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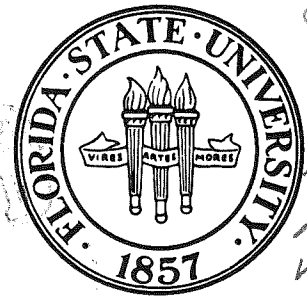
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# College of Law Alumni Newsletter

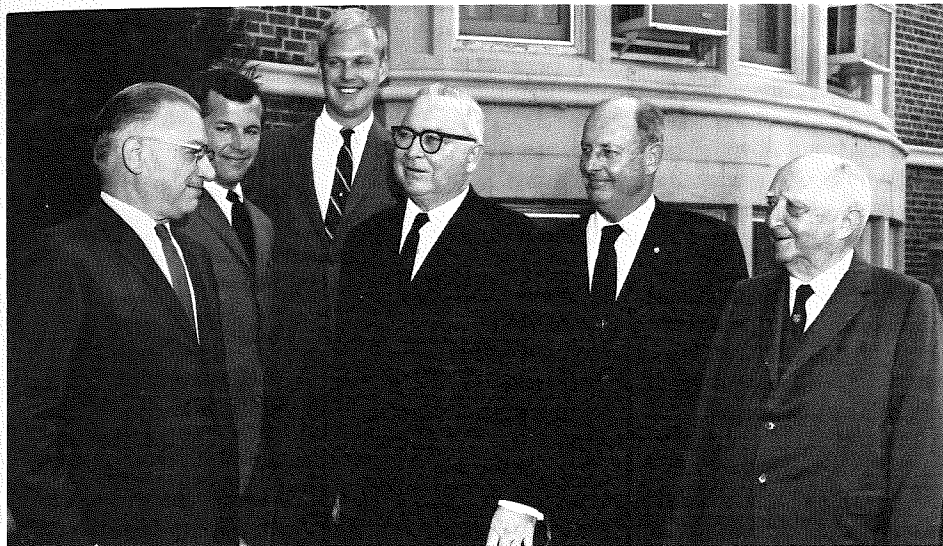
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In October 1967, friends of the College of Law gathered in front of Longmire. Pictured left to right are Dean Mason Ladd, Charter Class Students Steve Watts and John Bickel, Justice B. K. Roberts, William Simmons (Past President of the Florida Bar), and Mr. Edward Ball.

## Eminent Scholar Chair In International Law Established at FSU College of Law

The College of Law was pleased to learn in November that a gift of \$600,000 was made to Florida State University to establish the Edward Ball Eminent Scholar Chair in International Law. The gift will be matched with \$400,000 from the State of Florida, endowing the chair with one million dollars.

Former Supreme Court Justice B. K. Roberts announced the gift to the FSU Foundation Board of Trustees. The money is a gift of the Edward Ball Wildlife Foundation and carries a stipulation that the purpose of the chair be for the teaching of international law with specific emphasis on establishing a balanced program teaching the rights of private ownership in relation to the public interest in the international protection of natural resources and the environment.

Florida State will be one of the first institutions in the South to establish specialized training in international law. Roberts, a member of the International Law Association, believes this field of law is expanding. He said the World Court can only deal with legal issues between nations, but there are other issues that constantly need to be addressed, such as fishing rights, trade agreements between corporations in different countries, and industrial pollution that flows from one country into another.

Dean Talbot "Sandy" D'Alemberte stated that the chair will give Florida State an opportunity to make a major contribution to an area of the law which is increasingly important to the State of Florida. "This will allow an expansion of

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## Policy Studies Clinic Established

The Florida State University College of Law established a Policy Studies Clinic in September, 1985. The Clinic conducts an educational and informational program based on the premise that there is an inherent relationship between law and public policy. The Clinic publishes a monograph series, conducts research, sponsors conferences, and organizes seminars. Professor Orin Slagle is Director of the Clinic and Dr. Wayne Clark is Associate Director. Research assistants include law students Leigh Hart and Anne-Marie Lindsey and Randy Otto, a graduate student in psychology.

In October, the Clinic initiated a monograph series based on research contracts with academicians and policy experts. Among the reports that will be published this year are studies on the Marketable Title Record Act (MRTA), faculty tenure, and children's mental health legislation. The series will be available to policymakers and to the public free of charge.

Peter Davis, Professor of Law at the University of Missouri at Columbia, has prepared a detailed report on the Marketable Record Title Act (MRTA). Enacted in 1963, MRTA was designed to simplify and reduce the cost of land transactions. Beginning in 1973, however, the courts allowed MRTA to be used to deny the state's assertion of ownership to some sovereign lands and waterbodies. Early this year, the legislature suspended MRTA until October 1986, and created a study commission to hold hearings and make recommendations for changes. Professor Davis' study, along with an extensive report written by Leigh Hart will be presented to the MRTA commission later this year.

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D'Alemberte

## From The Dean

The excitement at the College of Law, generated by Representative James Harold Thompson's concept of the legislative appropriations for quality improvement, has continued and grown through private support. This Newsletter brings news of the many exciting events taking place at the College, the addition of outstanding faculty members, the establishment of the Policy Studies Clinic, and the innovative programs being implemented. These are a direct result of the quality improvement money.

It also brings news of the most important single gift in the history of the College of Law—the gift of a million dollar Eminent Scholar Chair in International Law in honor of Edward Ball.

Four people deserve special credit for this important gift. Justice B. K. Roberts, one of these people, has been the significant figure in the founding of this school. He was one of the moving forces behind the establishment of the College of Law and served on the founding committee. As a close personal friend of Ed Ball, he helped kindle Ball's desire to assist in the establishment of a law library for the new College of Law and arranged for Mr. Ball's gift of \$70,000 to the University. With this gift, the law school was able to acquire a sound basic library for use by its entering class. To close observers of the budgetary process, this gift is appreciated as the initial show of support for the concept of a law school at FSU. Mrs. Mary Roberts, wife of the former Supreme

Court Justice, also helped influence Mr. Ball to aid the new College of Law. Adding to the original gift, in January 1967, Mrs. Roberts presented a check for \$10,000 from Mr. Ball to FSU President John Champion. The gift was made on the condition that the money be used for scholarships for law students or for more books for the law library.

The College also owes an indebtedness to another old friend, Senator Dempsey Barron, who encouraged those responsible for the gift. Senator Barron displayed his renowned tenacity and charm, and during these months that the gift has been under consideration, he has indicated his faith in the College of Law and its mission.

J. C. "Jake" Belin is the other person who deserves our appreciation. Mr. Belin, a businessman who heads the St. Joe Paper Company and other interests long identified with Ed Ball, wanted to insure that his gift would be a significant way to honor Mr. Ball's memory and, in conversations with Judge Roberts and Senator Barron, he understood that Mr. Ball had played a very significant role in launching the FSU College of Law and, further, that this school now has an opportunity for true distinction befitting Mr. Ball's memory.

In fact, the opportunity has increased significantly with this gift. The opportunity for the law school to move into the important field of international law is greatly enhanced by the gift of the chair, the first chair in International Law in the Southeast.

This dramatic gift is the largest and most important, but it is not the only indication that private support is increasing significantly. Through the work of the Alumni Association, especially Ken Connor and the other leaders of that Association, and through the excellent planning and staffing furnished by Dean Stephen MacNamara, the level of private support is now increasing significantly. There will be an accounting later, but it appears that our ambitious fund-raising goals will be met or exceeded. I hope each of you will support this effort.

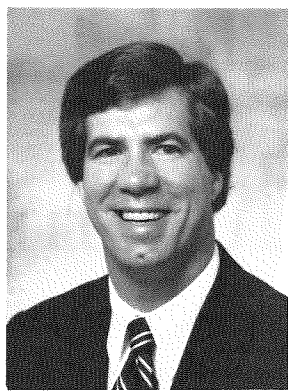
Talbot "Sandy" D'Alemberte, Dean

### College of Law Alumni Newsletter

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items of interest to the Newsletter.

**A note of thanks to alumni and friends of the College of Law who have been instrumental in bringing their law firms, corporations, or agencies to the College to interview. These expressions of loyalty and concern are encouraged and appreciated.**



Connor

## From the Board

This is a wonderful time to be associated with the FSU College of Law. It is a time of increased activity, increased funding and increased recognition in both the academic and legal communities.

There is a lot being said about funding and fund-raising. As you read this Newsletter, you will see mention of a \$1,000,000 endowed chair in International Law—a tremendous gift to the law school. You will see a chart displaying the fantastic growth of alumni contributions. You will see that an Awards Day ceremony was held at which many students were awarded cash scholarships and alumni medals of merit.

I hope that as you note this repeated mention of funds and dollars, you will also note the results being accomplished by the use of these funds. How can one measure the value of the recognition brought to the College of Law with the first chair in International Law in the Southeast? How can you describe the pride felt by those students whose academic efforts have been recognized—or their relief at the assistance of a financial scholarship? There is a joy and pride felt by all of us as we see the programs initiated at the school, read of the well-known faculty visiting and teaching, and view the success of our alumni in the business, academic and legal areas.

I am pleased to share in the past, present and future of the FSU College of Law and know that you are also. I have no hesitancy in asking your continued assistance and support as we move forward to make this law school the greatest!

Kenneth L. Connor, President

Alumni are encouraged to submit items of interest to the Newsletter. Forward to: Elora B. Harwood  
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## Mason Ladd Lectures Will Feature Chirelstein

The Mason Ladd Lecture Series continues in March of 1986. Professor Marvin Chirelstein of Columbia University School of Law and author of **Federal Income Taxation** will be the featured speaker and will address the subject of tax reform. His address will be titled "**Back from the Dead: President Reagan and the Federal Income Tax.**" The lecture will be held on Thursday, March 6, 1986, at the College of Law. Additional information may be obtained from Professor Adam Hirsch at 904/644-4010.

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our curriculum and further training of our students, many of whom already are involved with certain international initiatives," he said.

Justice Roberts was a close personal friend of the late Ed Ball. He recalled that Ball often expressed his awareness of the need for trained international lawyers. He said that the Edward Ball Wildlife Foundation decided to make the gift "in consideration of the fact that the late Alfred I. DuPont and Ed Ball were pioneers in the return of pine tree prosperity and reforestation to the Florida panhandle. Mr. Ball claimed Leon County to be his legal place of residence for the last 30 years of his life."

Although this is the largest gift to the University from Ed Ball and his associated enterprises, it is not the first. "Contributions from Mr. Ball and his companies to Florida State now total over a million dollars with this latest gift," said Florida State President Bernard F. Sliger. "We are extremely grateful for the initial gift of \$70,000 to open our law school, additional contributions of \$30,000, plus \$200,000 to the law school scholarship fund and the very valuable 90 acres of land on the coast which is the site of the FSU Marine Lab at Turkey Point."

Dean D'Alemberte called it "very appropriate" that the first Eminent Scholar Chair for the FSU College of Law be named for its first benefactor and also that it was "achieved by Justice Roberts, for whom the school is named and the chief reason there is a law school here at all."

A committee will be named soon to recommend one or more persons to President Sliger for appointment to fill the Eminent Scholar Chair in International Law.



Board member Ray Gross converses with Alumni President Ken Connor and President-elect Terry Russell.

## Annual Alumni Reunion Weekend Filled with Exciting Events

Alumni from all areas of the State gathered in Tallahassee on the weekend of November 1 and 2, 1985, to celebrate the Fourth Annual Alumni Reunion Weekend. This event, which has grown in attendance each year, has become a true tradition of the College of Law.

The Weekend began on Friday, November 1, with a CLE program entitled "Recent Legislative and Judicial Changes in Selected Areas of the Law." It was sponsored by the College of Law Alumni Association and held at the Florida State University Conference Center.

