



NATIONAL ANIMAL LAW COMPETITIONS

2015 COMPETITIONS SCHEDULE

Subject to Change: Updated February 28, 2015

Friday, February 27, 2015

**5:00 p.m. – 5:45 p.m. Meeting with Closing Argument and
Legislative Drafting & Lobbying Competitors
(Coaches may attend)**

Registration and Q&A Session
Griswold, Room 110, Harvard Law School
Hors d'oeuvres and refreshments

**5:45 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. Meeting with Appellate Moot Court Competitors
(Coaches may attend)**

Registration and Q&A Session
Griswold, Room 110, Harvard Law School
Hors d'oeuvres and refreshments

7:00 p.m. to Approximately 9:00 p.m. Meeting with All Competition Judges

Wasserstein Hall, Room 3018, Harvard Law School
Hors d'oeuvres and refreshments

Saturday, February 28, 2015

7:00 - 9:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast

Wasserstein Lobby (near room 1010)
Harvard Law School

CLOSING ARGUMENT COMPETITION

8:15 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Closing Argument Preliminary Rounds

Wasserstein, Room 1010: Competitors 33, 25, 26
Jurors: Diane Balkin, Pete Castleberry, Lora Dunn, Scott Heiser & Sarah Luick
Timekeeper: Gabrielle Bright

10:15 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Closing Argument Preliminary Rounds

Wasserstein, Room 1010: Competitors 27, 30, 32
Jurors: Diane Balkin, Pete Castleberry, Lora Dunn, Scott Heiser & Sarah Luick
Timekeeper: Gabrielle Bright

12:00 - 2:00 p.m. Lunch

Harkness Cafeteria, Caspersen Student Center
Harvard Law School

1:45 p.m. – 2:55 p.m. Closing Argument Preliminary Rounds

Wasserstein, Room 1010: Competitors 31 & 34
Jurors: Diane Balkin, Pete Castleberry, Lora Dunn, Scott Heiser & Sarah Luick
Timekeeper: Elizabeth Tov

3:10 p.m. – 4:20 p.m. Closing Argument Preliminary Rounds

Wasserstein, Room 1010: Competitors 28 & 29
Jurors: Diane Balkin, Pete Castleberry, Lora Dunn, Scott Heiser & Sarah Luick
Timekeeper: Elizabeth Tov

LEGISLATIVE DRAFTING & LOBBYING COMPETITION

8:30 – 8:50 a.m. Legislative Drafting & Lobbying Preliminary Rounds

Wasserstein, Room 3007 (Round 1): Competitor 41
Representative Bowen: Lee Greenwood
Staffer/Timekeeper: Elizabeth Tov

9:00 – 9:20 a.m. Legislative Drafting & Lobbying Preliminary Rounds

Wasserstein, Room 3007 (Round 1): Competitor 42
Representative Bowen: Lee Greenwood
Staffer/Timekeeper: Elizabeth Tov

Wasserstein, Room 3008 (Round 2): Competitor 41
Representative Davidson: Jessica Johnson
Staffer/Timekeeper: Kelly Levenda

9:30 – 9:50 a.m. Legislative Drafting & Lobbying Preliminary Rounds

Wasserstein, Room 3007 (Round 1): Competitor 43
Representative Bowen: Lee Greenwood
Staffer/Timekeeper: Elizabeth Tov

Wasserstein, Room 3008 (Round 2): Competitor 42
Representative Davidson: Jessica Johnson
Staffer/Timekeeper: Kelly Levenda

Wasserstein, Room 3009 (Round 3): Competitor 41
Representative Norton: Matthew Dominguez
Staffer/Timekeeper: Erika Mathews

10:00 – 10:20 a.m. Legislative Drafting & Lobbying Preliminary Rounds

Wasserstein, Room 3007 (Round 1): Competitor 44
Representative Bowen: Lee Greenwood
Staffer/Timekeeper: Elizabeth Tov

