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Legal Beagle's Post

January 6, 2023

Welcome Back!

January 6, 2023



Happy New Year and welcome back to a new semester! We hope that you've been able to spend some time recharging for the new semester, and we're excited to hear what you've all been up to during break.

As always, the library is still here to help you with your study and research needs. Here's a reminder about our resources:

- Look to our <u>RWU LawGuides</u> on a variety of topics to jumpstart your research;
- Turn to our <u>Study Aids Guides</u> to help you identify titles for your classes;
- Interlibrary loan service to obtain items not held at the RWU libraries;
- Printing and copying;
- Wireless printing;
- The <u>WebCatalog</u> to locate items in our collection and online;
- Access to <u>digital resources</u> on and <u>off campus</u>;

- Westlaw and Lexis training. (Check the <u>Law Library Computer Classroom/Events Schedule</u> for programming dates and times).
- If you need other library assistance, the librarians offer legal and non-legal research assistance in-person, by appointment, via <u>Ask a Librarian</u>, by email, or by phone. Find our contact information at the Ask A Librarian page.

Remember that the library is a great place to research and study. It is also a great place to chill out and de-stress. If you have any questions or just need a helping hand in the first few weeks of the semester, stop by and say hi!! Not on campus? Please feel free to contact the reference librarians at <u>lawlibraryhelp@rwu.edu</u>.

January 20, 2023

6th Annual Stonewall Lecture

Senator Dawn Euer L'10 on What Is Allyship?

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Roger Williams University School of Law The 6th Annual Stonewall Lecture featuring keynote speaker

Senator Dawn Euer L'10



In 2017, Roger Williams School of Law established its annual Stonewall Lecture. The title of the lecture series pays tribute to the 1969 events known as the <u>Stonewall Uprising</u>. The lecture series itself pays tribute to all the individuals who have fought for LGBTQ+ equality and justice and the contributions they have made to advance this civil rights movement.

On June 28, 1969 police raided the <u>Stonewall Inn</u>, a popular LGBTQ+ bar and now a national monument, located in the Greenwich Village section of New York City. Although this was not the first time the bar had been raided, the event sparked the local LGBTQ+ community to fight back. The uprising that continued for the next 5 days was a turning point in the <u>civil rights</u> struggle for LGBTQ+ rights. This was not the first efforts at activism for LGBTQ+ rights but because of this event the public support and awareness that developed was unprecedented.

On February 2, 2023, Roger Williams School of Law will hold its <u>6th Annual Stonewall Lecture</u>. This year's keynote speaker is Senator Dawn Euer L'10. <u>Senator Euer</u> represents RI Senate District 13, which encompasses Jamestown and most of Newport. An activist and organizer, Senator Euer is a staunch ally to the LGBTQ+ community. She served as the Deputy Campaign Manager of Marriage Equality Rhode Island, a local grassroots campaign leading to RI being the 10th state to recognize the rights and dignity of same sex couples. Senator Euer also sponsored successful legislation assisting LGBTQ+ military veterans unfairly discharge under the "Don't Ask, Don't Tell" policy. The legislation allows LGBTQ+ military veterans' discharges to be recognized as honorable, allowing access to state veteran benefits.

Senator Euer's discussion for the 6th Annual Stonewall Lecture will discuss the importance of allyship. *What is allyship?* Join the discussion...

Please register to attend the Stonewall Lecture.