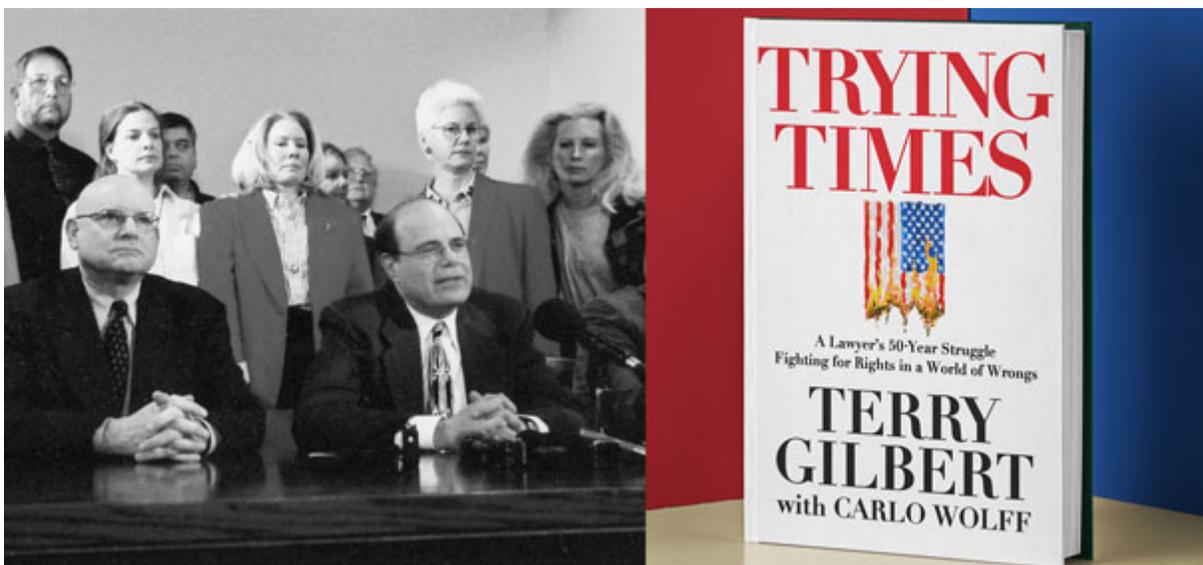




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CSU C|M|LAW to Host Official Launch of 'Trying Times' Book Written by Terry Gilbert '73

Cleveland State University Cleveland-Marshall College of Law will host the official launch party for **CSU C|M|LAW alumnus and Hall of Fame Member Terry Gilbert's** new book, *Trying Times*. The free, virtual event will take place on **March 25 from 5:30-6:30 p.m.**

"I am delighted to join with CSU C|M|LAW to officially launch my memoir, *Trying Times*," said Gilbert, a 1973 CSU C|M|LAW graduate. "My deep roots with the law school as a student in the early 70's profoundly impacted my commitment to social justice. In the midst of dramatic political and cultural change, I and my fellow students pushed for a more progressive approach to legal education and programs as a vehicle to address societal inequities. *Trying Times* discusses the critical role Cleveland-Marshall played in shaping my career as an activist lawyer."

Trying Times recounts Gilbert's 50-year struggle as a people's lawyer that was forged during the social upheaval of the 1970s. Dedicating his life to pursuing justice for the disenfranchised, Gilbert puts his cases in historical context and demonstrates that even losing a case can move public opinion in the direction of equity. It was Gilbert who, in the 1970s, filed one of the first lawsuits against the Cleveland Indians to stop what he believed was their stereotyping of indigenous people.

"Terry Gilbert's life story explains the importance of challenging the status quo and breaking down barriers," said **CSU C|M|LAW Dean and Dean and Joseph C. Hostetler-BakerHostetler Chair in Law Lee Fisher**, who wrote the foreword to the book. "He has used his voice and his expert knowledge of the law to be a warrior for change and a guardian of justice."

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Upcoming Public Lecture & CLE Events



Criminal Justice Forum | Virtual

How Policing Reinforces Racial Segregation in the 21st Century

Wednesday, March 10 | 5:00 p.m.

Monica Bell, Associate Professor of Law, Yale Law School and Associate Professor of Sociology, Yale University

1 free hour CLE

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Faculty Spotlight Series

U.S. GOVERNMENT SANCTIONS AGAINST THE INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL COURT: INTERNATIONAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL LAW ISSUES

Thursday, March 11 | 12:00 p.m.

Milena Sterio

The Charles R. Emrick Jr. - Calfee Halter & Griswold Professor of Law



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1 free hour CLE

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Global Business Law Review Symposium
Business and Human Rights
March 12, 2021
11:00am - 2:15pm
2.5 hours CLE

IBN International Business Network
Cleveland Council on WORLD AFFAIRS
CLEVELAND STATE UNIVERSITY
CIMLAW Cleveland-Marshall College of Law

Global Business Law Review Symposium

Friday, March 12 | 11:00 a.m. | Virtual

The Global Business Law Review symposium seeks to explore the important relationship between business practices and human rights through a critical lens which will examine the legal framework for the roles and responsibilities of businesses in regard to human rights. Discussions featuring human rights law professors and attorneys focused on cross-border transactions will center around the global regulations and accountability for businesses and their effect on the protection, or lack of protection, of human rights.

