

Call for Papers
Junior Consumer Law Scholars WIP session

AALS Section on Commercial & Consumer Law

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The AALS Section on **Commercial & Consumer Law** is pleased to announce a “Works-in-Progress Session for Junior Consumer Law Scholars” program during the 2021 AALS Annual Meeting in San Francisco, California. This works-in-progress program will bring together junior and senior consumer law scholars for the purpose of providing junior scholars with feedback and guidance on their draft articles.

FORMAT: Scholars whose papers are selected will provide a brief overview of their paper, and participants will then break into simultaneous roundtables dedicated to the individual papers. Two senior scholars will provide commentary and lead the discussion about each paper.

SUBMISSION PROCEDURE: Junior scholars who are interested in participating in the program should send a draft or summary of at least five pages to Professor Christopher Bradley at cgbradley@uky.edu on or before **Friday, August 21, 2020**. The cover email should state the junior scholar’s institution, tenure status, number of years in their current position, whether the paper has been accepted for publication, and, if not, when the scholar anticipates submitting the article to law reviews. The subject line of the email should read: “Submission—Consumer Law WIP Program.”

Junior scholars whose papers are selected for the program will need to submit a draft to the senior scholar commentators by **Friday, December 4, 2020**.

ELIGIBILITY: Junior scholars at AALS member law schools are eligible to submit papers. “Junior scholars” includes untenured faculty who have been teaching full-time at a law school for ten or fewer years. The Committee will give priority to papers that have not yet been accepted for publication.

Pursuant to AALS rules, faculty at fee-paid non-member law schools, foreign faculty, adjunct and visiting faculty (without a full-time position at an AALS member law school), graduate students, fellows, and non-law school faculty are not eligible to submit. Please note that all presenters at the program are responsible for paying their own annual meeting registration fees and travel expenses.