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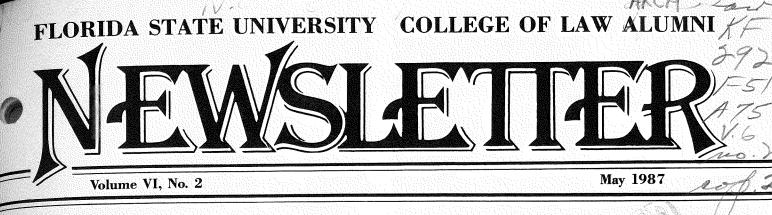
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Johnson-Caldwell House Dedicated in May

May 15th marks the 40th Anniversary of the signing of the legislation which made Florida State College for Women coeducational. The bill creating Florida State University was signed May 15, 1947, by Governor Millard Caldwell. The College of Law celebrated this anniversary in a very unique way by dedicating the former home of the late Governor and his wife, Mary.

The Johnson-Caldwell House is now located on the Village Green. It was donated to the College of Law by the Caldwell's daughter, Mrs. Sally McCord, after Mrs. Caldwell's death last Spring. The house was originally built in 1852 and was located on Old Bainbridge Road until it was moved to its present site at the law school. After restoration is complete, it will house law school faculty and students.

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In April, the Caldwell House took on a finished appearance in preparation for the May dedication.

Many People To Thank For Village Green

As the time nears for completion of the Village Green, the College of Law looks gratefully at the number of individuals, organizations and businesses who have been instrumental in bringing this dream to a firm reality.

Two lovely homes have been provided to grace the east lawn of the College of Law. The Sarah Payne Cawthon house was dedicated in the Fall of 1986, and this month on May 15, 1987, the Caldwell House was dedicated in a formal ceremony. Appreciation is again expressed to Sarah Cawthon Shaw and Anne Cawthon Booth for donating the first home and to Sally McCord for the gift of the former home of her parents, Governor and Mrs. Millard Caldwell.

For special assistance on the Caldwell house and continued support of the project, special thanks to Tallahassee City Commission members Jack McLean, Jr., Betty Harley, Carol Bellamy, Dorothy Inman, and Frank Visconti and to City Manager Dan Kleman. Appreciation also goes to Leon County Commissioners Robert Henderson, William Montford, Gayle Nelson, Doug Nichols and Lee Vause.

In addition to these, there are many others to thank for donations of service, time, or gifts to the Caldwell House relocation and restoration.

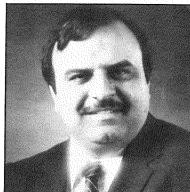
The principal funding for the project is through the office of George Firestone, Secretary of State, but the additional contributions provide a margin for elegance which distinguishes this project.

The Alumni Association plans to circulate proposals for finishing and furnishing the rooms in the houses and the rotunda building, and this will be a focus of next year's capital campaign.

From The Dean



D'Alemberte



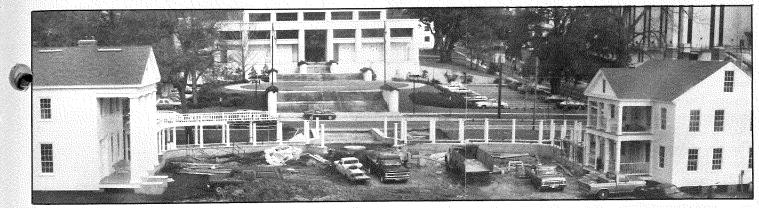
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From The President





Contractor Jerry Albritton, JoAnn Blackwell of the College of Law, and architect Raoul Rodriguez review the progress on the Caldwell House.



The east end of the Village Green was nearing completion in March.

Albritton Brothers Construction Company—Jerry Albritton Ardman and Associates, Inc. Bontin Appraisal Associates, Inc.-Richard Bentin, J. P. Brown Broward Davis and Associates, Inc. CENTEL-Mr. Ish Grogan, Ken Faulkman CSX Railroad-W. G. Merritt, Hubert Hightower Florida Department of Transportation-Allen Potter, Tom Drawdy Florida Highway Patrol

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Historic Tallahassee Preservation

A few important components can be looked at as a quick way to analyze the quality of a law school. The first of these are faculty and students.

In American legal education, it is probably not too far off the mark to say that the student body might be the first point of analysis since many law schools maintain their reputation through a process of attracting very good students and not doing very much damage to them. Our aspirations for legal education are beyond that model. Having a strong and energetic faculty is the best way, in turn, to recruit distinguished students to the law school. However important the other elements. and they certainly include a fine library and an excellent physical facility (both of which we have), building an excellent faculty ranks high on the priorities of this law school.

The law faculty at Florida State is built on an exceedingly strong base. Dean Mason Ladd had great judgment and recruited an excellent young faculty when the school began. A tradition of teaching has been well maintained. During the recent ABA reaccreditation site visit, a member of the site inspection team told me that after observing classroom performance of our teachers, he knows of no place where teaching was of any higher quality. With few exceptions, our faculty is an excellent teaching faculty. Moreover, the faculty has compiled a very distinguished publication record. Again, with few exceptions, faculty members have worked hard at scholarly activities.

The new faculty who will join us next year will help the school advance further. Each of them has strong scholarly interests, and each of them promises to be strong in the classroom. I hope that you will look through the Faculty News and understand the importance of building a strong faculty.

Credit for this work goes to all of the faculty. Particular thanks are due to Professor Don Weidner who chaired the Faculty Appointments Committee for two years (one year while he was also serving as associate dean) and to Dean Orin Slagle who has just completed a spectacular year of faculty recruiting.

> Talbot "Sandy" D'Alemberte Dean

The annual meeting of the College of Law Alumni Association will be held during the Florida Bar Convention in Orlando on June 12, 1987. The Bar Convention is also our opportunity to get together at our Alumni cocktail reception on June 12, and our Alumni Breakfast on June 13. We hope that many of you can attend and take the opportunity to meet with old friends and learn firsthand about the school's accomplishments of the past year.

This message is my last chance to communicate with you as the President of your Alumni Association. If I don't see you at the Convention, I want you to know that it has been a distinct honor and privilege to serve.

Your Board of Directors and the other officers of the Association, Dean D'Alemberte, and the law school staff deserve a great deal of credit for the success of our Alumni Association's efforts this year. In addition to our very successful Charter Class Reunion, the Alumni Giving Program exceeded our budget projections by February of this year, and giving from all sources has exceeded four million dollars. These are accomplishments of which we can all be proud.

I know that my successor, Don Gifford, will carry on the tradition that we started so many years ago, and I look forward to working with Don and giving him my full support.

> Terrence J. Russell President

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Workmen put the finishing touches on the colonnade between the two completed homes.

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FUND RAISING

Alumni Association Reports \$4,200,000 In Contributions

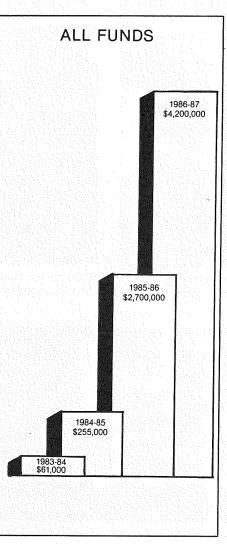
More than \$4,200,000 in contributed funds has been generated for fiscal year 1986-1987 according to a recent report from the College of Law Alumni Association.

Included in the total contributions are the donation of \$2,400,000 for the Village Green, the \$1,100,000 Katzentine gift plus \$400,000 in state matching funds, restricted funds of \$77,500, unrestricted funds of \$155.677, and interest and rental income of \$76,080.

The \$155,677 in unrestricted funds exceeds the goal of \$150,000 for 1986-1987 due to the success of the Annual Giving Drive. At the end of March, revenues included \$35,659 from Alumni Annual Giving and \$6,487 from Faculty Annual Giving. Presidents Club contributions consisted of \$8,774 from alumni and \$5,530 from faculty. The Book Awards Program generated a total of \$92,000, and \$7.227 came from miscellaneous contributions. The increase in 1986-1987 contributions will provide for additional scholarships and growth programs in the next fiscal year.

The Book Awards Program now has more than 50 sponsors. Several Awards are still available for sponsorship. Classes have responded well to the Annual Giving Drive, and a breakdown of giving by class will be compiled and published in the August Newsletter.

Alumni are to be commended for their generous contributions to the Alumni Association and their support of the College of Law and its programs.



Grants Exceeding \$135,000 Received By College Of Law

Grants exceeding \$135,000 have been received by the College of Law in the past six months.

Public Defender Training. In October 1986, the College of Law was awarded a \$78,750 grant from the U.S. Department of Justice in conjunction with the Florida Public Defenders Association for advanced training of experienced state public defenders. The grant was supplemented with a \$25,000 match from the Public Defenders Association, for a total of \$103,750.

Two advocacy seminars have been created with the grant money. The programs will focus on strategic planning negotiation, client counseling, jury selection, and expert testimony in felony cases. The first group of 40 public defenders arrived in May for a week long training session. The second session will be held in August.

Participants in the programs will include several experienced public defender attorneys as well as Justice James Adkins, Professor James Alfini of F.S.U. College of Law, Millard Farmer, Professor Elliot Milstein of American University of Law, Professor Wallace Kennedy of F.S.U. Psychology Department, Richard Ervin of the First District Court of Appeal, and four faculty members from the F.S.U. Theatre Department who will critique the students.

Director of the project is Nancy Daniels, Extern Coordinator at the College of Law.

Business Skills Course. Professor Joseph Jacobs received a \$10,000 grant from the Corporation Section of The Florida Bar during the Section's first Annual Convention held on March 5-7, 1987, in Fort Lauderdale.

The purpose of the grant is to underwrite the costs of Business Skills, a course which provides students with an integrated, practiceoriented approach to duties of an attorney engaged in commercial practice. The course includes a week long presentation by Conflict Management, Inc. introducing students to the art of negotiation.

This is the second year that Professor Jacobs has received a grant from the Corporation Section.

Summary Jury Trials Study. The Florida Dispute Resolution Center has received a grant of \$17,920 to study the use of summary jury trials in the 19th Judicial Circuit and the U.S. District Court for the Middle

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Dispute Resolution Center Receives Grant To Study Jury Trials

The Florida Dispute Resolution Center has received a grant of \$17,920 to study the use of "summary jury trials" in the 19th Judicial Circuit and the U.S. District Court for the Middle District of Florida.

The summary jury trial was developed by a United States district court judge in Ohio in response to increased court costs and delays in civil trials. It allows opposing attorneys to present cases in narrative fashion to a jury whose verdicts, though not binding, usually take less than a day and often result in settlement of the lawsuit. The Florida study is expected to aid judicial officials throughout Florida in making informed decisions about adopting the process in their jurisdictions.

The Dispute Resolution Center was established this past year as a joint program of the College of Law and the Supreme Court of Florida.

