# Jameson Crane II DISABILITY AND THE LAW

## **WRITING COMPETITION**

The Crane Writing Competition is designed to encourage outstanding student scholarship at the intersection of law and medicine or law and the social sciences that promotes an understanding, furthers the development of legal rights and protections, and improves the lives of those with disabilities.

### **TOPICS**

**PRIZES** 

Disability law including, legal issues arising with respect to employment, government services and programs, public accommodations, education, higher education, housing, and health care.

#### **JUDGING**

Judging will be on the basis of the following criteria by an anonymous independent panel of experts:

- Thesis originality
- Organization and analysis
- Topic complexityResearch quality

**DEADLINE** 

Writing quality

First place: \$1,500 cash prize and the Thomas Jefferson Law Review will consider the paper for publication.

Second place: two winners will each receive a \$1,000 cash prize.

Closing date for entries: January 15, 2017.

Winning submissions will be announced by April 15, 2017.

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By submitting a paper to this competition, the author grants Thomas Jefferson School of Law the right to edit, as necessary, and publish that paper in the Law Review

