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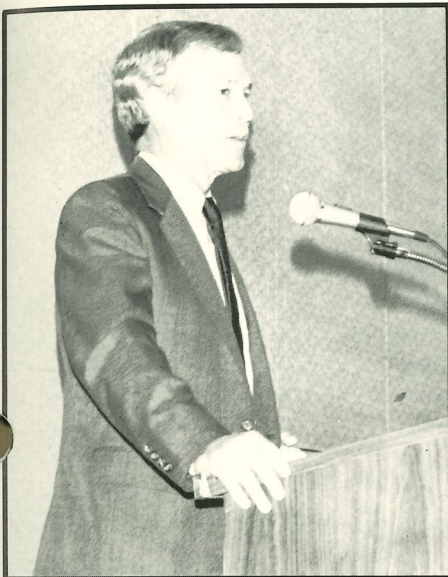
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MACKAY COMMENDS CARIBBEAN LAW INSTITUTE



MacKay

Buddy MacKay, U.S. Representative from the Sixth Congressional District of Florida, was the keynote speaker for the College of Law Alumni Breakfast held during the Bar Convention in June.

MacKay serves on several House committees and chairs the Congressional Competitiveness Caucus, a bipartisan, bicameral organization designed to improve America's standing in the global marketplace.

Speaking to an early morning crowd of alumni and friends of the law school, MacKay presented some interesting ideas concerning the U.S. legal system and free enter-

prise. He indicated that the key to the future of Florida is in the Caribbean Basin and that Florida has a stake in the development of third world countries. He proposed that members of the Florida Bar should lead in this area of international law and be willing to develop a common market in Central America and the Caribbean. Stating that this hemisphere has to succeed together in order to benefit all, MacKay pointed out that the Florida State College of Law is leading the way with its proposed Caribbean Law Institute.

CARIBBEAN LAW INSTITUTE PROPOSED

A proposal by the College of Law to establish a Caribbean Law Institute is receiving wide attention. The following editorial from the *Tallahassee Democrat*, June 21, 1987, recognizes the favorable impact that the Institute would have on Florida and the Caribbean.

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A half decade ago, President Ronald Reagan launched his Caribbean Initiative with much fanfare. It was intended to spur trade and development in the island nations; it has been less than a smashing success.

Now a second federally financed Caribbean initiative is being proposed. The Caribbean Law Institute. It does not promise instant

solutions; it does promise efforts that could greatly facilitate future area trade and cooperation.

The proposal comes from Florida, and not from South Florida. It comes from the Florida State University College of Law, which would serve as co-leader of the project with the University of West Indies Faculty of Law in Barbados.

Tallahassee may seem an unlikely location for the Institute, but it is not for a pair of reasons:

First, the College of Law already conducts courses in the Caribbean, at the Summer Program in Law at Barbados. It enrolls not only students from FSU but from other U.S. universities. The college also

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Gifford

This is my first opportunity to communicate with you as President of your Alumni Association. At the annual meeting on June 12, 1987, at the Florida Bar Convention in Orlando, I succeeded Terry Russell (Class of '69) as President. I want to take this occasion to thank Terry for an outstanding year; I look forward to his help and assistance on the Board of Directors. At that same meeting, Wayne Hogan (Class of '72) was designated President-elect and Steve MacNamara (Class of '72) was named Secretary-Treasurer. Reported elsewhere in the Newsletter are the names of the incoming directors. I'm pleased to report that 36 alumni attended the board meeting prior to the annual meeting. Virtually every class of the law school is represented on the Board, and your interest in the College of Law is extremely encouraging.

I view the coming year as an opportunity to consolidate the tremendous gains we have seen in the past several years. First and foremost, we must complete subscription of the Book Award Program and begin a system for renewal so that the law school can be assured of a steady income flow to support the programs that make our law school first in the State and foremost in the South.

Second, we will complete the Village Green project which received its final appropriation of funds from the legislature during the last session. Special thanks are in order for those who lobbied for this essential funding including Dean D'Alemberte, Terry Russell and former Speaker of the House, James Harold Thompson (Class of '69), among many others.

Third, we must undertake to find a replacement for Steve MacNamara. As you know, Steve has served the Alumni Association as Executive Director and resigned effective in the Spring of this year to assume a partnership with the Fowler White law firm in Tallahassee. He has agreed to continue serving the Association as Secretary-Treasurer and work on several projects that were initiated during his term as Executive Director. However, this fall we need to find someone to continue the work he began. I will look for your guidance and support in selecting someone to replace him in this important position. The Association honored Steve at the Bar Convention Alumni Breakfast for his outstanding service.

