

International Law Section Meeting
January 22, 2009

ATTENDEES:

Shasta Kilminster-Hadley
Melissa Moody
Kristi Wilson
Ernie Hoidal
Everett Wohlers
Mark Buchanan
Justice Gerald Schroeder

AGENDA:

1. Annual CLE—Shasta Kilmister-Hadley
We will soon begin planning for a CLE for this summer. Questions to be addressed include:
 - a. If it should be a half day or full day
 - b. What venue
 - c. What topic
 - d. What speakers
 - e. Exact date—we'll need to coordinate this with the Bar.

2. International Law Section of the Advocate—Shasta Kilminster-Hadley
Our issue is October 2009. We have two authors committed to submitting articles, but still need many more. We'd like to work with students at the College of Law on submissions, perhaps through a writing competition. However, since we need to have about a three month lag time, we'd need these submissions by July. Kristi Wilson said she would check with Dean Burnett at the College of Law, as well as get in contact with the International Law Students Association.

3. Website—Kristi Wilson
We will be getting the website updated this month, and then asking for submissions from the members for links to articles and contacts as we've discussed at our previous meetings.

4. Upcoming events—Shasta Kilminster-Hadley
Kristi Wilson spoke briefly about the Boise Committee on Foreign Relations. The BCFR is a group that meets once a month for a dinner and speaker on current international affairs issues. It is member only, but if anyone is interested they can contact Kristi for contact information for the group.

An immigration meeting was held in December to discuss problems with representation at removal proceedings. An immigration judge recently chastised Idaho for being the only place without at least a piece of paper that could be handed to people facing deportation proceedings providing contact information for attorneys

or organizations that could assist them. A follow up meeting is going to be held January 27 at 11:30 at the ISB building.

CLE:

Ernie Hoidal presented Immigration Law 101 (The Basics), an extremely informative look into non-immigrant and immigrant classes and the terminology used in immigration law.