(Grants, continued)

District of Florida. Professor James Alfini serves as Director of Education and Research for the Center. (See detailed article in this issue.) Policy Studies Clinic. Last fall, the Policy Studies Clinic received a STAR research grant of \$28,500. The funds are being used to study issues confronting state and local governments and changing intergovernmental relations. The project includes three regional public forums, a conference, and a final report that will be submitted to the Legislature and to the Department of Community Affairs. Professor Donna Christie is **Director of the Policy Studies** Clinic.



programs.



Professor James Alfini and Michael Bridenback discuss plans for the Alternative **Dispute Resolution Center.**

The purpose of the Center is to encourage experimentation with, and to assess the efficacy of, various alternative dispute resolution methods in the State of Florida. Particular attention is given to court-connected dispute resolution

The Center has a wide-ranging research program which employs law students to work on various research and educational programs. Its educational program is aimed at

providing forums for lawyers, judges, and members of the general public to learn about and discuss dispute resolution developments and issues.

Associate Professor James J. Alfini serves as the Center's Director of Education and Research. The Center's Administrative Director is Michael Bridenback, Director of the Judicial Management and Coordinating Section of the Office of the State Courts Administrator.

Public Defenders to Benefit From Grant

Florida Public Defenders will benefit from a grant from state and federal funds to provide senior assistant public defenders with a week-long training session at the law school. The first group of 40 public defenders will arrive the first week in May during semester break. The second group will be in Tallahassee during the August semester break. Nancy Daniels, Extern Coordinator at the College of Law, is director of the project.



Alumni Events To Take Place At June Bar Convention

The June 1987 Annual Meeting of The Florida Bar will provide two opportunities for law alumni to meet and visit. Both events will be held at Convention Headquarters, the Marriott's Orlando World Center in Lake Buena Vista.

On Friday, June 12, a reception will be held at 6:00 PM. The reception is open to all Florida State law alumni.

The Alumni Breakfast on Saturday, June 13, will take place at 7:30 AM. Tickets are \$12.00 if purchased in advance by using the registration form in the April 15 issue of the Florida Bar News. You may purchase two tickets to a committee or section luncheon or two tickets to the Breakfast without registering for the Bar Convention. Tickets purchased at the Convention in June will be \$15.00.

If you have questions about the breakfast or reception, please contact Elora Harwood at 904/644-4495.

Law Alumni Serve In Legislature

The success of the Florida State University College of Law is reflected in the political arena by the alumni currently serving in the Florida Legislature. Although James Harold Thompson, a Charter Class graduate and former Speaker of the House, has left the legislative halls, the College of Law is still well represented by two senators and three representatives.



Kenneth C. Jenne, first elected to the Florida Senate in 1978, has received numerous awards including the Allen Morris Award for the Most Effective Member of the Senate (1984 and 1986), the Children's Home Society Legislative Award in 1986, and the 1985

Coif Elects 1986 Members

Eligible graduates of the Class of 1986 were recently elected to membership in the Florida State University Chapter of the Order of the Coif. Membership in Coif is limited to those students who have completed at least 75% of their law studies in graded courses and rank in the top 10% of all graduates in the class.

New members are Alan B. Fields, Susan M. Seereiter, James H. Harris, Donald E. Thompson, II. Kelly M. Haynes, James R. Klindt,

David R. Singleton, Michael A. Shorstein, Mary E. Haskins, James I. Briggs, Jr., Douglas S. Roberts, Timothy D. Schroeder, Clifford T. Gray, Lee S. Smith, Robert P. Banks, Daria L. Burgess, Richard D. LaBelle, III, Christopher D. McGuire, Kathleen J. Loggins, and Michael A. Perkins.

Dean Edwin M. Schroeder serves as president of Coif, and Professor John Larson is secretary to the chapter.

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Kiser

Samuel P. Bell, II Award for Outstanding Legislator.

Senator Jenne received his J.D. degree from Florida State College of Law in 1972. He is a partner in the firm of Atkinson, Jenne, Diner, Stone and Cohen in Hollywood and is active in community and barrelated organizations. He and his wife, Caroline, have two children. Evan Boyd and Sarah Elizabeth Anne.

S. Curtis Kiser is serving his first term as a State Senator. He is Chairman of the Government **Operations Committee and is** serving as Vice Chairman of the Pinellas County Delegation. He is not new to the legislative scene. having served in the House of Representatives from 1972 to 1982 and as Republican Minority Leader from 1978 to 1982.

Kiser attended the University of Iowa and received a B.A. degree in Political Science before entering the

Attention: Tallahassee Alumni

Several alumni are gathering each Friday at the Tallahassee Hilton for Happy Hour from 5:00 - 8:00 PM. All law grads interested in attending are welcome. If you have questions, call 904/893-8581.

FS.U. College of Law. After his graduation in 1970, he served as Legal Counsel to the Governor. In 1972, he was appointed Associate Municipal Judge in Dunedin.

In addition to his legislative duties, Kiser practices law in Clearwater. He resides in Palm Harbor with his wife Sally and two children, Jenni and Kevin.



Dunbar

Peter M. Dunbar was first elected to the Florida House of Representatives in 1978 and has been reelected subsequently. He is a graduate of Florida State University with a B.A. degree in Government and a J.D. from the College of Law. He practices law in Dunedin, and he and his wife Susan and their two sons, Matt and Marc, live in Crystal Beach.

Currently, Dunbar serves as a member of several standing committees including Natural Resources, Judiciary, Ethics and Elections, and Joint Legislative Management. He is Chairman of the Consumer, Probate and Family Law Sub-committee.

In addition to his duties with the Legislature, Dunbar has served as a Florida representative to the National Conference of State Legislatures since 1980. He has been recognized for his outstanding public service by numerous civic and government organizations and is recipient of the Republican Leader's Award for the 1981-1982 legislative term and the Florida Mobile Home **Owners Outstanding Legislator** Award in 1983 and 1984.

Dunbar is the author of a book for Florida condominium owners and officers entitled The Condominium Concept.



Meffert

Christian "Chris" Meffert has served in the House of Representatives since 1980. His committee assignments currently include **Regulated Industries and Licensing** (Chairman), Finance and Taxation, Natural Resources, Criminal Justice, and Rules and Calendar. Meffert is a Charter Class graduate of the College of Law. Prior to his legislative service, he served two terms as Mayor of the City of Ocala. He is a member of the Ocala/Marion County Chamber of Commerce, Greater Ocala Rotary Club, and the Marion County Bar

Association and is of counsel to the law firm of Shutts & Bowen. Meffert and his wife, Marla, have two children, Melissa and Mandy.

They reside in Ocala.



Glickman

Ron Glickman is the most recently elected College of Law alumnus to serve in the Florida House of Representatives. He represents District 66, the Interbay area of Tampa.

Prior to receiving his J.D. degree from the College of Law in 1981, Glickman earned a B.A. in Management Science and Accounting from Duke University and a Master of Science in Public Administration from Florida State. He is a Certified Public Accountant.

Glickman was a criminal prosecutor for Hillsborough County and a certified legal volunteer in the Criminal Appeals Division of the State Attorney General's Office. He has over ten years experience in government and politics including service on the Hillsborough County Commission.

As a representative, Glickman is interested in growth management, environment and health care costs.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING The Annual Meeting of the Florida State University College of Law Alumni Association will be held at 4:30 PM, Friday, June 12, 1987 Florida Bar Annual Meeting **MARRIOTT'S ORLANDO WORLD CENTER** YOU'RE INVITED! Law Alumni Breakfast Law Alumni Reception Saturday Friday

June 12, 1987 6:00 - 7:00 PM **Open to All!**

June 13, 1987 7:30 AM Tickets: \$12 each

BOOK AWARDS

\$3,000 Book Awards

Ausley, McMullen, McGehee, Carothers & Proctor	
Larry D. Beltz	Torts Achievement Area
Dexter Douglass	
Frost & Purcell, P.A.	Fuidone
Gorman & Matthew	Tom
Holland & Knight	Environmental Law Achievemer
Huey, Guilday, Kuersteiner & Tucker, P.A.	Civil Procedur
Robert G. Kerrigan	C
Roy and Pat Kinsey	Tom
Messer, Vickers, Caparello, French & Madsen	Tavatio
Richard Nahstoll	Professional Responsibilit
Parker, Skelding, Costigan, McVoy & LaBasky	Constitutional Law
Ruden, Barnett, McClosky, Schuster & Russell, P.A	Propert
Rumberger, Kirk, Caldwell, Cabaniss & Burke	Law Review - Top Trial Practice Articl
Stearns, Weaver, Miller, Weissler, Alhadeff & Sitterson	Business La
Steel, Hector & Davis	

\$2,000 Book Awards

John A. Barley & Associates	1999년 1999년 1997년 19 1997년 1997년 199 1997년 1997년 199	Commercial Paper
Bryant, Miller & Olive		State Constitutional Law
Kenneth L. and Amy Connor	())	
Gray, Harris & Robinson, P.A.		Business Association
Haggard & Kirkland		Trial Practice
Hopping, Boyd, Green & Sams		Environmental Law
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Roberts, Baggett, LaFace & Richard		

\$1.000 Book Awards

DAR-DRI	Top First Year Student Award
Billings & Cunningham	Trial Advances
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Boyd, Sr.	Law Beview
Clark, Partington, Hart, Larry, Bond & Stackhouse	Faculty Designated Award
Ten Members – Class of 76-77Bo	b Tirelli Book Award in Remedies
Anthony Cleveland and Bruce Leinback	
Richard B. Collins	Supreme Court Role Playing
Davis, Judkins & Simpson, P.A.	Statutory Interpretation
Robert and Frances Ervin	Administrative law
Mary B. and Nicholas R. Friedman	Moot Court
Wayne Hogan and Gary Williams	Law & Public Oninion
Johnson, Blakely, Pope, Bokor & Ruppel, P.A.	Partnershin Tax
Lawton Langford	Professor of the Year
Levin, Warfield, Middlebrooks, Mabie, Thomas, Mays & Mitchell, P.A.	Legal Process
Doug and Marsha Lyons	Moot Court Best Oralist
Mel Martinez	Insurance Law
James R. Meyer	Commercial Law
Landers, Parsons & Uhlfelder	Legislation
Peirsol, Boroughs, Grimm, Bennett & Griffin, P.A.	Securities Regulations
Vivian and Thomas Pelham	Land Use Regulations
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Court President Visits Law School

Justice Miguel Blanco, President of the Supreme Court of Costa Rica, visited the College of Law on February 19, 1987. He was in the United States as a participant in a program inviting foreign judges to visit as part of the Constitutional **Bicentennial** Celebration.

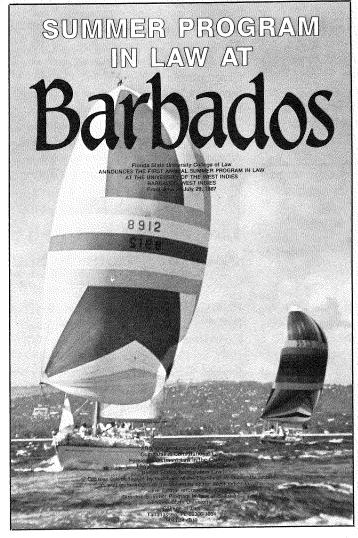
During his visit, Justice Blanco met with interested faculty to discuss possible research and exchange programs with scholars in Costa Rica. Florida State University recently established a collaborative arrangement with four universities in Costa Rica, and efforts are being made to enhance educational opportunities for students and faculty of all five institutions. ----

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.