Wasserstein, Room 3008 (Round 2): Competitor 43
Representative Davidson: Jessica Johnson
Staffer/Timekeeper: Kelly Levenda

Wasserstein, Room 3009 (Round 3): Competitor 42
Representative Norton: Matthew Dominguez
Staffer/Timekeeper: Erika Mathews

10:30 – 10:50 a.m. Legislative Drafting & Lobbying Preliminary Rounds

Wasserstein, Room 3007 (Round 1): Competitor 45
Representative Bowen: Lee Greenwood
Staffer/Timekeeper: Elizabeth Tov

Wasserstein, Room 3008 (Round 2): Competitor 44
Representative Davidson: Jessica Johnson
Staffer/Timekeeper: Kelly Levenda

10:30 – 10:50 a.m. Legislative Drafting & Lobbying Preliminary Rounds

Wasserstein, Room 3009 (Round 3): Competitor 43
Representative Norton: Matthew Dominguez
Staffer/Timekeeper: Erika Mathews

11:00 – 11:20 a.m. Legislative Drafting & Lobbying Preliminary Rounds

Wasserstein, Room 3007 (Round 1): Competitor 46
Representative Bowen: Lee Greenwood
Staffer/Timekeeper: Elizabeth Tov

Wasserstein, Room 3008 (Round 2): Competitor 45
Representative Davidson: Jessica Johnson
Staffer/Timekeeper: Kelly Levenda

Wasserstein, Room 3009 (Round 3): Competitor 44
Representative Norton: Matthew Dominguez
Staffer/Timekeeper: Erika Mathews

11:30 – 11:50 a.m. Legislative Drafting & Lobbying Preliminary Rounds

Wasserstein, Room 3008 (Round 2): Competitor 46
Representative Davidson: Jessica Johnson
Staffer/Timekeeper: Kelly Levenda

Wasserstein, Room 3009 (Round 3): Competitor 45
Representative Norton: Matthew Dominguez
Staffer/Timekeeper: Erika Mathews

12:00 – 12:20 p.m. Legislative Drafting & Lobbying Preliminary Rounds

Wasserstein, Room 3009 (Round 3): Competitor 46
Representative Norton: Matthew Dominguez
Staffer/Timekeeper: Erika Mathews

12:00 - 2:00 p.m. Lunch

Harkness Cafeteria, Caspersen Student Center
Harvard Law School

APPELLATE MOOT COURT COMPETITION

9:00 – 10:20 a.m. Moot Court Preliminary Round 1

Wasserstein, Room 1015: Team 10 (Appellant) v. Team 21 (Appellee)

Judges: David Cassuto, Amy Trakinski & Paul Waldau

Timekeeper: William Rivas-Rivas

Wasserstein, Room 1019: Team 12 (Appellant) v. Team 19 (Appellee)

Judges: Jessica Blome, The Honorable Patricia K. Norris & Nancy Perry

Timekeeper: Melissa Alpert

Wasserstein, Room 1023: Team 14 (Appellant) v. Team 17 (Appellee)

Judges: The Honorable Martha P. Grace, Katrina Sharman & David Wolfson

Timekeeper: Jess Eisen

10:30 – 11:50 a.m. Moot Court Preliminary Round 1

Wasserstein, Room 1015: Team 16 (Appellant) v. Team 15 (Appellee)

Judges: The Honorable Martha P. Grace, Matthew Liebman & Amy Trakinski

Timekeeper: William Rivas-Rivas

Wasserstein, Room 1019: Team 18 (Appellant) v. Team 13 (Appellee)

Judges: Nancy Perry, Paul Waldau & David Wolfson

Timekeeper: Melissa Alpert

Wasserstein, Room 1023: Team 20 (Appellant) v. Team 11 (Appellee)

