Address # \_\_\_\_\_\_ SAT Dinosaur BBQ Lunch # \_\_\_\_\_\_ SAT "The 'Trump Whisperer': Judicial Philosophy and Advising U.S. Presidents" # \_\_\_\_\_\_ SAT Optional Gorge Hike (3–5:30 PM) — Additional \$75 Fee Required # \_\_\_\_\_\_ SAT All-Class Celebration and Buffet Dinner

#### PAYMENT



Please help us ensure the quality and success of Reunion, and help guarantee your admission to the events of your choice,

by returning this registration form by May 31, 2019. On or after June 1, a \$25.00 Late Registration Fee will be charged per person. Because we must provide our vendors with attendance guarantees in advance of Reunion, we regret that we will be unable to refund any registration fees after May 31, 2019.

# You may register securely online at:

https://reunion-registration. alumni.cornell.edu/

You will find your NET ID on the mailing label.

#### For additional information:

Go to our website www.lawschool.cornell.edu/ alumni/reunion/

Call the Alumni Affairs Office at 607.255.5251

Or email us at law.alumni.reunion@cornell.edu



# **Reunion 2019 Registration Form**

#### **ALUMNI INFORMATION**

NAME (AS PREFERRED ON NAME TAG) - CLASS YEAR

EMAIL ADDRESS

PHONE

EMERGENCY CONTACT (NAME, TELEPHONE, RELATIONSHIP) PLEASE LIST SOMEONE NOT ACCOMPANYING YOU TO ITHACA

#### **GUEST INFORMATION**

PLEASE PRINT GUEST NAME AS YOU WOULD LIKE IT TO APPEAR ON HIS/HER NAME TAG.

GUEST

(IF CORNELL LAW SCHOOL ALUMNUS/A - CLASS YEAR)

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MOBILITY AND DIETARY NEEDS FOR YOU AND YOUR GUESTS



Please Be Sure to Register By Our May 31 DEADLINE. Enjoy Early Bird Discounts Until May 10.

OTHER

ONLINE registration available at https://reunion-registration.alumni.cornell.edu/ You will find your NET ID on the mailing label.

(REGISTRATION CONTINUES ON REVERSE)

#### Please mail your registration to:

CORNELL LAW SCHOOL REUNION 2019 G28 HUGHES HALL ITHACA, NY 14853

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