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Moot Court Competes in International Competition

FORT WORTH, Texas – Texas Wesleyan School of Law’s moot court team of 3L Colby Gunnels, 3L Rozmin Ladha and 3L Katie Woods began the 2009–2010 advocacy season with a strong showing in the 28th Annual John Marshall Law School International Moot Court Competition in Information Technology and Privacy Law held in Chicago on Oct. 1–3.

Gunnels was individually recognized as the Best Oral Advocate of the competition. This marks the second year in a row that a Texas Wesleyan law student has been recognized as the top oral advocate at the John Marshall Competition.

As a team, Gunnels, Ladha, and Woods earned the No. 1 ranking upon entering the elimination rounds, which was determined by average oral argument score and brief score. The team competed against more than 30 teams from across the United States and several other countries, and advanced to the top eight teams before losing a close round to eventual semi-finalist Northern Illinois University.

The team was coached by David Pratt '07, an attorney with the Fort Worth law firm of Decker, Jones, McMackin, McClane, Hall & Bates, P.C. “I am extremely proud of this hard-working team of students,” Pratt said. “Colby, Rozmin, and Katie all put in the time and effort that it takes to succeed, and they all performed like champions.”

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