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DISABILITY AND THE LAW

WRITING COMPETITION

The Crane Writing Competition is designed to encourage outstanding student scholarship at the intersection of law and medicine or law and the social sciences that promotes an understanding, furthers the development of legal rights and protections, and improves the lives of those with disabilities.

TOPICS

Disability law including, legal issues arising with respect to employment, government services and programs, public accommodations, education, higher education, housing, and health care.

JUDGING

Judging will be on the basis of the following criteria by an anonymous independent panel of experts:

- Thesis originality
- Topic complexity
- Research quality
- Organization and analysis
- Writing quality

PRIZES

First place: \$1,500 cash prize and the Thomas Jefferson Law Review will consider the paper for publication.

Second place: two winners will each receive a \$1,000 cash prize.

DEADLINE

Closing date for entries: January 15, 2017.

Winning submissions will be announced by April 15, 2017.

FOR COMPLETE DETAILS VISIT TJSL.EDU/CRANEWITTINGCOMPETITION QUESTIONS SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO ASSOCIATE DEAN AND PROFESSOR SUSAN BISOM-RAPP: SUSANB@TJSL.EDU

By submitting a paper to this competition, the author grants Thomas Jefferson School of Law the right to edit, as necessary, and publish that paper in the Law Review

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