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.

The College of Law is offering the first annual summer program in law in the Caribbean from June 29-July 29, 1987, at the Cave Hill campus of the University of the West Indies in Barbados.



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INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS

Costa Rican Supreme Barbados Program Set For Summer

Professor Elwin Griffith, who joined the faculty in the Fall of 1986, is director of the program. Professor Griffith was born in Barbados and lived there until attending college and law school in New York. Additional faculty members are Steve Goldstein of FSU, and Nick Liverpool, Ralph Carnegie, and Anthony Burgess of

the University of the West Indies Faculty of Law.

The courses offered have a strong international and comparative law flavor: Comparative Constitutional Law. Foreign Investment Law in the Caribbean, Immigration Law of the United States, and Legal Institutions of the Caribbean.

Alumni interested in Caribbean and International Law may apply on a space-available basis. For more information, please contact Professor Griffith, Professor Goldstein, or Catherine McCaskill, at 904/644-4010.



CLE AND CONFERENCES

SPEAKERS

CLE Programs Produce Continued Response

Videotapes of the homecoming weekend CLE, "Civil Litigation in Federal Court," were a popular item as the deadline approached for recertification to the Northern District in Florida. The Alumni Association had requests from law firms and lawyers for 36 sets of the tapes, servicing a total of 68 lawyers. Former Governor Reubin Askew and Senator Dempsey Barron were among those purchasing CLE tapes. Some lawyers opted to return to the law school on Saturday, January 24 or February 14, 1987, when tapes were shown for credit.

During the fall semester of 1987, the Alumni Association will sponsor two CLE programs. Professor **Charles Ehrhardt's Federal Practice** program will be held on Friday, October 30, during homecoming weekend. Another CLE on a topic to be determined will be held on October 2, 1987.

Regional Constitutional **Conference** to be Held in Fall

The College of Law will host the Southeast Regional Conference on the Constitutional System at the College of Law on September 10, 1987. Participation will be by special invitation and will include scholars and statesmen from the southeast region of the United States. The public is invited as observers. ----



Professors Donna Christie and Roger Cunningham visit with Attorney Silvia Alderman during conference break.

Water Future Conference Held

"Florida's Water Future: Crisis or Opportunity" was the subject of a statewide conference sponsored by the Policy Studies Clinic and the Alumni Association on January 29 and 30, 1987. Two hundred and sixty-six people registered for the conference which was held at the Tallahassee/Leon County Civic Center.

Legislative, business and environmental leaders joined state and local officials to discuss problems such as how to safely supply water to future Floridians. The conference also

reviewed threats to the state's natural underground drinking water supplies and discussed more efficient regulations of demands on water quality and quantity.

Attorney Silvia Alderman was the general conference moderator and Professor Donna Christie chaired the steering committee. Dr. Jim May, FSU Institute of Science and Public Affairs, coordinated the conference. Speakers included Senate President John Vogt.

Law School and Religion Department **Sponsor "Church-State" Conference**

A conference, "The Public Philosophy in a Pluralistic Society: Religion and State in the American Experience," was held February 5-7, 1987, at the Florida State Conference Center. It was directed by Professor Leo Sandon of the Department of Religion with help from Professor Ken Vinson of the College of Law.

This conference on the American experiment in "church-state" arrangements focused on topics of the original intent of the First Amendment's religion clauses and 10

their interpretation and application in two hundred years of American history. It also explored the concern for the public philosophy (a common faith or social consensus) in a pluralistic society.

Professor Kenneth Vinson was a panel respondent, and Carol Bellamy, Class of 1978 and Executive Director of the U.S. Constitutitonal Bicentennial Commission of Florida, served as moderator for one of the sessions. Dean D'Alemberte presided over the Friday evening session.

Hewlett Speaks on Women's Lib

Dr. Sylvia Ann Hewlett, noted feminist and author, was the featured panelist at a discussion held on Thursday, February 26, 1987, in the College of Law courtroom. Dr. Hewlett's controversial bestseller, A Lesser Life: The Myth of Women's Liberation in America, has been nominated for a Pulitzer prize. Also participating on the panel were Professors Bill McHugh and Donna Christie of the College of Law and Dr. Joan Haworth of the Economics Department. The session, including questions from the audience, was videotaped by the College of Law. Dr. Hewlett also spoke that evening at a banquet at the Wakulla Spring Lodge.

Huffman Speaks At Invitation Of Environmental Law Journal

On Thursday, April 2, 1987, the Journal of Land Use and Environmental Law sponsored a presentation by Professor James Huffman of Lewis and Clark College of Law. Professor Huffman's topic was "Judicial Allocation of Scarce Resources." The program was attended by law students and other interested persons.







Appearing on the panel with Dr. Hewlett were Professors McHugh and Christie (left) and Dr. Joan Haworth (far right).

Law Office **Offered** in Fall

The Florida Bar and the F.S.U. **Center for Professional Development** will offer a short training course in the Fall on "Managing the Law Office of the Future." Led by J.R. Phelps, Director of the Law Office Management Advisory Services for The Florida Bar, the course will introduce participants to state-of-the-art computer equipment so that beginning lawyers and practicing attornevs can handle an office efficiently. The course will consist of eight hours of training on three consecutive Fridays. Four sessions will be offered during the fall term: Session 1: September 18, 25 and October 2. Session 2: October 9, 16 and 23. Session 3: October 30, November 6 and 13. Session 4: November 20, December 4 and 11.

Alumni are welcome on a spaceavailable basis. The cost of the program is \$55. For additional information, contact Mrs. Karen Bickley at the Center for Professional Development and Public Service, 904/644-1882.

Management Course

Ladd Lecture Series **Features Professor Brilmayer**

The second Mason Ladd Memorial Lecture for this academic year was held at B.K. Roberts Hall on Thursday, February 12, 1987. Professor Lea Brilmayer of Yale University was the featured lecturer. Brilmayer holds the position of Nathan Baker Professor of Law at Yale. Her topic was "Shaping and Sharing in Democratic Theory." Faculty, students and other interested guests attended.



Brilmayer



Associate Dean MacNamara To **Enter Law Practice**

Associate Dean Stephen R. MacNamara has resigned from his position with the College of Law to become a partner with the law firm of Fowler, White, Gillen, Boggs, Villareal & Banker of Tampa. MacNamara will open a Tallahassee office for the firm with the primary emphasis on legislation and administrative law.

A 1982 graduate of the Florida State University College of Law, MacNamara joined the faculty in 1984 to assist the school with its development efforts. Working with the Alumni Association Board of Directors, MacNamara helped raise more than a quarter of a million dollars in his first year, up from \$61,000 the year before. In 1985-86, the law school raised \$2.7 million dollars in all funds and nine months into this fiscal year more than \$4.2 million dollars has been generated including money for various construction grants.

During MacNamara's tenure as the Dean for Administration and Development, the F.S.U. College of Law received full funding for two eminent scholar chairs and promise for a third chair to be funded next year.



MacNamara

"I have thoroughly enjoyed working with the alumni, faculty, students, and staff here at the College of Law for the past three years," said MacNamara in announcing his return to private law practice. "It has been the most enjoyable, challenging, and rewarding job of my career."

MacNamara, a former Legislative Aide to United States Senator Richard Stone and Florida Senator Dempsey Barron will represent Fowler-White clients before the Legislature, the Cabinet, the administrative agencies and the Governor here in Tallahassee. He will also continue to assist the law school on a number of major development proposals currently in progress.

Legal Studies Workshop Holds Spring **Semester Sessions**

The F.S.U. Legal Studies Workshop series, organized by Professor Adam Hirsch, continued to draw faculty interest during the Spring Semester. A January session featured Bruce Benson, Professor of Economics, who spoke on "Privatization in Law

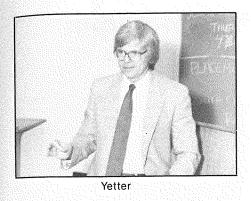
and Order." On March 26, 1987, Niel Betten and Edward Keuchel. Professors of History, discussed "Capital Crime and Punishment in Jacksonville in the 1890s." Informal receptions and discussions were held following each of the programs. ____ 12

Judicial Education Supported By **College Of Law** Faculty

Through the efforts of several of its faculty members the College of Law continues to support judicial education both in the State of Florida and on a national level. Through CLE programs, judicial conferences and participation in various lectureships, judges have been educated in many important areas of the law.

John Yetter, Associate Dean and Professor of Law, is the first faculty member to lecture to all three groups of judges (county, circuit and appellate) in one year. On May 7, 1986, he lectured to Circuit Court Judges at a Conference held in Orlando followed by lectures at the Florida Circuit Judges Conference in Orlando and the Florida Appellate Judges at a meeting in Long Boat Key. A lecture was given to the Florida County Judges Conference in Orlando on January 14. 1987. Dean Yetter's topic for these lectures was Criminal Law and Procedure.

Professor Yetter may hold the Florida judicial education title, but he has a close challenge in Professor Charles Ehrhardt who also has a claim to the title. During the past year, Professor Ehrhardt has been a member of the faculty of the Federal Judicial Center and spoken at the District Judges Workshop of the Sixth Circuit in Nashville and the Fourth Circuit in Myrtle Beach. He has also been involved with the National Judicial College in Reno. Nevada. This summer, he will teach a two-week evidence course at the General Jurisdiction course in Reno; last summer, he was co-director of the Advanced Seminar in Anglo-American Jurisprudence at Oxford,



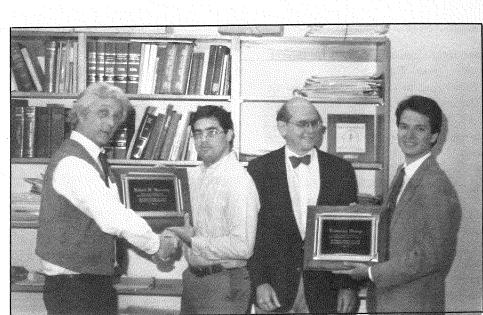
England, which the National Judicial College co-sponsored with the College of Law. Last summer, he also spoke at the national convention of the National Judges Association, an association of nonlawyer judges.

In Florida, in addition to his annual presentation to the Florida Circuit Judges Conference, Ehrhardt conducted a two-day evidence course for sixty county judges in

Naples and for sixty circuit judges in Tampa.

James Alfini, Associate Professor of Law and Director of Education and Research for the Florida Dispute Resolution Center, is involved in education programs designed to provide a forum for judges and others to learn about and discuss dispute resolution developments and issues. He recently received a grant of \$17,920 from the Florida Bar Foundation to study the use of summary jury trials in the 19th Judicial Circuit and the U.S. District Court for the Middle District of Florida. He organized and moderated a session on judicial settlement techniques for the fall educational session of the Florida Circuit Judges Conference and moderated another session for the County Judges Conference.