The highlight of Friday evening was the Law Review gala Alumni Reunion banquet and dance which was held at the new Ramada Inn North. The evening began with an open bar which was followed by a delicious sirloin steak dinner. Following comments by Editor-in-Chief Alan Fields, Managing Editor Mike Perkins, and Legislative Editor Floyd Self, the speaker of the evening was introduced. Cass Vickers, the founding editor of the FSU Law Review, proved to be a delightful and entertaining speaker as he reflected on the early days of the Law Review. The evening ended with dancing to a live band.

Approximately 200 persons attended the Alumni Reunion Brunch on Saturday morning. Held in the lovely dining room



Board of Regents Member DuBose Ausley addressed alumni at the Reunion Brunch in November.

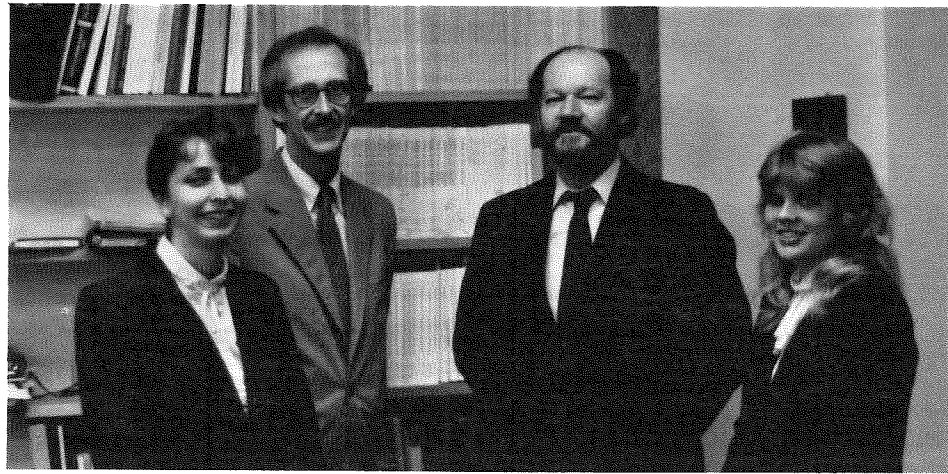
of the Florida State Conference Center, the brunch featured a social hour and a delicious breakfast. After Alumni Association Secretary Donald Gifford presented the Alumni Scholarship to freshman law student Reginald Luster, Dean Sandy D'Alemberte introduced the morning's speaker, DuBose Ausley, member of the Board of Regents. Mr. Ausley's comments on legal education and the legal profession were well received, especially after he made it known that, although he attended a law school located further south, he considers the Florida State University College of Law his adopted law school!

Other special events of the Weekend were the Annual Moot Court Party featuring Professor VanDercreek's famous stone crab claws and a Bar-B-Que sponsored by Phi Alpha Delta for its members. Rounding out the day was the Florida State vs. Miami football game which was a great game until the last five minutes!

To those who attended the Reunion Weekend, it was great to see you again. To those who were not here, we hope to see you next year. It was a wonderful time of friends, food and fun, and we look forward to next fall and our 20 Year Reunion.



Graduates Margaret Karniewicz ('85) and Laura Leavy ('85) visited during the Reunion Brunch.



Staffing the Policy Studies Clinic are (l-r) Anne-Marie Lindsey, research assistant; Dr. Wayne Clark, Associate Director; Professor Orin Slagle, Director; and Leigh Hart, research assistant.

### Policy Studies (Continued from page 1)

Morton H. Sklar, adjunct professor of law at Catholic University and founder and chairman of the ABA's Sub-committee on Human Rights Education, is conducting a study of the state's tenure system for the Clinic and the Post-secondary Education Planning Commission. The study grew out of a request from the Governor and from the legislature that the Commission review the state's policies that affect faculty recruitment. The study assesses the legal protections afforded tenured faculty members in the state university system and in the community colleges and compares those protections with protections available to all Florida public employees.

Professor Winsor C. Schmidt, FSU Department of Public Administration, is studying state policy relating to mental health services for children. His work applies available psychological research to the legal problem of mental hospitalization. Although last year the legislature considered revision of statutes relating to alcohol, drug abuse, and mental health treatment services for children, no final action was taken. Professor Schmidt's work for the Clinic will include a suggested children's mental health bill for the 1986 legislative session.

Wayne Clark is preparing an overview of federal-state relations since 1965. This work will emphasize the changes in federal programs and the impact of those changes on state and local governments. Considerable emphasis will be placed on fiscal issues, but the structure and functions of state and local governments will also be considered.

On November 13, 1985, the Clinic sponsored a one-day conference on the Small and Minority Business Assistance Act. The purpose of the conference was to bring together a variety of interest groups

to insure the future success of this Act. The morning session focused on the problem of undercapitalization and on prospects for small businesses in Florida. The afternoon session considered public and private roles in promoting minority business enterprise. Clarence Brown, Deputy Secretary of Commerce, delivered the keynote address, and David R. Weaver, Chairman of Intercap Investments, spoke at lunch.

The Clinic has assumed a support role for the Comprehensive State Plan Committee and is working with various faculty members and other experts whose research is of interest to the committee. The Clinic, for example, is examining constitutional impediments to changes in the tax system and other issues that relate to implementation of the Comprehensive State Plan. A major Spring conference will bring together a group of experts who will focus on tax reform and intergovernmental fiscal relations.

In the Spring, the Clinic will co-sponsor, with the State Department of Business Regulation, a workshop which will examine legal and social problems related to life in condominiums. From the workshop will come specific recommendations aimed at improving the quality of life and promoting a sense of community for condominium owners.

Professor Slagle is creating the academic component of the Policy Studies Clinic. Beginning in the fall of 1986, law students and graduate students from the social sciences may choose to work with the Clinic and receive credit. This opportunity will enable students to become familiar with key legal and policy decisions facing state government and gain practical experience directly related to the public interest.

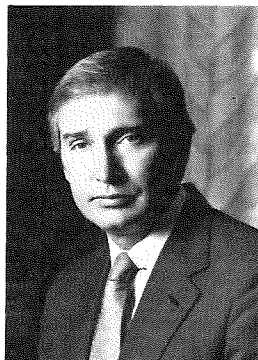
## Parents and Friends Day Held in Fall

The College of Law held its first annual Parents and Friends Day on Saturday, October 19, 1985. The occasion was very well attended.

Tours of the law school were conducted for the parents and friends. Following the tours, Professor Jacobs taught a class in first year Property Law in Room 101. Numerous parents distinguished themselves during the class and asked many good questions, some of which Professor Jacobs was unable to answer.

After the lecture, lunch was served on the College of Law patio. Assistance was provided by the Law Partners Organization which contributed a great deal of time in preparing both the lunch and a breakfast for the group.

Numerous favorable comments and letters regarding the event have been received. The College hopes to make the Parents and Friends Day an annual affair.



Thompson

## James Harold Thompson Honored At Annual Moot Court Party

"The Fourth Annual World's Greatest Moot Court Party" was held at the FSU College of Law Faculty Lounge on Saturday, November 2, 1985. More than 100 alumni, students, guests and faculty members gathered for fresh stone crab claws and Bloody Marys.

After Professor William VanDercreek, Moot Court Director, welcomed the guests, he announced the selection of James Harold Thompson as an honorary member of the Moot Court team and presented him with the mythical Stone Crab Claw Award. Mr. Thompson, Speaker of the Florida House of Representatives, was the first recipient of the award.

## CERL to Sponsor AIDS Issues Program

Attorneys will have opportunities in January to earn CLE credits while taking some time to think about the legal aspects of the biggest health crisis of modern times—AIDS. The Florida State University Center for Employment Relations and Law will present a series of one-day conferences to acquaint lawyers and employment relations specialists with emerging legal issues affecting the workplace.

Each day, the newspapers carry alarming stories about the rapid spread of the deadly disease. Among the states, Florida has the third largest number of AIDS victims, and medical experts expect the total to double in the next 10 months. As this crisis grows, it has become clear that it is no longer the problem of only one or two segments of the population.

Against the background of a public health crisis, many issues are emerging in the workplace. Both employers and employees are unsure of their obligations and rights. Are employers liable if an employee or customer contracts the virus in the workplace? Do employees have the right to refuse work assignments which involve exposure to infected persons? Are AIDS victims covered by handicap discrimination laws? What guidelines should employers follow?

The CERL program, "AIDS: Issues in the Workplace," is designed to identify the most important issues which employers and employees must face and to survey the existing legal guidelines and other policy considerations for handling these problems. Medical, legal and public policy experts will present the program and lead discussion.

Three conferences will be held: January 9, 1986 - Tallahassee, Ramada Inn-North; January 14, 1986 - Orlando, Court of Flags Resort and Conference Hotel; January 31, 1986 - Ft. Lauderdale, Holiday Inn-West Hotel and Conference Centre. The Florida Bar has approved designation plan credit as follows:

Labor and Employment Law	8 hours
General Practice	8 hours
Administrative & Governmental Law	6 hours
Workers Compensation Law	4 hours
Corporate and Business Law	4 hours
Trial Practice-General	4 hours
Appellate Practice	2 hours



Music was provided by members of the School of Music at some of the Brown Bag lunches.

## Brown Bag Lecture Series Features Speakers, Music

The Brown Bag Lunch Lecture series held during the Fall semester at the College of Law has been quite successful. A number of individuals have spoken in the student lounge during the noon hour on a variety of topics.

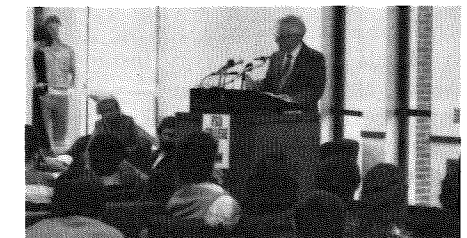
Speakers have included Mallory Horne, Claude Kirk, Florida Bar President candidate Louis Adcock, Guardian Ad Litem Executive Director Patricia Glass, ACLU Church/State authority John Swomley, District Court of Appeals Judge Winifred Wentworth, Circuit Court Judge Charles Miner, Tallahassee Democrat Managing Editor Bill Fuller, Commissioner of Education Ralph Turlington and Tallahassee attorneys Winifred Jernigan and Kelly Overstreet-Johnson.

Groups from the School of Music also performed at noon. These included the Meliora Quartet, the quartet in residence at Florida State University which was de-

The registration fee for the program is \$80.00 per person before December 18, 1985. After December 18, 1985, the tuition is \$90.00 per person, or \$80.00 per person for two or more from the same organization. For more information or a registration packet, contact Judy Jacobs at 904/644-4287, or register by sending a check with your name, address, telephone number and choice of conference location to: Judy Jacobs, Center for Employment Relations and Law, College of Law, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL 32306-1034. Checks should be made payable to the Center for Employment Relations and Law.

scribed by the Boston Globe as "one of the premiere ensembles of our time," and the At Liberty Woodwind Quartet which later played at Supreme Court Justice Rosemary Barkett's reception following her investiture.

The programs have been well attended by students, faculty and staff. Plans are to continue the Brown Bag Lunch Lecture



Mallory Horne was one of the featured Brown Bag speakers.

Series next semester. A "candidates forum" featuring as many of the 1986 statewide candidates for office as can be scheduled will be given special emphasis.

## Attorneys' Title Insurance Fund Gives Annual Grant

Since 1967, the Attorneys' Title Insurance Fund of Orlando has made an annual grant to each of Florida's five law schools. Again this Fall, a grant of \$1,000 was received by the FSU College of Law.

The Attorneys' Title Insurance Fund is Florida's bar-related title insurer which issues policies through its 5,000 lawyer members. The grants which it makes to the law schools are used to support the teaching of real property law or to assist in faculty-student research in the real property field.

