Gamm Justice Award

The Gamm Justice Awards will be given in both 2015 and 2016 for outstanding written work addressing critical issues in justice. The work can address any part of the following set of questions:

How well does the United States legal system serve the ends of justice? How does our system of legal education fit into a justice-focused vision of law? Does the public have confidence in our legal system as a vehicle for fairly resolving disputes and serving the general welfare? What can be done to improve our legal system and the public's trust that our laws serve the ends of justice? What can be done to educate the public about the historical foundation of justice as a goal of the law?

The awards will be given to one Colorado Law faculty member and two Colorado Law students each year. Both student and faculty papers will be judged by a faculty panel, appointed each year by the Dean of Colorado Law. Gordon Gamm will review and provide comments on the finalists selected by the panel, after which the faculty panel will make the final decisions.

The papers submitted will be judged by the quality of the scholarship and value of any practical insight offered with respect to the questions posed above. The paper need not be published, and papers written by students for a journal or a seminar are eligible. Students must be enrolled at Colorado Law at the time of the deadline.

Each student winner will receive a \$5,000 award, which will be administered as a law school scholarship.

The deadline for submissions for the 2015 Gamm Justice Award is **November 15, 2014**. Papers should be submitted anonymously on TWEN - a separate TWEN "course" will be set up for this purpose. Papers should be submitted in pdf format.

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