The College of Law hopes to continue its involvement in judicial education through expanded programs and the efforts of its faculty members to contribute to this area of legal education.



Professor Kennedy receives his plaque from Jerry Castiello while Alex Villalobos displays the plaque presented to Professor George

The Spanish American Law Students Association held its first annual mid year banquet on January 30, 1987. Honored guests were Circuit Judges Mario Goderich and Margarita Esquiroz. Also present were Angel Gonzalez, Governor's Liaison to the Florida Commission on Hispanic Affairs,

Visiting Faculty Members Include Oxford Professors

Highlighting the slate of visiting faculty members for 1986-1987 are two professors from Oxford University in England. Peter Mirfield and Derrick Wyatt, who have taught in the law school's Oxford Summer Program, will visit in Tallahassee. Professor Mirfield will teach Comparative Evidence and Criminal Procedure, Jurisprudence, English Constitutional Law, and a seminar in Philosophy of Criminal Law. A course in Law of the European

SALSA Honors Professors George

And Kennedy At Annual Banquet

and Ray Ferrero, President of The Florida Bar.

Professors Robert Kennedy and Larry George were honored by SALSA for three years of loyal and dedicated service to the organization. A beautiful plaque was presented to each by SALSA President Jerry Castiello.

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Babcock

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Economic Community will be taught by Professor Wyatt.

Returning to the College of Law as a visiting faculty member in the Spring of 1988 is Professor Richard Babcock who was a special guest at last year's Journal of Land Use and Environmental Law Awards ceremony. Professor Babcock is a former president of the American Planning Association and chairman of the Advisory Committee of the American Law Institute project on a Model Land Development Code. His latest book is The Zoning Game Revisitied, co-authored with Charles L. Siemon, a Florida State law graduate. Babcock is a retired partner in the Chicago law firm of Ross and Hardies.

Another visitor this coming year is Mack Allen Player, Regents' Professor of Law at the University of Georgia School of Law and currently scholar-in-residence with the Civil Division of the Department of Justice in Washington, D.C. He will teach courses in Employment Discrimination. Labor Law and Civil Procedure. Professor Player is the author of Cases and Materials on Employment Discrimination Law, 1980. He has served as a consultant with the Georgia Institute of Government, Bureau of Training, and has been a Master with Georgia Fair Employment since 1984.

Alumni are encouraged to submit items of interest to the Newsletter. Forward to: Elora B. Harwood College of Law Florida State University Tallahassee, FL 32306

Faculty Expands With Addition Of Four Assistant Professors

In its continuing effort to add to the strength of an already excellent faculty, the College of Law has hired four new assistant professors. Joining the faculty in the Fall of 1987 are Robert Atkinson, Margaret Baldwin, Anthony Herman and Mark Seidenfeld.

Professor Orin Slagle, Chairman of the Appointments Committee, stated, "The new faculty members were chosen carefully from a large field of candidates. They have excellent credentials and will contribute to the tradition of quality education at the College of Law."

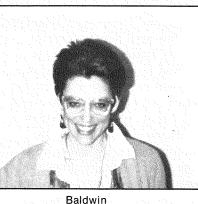
After graduating from Washington and Lee in 1979, Robert E. Atkinson, Jr. attended Yale Law School and received his law degree in 1982. He clerked with Judge Donald Russell from September 1982 until September 1983 and is presently associated with the firm of Sutherland, Asbill & Brennan in Washington, D.C. Atkinson has practiced primarily in the areas of tax-exempt organizations and estate planning and has served as secretary of the ABA Tax Section's Committee on Exempt Organizations since July 1985. He will be teaching courses in Non-Profit Organization, Property, and **Professional Responsibility.**

Margaret A. Baldwin received her law degree from the University of Minnesota Law School in 1984. She graduated in the top 10% of her class and is a member of Order of the Coif. After holding judicial clerkships in both the U.S. Court of Appeals and the Minnesota Supreme Court, she joined the faculty of William Mitchell College of Law where she teaches civil rights, federal jurisdiction and conflicts. Baldwin's interests lie in the areas of feminist jurisprudence and the



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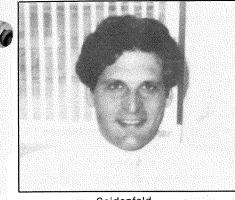
relationship between sexism and racism in the legal doctrine. She assisted in the drafting of the first anti-pornography civil rights ordinance introduced in Minneapolis in 1983. Baldwin has taught courses in Advanced Torts and Women in the Law.



After completing his B.A. degree at the University of South Carolina, Anthony Herman entered law study at Harvard Law School where he graduated magna cum laude in 1986. At Harvard, Herman served as a teaching assistant in courses on employment discrimination, race and poverty and public interest litigation. As a full time union official from 1973-81, he gained extensive practical labor relations experience.



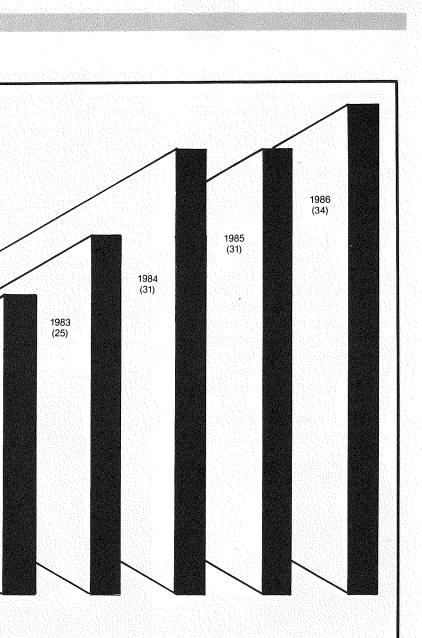
Herman Herman is currently serving as judicial clerk to Judge Irving Goldberg in the Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals in Dallas and looking forward to teaching courses in Labor Law and Civil Rights in the Fall.



Seidenfeld

Mark Seidenfeld is a 1983 graduate of Stanford Law School. Graduating in the top 5% of his class, he was inducted into Order of the Coif and served as Senior Articles Editor of Stanford's Law Review. He received his B.A. in Physics from Reed College and an M.A. in Theoretical Physics from Brandeis University and has received a patent for developing a high speed, low power computer memory technology. After clerking in the D.C. Circuit, Seidenfeld became assistant counsel with the New York State Public Service Commission. He will come to Florida State in the Fall to teach **Regulated Industries, Administrative** Law, and Law and Economics.

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FACULTY NOTES

Jim Alfini participated in the Florida Bar's 13th Annual Media-Law Conference in February 1987 as a commentator on the Iowa Libel Research Project. In December 1986, Alfini received a grant of \$17,920 to the Dispute Resolution Center from the Florida Bar Foundation for a study of the summary jury trial.

Donna Christie hosted a conference on Florida's Water Future at the Civic Center on January 29-30, 1987, and chaired a panel on Environmental Reorganization. She prepared, with J. A. Jurgens, Vol. V (The Legal Environment for Water Resources Planning in Florida) for "Comprehensive **Review of Water Resources Policies**, Planning and Programs in Florida," a publication of the water management districts.



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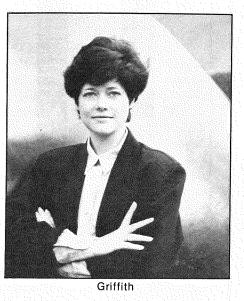
Roger Cunningham recently published the 1987 Pocket Part to The Law of Property (with Stoeback and Whitman).

Talbot D'Alemberte participated with other Florida Law school deans in a discussion in November with members of the Dade County Trial Lawyers Association on the future of legal education with emphasis on skills training.

Charles Ehrhardt spoke to the District Judges Workshops of the Sixth Circuit and the Fourth Circuit last Fall. He recently gave a CLE speech for the Florida Bar on the Federal Rules of Evidence

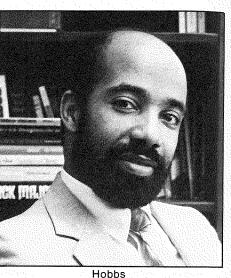
during their competitor program for certification to the Northern District. He also taught 12 hours of evidence to a group of 60 circuit judges in Tampa and 60 county judges in Naples. Ehrhardt participated in the "Litigation in Federal Courts" seminar held in Miami in March where he discussed Federal Rules of Evidence Update.

Larry George was honored by the Spanish-American Law Student's Association at their annual banquet with a plaque given in appreciation for the work he has done with the Hispanic students.



Gwendolyn Griffith has been awarded a summer research grant from the Florida State University Council on Research and Creativity for research in International Capital Markets.

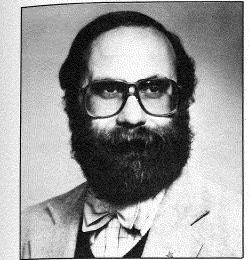
Adam Hirsch spoke on "The Penitentiary in Historical Perspective" at the Conference on Overcrowding in Florida's Prisons which was held in Tallahassee in December 1986. He was also a commentator on "U.S. Prison Riots" at the 32nd Annual Southern Conference on Corrections (sponsored by FSU) held in Tallahassee in February 1987.



Steven H. Hobbs was selected as the recipient of the George Washington Honor Medal for excellence in economic education in recognition of work done in his Small Business Theory Seminar. The award was given by the Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge, an organization whose purpose is to promote traditional American values in education. In March, Hobbs participated in the Bernard F. Sliger Faculty/Student Dialogue Series in a discussion on "Human Sexuality and the University Environment." Hobbs gave a presentation on "Law School Admissions Procedures" at the **Conference on Graduate Oppor**tunities for Minority Students in January.

Robert Kennedy was honored by the Spanish-American Law Student's Association at their annual banquet with a plaque given in appreciation for the work he has done with the Hispanic students.

William McHugh conducted a videotaped interview on February 26, 1987, with Dr. Sylvia Hewlett, noted feminist and author. The program, held in the College of Law Courtroom, was sponsored by the **Center for Employment Relations** and Law.



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Robert Laurence recently published an article entitled "The Supreme Court and the Defaulting Garnishee: An Essay on Metal Processing Inc. v. Plastic and Reconstructive Associates, Ltd. and a Few of its Predecessors" in the Arkansas Law Review. He is coauthor of an article entitled "A Student's Guide to Sales of Goods, Letters of Credit and Documents of Title" which is part of the Student Guide Series, 1987.

David Powell has been asked for the second year to lecture to the Real Estate Probate & Trust Section of The Florida Bar.

on April 12-15, 1987.

Faculty Publications—June 1986-April 1987

James J. Alfini

"Free Press and Fair Trial: The Role of Behavioral Research." with Carroll et al., 10 Law and Human Behavior 187 (1986).

