

Dedicated to Judah Marans '11

We are incredibly grateful to the Brandeis Law Journal's founder, Judah, for creating this forum for discussion and learning in and around the legal field. His creation of the Journal enables and empowers us to do our work and learn today. We are honored to continue this legacy and maintain this incredible and vibrant forum for legal discussion and debate. Judah's contribution to the Brandeis community will forever be remembered and greatly appreciated. We are honored to continue this legacy and maintain this incredible and vibrant forum for legal discussion and debate. We extend our deepest sympathies to his family and friends throughout the Brandeis community. May his memory be a blessing.

Mission Statement

The *Brandeis University Law Journal* aims to provide Brandeis University with the opportunity to contribute to discussions of law and law-related topics with the publication of undergraduate scholarship. We hope to aid in the furtherance of Brandeis University's motto of "truth even unto its innermost parts" through publishing rigorously researched articles and engaging in respectful, thoughtful, and insightful debates. This journal is both a publication and a constant work in progress as we are grounded in an undergraduate academic environment and constantly trying to learn, grow and improve. Our journal provides a platform for intellectual growth and debate where academic scholarship can flourish. We focus on academic excellence, encouraging expressions of scholarship, and encouragement of educational purposes.

SUBMISSIONS

Our journal requires all submissions of articles and abstracts to be:

- 1) Original and concerning the Brandeis community
- 2) Related to law and/or using legal reasoning.

We accept all submissions for publication at any time. We highly encourage undergraduate scholarship. We will work with undergraduates interested in learning about legal writing, research, and scholarship to develop these skills. All those interested in involvement through writing, editing, or administrative roles are welcome.

Please send any questions, submissions, or inquiries to deislawjournal@gmail.com and visit our website at <https://brandeislawjournal.wordpress.com>

Editor-in-Chief's Letter

Dear Reader,

The Brandeis University Law Journal is proud to present our most recent issue delving into current events and legal developments. These seven rigorously-edited articles showed innovation, passion, and energy from our incredible writers. Through their powerful insight and perspectives, the articles showcase possibilities for the future development of the legal arena. The issue is written, edited, and collected by Brandeis University undergraduates. The articles cover topics from an examination of the right to dignity and a review of our University's namesake Justice Louis D. Brandeis's own relationship to privacy rights, to research on hate crimes and discrimination within the criminal justice system.

Like our Spring 2021 issue, the *Brandeis University Law Journal* is accessible both in print and e-publication on <https://brandeislawjournal.wordpress.com>. Our journal expanded operations this year as well through an outreach and events partnership with the newly revived Brandeis Pre-Law Society. We are grateful for their help and look forward to working together moving forward.

I would like to thank our incredible leadership team, writers, and editors. Without all of their work, this revived publication would not have been possible. Their dedication, passion, and creativity are evident throughout this issue and provide the foundation for publication. I would like to give great appreciation to Emma Fiesinger and the Allocations Board on Student Union for providing us the funding necessary to print this edition.

Inspired as ever by Judah Marans' foundational example, we continue to grow the journal's success. We look forward to our continued work supported by two phenomenal advisors, Professors Kabrhel and Breen. We really appreciate all of their insight, advice, and support.

Sincerely,

Sophia Reiss
Editor-in-Chief



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