



# LAW LIBRARY NEWSLETTER

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## Staff Highlight



### Diana Quinones

Lead Acquisitions Assistant

Diana joined the Law Library Acquisitions unit in 2014, and leads the team that purchases all of our Library's resources. Before coming to the Law Library, she worked with electronic resources at the University Library for 14 years.

Diana is currently working towards a degree in Psychology with a concentration in Social Psychology.

When not working or studying, Diana enjoys spending time with her two daughters and their dog. Hiking is among her favorite pastimes, but the real thrill she gets is from incorporating superlative local places into each hike. If it has been called the oldest, coolest, longest, or highest, odds are she has been there or is planning to be soon. To this end, she has hiked to the highest elevation, visited markers hidden deep in the woods that show where multiple states meet, and thinks everyone should pack a picnic lunch and spend a sunny afternoon along [Lake Chargog-gagogmanchauggagoggchaubunagungamaug](#). She would love to hear from you if you have places to add to her list!

## Happy New Year 2018



On behalf of the entire team of the Lillian Goldman Law Library.

### Important Dates

- 1/2-14 Library closes at 10 p.m.
- 1/15 MLK Day – Library is open 8:00 a.m. – 12 Midnight.
- 1/16 Library's Regular Hours Resume.
- 1/18 Book Talk: *The Reformer: How One Liberal Fought to Preempt the Russian Revolution*. Judge Stephen F. Williams. Introduction by Nicholas R. Parrillo '04.

### New Acquisition



This portrait is from a manuscript of French legal maxims, Poquet de Livonnière's *Regles du Droit Francois* (1732). A French duke commissioned the decorated manuscript to make the study of law pleasurable for his young son. It is the oldest volume in the Law Library's Juvenile Jurisprudence Collection.

### New Staff Arrival: Dawn Smith (Head of Acquisitions)

Dawn is our new Head of Acquisitions and comes to us after a decade at Loyola Law School in Los Angeles, CA in various librarian positions in both the public and technical services departments. She took a mini hiatus from librarianship to work at CalArts, one of our country's top art schools, as the Director of Prospect Management and Research.

Dawn holds a BS in Political Science as well as her MS in Library Science and is considering in pursuing a Master's Degree in Divinity or Theology in the near future. Dawn has many obsessions including all things Harry Potter, the Hamilton musical, ice cream, documentary movies and consuming entirely too much political news. Dawn spent nearly a decade as a Sunday school teacher at her church and is a member of a discipleship group that formed the nonprofit [Foreverkids.org](#) which is working toward the goal to make sure that foster kids all across America get suitcases (rather than trash bags), and reading materials about positive character traits that they can take with them when they move from home to home. A Texas girl through and through, Dawn avoids being disowned by her family by continuing to cheer for the Dallas Cowboys, and refusing to slather her BBQ with gallons of sauce.