Donna R. Christie

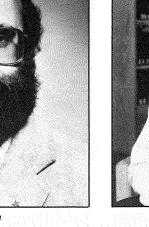
The Legal Environment for Water Resources Planning in Florida, with J. A. Jurgens. Vol. V of the State University System Report to the Water Management Districts. (1986).

"Georges Bank - Common Ground or Continued Battleground," 23 San Diego Law Review 491 (1986).

Talbot D'Alemberte

Charles W. Ehrhardt "Reputation and Character in Defamation Actions," 64 Washington University Law Quarterly 867 (1986).

Steven M. Goldstein "Settlement Offers Contingent Upon Waiver of Attorney Fees: A Continuing Dilemma After Evans v. Jeff D.," 20 Clearinghouse Review 691 (1986).





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Edwin Schroeder made a presentation on February 25, 1987, to the Friends of the Strozier Library of Florida State University regarding the Law Library's Collection of U.S. Supreme Court Pieces. He also served as a member of the ABA/ AALS team reinspecting the University of Oklahoma Law Center

Nat Stern has been named chairman of the Admissions Committee.

William VanDercreek recently participated in a "Litigation in Federal Courts Seminar" sponsored by the F.S.U. College of Law and the Federal Bar Association. He spoke on the topic of Discovery and Summary Judgments.

John W. Van Doren, who is currently a Fulbright Professor of Law teaching in Nairobi, Kenya, will be lecturing in Zambia and South Africa for the United States Information Agency.

Don Weidner taught classes on "Partnership Taxation for Estate Planners" in the LL.M. Program in Estate Planning at the University of Miami Law School in December 1986. On March 22-25, 1987, he served as the AALS representative on a joint ABA/AALS Accreditation Reinspection Team visiting Wake Forest Law School.

"Searching for the Limits of Judicial Free Speech," 61 Tulane Law Review 611 (1987).

Joseph W. Jacobs

"Sovereignty Land in Florida: Lost in a Swamp of Ambiguity," with Alan B. Fields, 38 University of Florida Law Review 347 (1987).

"Florida's New Income Tax," 14 Florida State University Law Review 491 (1986).

Donald J. Weidner

"New Limited Liability for Florida Limited Partners," 16 Stetson Law Review 113 (1986).



Policy Studies Clinic Completes Wide Range of Projects

The Policy Studies Clinic has worked on nine major projects this year. The results of some of these projects have been published recently and others will be released soon.

Water Resources Management. The Clinic recently published a collection of papers addressing important water resource management issues. These papers were developed by students participating in a fall 1986 Water Resource Law seminar sponsored by the Policy Studies Clinic and the five water management districts and were distributed at the conference held by the Clinic and the FSU College of Law Alumni Association on January 29-30, 1987.

Election Laws. The Clinic will publish an analysis of the Florida election laws in April. The study compares Florida's laws with those of other states and makes suggestions for changes in the Florida election code.

Intergovernmental Relations. The Clinic is involved in a STAR grant project aimed at improving state and local government relations. Workshops were held in Tampa, Miami, Jacksonville, and Tallahassee to discuss important issues facing municipal and county government. The focus of the project is to help state and local officials identify the most appropriate programmatic, administrative and fiscal arrangements to deal with policy problems.

Health and Rehabilitative Services. The Clinic will publish "Florida's Department of Health and **Rehabilitative Services:** An Agency in Crisis" in May. This monograph discusses the criticism of HRS, the impacts of its 1975 reorganization,

and its future budgetary needs. The paper was designed to increase awareness of HRS' continued need for adequate funding with the evergrowing demand for HRS' services by Florida residents.

Juvenile Justice System. The Clinic will soon publish a comprehensive study of delinquent and dependent children and their involvement in Florida's juvenile justice system. The report is designed to alert the Florida Legislature and all interested citizens to the problems, deficiencies and successes of Florida's Juvenile Justice System.

Beach Access. The Beach Access project is a compilation of student papers along with commentary by learned experts in the environmental field. The authors present a survey of various coastal states and the approaches they employ to ensure adequate access to state beaches.

Legislative Code of Ethics. "A Proposed Code of Ethics for the Florida House of Representatives" was prepared in 1986-87 by the Clinic in response to a request by Jon Mills, Speaker of the Florida House of Representatives, for a draft of a new set of rules governing member conduct and covering important areas left unaddressed in the present rules.

Beach Erosion. The Policy Studies Clinic reviewed legislative efforts to propose a statewide, comprehensive Beach Management Plan designed to help combat problems Florida faces with beach erosion. The study outlines the history of the Legislature's efforts, analyzes the resulting bill and makes recommen-



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dations to improve the efficiency and effectiveness of Florida's Beach Management Plan.

State Lottery. The Clinic has been involved with one of the most highly visible current public issues, the drafting of the State Lottery legislation. The Clinic has provided legal and technical advice to both the Legislative and Executive branches of state government. Issues addressed include the creation of a State Lottery Commission overseeing the broad operation of the department.

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).

Policy Studies Fellows Complete First Year of Program

The Policy Studies Clinic, a research arm of the FSU College of Law, completed its first Fellowship program this spring. In the Fall of 1986, the Clinic selected eight law and graduate students to enhance its research efforts by working on issues of interest to the public.

During 1986-87, the Policy Studies program completed projects for the Legislature, the Governor's Office, state agencies, and public interest groups. The Fellows made a significant contribution to applied research and informed decision-making.

The backgrounds of the Policy Studies Fellows are varied.

Lawrence G. Walters is a second year law student who received his degree in Communications and Allied Legal Services from the University of Central Florida. He has published an article in the Clinic's monograph series on Coordination of Land and Water Management. He will be working for the law firm of Muller, KirkConnel and Lindsey of Winter Park this summer.

SuZanne Peck comes to the Policy Studies Clinic from the Economics Department. She received her B.A. degree in Economics from the University of Connecticut and is currently seeking her master's degree in Economics.

Kevin Markey is a second year law student who graduated from the University of Florida in 1985 with a degree in Finance. Mr. Markey is an articles and notes editor for the Journal of Land Use and



Journal.

Donny MacKenzie graduated Magna Cum Laude from Florida State University with a degree in Communications. Mr. MacKenzie is a member of Moot Court and is also a notes and articles editor for the Journal of Land Use and Environmental Law. After graduating this May, Mr. MacKenzie will work for Fleming, O'Bryan and Fleming in Fort Lauderdale. Elizabeth Lowrey is a second year law student who studied science and advanced calculus at Pensacola Junior College and graduated summa cum laude from Boston's Berklee College of Music in 1984. She plans to specialize in the field of entertainment law.

John Keyser is a second year law student and a member of Law Review. He received a degree in Philosophy in 1974 from Florida Atlantic University. As a Fellow, he

Policy Studies Fellows are, row one, Andy Easton and Elizabeth Lowrey; row two, John Keyser, Larry Walters, and SuZanne Peck; row three, Kevin Markey, Rod Flynn, and Anne-Marie Bowen; row four, Donny MacKenzie.

Environmental Law. He will have an article on Beach Access published in the upcoming issue of the

has worked almost exclusively on drafting a proposed code of ethics for the Florida House of Representatives.

Rod Flynn is a second year law student and a 1982 graduate of the University of Kentucky with degrees in English, Psychology, and Political Science. He is currently working in conjunction with the Governor's Legal Office on the Florida Educational Lottery legislation.

Andy Easton joined the Clinic in December 1986. He graduated from East Carolina University with a degree in Urban and Regional Planning. Currently, he is nearing completion of a master's degree in **Public Administration.**

Anne-Marie Bowen has worked for the Clinic since its inception in the fall of 1985. She received her degree in Finance from Florida State University in 1984. Mrs. Bowen will graduate this May and plans to practice in Orlando.

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS



The O'Kelley Scholarship was presented to Sandra Ross by Attorney Frank Santry.

Ross Receives O'Kelley Memorial Scholarship

After several years as a newspaper reporter, mostly covering courts, Sandra Bower Ross was so intrigued by judicial procedures she decided to make her own news in courtrooms.

In July 1985, she resigned from her job with the Fort Myers News-Press to enter the College of Law. Successful in her law studies, she ranks first in her class and has been awarded the \$2,000 A. Frank O'Kelley Memorial Scholarship.

The O'Kelley Scholarship, given annually to an outstanding law student, was presented to Ross on April 9, 1987, in a ceremony at the law offices of Field, Granger, Santry & Mitchell in Tallahassee. The scholarship is named for A. Frank O'Kelley who joined the firm of Keen & Allen in 1943 and became a prominent civic and business leader in Tallahassee. A trial lawyer, he practiced with the firm until his death in 1975.

Ross has completed her second year of law study and will graduate in April 1988.

University Fellowships Awarded

The talents and abilities of three current law students and two students who will begin law study in the Fall were recently recognized by the awarding of University Fellowships. The Fellowships, which carry \$6,000 stipends and tuition coverage, are awarded by the **Department of Graduate Studies** and Research and are based on academic standing, a statement of goals and purposes and recommendations of faculty. Recipients Rosa Maria Armesto, Eric M. Cumfer, Sandra B. Ross, Laura L. Dizney and Lisa M. Reinhardt competed against outstanding students university-wide for a limited number of awards.

Rosa Maria Armesto began her law study in Fall 1986. A Miami native, she graduated from Florida State University magna cum laude, majoring in political science. She was a member of the Golden Key National Honor Society and was President of Phi Theta Kappa National Society. She has been recognized by the City of Miami for her community involvement and service.

Eric M. Cumfer graduated summa cum laude with a degree in History from the University of South Florida and began his law study at Florida State last fall. His college career began with plans to major in political science, and he soon branched out to other social sciences. A constant concern of his has been power in human relations, and he feels the law profession will afford him an opportunity to fight for the victims of the overly powerful.

Sandra B. Ross is a second year law student at FSU. A native of Illinois, she received her B.S. in

journalism at the University of Illinois and her M.A. in Public Affairs Reporting at Sangamon State University. She was named an Edmund J. James Scholar and was a member of several scholastic societies including Alpha Lambda Delta and Tau Kappa Alpha. During her senior year, she received the Donald Chamberlain Legislative Award given to students who show potential for success in political reporting. Prior to entering Sangamon State, she interned for five months with the National Journal in Washington, DC. She was the court reporter in the city room of the St. Louis Globe Democrat and later at the Fort Myers New Press.

Laura L. Dizney will enter the College of Law in the Fall of 1987. An undergraduate of Florida State, she holds a double major in communications and music. Her activities have included membership in Symphonic Band, University Symphony, Chamber Orchestra, and Choral Union. She is a member of Pi Kappa Lambda and the little sister organization of Phi Mu Alpha.

Lisa M. Reinhardt will graduate in August 1987 from Florida State University with a degree in Business and will continue her studies at the College of Law in the Fall. While at Manatee Community College, she was president of "Courtly Jesters," a club of performing clowns who performed at schools, nursing homes, and civic events. At FSU, she has served as vice president and president of the Society of **International Business Students** where her duties included drawing speakers from the business community for meetings.

