Spring 2019
 Completing its fifth year, the Leo Model Foundation Government Service & Public Affairs Initiative at Penn Law continues to prepare students to be leaders in government and policy making. Here are highlights from the past semester.

**Preparing for Public Leadership and Government Service at Penn Law**
Watch our video of how Penn Law helps prepare students to become leaders in government and public affairs.

**Spring D.C. Alumni and Student Dinner**
Penn Law alumni discussed their advocacy efforts in the areas of civil rights, criminal justice, and environmental justice.

**Spotlighting career opportunities**
Our Career Conversations series highlights government career possibilities for Penn Law students.

**Meet our 2019 Summer Fellows**
The Leo Model Foundation Government & Public Affairs Initiative supports students in legal internships with federal, state, and local government agencies.

**Journal of Law and Public Affairs**
JLPA, Penn Law’s new student-edited journal features research by renowned scholars and practitioners responding to pressing policy issues.

**Richard Cordray Visits Penn Law**
The Former CFPB Director shared his consumer protection expertise and government service experience with the community.
Penn Law alumnus elected mayor of Dallas, TX
After serving in the Texas House of Representatives for nine years, Eric Johnson L’05 has now been elected as Mayor.

Ryan McMenamin L’17 provides legal services to New York veterans
Through a postgraduate fellowship, McMenamin works with veterans at the Volunteers Lawyers Project.

Prof. Blackhawk authors groundbreaking article on Indian law in Harvard Law Review
The article argues for centering Indian law in U.S. constitutional law framework.

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