## Continuing Legal Education Programs Expanded In 1985

During the Fall Semester, 1986, the College of Law sponsored four CLE seminars as opposed to two seminars held in Fall 1985. More than 450 lawyers, alumni and judges attended and participated in the seminars.

### Managing Megagrowth: The 1985 Legislative Response

The College of Law and the Florida Bar Environmental and Land Use Law Section sponsored this Continuing Legal Education course on growth management in Florida. The course was offered October 18 and 19, 1985, in Tampa, and November 22 and 23, 1985, in West Palm Beach. The Tampa session attracted approximately 100 registrants, while the West Palm Beach session had close to 200.

The course was designed to acquaint practitioners in environmental, administrative, local government and real property law with the major changes in the law resulting from the 1985 growth management legislation in Florida. Jim May, from the Florida State University Institute of Science and Public Affairs, was the conference coordinator. Speakers at the conference included state senators, representatives, and agency counsels, as well as professors from FSU and the University of Florida. Guest speakers at luncheons were Richard F. Babcock, author of *The Zoning Game and The Zoning Game—Revisited*, and Charles M. Haar, Brandeis Professor of Law, from Harvard University.

### Recent Legislative and Judicial Changes in Selected Areas of the Law

The College of Law Alumni Association sponsored this program which was held November 1, 1985, at the Florida State Conference Center in Tallahassee. Approximately 40 practitioners and students participated in the conference. All the topics covered in the seminar—Medical Malpractice, Growth Management, Statutory Construction in Florida, Children's Issues, Public Meetings and Public Records, and Computer Access to Public Information: Problems and Opportunities—were supported by articles contained in the first *Review of Florida Legislation* published by the Florida State University Law Review.

Fred T. Hawkes, Thomas G. Pelham, Robert M. Rhodes, Elaine N. Duggar, Barry Richard, and Patrick L. "Booter" Imhof were the speakers.

### Litigation in Federal Courts

For the second year, a seminar on "Litigation in Federal Courts" was sponsored by the College of Law. The program was held on November 15, 1985, and attracted a registration of approximately 200 practitioners. Topics discussed were: Jurisdiction and Venue in Federal Courts; Choosing a State or Federal Forum; Motion Practice; Federal Rules of Evidence; Getting the Case to the Eleventh Circuit; and Decision Making in the Eleventh Circuit.

Speakers for the conference were Judge Peter T. Fay, Eugene Stearns, Robert R. Feagin, III, and Professors Charles Ehrhardt and William VanDercreek. Judges William Stafford and Maurice Paul of the First District Court of Appeal fielded questions from the audience at the conclusion of the seminar.

For those who missed the seminar, the program was videotaped and will be presented at various locations around the state. Announcements of the dates and times will be mailed to alumni.

### Spring CLE Programs

"Real Property Transactions," originally scheduled for September 20, has been rescheduled for January 24, 1986, at the Florida State Conference Center in Tallahassee. Brochures describing the program were mailed to alumni in December.

A conference in Alternative Dispute Resolution will be held in Tampa during the month of March, 1986. Associate Professor James J. Alfini, who will join the faculty in January, will coordinate the seminar which will be followed by a workshop in Alternative Dispute Resolution.

## Job Notice Bulletin Available to Alums

The Placement Office publishes an Alumni Job Notice Bulletin that is mailed out during the first or second week of each month. It contains a current listing of all job openings on file with the Placement Office. If you are interested in being placed on the mailing list to receive the Job Notice Bulletin, please contact Elora Harwood in the Placement Office, College of Law, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL 32306, or call 904/644-4495.



Justice Rehnquist

## Justice Rehnquist to Visit College of Law in February

Justice William Rehnquist of the United States Supreme Court will visit the College of Law during the first week of February, 1986. In addition to attending numerous social events, Justice Rehnquist will lend his talents to the academic arena. He will participate in the experimental Litigation Skills class taught by Professor Goldstein and will teach a class in Constitutional Law to first year law students. He also will engage in a colloquium on Constitutional Decision Making with the law faculty. Finally, Justice Rehnquist will deliver a public address to the University and Tallahassee community.

## Moot Court Team Places in Benton Competition

Moot Court team members Kathryn Bradley, Lansing Scriven and Mary Stenson placed among the top 8 teams in the Fourth Annual Benton National Moot Court Competition in Information Law and Privacy which was held in Chicago, October 24-26, 1985. The competition is underwritten by a grant from the Benton Foundation, a Washington, DC, based private foundation committed to understanding and improving the broad field of communication. Thirty-two teams from law schools around the country participated in the competition, presenting oral arguments on the issues dealing with an electronic bulletin board system and libelous messages sent over the system. Professor Nat Stern served as faculty advisor for the third consecutive year.

## Growth Management CLE Sponsored By College of Law and Florida Bar

The College of Law in conjunction with the Florida Bar Section on Land Use and Environmental Law recently sponsored a continuing legal education course on "Managing Megagrowth: The 1985 Legislative Response." The course was presented in Tampa on October 18-19, 1985, and in West Palm Beach on November 22 and 23, 1985.

The course picked up the theme of the law school's highly successful January conference, "Managing Megagrowth: The Legislative Mandate." While the January conference was instrumental in identifying growth management issues and educating legislators and the public, the courses were designed to inform

attorneys and local government officials about Florida's landmark growth management legislation.

The course speakers included attorneys, planners, and government officials who had been instrumental in drafting the legislation and who will be instrumental in implementing it. In addition, the course featured Richard F. Babcock, nationally noted practitioner, lecturer, and author in the land use and planning area, and Professor Charles M. Haar, Brandeis Professor of Law, Harvard University, one of the nation's most distinguished legal experts in property, land use, and government finance.



Several of the authors and editors of the FSU Law Review's net *Review of Florida Legislation* show off their publication at the reception at the Capitol. Pictured are (l-r) Lansing Scriven, editor; Linda Richey, author; Douglas Roberts, author; Fred Hawkes, author; Floyd Self, chief legislative editor; William Hyde, author; and Thomas G. Pelham, author.

## Law Review Hosts Alumni Reunion and Promotes Legislative Edition

The Law Review recently hosted two very successful events. Instead of its usual annual banquet, the Review held an Alumni Reunion, Banquet and Dance on Friday, November 1, 1985. Approximately 200 Review members and alumni, as well as several representatives from the Law School faculty and local judiciary attended the event. Law Review Editor-in-Chief, Alan Fields, and Legislative Editor, Floyd Self, thanked and congratulated the members for their work on the Review and the new *Review of Florida Legislation*. The Law Review's founding Editor-in-Chief, Cass Vickers, was featured speaker for the event. The Tallahassee attorney regaled the audience with anecdotes from the early Law Review days and observations regarding the modern function of Law Reviews.

The following week, the College of Law and the Law Review hosted a reception at the top of the Capitol to introduce the *Review of Florida Legislation* to members of the Florida Legislature, legislative staff and the judiciary. Most of the authors and editors of the legislation edition were also in attendance and had an opportunity to discuss their works and the significance of the legislation edition with various state officials.



Justice Barkett

## Justice Rosemary Barkett Speaks To December Grads

Commencement exercises for the December 1985 College of Law graduating class were held on Saturday, December 14, 1985, at 11:00 AM in Opperman Music Hall. Justice Rosemary Barkett, the first woman to sit on the Supreme Court of Florida, was the featured speaker for the occasion. There were 73 persons receiving the J. D. degree. A reception for graduates, families and friends was held in Longmire Lounge immediately following the ceremony.

## Kutak Award Winner to Visit

Richardson W. Nahstoll will visit the College of Law in the Spring semester to team teach the Litigation Skills seminar with Professor Steven Goldstein.

Nahstoll was awarded the 1985 Robert J. Kutak Award for outstanding contribution to the improvement of legal education by the ABA Section of Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar.

Nahstoll has served as chairman of the Section, chairman of its Accreditation Committee, and president of the Oregon Bar Association. He is a fellow of the American Bar-Foundation and a former member of the ABA Committee on the Availability of Legal Services and of the ABA Special Committee to Study Legal Education.

Nahstoll received his Bachelor of Laws degree from the University of Michigan in 1946. He lectured at the Lewis and Clark College of Northwestern School of Law from 1951-1965, and was president of the Oregon State Bar from 1964-65. Nahstoll, presently Of Counsel with the Portland, Oregon, firm of Lindsay, Hart, Neil & Weigler, was one of the firm's founders.

# Faculty Notes



Christie

**Donna R. Christie** authored a new book, *Florida Coastal Law and Policy*, published in September by Florida Sea Grant and available from Sea Grant Program, 6022 McCarty Hall, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL 32611. Her article, "*Comparative Marine Resource Management and Environmental Assessment in the United States and Canada*," has been accepted by the *San Diego Law Review* for publication in their Annual Law of Sea issue. Professor Christie spoke on a panel on "Fee or Less Than Fee Land Acquisition" at the Tenth Annual Conference on Water Management in Florida on October 24, 1985. Professor Christie has been recommended for promotion and tenure by unanimous vote of the tenured faculty of the College of Law.



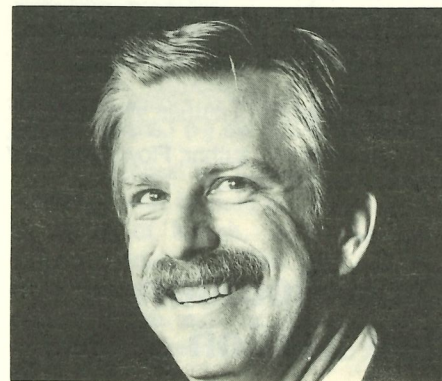
Davis

**John Davis** has been selected to participate in the 1985-86 class of Leadership Florida, an educational program of The Florida Chamber of Commerce Foundation, which offers a series of seminars to business and community leaders selected from throughout the state.



Dore

**Patricia A. Dore** has been appointed by Governor Graham to serve on the eighteen member Governor's Division of Administrative Hearings Study Committee, established to examine the problems resulting from the Division's growing caseload and to recommend ways to improve the impartiality, efficiency, and timelessness of administrative adjudication. Professor Dore served on a panel discussing Incipient Policy during The Florida Bar Administrative Law Section's seminar on Administrative Practice and Practical Aspects of Rulemaking and Rule Challenges held in Tallahassee on October 4, 1985.



Ehrhardt

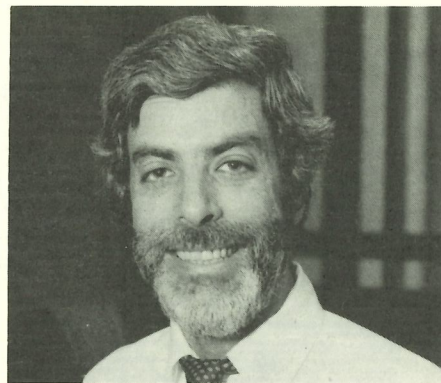
**Charles W. Ehrhardt** taught on the faculty of the "National Judicial College" in Reno, Nevada, this past summer. In early October, Professor Ehrhardt delivered a lecture on Evidence at the 1985 Circuit Judges Business Meeting and the Appellate Judges Educational Meeting, both held in Naples. Professor Ehrhardt regularly lectures to Florida judges on Evidence.

**Lee Goldman** has authored an article on "*Oligopoly Policy and the Ethyl*

*Case*" which has been accepted for publication in the Oregon Law Review.