Second Annual **Spring Awards Provide** Alumni **Scholarships**

The Second Annual Spring Scholarships Awards resulted in alumni scholarships being awarded to thirty-three law students at the College of Law. The awards were announced at the end of February.

Since there were twice as many applicants as awards, the process was extremely competitive. In addition to the requirement that recipients be in good standing, the major criterion was need.

The ten students receiving awards of \$1,000 each are Gail Anderson, Steven Kelley, Barbara Akers, Joanne Day, Kim Falvey, Steven Hester, Roderick Pearcy, Pam



Parker, Carlos Ramos, and Jonathon Sjostrom.

Grants of \$500 each were given to Ken Knox, Deborah Jordan, Chet Kaufman, Heidi Manroe, Michael Markham, Owen McCaul, Arturo Borbollo, Lourdes Calvo, Brett Lucas, Angel Gimenez, Jay Guarch. George Rasky, Gemma Santos, Sergio Vega, Susan Welch, James Dean, Alex Douglas, Greg Hearing,

December Grad Mel Maguire Serves As Secretary of Commerce During Transition

Amelia Rea "Mel" Maguire, a recent graduate of the College of Law, was named by Governor Wayne Mixon to serve as Secretary of Commerce from January 3, 1987, to January 20, 1987, during the transition from Governor Mixon to Secretary Jeb Bush.

Ms. Maguire's appointment was the first made by Mixson after he became Florida's 39th Governor on January 3, 1987, with the resignation of Gov. Bob Graham. Graham was compelled to resign prior to the commencement of his term as a newly elected U.S. Senator.

The first woman to head the 17-year-old agency, Maguire has

served since October 1983 as Assistant Secretary of Commerce. She joined the Department in January 1983, and served as the agency's Inspector General until her appointment as Assistant Secretary. Before joining Commerce, Ms. Maguire directed the Governor's Office of Local Government Liaison and coordinated the operations of the Florida Coastal Plains Regional Commission. She previously worked as a clerk and research associate of Dr. Allen Morris, Clerk of the Florida House of Representatives. Ms. Maguire earned her undergraduate degree from the University of Florida and graduated with

These happy students were recipients of the Spring Scholarship Awards

Greg Lang, and David Theriaque. James Hodes, David Jeffries, and Sam Herskovitz received awards of \$250 each.

Appreciation is extended by the College of Law to its alumni who made these awards possible through their generous donations to the **Alumni Association Scholarship** Fund.



Maguire

honors from the Florida State University College of Law in December 1986. She has accepted a position with the Miami office of the law firm of Holland & Knight and will begin work in June.



SCHOOL NEWS



ABA/AALS Site Evaluation **Team Visits In March**

A site evaluation team from the American Bar Association and the Association of American Law Schools visited the College of Law on March 8-11, 1987.

Robert B. McKay, Professor of Law and the former Dean of New York University School of Law, was chairman of the visiting team. Professor McKay is also the past president of the Association of the Bar of the City of New York. Professor Margaret A. Leary of the University of Michigan Law School, Judge Frank A. Kaufman of U.S. District Court, District of Maryland, Professor Gary H. Palm of the University of Chicago Law School, and Professor Marilyn V. Yarbrough of the University of Kansas School of Law were the other members of the team.

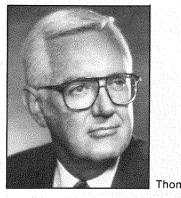
Admissions Office Seeks Alumni Assistance

The Admissions Office reports that applications to the College of Law are up from last year, most importantly in the minority categories. Dr. Elizabeth Bedell, as Director of Student Affairs, has worked with the Black Law Students Association and Spanish American Law Students Association to add energy to recruiting efforts this year.

Alumni are invited to participate in recruiting. The College of Law is seeking the best students possible. and alumni assistance is extremely impressive to prospective applicants. Applicants appreciate alumni calls, invitations to visit their offices, or offers to meet with them. You may be called upon for help in the next few weeks. We hope you will respond affirmatively.

A law school accredited by the ABA continues in that status unless its approval is withdrawn by the House of Delegates of the ABA, and the Section of Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar is responsible for conducting an evaluation of each approved law school every seven years. A report is submitted by the site evaluation team for considera-

tion by the Accreditation Committee. The evaluation team spent three days touring the law school facilities and talking with President Sliger, law school deans and faculty, staff members and students. At the conclusion of the visit and after his discussions with team members, Dean D'Alemberte stated that the visitors' reaction to the College of Law seemed to be very positive.



ABA President **Thomas Addresses May Graduates**

Spring Commencement Exercises were held on Saturday, May 2, 1987, at 2:00 PM in Ruby Diamond Auditorium. The commencement speaker was Eugene C. Thomas. President of the American Bar Association. Following the ceremony. the 126 graduates were honored by a reception for families and friends at B.K. Roberts Hall.

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Placement Office Activities Continue In Spring Semester

The Fall Recruiting Season has passed, but the Placement Office continues a busy schedule. Statistics have been accumulated on the Class of 1985-86, orientation has been held for the freshman class, and scheduling has begun for the Fall 1987 Recruiting Season.

Statistics for the 1985-86 graduates, based on first job out of law school, indicated that 47% of the class entered private law practice, largely with firms of two to twentyfive attorneys. Approximately 27% of the class accepted employment in goverment areas, including state attorney and public defender. Another 10% entered judicial clerkships at the state and federal level. The remainder are employed in business, military, and legal services or enrolled in advanced degree programs.

An orientation session was held in February for the freshman law students to explain the services and rules of the Placement Office. Approximately 75 students attended. More than 55 students were counseled individually regarding resume preparation and job opportunities.

Scheduling for the Fall Recruiting Season began on April 1, 1987. By April 8th, 65 firms had reserved interview dates. Last year, more than 100 firms scheduled on-campus visits. Space is limited this year, but dates are still available in late October or in November. Interested firms should contact the Placement Office at 904/644-4495 as soon as possible.

Brown Bag Series Offers Variety of Spring Programs

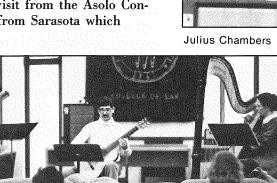
The Brown Bag Luncheon Series continues to bring a variety of programs to the College of Law. These range from serious discussions of timely topics to cultural entertainment and lighthearted commentary.

In January, Senator Carrie Meek spoke in reference to Martin Luther King Day. A program in February featured Julius Chambers, Director-Counsel, NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc., speaking on "The Evolution of Civil Rights Under the Constitution."

Several informative programs were held. These included information presented on January 13 regarding the new Summer Program in Barbados, a presentation by John Moore, Executive Director of the Florida Board of Bar Examiners, and a Report to the Student Body given by Dean Sandy D'Alemberte.

In March, anti-death-penalty lawyer Millard Farmer and Associate Deputy U.S. Attorney General Paul Cassell debated the capital punishment issue before an audience of 150 law students.

Cultural entertainment was provided with performances by the Meliora Quartet and the School of Music Trio. Particularly well received was a visit from the Asolo Conservatory from Sarasota which



School of Music Trio

judge.

Other speakers included Richard McFarlain, Legislative Counsel for The Florida Bar: Harvard Dean Emeritus Al Sacks; and Mike Carter, President of the Florida Law **Related Education Association.** On March 10, the College of Law was honored by a visit from the Justices of the Supreme Court of Florida. The Justices answered questions from the audience of law students. Appearing at the law school for the first time were recently appointed Justices Gerald Kogan and Stephen Grimes. Dr. Elizabeth Bedell, Director of Student Affairs, deserves the credit for arranging this variety of pro-

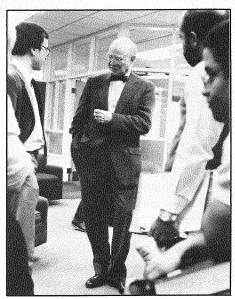
grams for the Brown Bag Lunch Lecture Series.



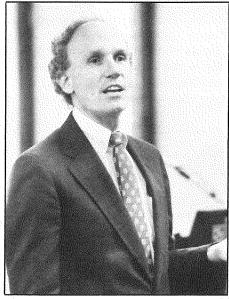
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featured songs from musical comedies. In the troupe was Rick DeFuria, a former circuit court





Dean AI Sacks visits with faculty and students after his Brown Bag presentation.



Millard Farmer



Supreme Court Justices Stephen Grimes, Leander Shaw, Ber Overton, Parker Lee McDonald, Raymond Ehrlich, Rosemary Barkett, and Gerald Kogan

STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

Moot Court Teams Carry On Tradition Of Excellence

Florida State's Moot Court Team has completed yet another year of outstanding successes.

Second-year students Sandra Ross and Paul Ullom enjoyed a complete victory this year at the Benton Information and Privacy Law Competition. Under the leadership of "Coach" Nat Stern, they took first place and won the best brief award. In addition, Sandra walked away with best oralist.

Pam Mark and Steve Ball made the winning argument and captured the first-place trophy in the Starr Insurance Law Competition. Leading the team to victory was "Coach" Bill VanDercreek.

Marie Mattox and Bob Schreiber went to the Robert Orseck Florida Bar Competition to win second place with best oralist going to



Jessup Moot Court team members John Fishel (far left), Kristen Adamson and Joe Rouselle (right) were coached by Professor Donna Christie.

Schreiber. They were coached by Associate Dean Steve MacNamara.

Placing second in the Wagner Labor Law Competition in March were Karen Oehme and Diane Carr. They were coached by Patricia Leary, Legal Research and Writing Instructor.

Donna Waters, Mike West and



Coach Pat Leary exhibits trophy won by Diane Carr (center) and Karen Oehme (right) in the Wagner Competition.

Environmental Law Journal Article Chosen As One Of Best Of 1986

Each year the Land Use & Environmental Law Review reproduces the top fifteen to twenty articles in the field. The articles are selected by a two-tier review board of nationally recognized scholars and experts in land use and environmental law.

An article by Robert Kessler, "The Development Agreement and Its Use in Resolving Large Scale, Multi-Party Development Problems: A Look at the Tool and Suggestions for Its Application," which appeared at 1 J. Land Use & Envtl. L. 451-482 (1986), was Layne Smith, coached by Professor Nat Stern, won best brief in the Craven Constitutional Law Competition in Chapel Hill in February.

John Fishel, Kristen Adamson, Eric Gustafson and Joe Rouselle joined forces to take second place in the Jessup International Law Competition in Gainesville. Best oralist went to Adamson and second best oralist to Gustafson. The team was led to success by Professor Donna Christie.

F.S.U. teams won third place in the Jerome Prince Evidence and Robert Orseck Florida Bar competitions, fourth place in the National Administrative Law Competition, and second place brief in the Kaufman Securities Law Competition. Teams advanced to the semifinals in the Giles Southerland Patent Law Competition and to the Quarterfinals in the National ABA and Polsky Criminal Law Competition.

chosen as one of the eight best land use articles of 1986. This was an outstanding achievement for a journal in its first year of publication.

