

CALL FOR PAPERS

AALS Section on National Security Law

In connection with the January 2008 annual meeting of the Association of American Law Schools in New York City, the AALS Section on National Security Law plans to sponsor a panel discussion concerning the role of the military within the United States.

To complete the roster of panelists, we are seeking submissions of papers relating to this subject. Eligible papers might address the domestic role of the military in many different ways. For example, papers might focus on the topic as a whole across a range of sub-topics; offer historical or comparative perspectives; or engage a particular sub-topic such as *posse comitatus*, surveillance, or detention. Creative approaches are welcome, and everyone is eligible to submit. Both essay and article-length papers are welcome.

The winner will participate in the Section's panel discussion at the annual meeting, which will take place from 10:30 until 12:15 on Friday, January 4, 2008, in New York. The winner's article also will be published in short-form in the [National Security Law Report](#) (the periodical of the American Bar Association's Standing Committee on Law and National Security) and at full length in the [Journal of National Security Law & Policy](#) (subject to final approval of the article from the editors of that publication).

The winner will be selected by a review committee consisting of Bobby Chesney (Wake Forest), Bill Banks (Syracuse), Suzanne Spaulding (Bingham Consulting), Glenn Sulmasy (U.S. Coast Guard Academy, and National Security and Human Rights Fellow at Harvard University's Carr Center, 2007-2008), and Steve Dycus (Vermont).

Submissions should include:

- a cover letter confirming the author's willingness to participate in the panel event in New York (please note that authors will have to rely on their own institutions for funding to attend the conference);
- a c.v.; and
- the draft article itself (we will accept abstracts accompanied by outlines as well).

Please email submissions (or questions) to robert.chesney@wfu.edu, with the attachments in Word or pdf format if possible. **The deadline to email a submission is August 15, 2007.**