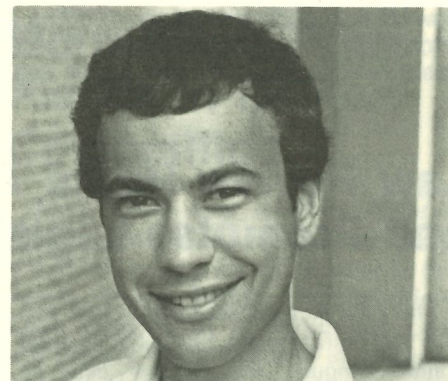


Goldman



Goldstein

**Steven Goldstein** has been appointed by the Board of Governors of The Florida Bar to the Florida Legal Services Board.



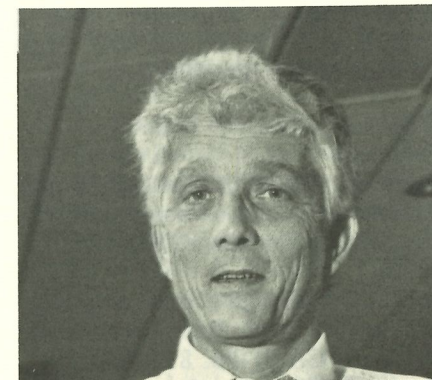
Hirsch

**Adam Hirsch** recently wrote a book review on "*Vengeance and Justice: Crime and Punishment in the 19th Century American South*" by Edward L. Ayers. The review appeared in Volume 3, *Law and History Review*, Spring 1985. Professor Hirsch will be speaking at the Law and American Culture Association Annual Conference in Atlanta in 1986 and will be on a panel discussing "new directions in American Legal History."



Jess

**Paul Jess** spoke at the Appellate Research Aides' Orientation Seminar held at the Florida Supreme Court on October 23, 1985. The topic of his talk was "*The Art of Legal Research*." The seminar is an annual event designed to orient those lawyers who have recently begun working as law clerks for Florida Supreme Court justices or District Court of Appeal judges. Other speakers at the seminar included Chief Justice Joseph A. Boyd, Jr. and Justice Ben F. Overton of the Florida Supreme Court, Judge Stephen H. Grimes of the Second District Court of Appeal, Judge Gavin Letts of the Fourth District Court of Appeal, and Professor John Fenstermaker of the FSU English Department.



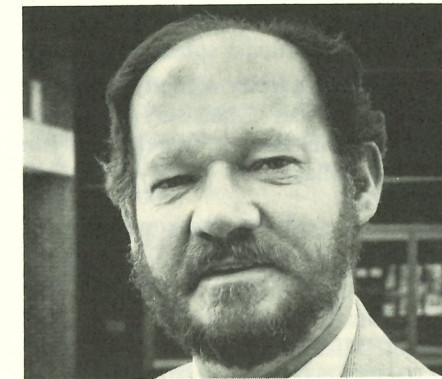
Kennedy

**Robert Kennedy** has accepted an invitation as Visiting Professor of Law at the University of Texas School of Law in Austin during the Spring Semester, 1986. He has been invited to give a paper at Pescara, Italy, in July during the Mediterranean IX Conference, sponsored by the University of Pescara, Dowling College and the Del Mar Foundation of Washington, D.C.

**Stephen R. MacNamara** lectured before the Florida School Boards Association during their October meeting in Tallahassee on the topic of "Legislation and Legislators."



MacNamara



Slagle

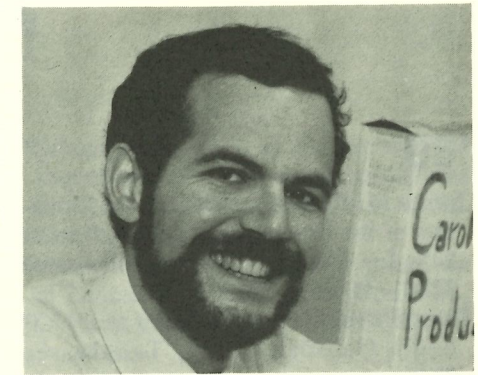
**Orin Slagle** will be a Law School Admissions Council representative on the Joint Committee on Bar Passage Policies.

**Phil Southerland** has been appointed by Governor Graham to a two-year term on the Human Rights Advocacy Committee for Florida State Hospital at Chattahoochee.



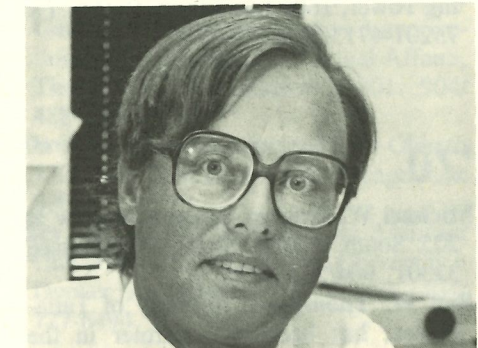
Southerland

**Nat Stern** is the author of an article, "*The Burger Court and the Diminishing Constitutional Rights of Minors*," which has been accepted for publication by the Arizona State Law Journal. Professor Stern has been recommended for promotion and tenure by unanimous vote of the tenured faculty of the College of Law.

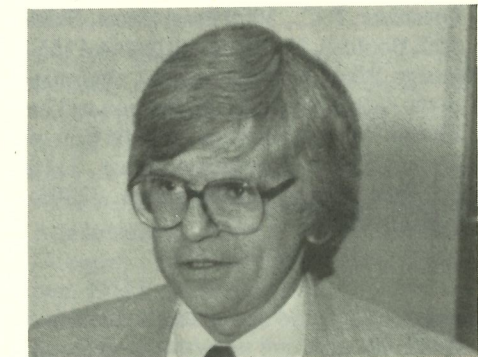


Stern

**Donald J. Weidner** has been appointed to the Commercial Panel of the American Arbitration Association. In November, Professor Weidner attended a meeting of the American Law Institute Tax Advisory Group in Washington, D.C.



Weidner



Yetter

**John F. Yetter** delivered lectures at the 1985 Circuit Judges Business Meeting and the Appellate Judges Educational Meeting, both held in Naples in early October. Professor Yetter regularly lectures to Florida judges on criminal law and procedure.

To ensure that the College of Law has your correct address, please write promptly regarding any address change to the Alumni Office, College of Law, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL 32306. In addition to your change of address, please include your telephone number(s).

# CLASS OF . . .

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**James M. Barclay** announces the formation of the firm of Barclay & Adams at 215 E. Virginia Street, Tallahassee 32301. 904/681-3233.

**Don Modesitt** is practicing law at 1715-B South Gadsden Street, Tallahassee 32301.

**Wayne S. Webb, Jr.** is associated with Office Systems Consultants, a Division of Webb, Inc., 1351 Thomasville Road, Tallahassee 32302.

**David Luther Woodward** has become associated with the firm of Brice, Mankoff & Barron, 4700-B Thanksgiving Tower, 1601 Elm Street, Dallas, TX 75201-4713. 214/754-0990.

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**Michael W. Dugger** is practicing law at 205 South Adams Street, Tallahassee 32301. 904/222-9075.

**Ben W. Thompson**, formerly of Tallahassee, has become a partner in the recently formed Colorado firm of Thompson, Koeberle, Moreland & Greschler, P.C., 3000 Pearl Street, Suite 100, Boulder, CO 80301. 303/444-1155.

**George Waas** recently became chairman of the Administrative Law Section of The Florida Bar. He practices with the firm of Slepín, Slepín, Lambert & Waas, 1114 E. Park Avenue, Tallahassee 32301. 904/224-5200.

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**J. Michael Hughes** is a partner in the firm of Mahoney, Adams, Milam, Surface & Grimsley, P.A., P. O. Box 4099, Jacksonville 32201. 904/354-1100.

**Thomas G. Pelham** announces the formation of the law firm of Culpepper, Pelham, Turner & Mannheimer, 300 East Park Avenue, Tallahassee 32302-3300. 904/681-6810.

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**Pat Dunn** is Executive Director of the Justice Administrative Commission of the State of Florida, 124 W. Jefferson, Tallahassee 32301. 904/488-2415.

**Milton A. Galbraith, Jr.**, is practicing as Milton A. Galbraith, Jr., P.A., 2250 Glades Road, Boca Raton 33431. 305/395-7505.

**William R. Northcutt** announces the relocation of the offices of Northcutt & Craig, P.A. to Atlantis Professional Center, Ste. 306, 2194 Highway A1A, Indian Harbour Beach 32937. 305/773-5320.

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**Douglas C. Kearney** recently joined the firm of Brice, Mankoff & Barron, 4700-B Thanksgiving Tower, 1601 Elm Street, Dallas, TX 75201-4713. 214/754-0990.

**Celeste H. Muir** has been appointed by Governor Bob Graham effective January 1986 as County Judge, Dade County, Metro Justice Building, 1351 N.W. 12th Street, Miami 33125.

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**S. Craig Kiser**, formerly general counsel to the Comptroller of the State of Florida, has become associated with the firm of Vickers & Muldoon, 424 E. Call Street, Tallahassee 32301. 904/224-0900.

**Nancy Linnan**, of Tallahassee, recently was appointed to the Board of Advisors of the Center for Professional Development and Public Service of Florida State University.

**Edwin J. Stacker** has become associated with the firm of Ruden, Barnett, McClosky, Schuster & Russell, P.A., 110 East Broward Boulevard, Fort Lauderdale, 33302. 305/764-6660.

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**Henry E. Davis** was appointed by Governor Graham in July as a member of the Ethics Commission. He is a member of the firm of Smith, Monroe & Washington, 5426 1 Norwood Avenue, Jacksonville 32208. 904/744-8347.

**Michael A. Fannon** is associated with the bond firm of Miller & Schroeder in Tallahassee. He resides at 4800 Mahan Drive, Tallahassee 32308. 904/878-6822.

**Roy L. Glass**, formerly with Goldner, Reams, Marger, et al. and Battaglia, Ross, Hastings & Dicus, has opened his office at 3000 66th St. North, Ste. B, St. Petersburg 33710. 813/381-1946.

**Robert S. Hightower** has joined the firm of McFarlain, Bobo, Sternstein, Wiley & Cassidy, P.A., as a shareholder and will head the tax department. The firm will continue to practice at Suite 666, First Florida Bank Building, Tallahassee 32301. 904/222-2107.

**A. Woodson Isom, Jr.**, announces the formation of the firm of A. Woodson Isom, Jr., P.A., 501 E. Kennedy Blvd., Ste. 1102, Tampa 33602-4933. 813/229-7998.

**Jeffrey R. Mazor**, formerly of Smith and Mandler, is now practicing as Jeffrey R. Mazor, Esq., The Landmark Center, Suite 125, 7771 West Oakland Park Boulevard, Fort Lauderdale 33321. 305/748-5633.

**William W. Montjoy**, formerly a partner in the Taylor and Montjoy law firm, has become Executive Director of the Florida Association of Rehabilitation Facilities, Inc., 124 West Jefferson Street, Tallahassee 32301. 904/224-3660.

**Marilyn B. Strauss** is Assistant County Attorney with the Dade County Attorney's Office, Ste. 2810, 111 N.W. 1st Street, Metro-Dade Center, Miami 33128. 305/375-5151.

**William H. Webster** is a partner in the firm of Henry, Buchanan, Mick & English, P.A., P. O. Box 478, Crawfordville 32327. 904/926-7663.

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**Lonnie N. Groot** is Assistant County Attorney in Seminole County, 1101 East First Street, Sanford 32771. 305/321-1130.

**Ray T. McCullough** is practicing corporate law at 1100 East Green Street, Pasadena, CA 91106. 818/795-0205.

**Charles G. Stephens**, formerly assistant general counsel of the Florida Department of Environmental Regulation, has become an associate of the firm of Peeples, Earl & Blank, P.A., in their Sarasota office, 1390 Main Street, Ste. 524, Sarasota 33577. 813/955-7863.