Law Review Selects New Members; Sends Editors to Conference

The Florida State University Law Review has announced the election of its 1987-88 Editorial Board. Christine Metcalf will be Editor-in-Chief serving with Cathy Miller Sellers, Executive Editor; Frank Anderson, Executive Editor; John Van Laningham, Managing Editor; Diane Carr, Research Editor; Sandra Ross, Betsy Parsons, Michael Green, J.M. Guarch, Jr., Joseph Coates, Aaron Wolfe, and Jack Neiland, Articles and Notes Editors.

First year students who were recently offered Law Review membership are Bryan Alexander, William Anderson, Elizabeth Bradshaw, Christine Clark, James Dean,

Miguel Delao, Walter Forehand, Richard Getchell, Scott Glazier, Rudolfo Gomez, Greg Hearing, Sandra Hood, Deborah Jordon, Chet Kaufman, Stevan Mitchell, Angela Nixon, William Patterson, Stephen Senn, Sam Smith, Brian Spitzer, David Theriague, and Glenda Thornton. From the second year class the following new members were chosen: Christine Beck, Reginald Luster, Tod Read, Scott Rost, Timothy Schoenwalder, and David Tepper. Members of the Review are selected on the basis of excellence in academic achievement and superior writing ability.

Editors Christine Metcalf, Betsy Parsons, John Van Laningham and Frank Anderson attended the National Conference of Law Reviews in Chicago on March 25-29, 1987. In recognition of the success of the legislative edition, Metcalf, Editorin-Chief, was asked to participate on a seminar panel to discuss special or symposium law review issues.



SALSA members Alex Villalobos and Rosa Armesto worked behind the recruiting table at the University of Miami.

SALSA Conducts Recruitment Trips

The Spanish American Law Students Association (SALSA) has been actively assisting the College of Law in its recruitment efforts. The law school has sponsored several trips throughout the state in an effort to encourage Hispanic participation in the legal profession. Students Jose Villalobos and Rosa



Pictured at the initiation ceremony are Harriett Williams, Micki Young, Brenda Colley, Justice Gerald Kogan and Alex Villalobos.

Phi Delta Phi Holds Election and Initiations

The Mason Ladd Inn of Phi Delta Phi has chosen new officers. Those elected are Magister Micki Young, Vice Magister Harriet Williams, Exchequer John Guden, Clerk Brenda Colley and Historian Jose Villalobos. On November 6, 1986. Phi Delta

On November 6, 1986, Phi Delta Phi initiated 34 members in a ceremony held at the Florida Supreme Court. Following the initiaArmesto recently represented FSU on a recruitment trip to the South Florida area.

These recruitment drives are

targeted towards qualified Hispanic students who may benefit from the law school's prominent faculty and its close proximity to the state and federal courts.

tion, a reception was held at the First District Court of Appeal. Justice Gerald Kogan of the Florida Supreme Court was the Keynote Speaker for the Spring Initiation. At the ceremony held on April 3, 1987, 40 members were initiated.

Phi Delta Phi was founded to promote the ethics of the legal profession.





Judges for the competition were (I-r, front row) Dean Sandy D'Alemberte, Judge William Stafford, Judge Paul Roney, Judge Maurice Paul and Attorney Miranda Fitzgerald. Finalists were (I-r, back row) David Wasserman, Heidi Manroe, Glenda Thornton and Allan Aksell

Maguire, Voorhis Winners Honored At **Moot Court Banquet**

The 1987 Annual Moot Court Banquet was held on April 11, 1987, following the second annual Maguire, Voorhis & Wells Moot Court competition. Awards were presented to Allan Aksell for Best Oralist and to David Wasserman for Best Brief.

Sponsored by the Orlando firm of Maguire, Voorhis & Wells, the competition is the culmination of the first year Moot Court program. The four finalists arguing in this year's competition were Allan Aksell, Heidi Manroe, Glenda Thornton, and Walter Forehand.

Chief Judge Paul H. Roney of the Eleventh Circuit U.S. Court of Appeals served as one of the judges. Judges Maurice Paul and William H. Stafford of the U.S.

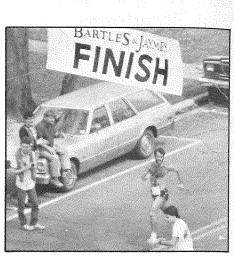
District Court, Northern District of Florida, also participated as judges along with Dean Talbot D'Alemberte and Miranda F. Fitzgerald, a 1979 graduate and a partner in the Maguire, Voorhis & Wells law firm. Judge Roney was the keynote speaker at the Banquet. He addressed approximately 130 persons regarding the challenges of being an attorney including ethics and professional aspirations as a practicing attorney.

The William VanDercreek Award was presented by Judge William Stafford to Pamela Mark. Barristers awards went to Mary Stenson, Marie Mattox Shelfer, Pam Mark, Steve Ball, J. Layne Smith and Mike West.

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Off we go!



Racers were happy to see the finish line.

Race Judicata Proves a Winner

This year, "a springtime good time" was just that - good weather, good performances, and a good time. With oysters, beer, and Bartles and Jaymes flowing, Race Judicata was a great success.

The race is a great gathering for the community, and this year, it benefited the James Harold Thompson Scholarship to the tune of \$1,800. The race gets better each year. Sponsors now include Bartles and Jaymes Premium Wine Coolers, the Mill Bakery & Eatery, BAR/ BRI, Eastern Airlines, Harcourt Brace Jovanovich and Southern Sun Florist.

The fastest judge in the race was Judge James Joanos of the First DCA. Fastest male attorney was Scott Mitchell and fastest female attorney was Mary Piccard. The fastest law firm was judged to be Fuller & Johnson, represented by Bill Williams, Dan Brown, and Scott Mitchell.

Professor Ken Vinson was the fastest male law professor and fastest female law instructor was Nancy Daniels. Fastest third year law students were Dwight Dudley, Rob Smallwood and Dan Brown.



Mattox Receives ABA **Membership** Award

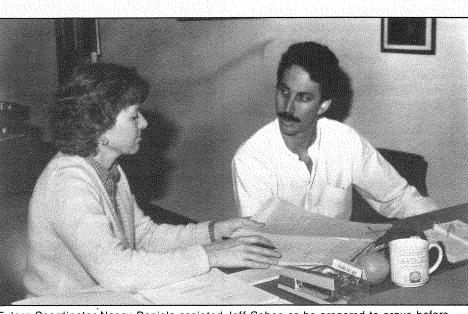
Marie Mattox, a third year law student, has been selected as a recipient of one of the National Membership Awards for the ABA Law Student Division. She was one

of twelve Law Student Division Representatives selected from nine of the 176 ABA-approved law schools. Her achievement was also recognized by presentation to the law school of an award in recognition of outstanding membership achievement.

Environmental Law Journal Introduces New Members

The Journal of Land Use and Environmental Law held its new member reception March 10, 1987, at the First District Court of Appeal. New members were introduced to the law faculty and members of the legal community.

Those who will be responsible for publishing the Journal in the future are second year students Christopher T. Hayes, Tamara D. McKeown, and Jan Shackelford and first year students Cheryl Goodman, Joseph Patner, Roderick Pearcey, Cindy Waters, and Carolyn West.



the Supreme Court.

Law Student Jeff Cohen Argues **Before Supreme Court**

As a part of the College of Law's internship program with the Leon **County Public Defender's appellate** section, law student Jeff Cohen argued a case in the Florida Supreme Court on March 31, 1987. Cohen, who also wrote three briefs during the internship, argued that the retroactive application of a 1986 cost statute violated the ex post facto clause of the State and

Nelson Williams Named to Who's Who **Among American Law Students**

Nelson G. Williams, a third-year law student at the College of Law, has been chosen to be in "Who's Who Among American Law Students" 6th edition.

Williams was among the first ten Public Service Fellows funded by the Florida Bar Foundation. For the past two summers he has worked as a law clerk and certified legal

Extern Coordinator Nancy Daniels assisted Jeff Cohen as he prepared to argue before

Federal constitutions. The case, State v. Yost, had been consolidated with cases from several District Courts of Appeal on a certified question to the Supreme Court. Cohen is the third law student in Florida to argue in the Supreme Court. The previous two law students, Pamela Presnell ('86) and Nicholas Whittle ('85), were also from Florida State.

intern with Withlacoochee Area Legal Services, Inc.

Prior to entering law school, Williams was a college professor for 18 years and taught ten years at Sumter Correctional Institute, Bushnell. He plans to practice law in Citrus, Hernando, or Sumter Counties after his graduation in May.

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Edwin F. Blanton announces the formation of Dixon, Blanton, Shelley & Adams with offices located at 902 N. Gadsden Street, Tallahassee 32317. 904/224-1020.

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Paul Hill has been named General Counsel for The Florida Bar in addition to continuing as director of the Communications Division, The Florida Bar, Apalachee Parkway, Tallahassee 32301. 904/222-5286.

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- Thomas E. Norman has been appointed to the Statewide Human Rights Advocacy Committee. He is Director of Planned Giving for Tallahassee Memorial **Regional Medical Center, 1401** Centerville Road, Ste. 206, Tallahassee 32308. 904/681-5389.
- Carolyn Snurkowski, a special adviser to Attorney General Bob Butterworth, has been promoted to head the Division of Criminal Appeals, Department of Legal Affairs, Tallahassee 32301. 904/488-0600.

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- Stephen Presnell, formerly of **Digital Equipment Corporation**, announces the opening of his law office at 304 N. Meridian Street. Ste. 3, Tallahassee 32301. 904/224-4357.
- Barry A. Cook is associated with the firm of Merritt, Ratchford

Tom Pelham Chosen To Direct Community Affairs Department

Thomas G. Pelham, a 1971 graduate of the College of Law, was named by Governor Bob Martinez in January to head the state agency that regulates development and growth management. As Secretary of the Department of Community Affairs, the former Tallahassee planning commissioner said his biggest job will be to carry out the sweeping growth-management legislation adopted in 1985.

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Pelham, who practiced law in Tallahassee prior to his appointment, is a former law professor at Southern Methodist University School of Law and has taught as an adjunct professor at the Florida State University College of Law. He was educated at Florida State University. Duke University. and Harvard Law School where he received a Master of Laws degree in Environmental and Land-use Law.

The new DCA chief has worked for a Florida Keys property-owners group and an environmental group, The Friends of the Everglades, in battling a resort community next door to Pennekamp State Park on Key Largo. On the other side, he recently represented a controversial

and Searcy, 314 Baylen St., Pensacola 32573. 904/432-7661.

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- **Robert Haggard** announces the relocation of his office to 1001 S. **Bayshore Drive, 1910 Brickell** Bay Office Tower, Miami 33131. 305/856-0101.
- Nancy G. Linnan has been elected a shareholder in the firm of Carlton, Fields, Ward. Emmanuel, Smith, Cutler &

Pelham

development project near Jacksonville. Gov. Martinez stated that Pelham now has one client. "I think Tom Pelham knows who the client is: the people of Florida."

Pelham indicated that he is excited about his new position because he has "a strong interest and commitment to growth management and land-use planning."

