

May 2011 Newsletter

This month, we highlight the important information and services being offered by the Coye Law Firm. Check them out!

Advanced Technology Used in Disability Claims



The Coye Law Firm has recently been approved by the Social Security Administration to use advanced technology when working with claimants on their appeals for denied disability benefits. The Coye Law Firm attorneys, such as Daniel Smith and Salim Punjani, use the Internet and electronics such as iPads (pictured on the left) to store, document, reference, and annotate important information in cases.

"Now when we get access to our clients' files, we're allowed to access them electronically, via the web," Smith said. "If any paper comes into the office for social security files, we scan them in. Our goal is to handle over 25 cases a month and we'll eventually handle cases via video from our office, so the clients will not need to drive as far." Smith went on to explain that the Coye Law Firm is happy to offer services such as video conferencing to claimants so that they may save more time and money.

As technology continues to grow at exponential rates, the Coye Law Firm is determined to keep up and provide the highest quality service possible to its clients.

Inspired to a Life in Law Through Volunteer Work

"If your actions inspire others to dream more, learn more, do more and become more, you are a leader" (John Q Adams). Staff intern Sanessa Griffiths is a proven leader. Her dedication to her studies has led to accolades in academic life, and her involvement in the community is simply inspirational. Having known for many years that she is interested in pursuing a legal career, she is completing undergraduate degrees at UCF in legal studies and political science with a minor in business.

Of her numerous extra-curricular activities, she is most excited about her current volunteer contribution to Big Brothers, Big Sisters. The relationship she has built with her 6 year old "little brother" has caused her focus in legal interests to shift from corporate law to more humanitarian efforts, and she now plans to specialize in public service law when she pursues graduate studies. Her personality is the kind which destines her to be a natural leader in the next generation of the most highly esteemed attorneys. Sanessa credits all her volunteer work, which also includes monthly involvement in efforts to relieve homelessness, with fueling her passion use the law to help those in need. Members of the Coye Law Firm staff credit Sanessa with inspiring those around her.



Big Brothers Big Sisters

I'm Hurt; Should I Sue?

When people get hurt because of someone else's negligence, they may have questions about how to recover benefits for their treatment. Many people are able to resolve disputes with insurance companies or other sources of liability through pre-suit negotiations. However, in some serious accidents, a lawsuit may be necessary from the beginning.

Understanding the time, energy, and patience it takes to pursue a lawsuit can be difficult. Discuss your situation with an attorney to learn which is your best chance at receiving full benefits for your injuries.

The Coye Law Firm has published a "lens" on Squidoo.com titled "Filing a Lawsuit" to help victims understand their options and the general lawsuit process. Take a look at our videos, links, and other helpful additions.



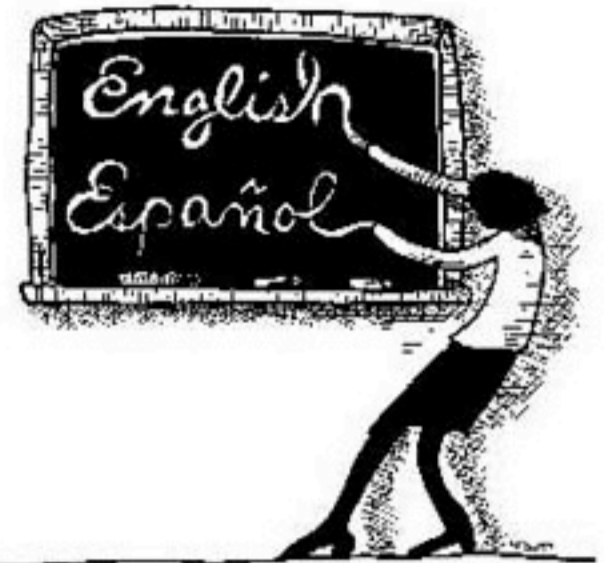
Legal Perspective on "Fairy Tale" Royal Wedding



Did you hear about the Royal Wedding? Whether or not you were interested in the nuptials of Kate Middleton and Prince William, you probably knew that they were getting married in one of the most talked-about and publicized weddings of the decade.

Not to burst anyone's bubble on this "happily ever after" situation, but there are things that every couple needs to consider before and after they decide to get married. Nanette Cruz summarizes the legal side of getting married over at her blog.

Diverse Staff Serves Spanish-Speaking Clients



As Florida continues to welcome new citizens from countries all over the world, the number of non-native English speakers is increasing. Every year, the Spanish-speaking community in Florida grows and encounters the same legal needs as English-speaking Floridians. To better serve them, we have many Spanish-speaking individuals that serve on our legal team.

Attorney Nanette Cruz grew up in Puerto Rico and learned English as a second language in school when she moved to Miami as a child. David MacWilliams has a Bachelor's degree in Spanish and Latin American Culture from the University of Delaware, and is familiar with dialects from around the world. Ursula Remy was born in Peru, learned English in school, and returns to visit Lima as often as possible. She is attempting to raise her son to be bilingual. You can learn more about David and Ursula in the Case Managers section of our website.

We also have Spanish-speaking interns. Ivelis Quinones learned English as a second language in school after being raised speaking a Puerto Rican dialect of Spanish at home. Ashley Gutierrez has spoken a Columbian dialect her entire life, studied Spanish through college level, and has enjoyed spending time in Spanish speaking countries. Valeria Coll moved to Florida from Venezuela as a child and in addition to Spanish also speaks a little French.

We are lucky and proud to have several employees who are bi-lingual and available to assist Spanish speaking members of our community.

To learn more about how we can assist the Spanish-speaking community in Florida, visit our Spanish language website at orlandoabogado.com.

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