Judges: Jessica Blome, David Cassuto & Katrina Sharman

Timekeeper: Jess Eisen

12:00 - 2:00 p.m. Lunch

Harkness Cafeteria, Caspersen Student Center

Harvard Law School

1:00 – 2:20 p.m. Moot Court Preliminary Rounds 1 & 2

Wasserstein, Room 1015: Team 22 (Appellant) v. Team 10 (Appellee)

Judges: The Honorable Patricia K. Norris, Nancy Perry & Steven Wise

Timekeeper: Gabrielle Bright

Wasserstein, Room 1019: Team 21 (Appellant) v. Team 12 (Appellee)

Judges: Jessica Blome, Matthew Liebman & Katrina Sharman

Timekeeper: William Rivas-Rivas

Wasserstein, Room 1023: Team 19 (Appellant) v. Team 14 (Appellee)

Judges: Russ Mead, Mariann Sullivan & Paul Waldau

Timekeeper: Erika Mathews

2:30 – 3:50 p.m. Moot Court Preliminary Round 2

Wasserstein, Room 1015: Team 17 (Appellant) v. Team 20 (Appellee)
Judges: Justin Marceau, The Honorable Patricia K. Norris & Amy Trakinski
Timekeeper: Gabrielle Bright

Wasserstein, Room 1019: Team 15 (Appellant) v. Team 18 (Appellee)
Judges: David Cassuto, Katrina Sharman & Mariann Sullivan
Timekeeper: Alicia Rodriguez

Wasserstein, Room 1023: Team 13 (Appellant) v. Team 16 (Appellee)
Judges: Jessica Blome, Russ Mead & Steven Wise
Timekeeper: Kelly Levenda

4:00 – 5:20 p.m. Moot Court Preliminary Round 2

Wasserstein, Room 1015: Team 11 (Appellant) v. Team 22 (Appellee)
Judges: Matthew Liebman, Justin Marceau & Russ Mead
Timekeeper: Alicia Rodriguez

5:30 p.m. – Approx. 7:30 p.m. Results Reception

Harkness South, Caspersen Student Center
Harvard Law School

**Announcement of Moot Court Semi-Finalists, Closing Argument Finalists and
Legislative Drafting & Lobbying Finalists**

Sunday, March 1, 2015

8:00 - 9:15 a.m. Continental Breakfast

Lobby, Austin Hall
Harvard Law School

8:30 a.m. – 9:50 a.m. Moot Court Semi-Final Round

Austin West (Room 111), Austin Hall
Harvard Law School
Judges: Mariann Sullivan, Amy Trakinski, Steven Wise
Timekeeper: Erika Mathews

8:30 a.m. – 9:50 a.m. Moot Court Semi-Final Round

Austin North (Room 100), Austin Hall
Harvard Law School
Judges: Russ Mead, The Honorable Patricia K. Norris & David Wolfson
Timekeeper: William Rivas-Rivas

10:10 a.m. Announcement of Moot Court Finalists

Lobby, Austin Hall
Harvard Law School

10:15 a.m. – 11:35 a.m. Legislative Drafting & Lobbying Final Round

Ames Courtroom, Austin Hall
Harvard Law School
Legislator: Chris Green
Staffer: Laura Hagen
Timekeeper: Erika Mathews

11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Lunch

Lobby, Austin Hall
Harvard Law School

11:45 a.m. – 1:20 p.m. Closing Arguments Final Round

Ames Courtroom, Austin Hall
Harvard Law School
Jurors: Diane Balkin, Pete Castleberry, Lora Dunn, Scott Heiser & Sarah Luick
Timekeeper: Gabrielle Bright

1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. Moot Court Final Round

Ames Courtroom, Austin Hall

Harvard Law School

Judges:

The Honorable Susan P. Graber,

Matthew Liebman

The Honorable Benita Y. Pearson

Timekeeper: Gabrielle Bright

2:45 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. Awards Ceremony

Ames Courtroom, Austin Hall

Harvard Law School

** Note to Competition Finalists & All Award Recipients - We would like to take photos immediately following the Awards Ceremony.*