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Staff Highlight



Dan Wade

Curator for Foreign and International Law and Lecturer in Legal Research

Formally, Associate Librarian for Foreign and International Law, for the past few years Dan Wade has been semi-retired and has assumed the position of Curator of the Foreign and International Law Collection. His major responsibility is the selection of comparative, foreign and international law monographs. Dan has recently celebrated his 30th Yaleversary!

You may see Dan walking around campus with his wife of almost 52 years, Carol. They enjoy attending book talks, lectures, museum programs, movies, and early music concerts. He is a true library nerd, takes delight in reading history, and has taken several courses at the Yale Divinity School. Dan is also very involved in the Social Justice programs of the Unitarian Society of New Haven.

In their early married life Dan and Carol hiked La Tour du Mont Blanc and hiked up and over the Tetons in a twenty plus mile hike (with ice axes for dramatic effect!). Today they enjoy having picnics beside the pond at Parmelee Farm in Killingworth and driving Connecticut's senior citizen roller coasters, e.g., Rt. 148 from Killingworth to Durham and Rt. 67 from Seymour to New Milford or beyond to Kent where there is a chocolate shop and two fine book stores.

Pufendorf

Pufendorf, the pied, eight foot rabbit at the foot of the stairs leading into the Foreign and International Law Collection Reading Room is the totem of the Foreign and International law library world. He is named after the famous seventeenth century German legal theorist and political philosopher Samuel von Pufendorf (sort of like "Puf the Magic Rabbit.") He was carved in the Philippines and acquired by Dan Wade in the early 1990's from the Kutztown Folk Festival in Pennsylvania. The importer's daughter was an undergraduate at Yale, and when he brought his daughter for the fall semester he transported the rabbit to his new home. Puf was the victim of the 2003 bomb blast in the Law School when the ceiling literally fell down upon him. He was kept in his scarred condition to remind members of the YLS community who visit the lower depths of the library to treat each other with respect and kindness, as he bears the imperative "Love."

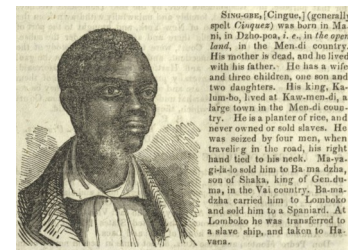


Important Dates

2/01 Movie Night: "4 Months, 3 Weeks and 2 Days" at 6:10pm in SLB 129.

Sponsored by the Lillian Goldman Law Library and the YLS Graduate Programs. Student presenters: Elena Brodeala (LL.M. '18) and Angela Hefti (LL.M. '18).

New eYLS Repository Addition



"In honor of Black History Month, the Law Library has digitized a contemporary record of the Amistad case from its Rare Book Collection, *Documents Relating to the Africans Taken in the Amistad* (New York: American and Foreign Anti-Slavery Society, 1840)."

New Board Game for Lawyers from Poland "Prawopolis."

For 3 to 6 players. The objective of the game is that one as a novice lawyer has to try to win his/her first court case. However, winning requires proper knowledge but owning it does not guarantee victory. The acquired knowledge must be skillfully used to resolve matters. Duration of game: 40 – 60 minutes. Please note, this game is in Polish.

For more information, please [click here](#) for the Morris record in our library catalog.