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**Carolyn S. Adams** is associated with the firm of Cobb & Cole, P. O. Box 191, Daytona Beach 32015. 305/255-8171.

**Silvia M. Alderman**, of Swann & Haddock in Tallahassee, was recently installed as Chairman-elect of the Environmental and Land Use Section of The Florida Bar.

**Elly Middlebrooks Dobbs** is associated with the firm of Parker, Hudson, Rainer, Dobbs & Kelly, 1200 Carnegie Building, 133 Carnegie Way, Atlanta, GA 30303. 404/523-5300.

**Edwin P. Krieger**, formerly a partner of Holland & Knight, has opened his offices for a civil trial practice at Sunset Station Plaza, 5975 Sunset Drive, Ste. 504, Miami 33143. 305/662-5005.

**Deborah J. Miller** has been selected by the Florida Chapter of American Medical Society on Alcoholism and Other Drug Dependencies to assist them in developing legislation. She is presently a private practitioner at 2121 Ponce de Leon Blvd., Ste. 450, Coral Gables 33134. 305/442-2416.

**Marlowe White**, formerly of Tallahassee, has opened his law practice at 708 N. Third Street, Jacksonville Beach 32250. 904/358-6939.

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**Robert C. Apgar** recently opened his practice as Law Offices of Robert C. Apgar, P.A., Ste. C, 2700 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee 32301. 904/877-8498.

**James Randolph Catlin** is practicing law in Jacksonville. His address is 1921 Woodmere Avenue, Jacksonville 32210. 904/388-1615.

**Leslie K. Dougall** has been promoted to supervising attorney of the Handicapped Law Center of Central Florida Legal Services in Cocoa.

**Ray P. Jefferies** has become a partner in the firm of Ernst & Whinney, 1 Beach Drive S.E., St. Petersburg 33701. 813/822-4021.

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**Bruce Barkett**, formerly of Tallahassee, is now Assistant County Attorney, Indian River County, 1840 25th Street, Vero Beach 32960.

**Ronald L. Bergwerk** announces the relocation of his offices to Suite 2537, Southern Bell Tower, 301 West Bay Street, Jacksonville 32202-4435. 904/353-1533.

**Thomas A. Cloud** of Orlando was recently installed as Secretary of the Environmental and Land Use Section of The Florida Bar.

**Robert C. Crabtree** has become a member of the firm of Fuller & Johnson, P.A., 300 East Park Avenue, Tallahassee 32301. 904/224-4663.

**Miranda Franks** has been elected to the Board of Directors of The Florida Chamber of Commerce. She is associated with the firm of Maguire, Voorhis & Wells, Two South Orange Plaza, Orlando 32802. 305/843-4421.

**Christopher L. Griffin** is completing a two year term as Florida's representative to the Executive Council of the American Bar Association Young Lawyers Division, and will also serve this year as the Division's Meetings Coordinator, Finance Committee Chairman, and member of the Long Range Planning Committee. He practices with Carlton, Fields, Ward, Emmanuel, Smith & Cutler, P.A., P. O. Box 3239, Tampa 33601. 813/223-7000.

**J. Craig Knox** has become a member of the firm of Fuller & Johnson, 300 East Park Avenue, Tallahassee 32301. 904/224-4663.

**Terry E. Lewis** of Tallahassee was recently elected to a two-year term on the executive council of the Environmental and Land Use Section of The Florida Bar.

**Douglas L. Mannheimer** announces the formation of the law firm of Culpepper, Pelham, Turner & Mannheimer, 300 East Park Avenue, Tallahassee 32302-3300. 904/681-6810.

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**Jeffrey H. Abrams** has become a shareholder in the firm of Brice, Mankoff & Barron, 4700-B Thanksgiving Tower, 1601 Elm Street, Dallas, TX 75201-4713. 214/754-0990.

**Charles N. Castagna**, formerly of Washington, D.C., has become associated with the firm of Battaglia, Ross, Hastings, Dicus & Andrews, 980 Tyrone Boulevard, St. Petersburg 33710. 813/381-2300.

**Mark Freund** has become an associate with the firm of Aurell, Fons, Radey & Hinkle, Ste. 1000, Monroe-Park Tower, 101 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee 32302. 904/681-7766.

**Theodore A. Gollnick** is Vice President of The National Trust Company, 2001 Siesta Drive, Sarasota 34277-5789. 813/957-1205.

**Scott B. Gorman** is practicing as Robert Gorman & Associates, P.C., 901 Spruce Street, Philadelphia, PA 19107. 215/627-4441.

**Francine Snitzer Landau** is a partner in the firm of Inman and Landau, P.A., 2252 Gulf Life Tower, Jacksonville 32202. 904/396-2537.

**Richard Patterson** is an attorney with the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services, 1323 Winewood Blvd., Tallahassee 32301.

**Ronald K. Zimmet** is a partner in the firm of Zimmet & Quarles, P. O. Box 1788, Daytona Beach 32015. 904/257-6046.

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**Wayne L. Helsby** is associated with the new Orlando office of Hogg, Allen, Ryce, Norton & Blue, P.A., Barnett Bank Plaza, Ste. 740, 201 Orange Ave., Orlando 32801. 305/843-0437.

**Clark R. Jennings** is Assistant Attorney General in the Administrative Law Section of the Department of Legal Affairs, The Capitol, Tallahassee 32301. 904/488-1891.

**David A. King** has relocated from Ohio to 1320 Bear Run Boulevard, Orange Park 32073.

**Rev. T. Glenn Mitchell** is Assistant University Chaplain, Emory University - Drawer A, Atlanta, GA 30322. 404/727-6494.

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**Paul R. (Jay) Adams** announces the opening of the offices of Barclay & Adams at 215 E. Virginia Street, Tallahassee 32301. 904/681-3233.

**Mary Lynn Bujnowski** is Assistant Regional Counsel, Regional Reinsurance Administrator, Safeco Title Insurance Company, 1216 Oakfield Drive, Brandon 33511. 813/689-5100.

**Randolph Collette** has been promoted to the rank of Major in the U.S. Air Force and serves as Director of Military Justice. He has been transferred to Headquarters, Air University at Maxwell Air Force Base, Montgomery, Alabama.

**Lesley Friedsam** is associated with the firm of Levine, Friedman, Hirsch & Levinson, 725 E. Kennedy Boulevard, Tampa 33602. 813/229-6585.

**D. Lloyd Monroe, IV**, is associated with Fuller & Johnson, 111 North Calhoun Street, Tallahassee 32302-1739. 904/224-4663.

**Dr. Allen Z. Paul** serves as Administrative Dean, Lake-Sumter Community College, Leesburg 32788.

**John C. Pelham** has become associated with the firm of Vickers & Muldoon, 424 E. Call Street, Tallahassee 32301. 904/224-0900.

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**Joseph M. Diaz** is a partner in the firm of Diaz, Athan & Dee, P.A., 101 South Franklin Street, Suite 100, Tampa 33602. 813/221-2202.

**Kevin S. Doty** is practicing with Sherman N. Smith, III, Attorney at Law, 886 Dahlia Lane, Vero Beach 32963-1929. 305/ 231-5500.

**Lisa Pitts Dunham** has moved to 2011 Lansdown, Carrollton, TX 75007.

**Scott Itkin** is now District Counsel for Internal Revenue, P. O. Box 57291, Atlanta, GA 30343-1291. 404/221-6073.

**Carla Lunetta** serves as Staff Attorney for the House Education Committee, 228 House Office Building, Tallahassee 32301.

**Emily Moore** has been promoted to Acting Project Director For Senior Citizens Advocacy Project, Florida Rural Legal Services, 2209 Euclid Avenue, Fort Myers 33901. 813/ 334-4554.

**Sarah Nall** is an attorney with the Department of Community Affairs, 2571 Executive Center Circle, Tallahassee 32301. 904/488-0410.

**Peter Ramsberger** has become associated with the firm of Whittemore & Campbell, P.A., 1 Beach Drive, S.E., Ste. 205, St. Petersburg 33701. 813/821-8752.

**Louise Toole Ramsay** is an attorney in the Department of Labor & Employment Security, Suite 117, Montgomery Bldg., 2562 Executive Center Circle, East, Tallahassee 32301. 904/ 488-9370.

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**Thomas M. Alford**, formerly of Alabama, has returned to Tallahassee at 1824 West Tharpe St., #D, Tallahassee 32303-4444.

**Steven M. Blount** is a partner in the firm of McBee & Blount, Courthouse Square, Winchester, TN 37398. 615/967-1715.

**Laura P. Gaffney**, formerly of Tallahassee, has moved to 2052 S.E. Jackson Street, Stuart 33497.

**Alan M. Grunspan** is now a member of the newly formed firm of Edward A. Kaufman, P.A., Ste. 4950, Southeast Financial Center, 200 S. Biscayne Blvd., Miami 33131.

**Carolyn Stone Holifield** has assumed the position of Attorney for the Leon County School System, W. Pensacola Street, Tallahassee 32304.

**Bruce McKibben** has become General Counsel for the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services, 1323 Winewood Boulevard, Bldg. 1, Room 407, Tallahassee 32301.

**Michael M. Metz** has become associated with Philip L. Burnett, P.A., 2449 1st Street, Fort Myers 33902. 813/334-1922.

**Kevin J. O'Donnell** has accepted the position of Associate Public Counsel, Public Counsel's Office, 202 Blount Street, Room 624, Crown Bldg., Tallahassee 32301. 904/488-9330.

**Catharine Olwert** has moved from Jacksonville to 11685 8 Lane North, #6, St. Petersburg 33577.

**James M. Porter** is an associate with Squire, Sanders & Dempsey, 3000 Miami Center, 100 Chopin Plaza, Miami 33131. 305/577-8700.

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**Karen Brodeen** is an attorney with the U. S. Navy and resides at 6880 W. Fairfield Drive, #26, Pensacola 32506.

**Scott DeLeve** is associated with the firm of Atwater & Fagan, 335 E. Bay Street, Jacksonville 32202. 904/358-2011.

**Amy L. Diem** is an attorney with the West Palm Beach Attorney General's Office, Department of Legal Affairs, 111 Georgia Avenue, Ste. 204, West Palm Beach 33401. 305/837-5062.

**Suellen Fagin** has moved to 4537 Gilpin Way, Orlando 32806.

**Steve Ferst** has become associated with Roberts, Baggett, LaFace & Richard, P. O. Drawer 1838, Tallahassee 32302. 904/222-6891.

**M. Lynn Futch** is associated with Pyszka, Kessler, Massey, Weldon, Catri, Holton & Douberley, 100 Blackstone Bldg., 707 Southeast Third Avenue, Fort Lauderdale 33316. 305/463-8593.

**Rhoda P. Glasco** is an attorney with the Florida Department of Community Affairs, 2571 Executive Center Circle, East, Tallahassee 32301. 904/488-0410.

**John Hedrick** is an attorney with the Orange/Osceola Public Defender's Office, 250 N. Orange Avenue, Orlando 32801. 305/420-3109.

**Michelle Heller** is an attorney with the Ocala State Attorney's Office, County Office Bldg., Third Floor, 19 N.W. Pine Avenue, Ocala 32670. 904/622-0352.

**Lisa Hewes Inns** has become an associate with the firm of Freeman & Hawkins, 2800 First Atlanta Tower, Atlanta, GA 30383. 404/522-0856.

**Thomas Kinsella** is associated with the Office of State Attorney, Thirteenth Judicial Circuit, Courthouse Annex, Tampa 33602. 813/272-5400.

**Sandra Manson** has joined the staff of the Public Defender's Office, 18th Judicial Circuit, 300 N. Park Avenue, Sanford 32771. 305/322-6814.

**Michael Minot** has become an associate with the firm of Potter, McClelland, Griffith & Jones, P.A., 605 South Palm Avenue, Titusville 32781-0037.

