

## Press Release

To be released on September 15, 2007

The Review Board has decided to hear a case challenging the current appointment of graduate senators by their respective schools. Alan Kennedy-Shaffer (Marshall-Wythe Law '09) and Joe Luppino-Esposito ('08) will argue that graduate senators must be elected, and that the current system violates the Student Assembly Constitution. A coalition of graduate student governments, headed by the Student Bar Association and the SA Senate, will defend the appointment of graduate senators.

The hearing will be held at 2:00 PM on Sunday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>. The hearing is **open to the public** and should last for an hour. A location has yet to be determined. Updates and additional information will be posted to the Student Assembly web site <<http://sa.wm.edu>>.

The Review Board is an independent branch of the Student Assembly which functions as a mediating body for internal, funding, and election disputes. There are seven Review Board Members, all of whom were appointed by the SA President and confirmed by the Senate. The current members are Carrie Adams, Solomon Alpert, William Anglely, Cliff Dunn, Billy Mutell, Adam Reeves, and Ben Shattuck.