This fall, please make a special effort to attend the Reunion Weekend which is scheduled for Friday and Saturday, October 30 and 31, 1987. Chuck Ehrhardt will conduct the Litigation in Federal Courts annual update on Friday. The Class of 1977 plans a reunion dinner that evening. On Saturday morning the annual reunion brunch will be held, followed by a beer and oyster party and the FSU-Tulane football game. More detailed information is contained in the Newsletter on these and other events. Please make a special effort to visit the Village on the Green during the Reunion Weekend.

I look forward to serving you in the next year. I am grateful for the support you have shown in the past and look forward to working with all of you in the future.

Donald A. Gifford
President

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CALDWELL HOUSE DEDICATED IN MAY

A beautiful spring day in May provided a perfect setting for the dedication of the Johnson-Caldwell House, the newest addition to the Village Green. With its fresh green lawn, white colonnade and two pristine restored homes, the Village Green is no longer just a dream. It is becoming a reality.

Built before 1850, the Johnson-Caldwell House was the home of the late Governor Millard Caldwell and his wife, Mary. It was donated to the College of Law by their daughter, Sally Caldwell McCord, after Mrs. Caldwell's death in the Spring of 1986.

The date of May 15, 1987, was selected for the the dedication of the Johnson-Caldwell House because it was the 40th anniversary of the legislation signed by Governor Caldwell to create Florida State University from the Florida State College for Women.

Presiding at the dedication ceremony was F.S.U. President Bernard Sliger. Following the invocation given by Graham Carothers, Mr. Malcolm Johnson, local

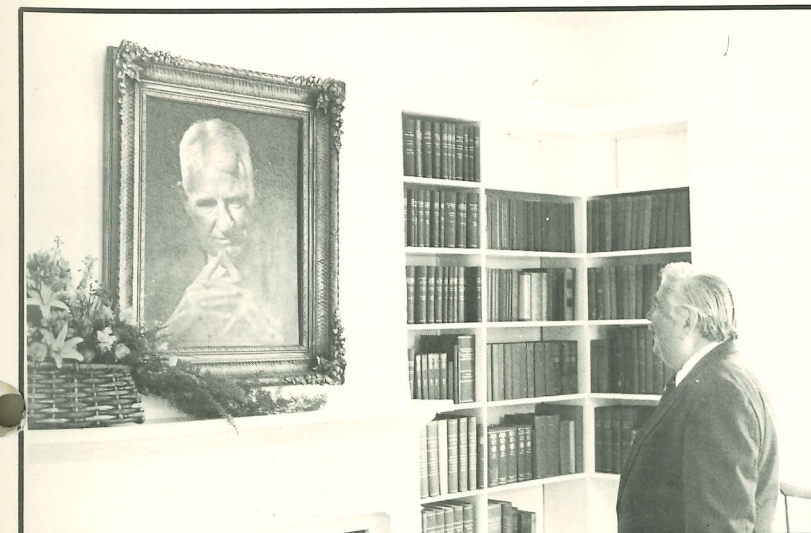


Dean D'Alemberte (c) presented tokens of appreciation to (l-r) Senator W. D. Childers, Mrs. Betty McCord, Mr. Fred McCord and Senator Pat Thomas for their support of the Village Green project.

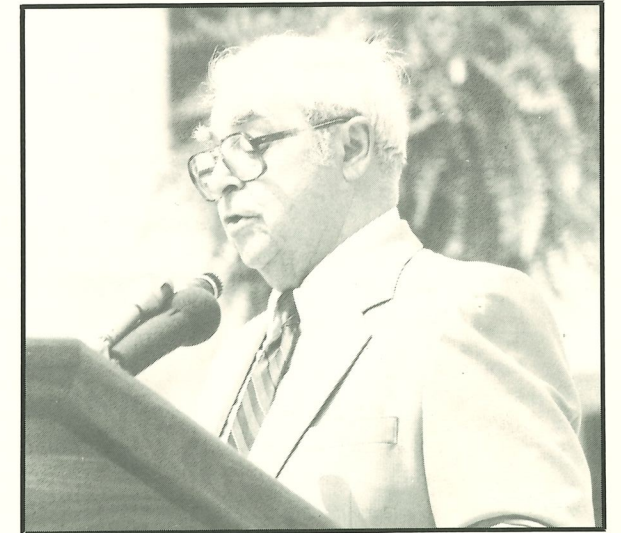
historian and former editor of the *Tallahassee Democrat*, reminisced about Mary and Millard Caldwell. He recalled their dedication to the preservation of Tallahassee's traditions, its trees and its canopy roads. He remarked that it was fitting

that their home should continue to stand and preserve tradition.

