



## Elisabeth Haub School of Law

### **ELISABETH HAUB SCHOOL OF LAW AT PACE UNIVERSITY NEWS WEEK OF 5/10/2021**

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#### **Message from Dean Horace Anderson**



This is a reminder to all that Haub Law will celebrate its 2021 graduation virtually on Sunday, May 16, at 1:00 pm. Haub Law's 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Commencement speaker will be the Honorable Philip M. Halpern '80, U.S. District Judge, Southern District of New York. Virtual attendees will also hear from 2021 graduates Ross Keiser and Lauren Schnoebelen, as well as Pace University President Marvin Krislov. Pace University's Chairman of the Board of Trustees, Mark Besca, will confer degrees virtually. More details are available on the commencement webpage, [here](#).

It was great to see many of you at our on-campus processional last week. I look forward to continuing the celebration on Sunday!

Dean Horace Anderson

## **Faculty, Staff, and School News**



On May 7, 2021, **Professor Bridget Crawford** was the guest speaker at the Greenwich Bar Association's Law Day 2021 Program, part of a nation-wide initiative by the American Bar Association. Her topic was *The Rule of Law, Spiders, and Trust*.

**Professor Crawford** was featured within the Wall Street Journal article *Prosecutors Seek Cooperation of Trump Confidant, Subpoena Manhattan Private School* - read [here](#).

**Professor Jason Czarnecki** published the article *Top Ranking and New Hire Are Latest Successes for Pace University's Elisabeth Haub School of Law Environmental Law Program* in Westchester Lawyer magazine - read [here](#).

**Professor Bennett Gershman** was interviewed and extensively featured in the RiverFront Times article *Hartmann: An Ugly Mission Continues Against Kim Gardner* - read [here](#).

**Adjunct Professor Hiroko Muraki Gottlieb** had her article featured by IUCN. The article is on marine plastic pollution and was recently published by the American Bar Association, Section on Environment, Energy, & Resources. Read [here](#). Additionally, she was selected to be the International Union for Conservation of Nature World Commission on Environmental Law's (WCEL) Focal Point on the Resolution, *WCC-2020-Res 019 Stopping the global plastic pollution crisis in marine environments by 2030*. ([https://portals.iucn.org/library/sites/library/files/resrecfiles/WCC\\_2020\\_RES\\_019\\_EN.pdf](https://portals.iucn.org/library/sites/library/files/resrecfiles/WCC_2020_RES_019_EN.pdf)) Hiroko notes that "[a]s the WCEL Focal Point, from now through 2024, I will liaise with the IUCN Secretariat to ensure the implementation of the resolution and report annually on the steps taken towards the implementation of the Resolution on behalf of WCEL."

**Professor Nicholas A. Robinson** has published a blog entitled "Juridical Principles to Sustain Planetary Health" in the Blog by Jurists for Diplomats "Pathway to the 2022 Declaration," at <https://www.pathway2022declaration.org/article/juridical-principles-to-sustain-planetary-health/>. He also serves on the Blog's Advisory Board.

The Elisabeth Haub School of Law at Pace University held the fourth annual Hudson Valley Affordable Housing Virtual Summit on May 11-12 - read [here](#).

## **Students**



**Will Acevedo-Hernandez**, Class of 2021, is featured on the Haub Law website for a Commencement Q&A – read [here](#).

## **Alumni**



Diserio Martin is pleased to announce that **Samantha Garrison '15** has joined the firm as an Associate. Learn more [here](#).