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UMB Award

The UMB Presidential Core Values Award for Leadership was awarded to **Nivedita Hegdekar '21**, a graduate of Maryland Carey Law's Master of Science in Law program. The Core Values Awards recognize faculty, staff, and students who exemplify UMB's core values: accountability, civility, collaboration, diversity, excellence, knowledge, and leadership.



Justice for Victims of Crime Clinic

Established in fall 2020, the Justice for Victims of Crime Clinic gives student attorneys the opportunity to represent clients who are survivors of crimes in a range of civil proceedings. Students are supervised by **Lila Meadows '15**, who founded the clinic in cooperation with the University's Rebuild Overcome and Rise (ROAR) Center at the law school.



Vulnerability and Violence Program Partnership

Toby Treem Guerin '02, co-director of the Center for Dispute Resolution (C-DRUM), is a faculty member in the University of Maryland Graduate School's new master's degree and certificate program in Vulnerability and Violence Reduction, which takes an interprofessional approach to address the understanding of vulnerability and risk within communities challenged by violence.



Fellowships

E.V. Yost '20 was selected as a 2020 Open Society Institute (OSI) Baltimore Community Fellow to establish the Queer Crisis Response Unit (QCRU), a trans-led community care network supporting LGBTQ+ people experiencing crises in Baltimore City.

Associate Professor **Chaz Arnett** was named a 2021-2022 Data & Society Faculty Fellow to research issues at the intersection of race and technology.



AALS Committee Appointments

Professor **Michael Pinard** was appointed chair of the Association of American Law School's (AALS) section on Civil Rights, and Associate Dean **Deborah Eisenberg** now chairs the AALS section on Dispute Resolution.



Library Recognition

Elizabeth S. Graham, head of technical services for the Thurgood Marshall Law Library, received the 2021 Emerging Leader Award from the American Association of Law Libraries.



Honorary Doctor of Laws

Adjunct Professor **Shale Stiller** was awarded an Honorary Doctor of Laws degree conferred by Maryland Carey Law and the University of Maryland, Baltimore (UMB) at the 2021 graduation ceremony. Stiller, one of Baltimore's best-known and most well-respected lawyers, has shown a deep commitment to Maryland Carey Law since 1963.



Leadership Recognition

C. Quince Hopkins '89, director of the Levitas Initiative for Sexual Assault Prevention at Maryland Carey Law, is a 2021 *Daily Record* Leadership in Law honoree.



Faculty Promotion

Will Moon has been promoted to associate professor. Moon came to the law school in 2018 and teaches in the Business Law Program. His current research focuses on corporate charter competition, documenting the rise of offshore jurisdictions competing in the emerging international market for corporate law. Recent publications include "Delaware's Global Competitiveness" in the *Iowa Law Review* and "Delaware's New Competition" in the *Northwestern University Law Review*. Last year, he was named the Maryland Carey Law Black Law Students Association Professor of the Year.



Environmental Law Diversity Program

The Environmental Law Program launched an initiative offering students from diverse backgrounds scholarships for studying environmental law and summer grants to pursue environmental public interest work. **Rob Velazquez '23**, the inaugural grantee, worked at the Ike Jime Federation during his 2L summer.