2.5 hours CLE

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Center for Health Law & Policy

MEDICAL/LEGAL LESSONS LEARNED FROM THE PANDEMIC

Friday, March 19 | 9.45 a.m. | Virtual

This Conference, organized by **Health Law & Policy Leader-in-Residence Kim Bixenstine**, and **Professors Christa Laser and Gwendolyn Majette**, will explore the medical/legal lessons learned from the COVID-19 pandemic, including: the medical and legal impact of the pandemic on health care disparities; the ethical, privacy and human resources issues that have arisen due to the pandemic; health care fraud that occurred during the pandemic; the increased use of telehealth during the pandemic and the medical and legal consequences of such use; and the impact of the pandemic on health care innovation. **Gregg Shapiro, Esq.**, Assistant U.S. Attorney, District of Massachusetts, and Special Counsel to the Special Inspector General for Pandemic Recovery, will deliver the Keynote address, "Healthcare Fraud During the Pandemic."

4 hours CLE

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FACING AND CONFRONTING OUR HISTORY

Monday, March 22 | 5:00 p.m. | Virtual

The **CSU Cleveland-Marshall Law School Name Committee** will host a Zoom webinar forum, "Facing and Confronting our History." The Committee will host forums this semester to provide context to the issue of whether "Marshall" should be removed from our law school name. The March 22 forum is focused on how institutions such as ours should approach important decisions like the one before us and how we should face, understand, confront, and reckon with our nation's history and its legacy.

A Zoom link will be provided on the website closer to the date of the webinar.

Guest Panelists include:

- **Professor Garrett Epps**, *Legal Affairs Editor of The Washington Monthly*

- **Professor Jacqueline Jones**, *Ellen C. Temple Professor of Women's History and Mastin Gentry White Professor of Southern History at the University of Texas at Austin*
- **Professor Ashley N. Woodson**, *Assistant Director of the National Center of Institutional Diversity at the University of Michigan*

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Global Space Law Center Engaged in Multiple New Initiatives

The CSU C|J|M|LAW **Global Space Law Center**, led by **Professor Mark Suhdahl**, is engaged in multiple new initiatives and activities, including the launch of the Registration Project and the student-staffed Research Council's support of the recently constituted Global Expert Group for Sustainable Lunar Activities

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BLSA Alumni Outreach Effort

The CSU C|J|M|LAW **Black Law Students Association** is seeking to help create an alumni database and asks all alumni of the association to fill out a brief online form to provide information allowing BLSA to connect with its past members.

[Form ▶](#)



Prof. Borden Appointed to Northern District of Ohio Advisory Group

Professor Michael Borden was appointed to serve on the Northern District of Ohio's Advisory Group, a committee of attorneys who advise the court on various matters, including changes to the court's Local Rules. Borden Chairs the Advisory Group's ADR Committee.



Prof. Laser Helped Found New IP Inn of Court

Professor Christa Laser is one of the founding "Masters of the Bench" for the newly-created Kathleen M. O'Malley Inn of Court, a new Inn based in Cleveland focused on Intellectual Property issues and practice. *(Fun Fact: Judge Kathleen O'Malley served as Chief Counsel and Chief of Staff for then Ohio Attorney General Lee Fisher immediately before being appointed a federal judge.)*

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Prof. Kalir Quoted by Business Insider, Wrote Cleveland.com Op-Ed

Professor Doron Kalir was quoted extensively in a *Business Insider* article on the possible application of Section 3 of the Fourteenth Amendment. Kalir also published an op-ed on *Cleveland.com*, "Stop calling it a 'trial.' Senate impeachment proceedings had no resemblance to one," on the differences between the Senate impeachment proceedings and an ordinary legal trial.

[Read Business Insider Article ▶](#)

[Read Cleveland.com Op-Ed ▶](#)



Prof. Oh Published Two Op-Eds on Demcast

Professor Reginald Oh has published two op-eds on the non-profit website *Demcast*. The first, "The Constitutionality of Convicting a Former President for High Crimes," argues the Senate has the authority to convict a former president. The second op-ed, "The Postmaster General is Unconstitutional," argues that the current process for appointment of the postmaster general is

unconstitutional, because this office should be viewed as "a principal officer."

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2020 Alumni of the Year		2021 Alumni of the Year	
			
TIM L. COLLINS '85 Principal, Thrasher Dinsmore Dolan	JUSTICE MICHAEL P. DONNELLY '92 Ohio Supreme Court Justice	CHIEF MAGISTRATE GREGORY F. CLIFFORD '80 Cleveland Municipal Court	THE HONORABLE MICHELLE L. PARIS '84 Judge, Bedford Municipal Court

THURSDAY, MAY 27, 2021 | 12:00 P.M.

ANNUAL RECOGNITION LUNCHEON

The CMLAA will host its 2021 Annual Recognition Luncheon (ARL) on **Thursday, May 27, 2021** at Noon as a virtual celebration! The 2021 ARL will honor the CMLAA's 2020 and 2021 Alumni of the Year.

2021 Alumni of the Year:

Honorable Michelle L. Paris '84, Judge, Bedford Municipal Court
Chief Magistrate Gregory F. Clifford '80, Cleveland Municipal Court

2020 Alumni of the Year:

Tim L. Collins '85, Principal, Thrasher Dinsmore Dolan
Justice Michael P. Donnelly '92, Ohio Supreme Court Justice

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Procedural Aspects of Landlord/Tenant Law

2.0 General Credit CLE Hours Pending

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2020 Ethics Seminar with Kegler Brown

2.75 Professional Conduct CLE Hours Pending

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Personal Injury: PI in a Box

3.0 General Credit CLE Hours Pending

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Civil, Criminal and Traffic Rules Update: What You Need to Know in 2021

2.0 General Credit Hours and 1.0 Professional Conduct Credit Hour

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