

## Pro Bono Lecture Series



The Pro Bono Lecture Series provides students with the opportunity to learn more about pro bono and hear from experts within the field. There are normally 2-4 speakers each academic year. Past topics/speakers have included:

- **Student Pro Bono Work in American Capital Defence**  
Professor Julian Killingley, [Amicus \(http://www.amicus-alj.org/\)](http://www.amicus-alj.org/)
- **The Role of NGOs and Student Volunteer Opportunities in African Prisons**  
Alexander McLean, Director General, [African Prisons Project \(http://www.africanprisons.org/\)](http://www.africanprisons.org/)
- **The Work of Public Interest Lawyers and the Promotion of International Justice**  
Tessa Gregory, Solicitor with [Public Interest Lawyers \(http://www.publicinterestlawyers.co.uk/\)](http://www.publicinterestlawyers.co.uk/)
- **Is there a future in representing the dispossessed in a time of austerity?**  
[Manjit S Gill QC \(http://www.no5.com/public-access/immigration/manjit-s-gill-qc\)](http://www.no5.com/public-access/immigration/manjit-s-gill-qc), barrister at [No 5 Chambers \(http://www.no5.com/\)](http://www.no5.com/)
- **Securing the Human Rights of Prisoners: Ending Torture and Injustice in Pakistan and Guantanamo**  
Owen Watkins, Caseworker with [Reprive \(http://www.reprive.org.uk/\)](http://www.reprive.org.uk/)
- **Children in Trouble with the Law**  
Laura Janes, [Howard League for Penal Reform \(http://www.howardleague.org/\)](http://www.howardleague.org/)
- **Challenging Poverty and Fighting for Social Justice**  
Pete Lowen, CEO of [Birmingham Law Centre \(http://www.birminghamlawcentre.org.uk/\)](http://www.birminghamlawcentre.org.uk/)
- **1.4 Billion Reasons: The Role of Lawyers in Eradicating Poverty**  
Chara de Lacey, [Advocates for International Development \(http://www.a4id.org/\)](http://www.a4id.org/) (A4ID)

Please contact the Lecture Series Co-ordinator if you are interested in speaking to our students about your work. Travel expenses can be reimbursed. Contact details can be found on the [About the Pro Bono Group Page \(/schools/law/life/pro-bono/aboutus.aspx\)](/schools/law/life/pro-bono/aboutus.aspx).