Interest in the land and the outdoors extends to Pelham's personal life. He and his wife, Vivian, have two children, and the family enjoys camping.

The Pelhams are the sponsors of a Book Award in Land Use **Regulations.**

> Kent, P.A., Ste. 410, Lewis State Bank Building, Tallahassee 32302. 904/224-1585.

- Larry D. Simpson was recently elected President of the Tallahassee Bar Association. He is a partner in the firm of Davis, Judkins & Simpson, 210 E. College Ave., Tallahassee 32301. 904/222-6026.
- **Rayford Taylor**, formerly General Counsel for The Florida Bar. will head the Tallahassee office of the Tampa based law firm of

Stiles, Allen & Taylor, 225 S. Adams St., Ste. 250, Tallahassee 32301. 904/386-7064.

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- **Robert S. Hightower** recently served as a lecturer for the Florida Bar Tax Section at tax institutes held in Tampa and Miami on individual tax aspects of the Tax Reform Act. He is associated with the firm of McFarlain, Bobo, Sternstein, Wiley & Cassedy, First Florida Bank Tower, P.O. Box 2174, Tallahassee 32301. 904/222-2107.
- Eleanor M. Hunter has become associated with the firm of Hopping, Boyd, Green & Sams, Ste. 420, First Florida Bank Bldg., Tallahassee 32301. 904/222-7500.

Claudia Isom-Rickert, formerly District VI Legal Counsel, Health and Rehabilitative Services, has become a partner in the firm of Isom, Pingel & Isom-Rickert, P.A., 201 E. Kennedy Blvd., Ste. 915, Tampa 33602. 813/221-7999.

Stephen W. Metz, former General Counsel with the Florida Chamber of Commerce, has become a partner in the firm of Messer, Vickers, Caparello, French & Madsen, 215 S. Monroe Street, Ste. 701, Tallahasse 32302-1876. 904/222-0720.

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Debra Weiss Goodstone has become a member of the firm of Floyd, Pearson, Richman, et al, One Biscayne Tower, 25th Floor, Miami 33131. 305/377-0241.

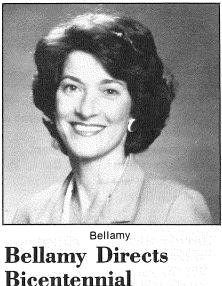
Thomas L. Powell, former assistant public defender, has become a partner in the firm of Douglas, Cooper & Coppins, 211 E. Call

904/224-6191.

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- 231. Orlando 32802. 305/843-6610.
- **Robert Shafer** is currently Jacksonville 32207. 904/396-0579.

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Street, Tallahassee 32302.

James L. Bacchus has been appointed by the Orange County Commission to the Tri County Transit Authority. He is a partner with Akerman, Senterfitt & Eidson, CNA Tower, P.O. Box

employed with the Fortune **Insurance Company located at** Ste. 2118, Gulf Life Tower,

Jeffery H. and Lila Abrams

Commission of Florida is beginning particular importance. its task of coordinating the commemoration of America's supreme

is working with Commission Chairman and Florida Supreme Court

announce the opening of United States Arbitration of Dallas/Fort Worth, Inc., an independent provider of alternative dispute resolution techniques, 12700 Hillcrest Road, Ste. 211, Dallas, TX 75230. 214/490-6394.

- Thomas K. Equels is a partner in the firm of Holtzman, Krinzman & Equels, 8585 Sunset Drive, Miami 33143. 305/596-2500.
- William F. Tarr is currently serving as Corporate Counsel with the Okeelanta Corporation, 316 Royal Poinciana Plaza, P.O. Box 1059, Palm Beach 33480. 305/655-6303.

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Howard Eugene Adams announces the formation of Dixon, Blanton,

Justice Ben Overton to seek additional funding and proceed with planning for the bicentennial celebration. Although she feels that the State of Florida should have begun about two years ago, Bellamy said, "I'm comforted and encouraged by the fact that most of the other states are about where we are and, in fact, we may be ahead of a good many of them."

The key to the bicentennial celebration, say Bellamy and Justice Overton, will be local involvement. So far, at least 40 cities and towns have applied for designation as official bicentennial locales. The Commission will oversee the implementation of educational programs and arrange The U.S. Constitution Bicentennial activities commemorating dates of

Bellamy is a graduate of the 1978 class of the College of Law and practices law in Tallahassee. Most Executive Director Carol Bellamy recently, she was a City Commissioner for the City of Tallahassee and served as mayor until 1986.

Shelley & Adams, 902 N. Gadsden Street, P.O. Box 12808. Tallahassee 32317. 904/224-1020.

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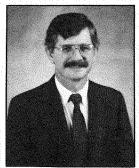
- Jeffery J. Branham has become associated with the firm of Dean, Ringer, Morgan & Lawton, 902 E. Robinson St., Ste. 1020. Orlando 32801. 305/422-4310.
- Joseph R. Flood, Jr. has become associated with the firm of Dean. Ringers, Morgan & Lawton, P.A.. P.O. Box 2928, Orlando 32801. 305/422-4310.

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- William E. "Ted" Guy, Jr. announces the relocation of his offices to 55 E. Ocean Blvd., P.O. Box 3386, Stuart 33495-3386. 305/286-7372.
- Judith Ray has become associated with the firm of Meehan & Foley, 11308 Prosperity Farms Road, Ste. 204, Palm Beach Gardens 33410. 305/626-7100.
- Cari L. Roth has become a partner in the firm of Messer, Vickers, Caparello, French & Madsen, Ste. 701, First Florida Bank Building, 215 S. Monroe Street, Tallahassee 32301. 904/222-0720.

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Mark D. Hildreth has become associated with the firm of Pennington, Wilkinson, Dunlap & Gautier, 3375-A Capital Circle, N.E., Tallahassee 32308-3787. 904/385-1103.



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Crane Enters Entertainment Law Field in Hollywood

From the State Attorney's Office in Florida to Paramount Pictures in Hollywood was quite a move for College of Law Class of '82 grad James Stephen Crane.

Currently in the syndication department of Paramount Pictures Corporation, a major motion picture studio, Crane's duties include abundant contract and rights analysis in both foreign and domestic syndication areas. Prior to moving into syndication, he worked in the television legal department doing contract analysis and research and assisting in preparation for trial.

While a student, Crane held a full time internship with the Office of the State Attorney in Naples, Florida. Following his graduation, he was employed by the Television

Steve Lewis has become a partner in the firm of Messer, Vickers, Caparello, French & Madsen, Ste. 701, First Florida Bank Building, 215 S. Monroe Street, Tallahassee 32301. 904/222-0720.

Elizabeth Masters, former Assistant State Attorney for the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, has joined the Office of the Attorney General as a Senior Attorney in the Criminal Appellate Division, Department of Legal Affairs, The Capitol, Tallahassee 32399-1050. 904/488-0600.

- P. Bruce McKibben, Jr., has become associated with the firm of Dempsey & Goldsmith, P.A., 307 W. Park Ave., Tallahassee 32301. 904/222-3638.
- Judy Rice is an attorney with the
- Department of Transportation, Haydon Burns Bldg., Tallahassee 32301-8064. 904/488-8541.
- Ron Weaver is currently serving as First Lieutenant in the Staff Judge Advocate's Office, U.S. Army Aviation Center, Fort Rucker, AL 36362.

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Entertainment Network as Area Vice President and Council. His interest in entertainment law is a natural outgrowth of earlier interests. He received his B.A. degree from Florida State with a major in Communications and a minor in Theater.

Crane has published extensively in the areas of sports and entertainment law. His articles include "Financing and Tax Strategies for the International Production and Distribution of Feature Films in the 90's." Entertainment and Sports Law Journal, Vol. 3, No. 3, Winter 1987, and "Films Dynamic Marketplace Gives Birth to New Forms of Financing," New York Law Journal, Vol. 195, No. 92, Nov. 7. 1986.

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Anita Bing is an Assistant City Attorney with the City of Tampa, 315 E. Kennedy Blvd., Tampa 33602.

Steven S. Ferst has become associated with the firm of Goldberg, Young & Borkson, P.A., 1630 N. Federal Highway, P.O. Box 23800, Fort Lauderdale 33307. 305/564-1411.



Robert D. Fingar has become associated with the firm of Huey, Guilday, Kuersteiner & Tucker, P.A., 215 S. Monroe Street, Ste. 510. First Florida Bank Building, Tallahassee 32302. 904/224-7091.

Leonard K. Samuels, former judicial clerk to Supreme Court Justice James Adkins, has become associated with the firm of Morgan, Lewis & Bockius, 3200 Miami Center, 100 Chopin Plaza, Miami 33131. 305/579-0312.

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Lucinda P. Burwell has become associated with the firm of Macfarlane, Ferguson, Allison & Kelly, P.A., 215 S. Madison Street, P.O. Box 1531, Tampa 33601. 813/223-2411.

- **Richard Colbert** has become associated with the firm of Clark, Partington, Hart, Larry, Bond & Stackhouse, First Florida Bank Building, Ste. 800, 125 W. Romana Street, Pensacola 32591-3010. 904/434-3273.
- Jean Burgess Edgar has become associated with the firm of Eggen & Rassmussen, Madison Park. Ste. 13, 4300 Bayou Blvd., Pensacola 32503. 904/474-1023.

Hope M. Grunnet has become associated with the firm of Cramer, Haber & McDonald,

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Sherry Grant Hall has become associated with the firm of Pennington, Wilkinson, Dunlap & Gautier, 3375-A Capital Circle, N.E., Tallahassee 32308-3787. 904/385-1103.

William A. Leavell, III, has become associated with the firm of Houger, Miller & Stein, P.S.C., 1800 Metropolitan Park, 1100 Olive Way, Seattle, WA 98101. 206/292-7878.



Paul McCaskill is currently a judicial clerk for Judge Douglas **B.** Shivers of the First District Court of Appeal, Tallahassee 32301. 904/488-9945.

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P.A., 1311 N. Church Ave., Tampa 33607. 813/876-8320.

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Mark S. Roman has become associated with the firm of Allen, Dell, Frank & Trinkle, Ste. 1240, Barnett Bank Building, 101 E. Kennedy Blvd., Tampa 33602. 813/223-5351.

- Virlindia Sample is an attorney with the Florida Sheriffs Association, P.O. Box 1487, Tallahassee 32302. 904/877-2165.
- Lauren Hafner Sewell is currently serving on the staff of the Attorney General's Tampa Office, 1313 Tampa St., Tampa 33602. 813/272-2670.

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	15Dedication of Caldwell House – Village Green, Tallahassee
June	12Florida Bar Annual Meeting; Board of Directors Meeting; Annual Alumni
,	Meeting; Alumni Reception – Orlando
	13Florida Bar Annual Meeting; Alumni Breakfast — Orlando
	25Classes End – Summer Session
June 29 - Ju	uly 29Summer Program in Law — Barbados
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July	24-27Florida Bar Trial Advocacy Family Law Seminar — Tallahassee
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