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Law Library News

Happy Halloween to all!

Exams can be scary and stressful, but we want to help you keep calm and avoid distractions. At the request of some of your fellow law students, I ask you to remember keep the noise down in the library out of respect to others.

The quiet study area on the first floor is meant to be just that: Quiet. For studying. Also, noise at carrels and when attending classes in the library can be distracting.

We provide ear plugs to cancel out ambient noise. We sell headphones for listening to music while studying.

Thanks for helping us keep the library quiet and enjoyable for all. Enjoy the last day of the month before exam season starts. And remember: after today there will be no more “October surprises” in our elections. At least none that will happen during October.

--Roger Skalbeck
Associate Dean for Library & Information Services
Associate Professor of Law
**Professor Kaine**
From his recent highlights in the news, you may have seen that Vice Presidential nominee Tim Kaine has worn many hats—but did you know that he also spent many years as a professor at the University of Richmond School of Law and the Jepson School of Leadership Studies?

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**Prof. Cecka’s Chapter in Feminist Judgments: Rewritten Opinions of the United States Supreme Court**
Check out Prof. Cecka’s chapter, *Commentary for Price Waterhouse v. Hopkins in Feminist Judgments: Rewritten Opinions of the United States Supreme Court* 341 (Kathryn Stanchi, et al., eds., 2016), on the [UR Scholarship Repository](http://us5.campaign-archive2.com/?u=931be7709c11f9b6a983d300b&id=cdc584ee20&e=560653da5c).

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**Brush Up on the Basics**
Representatives from Bloomberg Law, Lexis, and Westlaw will be in the law library in a few weeks. The training sessions are designed to build on the lessons from the basic 1L training the reps did early in the semester. If you want to sharpen your online searching skills you should make plans to attend.

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**Hey, getta room, you guys!**
Studying together as a group? Working on outlines? Would a big screen or a white board help you collaborate? Reserve a study room for your group.

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**Want to hear a little less … or a little more?**
Earbud headphones are now available to purchase from the Law Library circulation desk for $2.00 a pair. So now you can rock out in your carrel or “study” with Netflix.

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