**Gregory P. Nelson** has become an associate with the firm of Squire, Sanders & Dempsey, Miami Center, 100 Chopin Plaza, Miami 33130.

**Wayne Pathman** has become associated with Fuller & Feingold, 802 Flagship Bank Bldg., 1111 Lincoln Road Mall, Miami Beach 33139. 305/538-6483.

**James Bradford Permar** is a sole practitioner at 259 Fourth Avenue North, St. Petersburg 33701. 813/894-4468.

**Suzanne Preston** recently accepted the position of judicial clerk to U. S. Magistrate Elizabeth Jenkins, U. S. District Court, Middle District of Florida, U. S. Courthouse, Tampa 33601. 813/228-2105.

**Larry Schner** is associated with the law firm of Lavallo, Wochna, Rutherford & Brown, P.A., 3785 No. Federal Highway, Boca Raton 33429-1138. 305/391-7040.

**Rebecca L. Shaffer** has relocated to 1456 Rodgers Street, Clearwater 33516.

**David Shapiro** is an associate with Rahdert, Anderson & Richardson, 233 3rd Street North, St. Petersburg 33701.

**Kathleen Stover** is an attorney with the Office of Public Defender, P. O. Box 671, Tallahassee 32302. 904/ 488-2458.

**David Taylor** has relocated to 2602 Treehouse Parkway, Norcross, GA 30093.

**Esther Yip** has moved to 1215 Alderman Road East, Jacksonville 32211.

### IN MEMORIAM

Eduardo Posado  
Coral Gables. Class of 1977.  
Died June 10, 1984.

### Missing Alumni

H. L. Capadano, III	6/79
William B. Godwin	6/74
Dana K. Harden	6/80
Stephen C. Johnson	6/79
Peter Kastenzholz	12/83
Kathy N. Luttrell	
Eddie Quigg	6/80
Carlton D. Scarlett	8/76
John R. Sherry	6/75
Michael L. Trombetta	3/77
W. F. Whitlock, III	12/71

## Admissions Update

While it is still early in the admissions cycle, the Admissions Office has noted that applications received to date are up from this same time last year. Also, the quality of applicants continues to be high. It is especially pleasing to note the increase in the number of minority applicants so far this year.

On November 9, 1985, a workshop for potential minority law school applicants was sponsored by BLSA. The purpose of the workshop was to familiarize applicants with the admissions process and procedures, and to answer questions about Florida State College of Law and law schools in general. Professor Weidner conducted a mini-class for the participants. Approximately 25 minority applicants attended.

## WLS Provides Wide Range of Activities

Alumni have been extremely helpful in recommending quality applicants, and you are encouraged to continue to recruit qualified persons for admission. Applicants will need letters of evaluation, and you may be asked to assist with these also.

The Women's Law Society (until recently known as the Women's Law Symposium) is most widely known for giving interest-free 90-day student loans and conducting annual auctions of faculty-donated services. This year, in addition, WLS is sponsoring numerous programs, ranging from the Hon. Winifred Wentworth's reflections on the life of an appeals judge to a panel discussion on professional clothing styles. A quarterly newsletter has been started, and revision of the constitution and loan collections procedures is underway.

The Mentor Program which matches lawyers with interested students and advanced students with new students has been renewed. This program provides assistance to students who need encouragement or advice. If you have not yet received that hesitant phone call from your "mentee," don't despair. Due to overwhelming alumni response, more time is needed to match students with attorneys. Your willingness and patience are appreciated.

The new faculty advisor for WLS is Joyce Davis, Legal Writing Instructor and 1976 graduate of the College of Law. Officers are: Kim Fitzpatrick, President; Anne-Marie Lindsey, Vice-President; Lolly Anderson, Secretary; Kristen Allman, Treasurer and New Loan Officer. Program Director is Bib Willis, and Old Loan Collector is Janet Findling. Marie Mattox heads the Constitution Revision Committee, and Therese Pine is Publicity Coordinator.

This is an excellent opportunity to interview law students from all five law schools plus experienced young lawyers. If you have any questions, please call Elora Harwood at the College of Law Placement Office, 904/644-4495.

## Placement Update

### Record Number of Employers Visit Campus This Fall

The Placement Office is pleased to report that a record number of employers visited the College of Law in the Fall Semester to recruit law students for both permanent positions and summer associate positions. A total of 96 employers interviewed approximately 160 second and third year students. The bar graph shown on this page indicates the increase in number of on-campus recruiters over the past few years.

visited with the employers at a wine and cheese reception on Friday evening.

This year's conference expanded to include additional firms from West Florida: Beggs and Lane of Pensacola, Burke & Blue and Sale, Brown & Smoak of Panama City, and Law Offices of Dana C. Matthews of Destin. Several students made return visits to some of the firms. Positive results are expected from the conference.

### YLS Job Fair Set for Mid-Year Bar Meeting

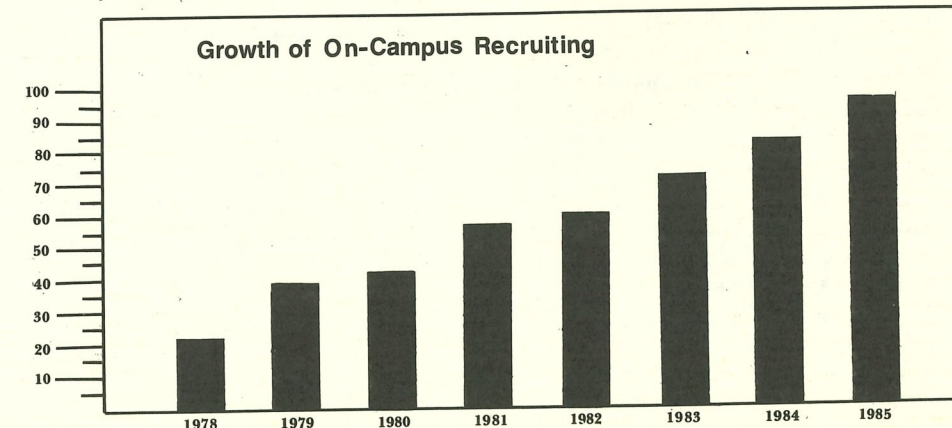
Employers are urged to participate in the Young Lawyers Section Job Fair 1986. The Job Fair will be held during the Mid-Year Bar Convention, January 24 and 25, 1986, at the Orlando Marriott Inn in Orlando, Florida. Registration forms are available in the October 1 issue of **The Florida Bar News** or may be obtained from Michael P. Walsh, Esquire, P. O. Drawer 3626, West Palm Beach, FL 33402, or from any Placement Director at one of the five Florida law schools. Although the deadline for registration was December 20, 1985, late registrants may contact Mr. Walsh during the first week of January concerning registration.

A large number of the law firms who visit are from the Orlando and Tampa areas, but there are an increasing number of firms from Miami and Atlanta. In addition, many medium and small firms from cities such as Pensacola, Jacksonville and Tallahassee are beginning to use the on-campus recruitment process to meet their hiring needs.

As always, it has been a pleasure to serve those firms and employers who have visited the law school. The opportunity to see alumni who return as interviewers is welcomed also. To all of you who have visited, interviewed, and expressed your appreciation in so many ways, we extend our thanks. We look forward to seeing you in the Spring Semester or again next Fall.

### Successful Gulf Coast Conference Held at Destin

In September, the Gulf Coast Recruiting Conference was forced by Hurricane Elena to move from Gulf Shores to the Sandestin Hilton. This proved to be a lovely location for the gathering of 13 firms/employers and approximately 50 students from both Cumberland School of Law and FSU College of Law. The FSU students had a total of 41 interviews on Saturday, September 21. In addition, they





## Push A Button, File A Case?—It's Possible

(Reprinted from *The Florida Bar News*, September 15, 1985; by Gary Blankenship, Associate Editor)

It's near the end of a hectic day at a South Florida law office, and the hour for filing court cases and appeals is approaching.

Sitting at a personal computer, a member of the firm reviews the final draft of a brief, pushes a few buttons and files the document with the state Supreme Court in Tallahassee.

A few desks away, another attorney uses another personal computer and in seconds files for an emergency hearing on a civil case with the local circuit court. Pushing a couple more buttons, he notifies opposing counsel of the action.

A few buildings up the street in another law office, a lawyer at a personal computer checks with a district court of appeal for progress of one of her appeals. Finding no change, she scans the dockets of other appellate courts around the state checking for decisions on a number of similar pending cases.

Sound farfetched?

Not at all, according to Florida State University Law School Dean Talbot (Sandy) D'Alemberte and Tom Johnson of the Supreme Court's Justice Data Center. According to the two, the technology is here and putting it to use in the court system would have lawyers pushing buttons instead of pushing through traffic jams and lines in court clerk offices to file and research cases.

Johnson and D'Alemberte demonstrated a pilot computer program for filing briefs, retrieving information from court files and handling legal documents at a special presentation August 22. Attending were Supreme Court Justices Raymond Ehrlich, James C. Adkins and Leander J. Shaw, Jr., as well as several judges from the First District Court of Appeal, other judicial officials and university representatives.

**THE PROJECT**, called the "paperless appeal," was the idea of D'Alemberte and was approved by the high court. Johnson wrote the actual program for the demonstration.

"We looked at electronic transfer of the information judges need to decide a case," D'Alemberte said. "The Florida Board of Regents has a communication system with state universities. We are now looking at that same type of information transfer that might be of use to lawyers. . .

"We're about to show this to some lawyers and try to get them involved in the

experiment you [The Supreme Court] authorized."

D'Alemberte said the experiment will be an actual Supreme Court appeal with the necessary documents filed by computer. In the first test cases, duplicate documents will also be filed in the normal manner, to detect problems. The first cases will also likely use the existing Board of Regents computer system, with Johnson's program, he said.

"The technology exists to do all this today," Johnson said, adding his program would work on personal computers found in most legal offices.

The system would allow lawyers to file cases and appeals, send notices and check court case files using computers and regular phone lines. It would also allow judges to "put in what they want seen and make it available," he said.

Johnson cautioned his demonstration program was only the beginning of what could be done with legal computers.

"For every one thing I put in the system, I see 10 more that would be nice and people who see it give me 10 more ideas," he said. "In the long run, I think we're going to be looking at doing something like this. It's only a matter of when."

**THE ADVANTAGES** of such a system, according to D'Alemberte, include cost and time savings for lawyers, quicker access to court cases, faster filings and shorter lines in court clerk offices. He said potential savings for clerks have not been fully studied, but could include faster processing and less paperwork to file and handle.

Further studies of the system will include social, legal, political and costs factors, he said.

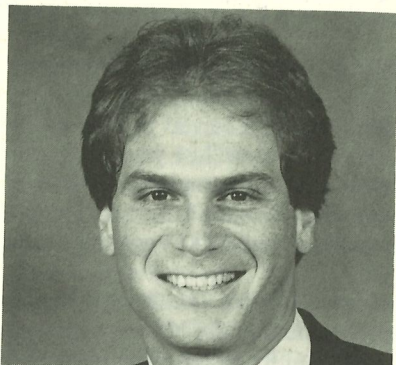
Such a system would also put Florida in the forefront of judicial streamlining, D'Alemberte said, noting, "So far as we know, no court anywhere in the nation does this."

He added frequently two law firms collaborating on a case now communicate over computers.

The judges at the demonstration expressed approval of the proposal.

"It's very interesting, it's worth exploring," Ehrlich said. "We don't close the doors on anything."

"I think it's a move toward the future," Shaw said. "The law school should be commended for taking a step in this direction. It's something most law firms can use. It's very innovative, it's the wave of the future."



