ANNOUNCEMENTS



Nadeem A. Bezar, a partner at Kline & Specter, is teaching a first-of-its-kind course to students this fall at the Temple University Beasley School of Law.

BEZAR The writing course, titled "Child Abuse and Sex Trafficking of Minors," will provide students with the opportunity to learn from Bezar's experience handling cases involving child abuse, human trafficking, sexual assault and Title IX violations on college and university campuses.

Bezar's course, which provides students with both an introduction to the legal nuances of child abuse and trafficking cases and a toolkit of practical litigation skills, is aimed at raising awareness of the vital importance of zealously advocating for the most vulnerable members of our society.

Bezar joined Kline & Specter after gaining more than 20 years experience with another Philadelphia firm at which he was a name partner—Kolsby, Gordon, Robin, Shore & Bezar.

He also handles cases related to medical negligence and catastrophic personal injury.

He is a frequent lecturer at continuing

legal education programs and at various seminars.

Bezar received his law degree from the Temple University Beasley School of Law. Bezar is a **Robert Conwell Society** con-

Bezar is a **Robert Conwell Society** contributor to the law school.

He is on the executive committee of the Temple Law Alumni Association and received the TLAA Diversity Leadership Award.

He currently serves as an adjunct professor at the University of Pennsylvania Carey Law School, where he teaches a class on medical malpractice, in addition to his teaching at Temple Law.

Bezar is on the board of directors of the Juvenile Law Center, the nation's oldest nonprofit law firm for children, and the Field Center for Children's Policy, Practice and Research, which brings together the resources of the University of Pennsylvania to enhance and assure the well-being of abused and neglected children and those at risk of maltreatment.

He was recently elected to the overlapping boards of directors for Community Legal Services and Philadelphia Legal Assistance, which provide legal assistance to low-income Philadelphians as well as community education and social work.

Bezar served on the boards of directors and advisory councils of a number of other professional organizations, including the Philadelphia Bar Association, the Philadelphia South Asian Bar Association of Pennsylvania, the South Asian Bar Association of North America (past president), the Pennsylvania Association for Justice, and the Philadelphia Trial Lawyers Association.

He served as co-chair for the **Philadelphia Bar Association** medical legal committee.

In 2016, Bezar was named by Philadelphia Mayor James Kenney to be a member of the Commission on Asian American Affairs.

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