Yelp Doesn’t Have to Take Down Libelous Post About Lawyer, Supreme Court Rules

News

The U.S. Supreme Court rejected a San Francisco attorney’s request Tuesday to order Yelp to take down an online denunciation by a former client.

Biglaw Firm Pushing Out Senior Associates

News

Associates were told they weren’t partner or counsel material, given only a portion of their bonus and told they had six months to find another job.

Another N.Y. Lawyer Censured After 60 Minutes Sting Report

News

The CBS program reported on an undercover probe by anticorruption advocacy group Global Witness.

Biglaw Firm to Pay $4.6 Million in Case Tied to Manafort and Ukraine

News

As part of the settlement, the law firm agreed to register retroactively as a foreign agent for Ukraine in addition to paying the government $4.6 million, reports *The New York Times*.

Big Law Partner Fired After Accusations of Overbilling

News

Neal Gerber has refunded $150,000 to a group of more than 100 clients, and Kirkland & Ellis also decided to refund fees.

Opioid Overdoses Overtake Car Accidents on List of

Preventable Deaths

News

The National Safety Council's recently released report on preventable injury and fatality statistics, reveals that accidental opioid overdoses have overtaken car accidents as a leading cause of deaths among Americans.

Ex-Lawyer Gets Nearly 4 Years in Prison for Embezzling From Clients and Law Firm

News

Pamela S. Hediger embezzled money from the firm's client trust and business operating accounts, according to prosecutors.

A Banner Year for Law Firms? A Different Take on the 2019 Citi Report

News

Legal consultant Mark A. Cohen takes a close look at the 2019 Citi Hildebrandt Client Advisory.

To Market Your Legal Practice, Think Like an Editor and Publisher

Insight

Amy Boardman Hunt of Muse Communications has some advice for lawyers: If you want to promote your legal practice, think like an editor and publisher.

‘The Dark Overlord’ Didn’t Hack Systems, Husch Blackwell Says

News

The group says it has 18,000 documents that include emails and nondisclosure documents sent and received by two insurers and a Husch Blackwell predecessor firm.

Chicago Alderman Charged in

Alleged Extortion to Get Business for His Law Firm

News

The complaint details alderman Edward Burke’s repeated attempts to pressure the executives of a Texas company into hiring his law firm, Klafter & Burke.

Munck Wilson Mandala Opens LA Office

News

Munck Wilson Mandala, with three offices in Texas, and The Hecker Law Group of California have joined forces to create a larger law firm with a Los Angeles office, the firm announced.

Trial Attorney Dick Sayles Joins Bradley Law Firm to Open Dallas Office

News

Texas trial attorney Richard A. “Dick” Sayles has joined Bradley Arant Boult Cummings LLP to lead the firm’s new Dallas office.

Stewart Law Group Will Host DYOB Workshop With Kate Burda & Co.

Event, Jan. 22, 2019

Stewart Law Group will host a complimentary D.Y.O.B (Drive Your Own Business) workshop on Tuesday, January 22, 2019 with Kate Burda & Co. focused on helping women-owned businesses succeed.

Top 5 Things Corporate Counsel Want for Free from Law Firms

Insight

In most request for proposals that deal with the overall client-law firm relationship (as opposed to a matter-specific RFP), you will see questions asking law firms about “value-added” services. By value-added, they mean free, writes Matthew Prinn of RFP Advisory Group.

Court Rules Law Firm's Arbitration Provision Unconscionable

Insight

In the case, a litigator who had been employed at Winston & Strawn sued the firm, asserting claims of discrimination, retaliation and wrongful termination.

Thinking Like a Reporter to Promote Your Legal Case

Insight

The easier you can make it for reporters and their colleagues to do their jobs, the more likely you are to get them interested in your case, points out Bruce Vincent of Muse Communications..

Study Finds Top Law Firms' Male Partners Make 53% More Than Female Partners

News

Most male partners don't perceive a problem with pay

differences, according the new survey.

Supreme Court Suggests Forcing Lawyers to Pay Bar Association Dues Violates Their Free Speech

News

At least 30 states require the dues, in most cases with bar associations regulating the legal profession by licensing lawyers and disciplining those who violate the rules.

Multitask Your Legal Marketing

Insight

Whatever your favorite cause is – whether it's sports, politics, animals, social issues, children's issues, or the arts – there are countless ways to indulge that passion while building your professional network.