Spulak

## Spulak Promoted to Staff Director Of House Rules Committee

Thomas J. Spulak, a 1982 graduate of the College of Law, relocated to Washington, D. C. shortly after his graduation. He has been serving as general counsel on the House Rules Committee which is chaired by Rep. Claude Pepper, D-Fla. Recently, Spulak was promoted to Staff Director of the Committee. He also continues his position as general counsel.

A member of the Board of Directors of the College of Law Alumni Association, Tom remains interested in the law school and its goals. He recently visited with faculty and alumni during a visit to Tallahassee for the FSU Homecoming Weekend and the traditional Oysters on the Lawn Party.

## Maguire, Voorhis & Wells Funds Moot Court Competition

The Orlando law firm of Maguire, Voorhis & Wells has announced the contribution of \$5,000 annually for a minimum of three years to sponsor the Freshman Moot Court Competition at the College of Law. The Competition will be the highlight of the first-year legal writing program and will be utilized in the selection of members to the moot court team. Two prominent alumni, Carl Motes, former President of the College of Law Alumni Association, and Miranda Franks, a member of the National Championship Labor Law Moot Court Team, are partners in the firm.



Professor Ehrhardt addresses students, alumni, faculty, and friends who crowded the lounge during the Awards Day ceremony.



Receiving James Harold Thompson Scholarships were (l-r) Katheryn Price, Eduardo Suarez, Mike Perkins, Brenda Colley and Susan Kerce.



Don Thompson accepts the Ervin, Varn, Jacobs, Odom and Kitchen Scholarship Award presented on behalf of the firm by Robert Ervin, Jr. and Tom Ervin.



The Florida Administrative Practice Book Award, sponsored by the firm of Perkins & Collins, was presented by Robert Perkins to Douglas Roberts.

## First Awards Day Held In November

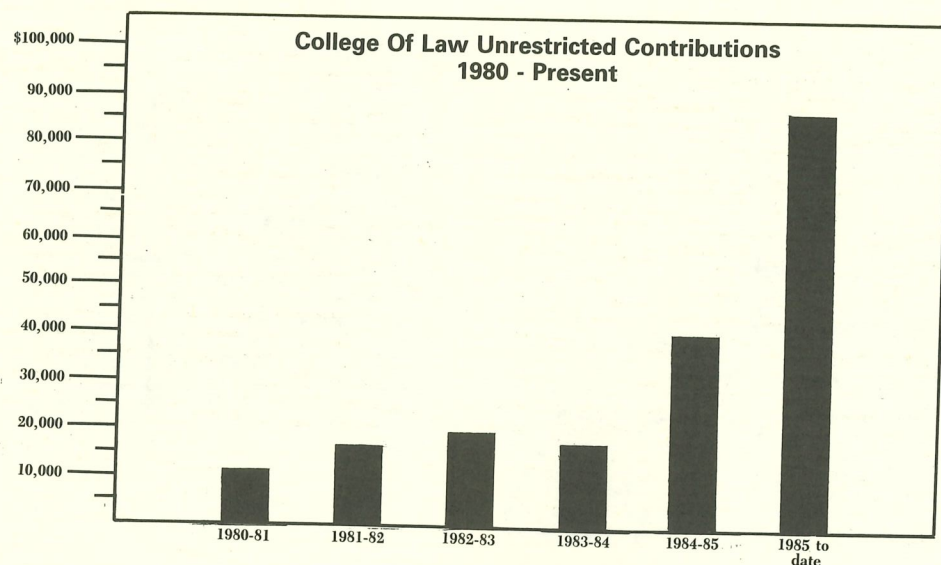
More than 300 students attended the first annual Awards and Scholarship Day sponsored by the College of Law on November 27, 1985. The ceremony, which took place in the Student Lounge on the final day of classes, was also attended by alumni recipients and scholarship sponsors.

Scholarships exceeding \$15,000 were distributed at the ceremony. Cash prizes for Sponsored Book Awards were given to eleven students.

The Alumni Medal of Merit, ordered minted by the Alumni Board of Directors, was awarded for 129 graded courses for academic year 1984-1985. Over a hundred individuals received the medals. These will continue to be given in the future for the individual making the highest grade in any graded course taught at the College of Law.



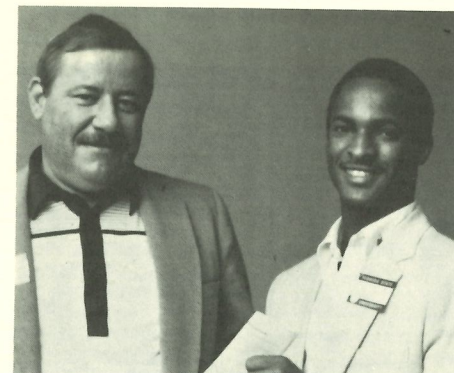
Many of those receiving the Alumni Medal of Merit Posed with Dean D'Alemberte and Dean Yetter immediately following the Awards Day ceremony.



## Scholarships Awarded By College of Law

A minimum of \$42,000 in scholarships will be given by the College of Law during the 1985-86 academic year. Over \$15,000 of this money was distributed on Awards and Scholarship Day, November 27, at a champagne celebration in the student lounge. Five \$1000 James Harold Thompson Scholarships went to Michael Perkins, Eduardo Suarez, Brenda Colley, Susan Kerce and Kathryn Price. The \$1500 Ervin, Varn, Jacobs, Odom & Kitchen award went to Donald Thompson who had the highest grade point average of any applicant. Reggie Luster received the Alumni Scholarship.

Other scholarship recipients were Harry Hackney, Scott Raft, Howard Scheiner, Matt Steffey, Mark Yeslow, Peter Arnold, Paul Chervenok, Michael Benjamin and Robert Paradela - Ralph R. Bailey Scholarships; Donna Sessions Waters - Paul



Reginald Luster was the happy recipient of the Alumni Scholarship which was presented to him by Board Member Donald Gifford at the Alumni Reunion Weekend.

Shelly Scholarship; Meredith Charbula - Eugene Tubbs Scholarship; Michael Murburg - Sandra Barr Scholarship; Melissa Arony - Guyte McCord Scholarship; Nan Udell - Jo Standley Scholarship; Nancy Lauten - Nathan Bedell Scholarship.

Scholarships to be distributed before June 30, 1986, are the Blank-Miller Scholarship, the Isom-Rickert Family Scholarship, the Alumni Annual Giving Scholarships, the Neil Chonin Scholarship and additional Ralph Bailey Scholarships.

### Status of Scholarship Accounts

	Balance as of 10-31-85	Endowment minimum
Bailey	\$156,003.68	\$150,000.00
Thompson	70,590.43	62,500.00
Shelley	12,145.80	10,500.00
Tubbs	8,575.00	6,875.00
Alumni	6,472.53	5,500.00
McCord	5,699.84	5,500.00
Barr	5,500.00	5,500.00
Bedell/Standley	5,500.00	5,500.00
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$270,487.28</b>	<b>\$251,875.00</b>

## Contributions Approach The \$100,000 Mark

Unrestricted contributions to the College of Law are approaching the \$100,000 mark for the first time in the school's history. We have already raised more money in the first six months of this fiscal year than was raised in the past three previous years.

Alumni giving is up almost six times over the 1983-84 fiscal year, and faculty giving is up over ten times during the same period. The faculty participates 100% in the giving program.

The funds will go to scholarships and awards (25% minimum of all monies raised), faculty recruitment, student recruitment, continuing legal education, research, speakers programs, student organizations, placement and other areas not receiving state money. The contributions have made a tremendous impact on improving the College in many respects.

There are still six months left in our fiscal year, and alumni are encouraged to participate either in the Annual Giving Drive or as Book Award sponsors.

## FSU Law Review Completes Special Legislation Issue

The Florida State University Law Review has announced the completion of its first annual **Review of Florida Legislation**. This special edition of the Law Review offers an in-depth examination and analysis of some of the major issues considered by the Florida Legislature during the 1985 legislative session. The culmination of over a year's efforts, the legislation edition was completed in time to be the focal point of a November 1, CLE program on Recent Legislation and Judicial Changes in Selected Areas of the Law.

Subjects addressed in the **Review of Florida Legislation** include growth management, child care regulation reform, The Marketable Record Title Act, establishment of a statewide prosecutor, the use of legislative history in statutory construction, a statewide lottery, and several other timely topics.

Copies of the **Review of Florida Legislation** can be obtained by subscribing to the Law Review (\$20) or by specially ordering the legislation edition (\$10). Contact the Managing Editor, FSU Law Review, 235 College of Law, Tallahassee, FL 32306, (904)644-2045.

## Faculty Funds Law Journal

In October, the College of Law faculty voted to allocate funds to the **Journal of Land Use and Environmental Law**. The **Journal** staff was extremely pleased to receive this additional showing of support.

The **Environmental Law Reporter** is noting the **Journal** in its Literature section which should lead to additional attention by courts and scholars throughout the nation.

The final issue of the **Journal's** first volume is scheduled for publication in December and will include the winning paper from the American Planning Association Planning & Law Division's national competition. Other topics to be covered include restitution of environmental damage, the crisis of petroleum tank storage, individual property rights and the social interest, and environmental clean up through constitutional amendment.

The Editorial Board of the **Journal** is pleased to announce the election of the 1986 Executive Committee: Editor-in-Chief - Marshall J. Osofsky; Executive Editor - Steven Leifman; Managing Editor - Robyn A. Deen; and Associate Editor - Franklin J. Graham.

The outgoing Editorial Board would like to thank the FSU alumni for their continuing support. Those alumni wishing to continue to contribute to the financial support of the **Journal** may do so by making donations to the FSU Foundation-Law on behalf of the **Journal of Land Use and Environmental Law**. It is this type of support that is responsible for the large measure of success thus far enjoyed by the **Journal**.

## Law Students Selected to Who's Who

Mary Ann Morgan and Sandra Coulter were recently selected for "Who's Who Among American Law Students" for 1985. Both are third year law students.

Morgan, of Orlando, is a member of the American Bar Association, Law Student Division. Coulter, of Tallahassee, is a member of the ABA Law Student Division, Labor and Employment, and also is on the forum committee on the Entertainment and Sports industries. She was also selected for "Who's Who" in 1984.



Bedell

## Bedell Appointed as Director of Student Affairs

Elizabeth Bedell, B.A., M.S., Ph.D., joined the College of Law Administration as Director of Student Affairs in August. Dr. Bedell is a licensed psychologist and has completed post doctoral work at Bryn Mawr and the Rudolf Dreikurs Summer Institute in Switzerland. She has been on the faculty of Boston University and was an academic administrator for five years at the Florida Board of Regents directly prior to her appointment at the College of Law.

As Director of Student Affairs, Dr. Bedell is in charge of non-academic counseling, financial aid, scholarships, student organizations and special projects.



Daniels

## Daniels Hired As Extern Coordinator

Nancy Daniels, a 1977 honors graduate of the FSU College of Law, has been hired to coordinate the extern program. Currently, law students extern in seventeen different clinical programs, ranging from the Appellate Public Defender to the Supreme Court of Florida. During the summer semester, as many as 70 FSU

## Voelcker Hired As Video Production Assistant

Carl Voelcker, who received his M.A. in Speech Communication from Auburn University in 1984, has been hired by the College of Law to develop the video aspect of the law school. Many alums may not know that the law school presently has a considerable video capability, including split-screen and other special effects. The new courtroom has a seven-camera switched taping operation, and at the Supreme Court of Florida, the school's own two-camera switched taping operation has been recording courtroom proceedings since the beginning of 1985. The school also has two portable taping setups and eight video recorders—in all, over \$100,000 worth of video equipment.

