MARK GRABER
Jacob A. France Professor of Constitutionalism
AB, Dartmouth College
MA and PhD, Yale University
JD, Columbia University Law School
Hometown: North Bellmore, N.Y.

Fun fact:
Won best Elliott Gould impersonation in college.

Currently reading:
*Modern Chess Openings.*

Favorite Supreme Court Justice of all time:
Louis Brandeis, for introducing progressive social science to federal jurisprudence.

Advice for recent law school graduates:
Life is too short to work 40 to 50 hours a week for 40 years at a job you do not like. Be in the law because you find the life of a lawyer rewarding.

Favorite part of your day:
Watching British TV at night with my spouse.

Favorite meal:
The buffet at Memsahib in Lexington Market.

YVETTE PAPPOE
Second-year student
President, Black Law Student Association
BA, University of Maryland, Baltimore County
Hometown: Accra, Ghana

Currently reading:
*Between the World and Me,* by Ta-Nehisi Coates.

Greatest accomplishment:
Graduating college summa cum laude, debt-free, and within three years, while working full-time.

Favorite place on campus:
Rooftop on the fourth floor of the library; it’s a hidden gem!

Favorite Supreme Court Justice of all time:
Ruth Bader Ginsburg; she’s committed to advocating for civil rights for all and is not bashful about it.

Favorite meal:
Jollof rice, a popular West African dish.

Law & Order, Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (SVU), or Law & Order: Criminal Intent:
Definitely SVU
BRANDON FIELDS
Executive Administrative Assistant, Office of Admissions

BA candidate at University of Maryland, University College
Hometown: Baltimore, Md.

Fun fact: I sing.

Currently reading: Unbreak my Heart: A Memoir; by Toni Braxton.

Greatest accomplishment: Starting my own theater/production company.

Best part of Maryland Carey Law: Amazing students.

Favorite Supreme Court Justice of all time: Thurgood Marshall; I admire the way he desired to be the voice of the voiceless American.

Law & Order, Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (SVU), or Law & Order: Criminal Intent: SVU; Stabler and Benson inspire me.

HARRIET E. COOPERMAN ’73
Partner, Saul Ewing LLP
BS, Cornell University
JD, Maryland Carey Law
Hometown: North Bellmore, N.Y.

Fun fact: I work out with a boot camp five days a week, beginning at 5:25 a.m.

Currently reading: The Prime Ministers by Yehuda Avner, about Israeli Prime Ministers Eshkol, Rabin, Meir, and Begin.

Greatest accomplishment: My son.

Advice for recent law school graduates: Be passionate about your work. Preparation and hard work are critical to success. Be creative; think critically—look at the issue from every angle, and think outside of the box, but don’t lose sight of reality.

Law & Order, Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (SVU), or Law & Order: Criminal Intent: Law & Order; I enjoy watching both sides—the police investigation and then the trial.