

ANIMALS & THE LAW:

FEATURING LIVE ANIMALS & THEIR UNSUNG HEROES

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8:30 am - 1 pm

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Why You Should Attend

Interact with live animals looking for their forever homes and meet their handlers, the unsung heroes devoting their lives to alleviating these animals' suffering and bringing them love and hope. Learn from an animal activist and law professor specializing in animal law about how our laws are failing animals and what we can do about it.

This unique CLE is designed to kindle a passion for the voiceless, neglected, abused, unwanted and abandoned animals among us, and the tireless advocates devoted to making these animals' lives and the lives of their owners better. Be inspired to join the efforts of animal advocates dedicating their energies to protecting animals and their owners.

Experience top-tier education in a relaxed "coffee-house" atmosphere and enjoy a gourmet five-course lunch with locally-sourced ingredients, and live acoustic guitar (all-inclusive with your lecture fee). Discover that earning your CLE credits can be a great experience!

Speakers

Dara Lovitz, Esquire



Attorney Dara Lovitz is the author of **Muzzling A Movement: The Effects of Anti-Terrorism Law, Money, and Politics on Animal Activism** (Lantern Books). She is an Adjunct Professor of Animal Law at both Temple University Beasley School of Law and the Earle Mack School of Law at Drexel University. Dara has frequently taught continuing legal education seminars focusing on animal law, activism & advocacy.

Roman & Jennifer McConn



Roman McConn is a child phenom and a tireless advocate for unwanted shelter dogs. At just 4 years old, Roman and his mom, Jen, visited their local high kill shelter, and Roman came away deeply moved by seeing so many dogs living in cages. Roman and his mom starting making videos with the unwanted shelter dogs, sharing those on social media, and raising funds for adoption events and

initiatives. In 2016, Roman and his mom founded Project Freedom Ride, a non-profit organization already credited with saving over 2,500 shelter dogs and transporting them hundreds of miles to loving homes. In 2018, the ASPCA presented Roman with its “Kid of the Year” award. In 2019, Ellen Degeneres featured Roman on The Ellen Show and presented him with her “Dog Rescuer

of the Year” award. Roman is now only 8 years old, but he is already an inspiration to so many, especially his parents, and Project Freedom Ride is the perfect example of "be the change you wish to see in this world" by Gandhi.

Buzz Miller, Esquire



Buzz Miller is an Honors graduate of the Wharton School and the University of Pennsylvania Law School. He completed his Masters in Tax Law at NYU, and practiced law from 1966 through 2005, earning numerous

accolades for his legal work. In 2004, Buzz retired from his law practice and became a full-time educator and advocate for the human-animal bond, where both companion animals and their owners of all ages benefit. In 2011, Buzz founded PACT for Animals. PACT's main purpose is to provide free temporary foster care to the pets of deployed military members. In 2013, PACT's programs expanded to include hospitalized patients of all ages whose families have no other choice but to surrender their pets to a shelter during a medical crisis. Buzz has conducted over 50 seminars on various aspects of the Human-Animal Bond at hospitals, law schools, military bases, animal shelters, and national conferences. In addition, Buzz has written numerous articles on the benefits of the Human-Animal Bond and produced a radio show: Justice for Companion Animals. PACT's lifesaving work has been featured on all of the major TV networks and has appeared in dozens of newspaper and magazines.

Susan Armstong-Magidson

In 1998, Susan co-founded Pig Placement Network (“PPN”), a service to assist pet pig owners in rehoming their pet pigs. Their farm, Ross Mill Farm, is the major foster care facility for PPN, directly placing over 1000 pet pigs in new forever homes as of Spring 2018. The PPN website is responsible for countless



other owner-to-owner placements. Susan is also the founder of The Duchess Fund, a medical database exclusively dedicated to pet pigs. Susan’s media and educational appearances have included: the Potbellied Pig Symposium, University of Pennsylvania’s New Bolton Center, CBS News, NBC News, ABC News, Oprah, National Geographic, Animal Planet, and the Tokyo Broadcasting Station. PPN’s instagram page has over 8,000 followers and its FB page has over 20,000 fans.

Schedule
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I. Time Schedule

- A. 8:00 – 8:25 am: Registration
- B. 8:25 – 8:30 Introduction
- C. 8:30 – 10:00 Lecture
- D. 10:00 – 10:15 Break
- E. 10:15 – 11:45 Lecture
- F. 11:45 – 12:00 Break
- G. 12:00 – 1:00 Lecture

II. Miscellaneous

- A. **Cancellation Policy:** Full credit will be given and can be carried forward for two years if LightStream is notified of the cancellation at least 24 hours prior to start of the scheduled seminar. “No shows” have one opportunity to reschedule with a \$25.00 reschedule fee.
- B. **Financial Hardship Policy:** Financial Aid is available upon proof of financial hardship. Please call LightStream for details.
- C. LightStream reserves the right to substitute speakers at any time.

III. Registration

- A. To pre-register and reserve a space, your registration must be accompanied by payment in-full. Mail the enclosed registration form with check for payment. LightStream will send back confirmation if time permits. LightStream reserves the right to cancel classes, in which case the cancellation policy will apply.
- B. Walk-in registration is available if space permits. Please call Light Stream prior to the class to avoid disappointment. A surcharge will be added for walk-in registrations.

Registration Form
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Name_____

Home Address_____

City_____

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PAYMENT:

Total No. of Credits: 4 (2 Substantive/2 Ethics)

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\$180.00 (Walk-ins)

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