Until Sandy D'Alemberte enticed him into coming to Tallahassee, Mr. Voelcker had been Supervisor of Radio and Television Services at Auburn University since 1979. His duties there included writing, producing, editing and serving as on-camera talent for television news features. He has also been a feature reporter, anchor, producer, cinematographer, and talk show host for television stations in Jacksonville and Miami, as well as heading his own motion picture production company from 1974 to 1976.

At the College of Law, Mr. Voelcker will develop instructional materials, adapt the Supreme Court tapes into broadcast material, produce newspots to promote the law school, videotape continuing legal education courses, seminars, and classroom lectures, and experiment with student video resumes.

students may be externing in Public Defender or State Attorney offices around the State.

Ms. Daniels was the note editor of the FSU Law Review and clerked for former District Court of Appeal Judge Robert Smith after graduation. She was an Assistant Public Defender with the Second Judicial Circuit for six years, first with the Appeals Division, and, until her December appointment at the College of Law, with the Trial Division.

Ms. Daniels will prepare students for externing by teaching Criminal Clinical Orientation and will visit students in the field to evaluate both their performance and the supervision they receive.

## Visiting Faculty Member Butler Teaches in Spring

Associate Professor Katharine (Kay) Inglis Butler from the University of South Carolina School of Law will visit the College of Law next semester to teach a section of Civil Procedure and a seminar in voting rights. Professor Butler has been teaching courses in Civil Procedure, Evidence, Trusts and Estates and Voting Rights at USC since 1978. At USC, she directs a Skills Enhancement Program which she designed to improve the academic performance of specially admitted minority students.

Professor Butler received her J.D. in 1974 from the University of Tennessee where she was a member of the Tennessee Law Review. She graduated second in her class and stayed at Tennessee for a year as a Legal Writing Instructor. She was a faculty member of the CLEO Institute during the summers of 1975 and 1976 at the University of Richmond and the University of Mississippi, respectively.

Professor Butler's particular interest is

in civil and voting rights. She was a trial attorney with the Civil Rights Division of the Department of Justice, Voting Section, from October 1975 to August 1978. Her duties included the litigative and administrative enforcement of federal voting rights statutes. Since 1984, Professor Butler has been a consultant to the United States Commission on Civil Rights Reapportionment Project and a member of the State Advisory Committee (South Carolina) to the United States Commission on Civil Rights. She is also a special advisor to the Committee's Study of Black Political Participation in South Carolina. Professor Butler has been a consultant since 1978 in cases involving Voting Rights Act litigation for Sumter County, South Carolina; South Carolina State Senate; City of Sarasota, Florida; and Darlington County, South Carolina.

Her interest in voting rights is reflected by her most recent publications: *The Majority Vote Requirement: The Case Against Its Wholesale Elimination*, 17 *Urban Lawyer* 441 (1985), and "Voting Rights Under the Reagan Administration" (with Charles S. Bullock, III) in T. Yarborough (Ed.) *Civil Rights Under the Reagan Administration* (1985).

## Former DePaul Dean To Visit In Spring

Some thirty years ago, Elwin Griffith left his native island of Barbados to pursue a degree in Modern Languages at Long Island University in New York. The bitter cold of his first winter was a rude introduction to North America. Although Professor Griffith has long since mastered the art of wintering, he is looking forward to visiting the College of Law in the Spring 1986 semester to teach Commercial Paper and Immigration Law.

Learning to deal with freezing temperatures did not, however, prevent Professor Griffith from distinguishing himself as a scholar in the United States. He received his undergraduate degree in 1960 and went on to earn his J.D. in 1963 at Brooklyn Law School and LL.M. (International Law) at New York University in 1964.

Professor Griffith was in part-time private practice for nine years while also acting as assistant counsel to organizations such as the Chase Manhattan Bank and the Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association. He was an assistant professor at Cleveland State University College of Law in 1968, and an associate professor and associate dean at Drake University College of Law from 1972-73.

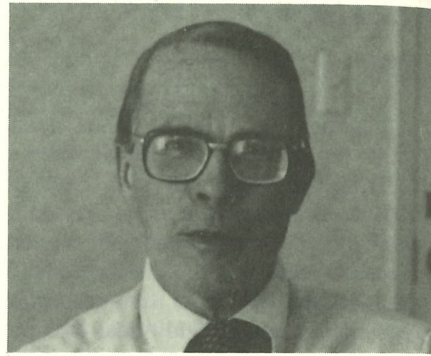
In 1973, Professor Griffith joined the University of Cincinnati as a full-time faculty member. He became one of the

first blacks to be appointed dean of a predominantly white U.S. institution when he became the Dean of DePaul University College of Law in 1978.

Professor Griffith has published widely in the areas of commercial law and immigration law. His most recent publication is *Reforming the Immigration and Nationality Act: Labor Certification, Adjustment of Status, the Reach of Deportation, and Entry by Fraud*, 17 *Michigan Journal of Law Reform* 265 (1984). He was admitted to the New York State Bar in 1963, and was a National Urban League Visiting Professor for the 1971-76 Lecture Series.

## New Law Review Editors Elected

The members of the Florida State University Law Review recently elected the Editorial Board which will guide the Review through its 14th year of publication. New editors for the 1986 school year are: Editor-in-Chief, David L. Powell; Executive Editor, Patrick T. Bergin; Research Editor, J. Stanley Chapman; Articles and Notes Editors, Osmer D. Batchellor, Kenneth E. Keech, Lansing C. Scriven, and Lu Ann Snider.



Cunningham

## Harvard Grad To Teach In 1987

Professor Roger A. Cunningham will be a visiting faculty member at the College of Law during the Spring 1987 semester. Professor Cunningham has been a professor at Michigan since 1959.

Professor Cunningham received his J.D. from Harvard University in 1948. He was associated with Nutter, McClellan and Fish in Boston before returning to Harvard as a Teaching Fellow from 1949-50. Before joining the faculty of Michigan in 1959, Professor Cunningham was an assistant professor at George Washington (1950-54), and assistant professor (1954-57) and professor (1957-59) at Rutgers.

Professor Cunningham specializes in property law and has taught courses in Land Use Planning, Personal Property, Real Estate Transactions and Real Property.

## Philosophy Chairman Alan Mabe to Teach Jurisprudence

Dr. Alan R. Mabe, Professor and Chair of the FSU Department of Philosophy, will teach a seminar in jurisprudence at the College of Law this Spring.

One goal of the FSU College of Law is to promote more faculty interaction between the College and other University departments. During the Fall Semester, 1985, Dr. David Rasmussen of the Department of Economics taught "Microeconomics for Lawyers" and Dr. Winsor Schmidt, FSU Department of Public Administration, taught a seminar in mental health law; in exchange, Assistant Dean Stephen R. MacNamara of the College of Law taught a course in communication law for the FSU Department of Communication, and Gail Rein-

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## Rosenthal to Visit In Spring Semester

Professor Alan Rosenthal will visit the College of Law during the Spring 1986 semester to teach a course in legislative process. Rosenthal is director of the Eagleton Institute of Politics, and a professor at Rutgers University, Department of Political Science.

Dr. Rosenthal received his Ph.D. from Princeton University, Department of Politics, in 1961. He has been a visiting professor at Princeton, CCNY and Columbia, a research associate at the National Law Center at George Washington University, and has held a Congressional Fellowship with the American Political Science Association. Dr. Rosenthal has directed organizational studies of legislatures in Arkansas, Connecticut, Florida, Maryland, Mississippi, Ohio, Texas and Wisconsin.

Dr. Rosenthal has published widely in the areas of legislative process, policy making, and public education. The course he will teach on the legislative process will examine the legislative process in American states, with special focus on Florida, and will draw on one of his own books, *Legislative Life* (Harper and Row, 1981), as a basic text.

## Mabe (Continued from page 18)

ertsen, Assistant Director of the Law Library, taught a course in legal research and law librarianship for the FSU Graduate School of Library and Information Science.

Dr. Mabe received his Ph.D. in Philosophy from Syracuse University in 1971. His professional interest is in ethics, philosophy of law, and social and political philosophy. Dr. Mabe has published widely, and since 1981 has been the editor of *Law and Philosophy*, an international journal for jurisprudence and legal philosophy which seeks to "foster and facilitate exchanges between legal scholars and philosophers." In 1983, he traveled to Helsinki to present a paper entitled "Jareborg on Punishment and Responsibility" at the 11th World Congress on Philosophy of Law and Social Philosophy. He is currently executive secretary for the Council for Philosophical Studies and has administered grants from the National Endowment for the Humanities, including a current \$160,000 grant for a summer institute on Epistemology to be held in 1986.



Four past undergraduate student body presidents have been discovered in the Fall 1985 first year class. Pictured left to right are Tyron Brown, FSU 1984-85; Tom Abrams, FSU 1983-84; Jason Burnett, UNF 1984-85; and Bill Boyd, Rollins 1984-85.



Alfini

## Alternative Dispute Resolution Expert Joins Faculty

In January, James J. Alfini will join the College of Law faculty as an associate professor, teaching at the law school and directing research and educational programs in a joint effort by the College of Law and the Supreme Court of Florida to develop and evaluate alternative dispute resolution programs for the State of Florida.

Professor Alfini received his A.B. from Columbia College in 1965, and his J.D. from Northwestern University School of Law in 1972. He comes to the College of Law after twelve years with the American Judicature Society in Chicago where he served as Director of Research, and most recently, as Assistant Executive Director for Programs. He was responsible for directing numerous projects aimed at improving the administration of justice at local, state and federal levels under grants from the National Science Foundation, the National Institute of Justice, and the National Institute of Mental Health.

Professor Alfini was a Reginald Heber Smith Community Lawyer ("Reggie") with the Monroe County Legal Assistance Corporation in Rochester, New York, prior to joining the American Judicature Society. He also has been an Adjunct Professor of Law at Chicago-Kent School of Law since 1978, teaching Professional Responsibility and seminars in court reform and alternative dispute resolution.

Professor Alfini has published numerous books and articles. Among these are *Making Jury Instructions Understandable*, (Michie/Bobbs-Merrill, 1982) (with Bruce Sales and Amiram Elwork), and "Trial Judges' Participation in Plea Bargaining: An Empirical Perspective," 13 *Law and Society Review* 479 (1979) (with John Ryan).

Professor Alfini is already planning a statewide conference on alternative dispute resolution in the judicial environment for March of 1986, to be held in Tampa, Florida. Tied to the 1½ day conference will be a 3½ day training program in family mediation.



Alumni President-elect Terry Russell and Alumni Board member Wayne Hogan visited at the College of Law Beer and Oysters on the Lawn Party held during FSU Homecoming Weekend. Approximately 200 alumni and students were present for the occasion.

# Calendar of Events

January		Legal Studies Workshop—Merrill Hintikka (Philosophy)
	7	Classes Begin
	10-12	FSU Humanities Institute for Legislators and Executives
	22	On-Campus Interviews Begin
	24-25	Job Fair—Florida Bar Mid-Year Convention—Orlando
February		Legal Studies Workshop—H. Glick (Political Science)
	7-8	Visit from Justice William Rehnquist
March		Ladd Lecture Series
	6	Legal Studies Workshop—Professor Marvin Chirelstein
	19-21	Spring Break (Tentative)
April		Legal Studies Workshop—J. Brigham (Psychology)
	9	On-Campus Interviews End
	10-11	Federal Tax Policy: Impact on Florida—Tallahassee
	10-12	ABA Board of Governors Meeting—Tallahassee
	11	Classes End
	26	Graduation

## ALUMNI INFORMATION SHEET

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City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip code \_\_\_\_\_

Home telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Area code \_\_\_\_\_

Name of organization/firm \_\_\_\_\_

Business address \_\_\_\_\_

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Professional status (attorney, corporate counsel, banker, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Area(s) of law practiced: \_\_\_\_\_

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