

**April 2016 Report to Board for Maxwell Street Legal Clinic
(updates since December Board meeting)**

Case Number Skyrocketing!

- **Worked on 326 cases since 12/10/2015 (264 Immigration, 62 Citizenship)**
- Increase due to more staff and new consultation model
- 3 full-time staff, 1 part-time staff, plus volunteers/interns contributing a total of 60 hours/week
- Just since last Board meeting worked with clients from: Australia, South Korea, Mexico, Uruguay, Philippines, Benin, Democratic Republic of Congo, Yemen, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, China, Cuba, Peru, Chile, Venezuela, Saudi Arabia, Iran, China, Germany, Colombia, Cote d'Ivoire, Guinea, Haiti, Liberia, Nigeria, Bosnia, Ukraine, Burkina Faso, Nepal and Gambia
- Handled 1,674 calls and walk-ins (and probably a whole lot more!)

Outreach and Presentations

- **Reached an estimated 990 people since 12/10/15**
- **Presentations:**
 - Frankfort Human Trafficking Task Force presentation (Guion)
 - UK College of Law Human Right Symposium panelist (Guion)
 - Hazard High School presentation to Spanish classes via Skype (Guion)
 - Know Your Rights at Village Branch Library (Guion, Nathalie)
 - Children's Advocacy Presentation (Nathalie, Sarah)
 - Know Your Rights at Mary Queen of the Holy Rosary (Marilyn, Miranda)
 - Latino Law Society Speaker at UK Law (Guion)
 - Georgetown College Translation and Interpretation Class (Guion, Nathalie)
 - Centre College Homeless & Poverty Class (Marilyn)
 - ECU Community Meeting re: Citizenship (Marilyn)
 - Maxwell Street Presbyterian Church Session Meeting Presentation (Marilyn)
 - ECU Spanish Class Presentation (Marilyn)
 - Presentation to Transylvania Class called "The Immigrant Child" (Guion)
- **Meetings:**
 - Migrant Network Coalition Monthly Meetings (All)
 - Central Kentucky American Inn of Court Monthly Meetings (Guion)
 - Mayor's International Advisory Commission Quarterly Meetings (Guion, Marilyn)
- **Fairs, Trainings, and Other Outreach**
 - Global Lex Monthly Intake (Nathalie)
 - BCTC DACA Advance Parole Clinic for immigrants students to study abroad (Guion)
 - Scott County Migrant Family Resource Fair (Guion)
 - Beaumont Middle School Latino Parent's Night (Guion)

- Boone County Jail/ICE Detention Center Monthly Visits (Nathalie, Spencer, Guion, Sarah)
- UK Student Volunteer Fair (Sarah, Miranda)
- Kentucky Coalition Against Domestic Violence Training (Sarah, Miranda)
- Naturalization Ceremony at Transy (Guion, Sarah, Amanda)

Highlights

- **Cases**
 - SIJS approval for previously homeless teenage mother whose own mother was deported (Guion)
 - SIJS approval for young boy in foster care in Louisville who will now be adopted (Sarah)
 - Yemen Temporary Protected Status (Sarah)
 - Two consultations for spousal petitions for same sex couples (our first ever!) (Sarah, Marilyn)
 - KLA Bowling Green to work on U Visas (Guion)
- **Collaborations**
 - International Book Project Collaboration (Cathy)
 - Hosted Bluegrass Literacy's Spanish class
 - Started Women's Literacy Project for low-literacy women eligible for citizenship (Cathy)
 - Referral from Lexington Police for U Visa (female rape victim)
- **Newsworthy**
 - Contacted by Senator Dick Durbin's office who had heard about our work
 - BIA Recognition attained, Nathalie is one step away from becoming BIA Accredited!
 - Two staff appointed to Mayor's International Advisory Commission, including Education & Advocacy Subcommittee (Guion, Marilyn) and Civic Engagement Subcommittees (Guion)
 - Asked to teach Immigration at UK Law in the fall (Guion)
 - Named to KBA's Diversity and Inclusion Summit Planning Committee (Guion)
 - Invited to UK On-campus interviews – 11 applicants, 1 selected for summer (Guion, Sarah)
 - Contacted by Courier Journal re: DAPA/Expanded DACA Supreme Court oral arguments

Grants, Fundraising, Donations, and Fees

- Record amount of client fees in March: \$4,592
- Blue Stallion Fundraiser (Sarah coordinated, all attended)
- United Way grant report submitted
- Catholic Diocese grant submitted
- CLINIC grant report submitted
- Harvard Public Service Venture Fund report
- Generous donations from private individuals, churches, temples