In accepting the house from Sally Caldwell McCord, Dr. Sliger expressed the appreciation of Florida State University and the College of Law for such an historic and



President Bernard Sliger views the portrait of Governor Millard Caldwell which now hangs in the Library of the restored Johnson-Caldwell House.



Malcolm Johnson speaks at the dedication.

generous gift. Additional remarks were made by Senator Pat Thomas and Senator W. D. Childers, both of whom were instrumental in obtaining funds for the Village Green project. Dean Talbot D'Alemberte was enthusiastic in his comments regarding the assistance given by the Legislature, the City of Tallahassee, and the many organizations and individuals who helped to realize the dream of a place of beauty and history which would enhance the surroundings of students engaged in the study of law.

Mayor Betty Harley and City Manager Dan Kleman represented the City of Tallahassee at the ceremony. Among the more than 100 persons present for the dedication were Judge B. K. and Mary Roberts, Judge Anne Cawthon Booth, Sarah Cawthon Shaw, Justice James C. Adkins, DCA



Attending the dedication were Justice B. K. Roberts and his wife, Mary.



Those attending the dedication enjoyed music and a picnic lunch after the formal ceremony.

Judges Earle Zehmer, Jimmy Joanos and Douglas Shivers, and several members of the Board of Regents who were present for a meeting held at the law school.

Those attending the dedication ceremony remained to share a picnic lunch on the Village Green and tour both the Johnson-Caldwell House and the Sarah Payne Cawthon House.

Pre-1885 Florida Session Laws to be Reproduced by Law Libraries

The law libraries of the six Florida law schools together with the Legislative Library and the Florida Supreme Court Library, are planning to produce a photocopy reproduction of pre-1885 Florida session laws.

The few existing copies of the Florida session laws prior to the Constitution of 1885 are brittle and crumbling. The earliest volumes are often watermarked and inkstained; many pages are badly discolored and difficult to read. A reproduction would make copies available today and in the future.

Reproduced volumes would be on a long lasting acid-free paper, sturdily bound, with wide interior

margins, and should be usable for centuries. Much of the discoloration can be ameliorated by skillful manipulation of the photocopy, Michael J. Lynch of the F.S.U. Law Library said.

"Most existing copies of session laws from territorial days have been bound or rebound by methods which make it necessary to unbind them for photocopying, and because of their brittleness or already narrow margins they are often difficult to rebind in a way which leaves them usable," Lynch said. "Librarians are naturally reluctant to see their originals changed in this way, but this reluctance may be balanced by the

usefulness of the project."

"It would be most desirable, however," Lynch said, "if additional copies could be located in private hands which might be donated for this use. Copies made from donated volumes would bear the donor's name."

Persons who possess any of these territorial session laws and wish to aid this project should contact Edwin M. Schroeder, Director of the Law Library of Florida State University by calling 904/644-4578. Those who would like to purchase reproduced copies when available should contact Mr. Schroeder also.

ALUMNI NEWS



Enjoying the alumni breakfast were Board Member John Frost, DCA Judge Jim Jorgenson, Dean D'Alemberte, and Alumni Past President Terry Russell.



Newly elected Florida Bar President Ray Ferrero visited with Alumni President Don Gifford at the Alumni Reception.

Alumni Gather at Bar Meeting

Rumor was that the F.S.U. College of Law alumni reception was the liveliest party going on at the Orlando Marriott on Friday evening, June 12, 1987. More than 200 persons gathered during The Florida Bar Convention to visit with alumni, dean and faculty. Lively conversation, good food and great fun kept the reception going well beyond the scheduled one hour.

Alumni from every graduating class were present. Among those from the Charter Class were outgoing Alumni Association President Terry Russell, DCA Judge Jim Jorgenson, and Alumni Board Members John Frost and Doug Morford. Recent graduates present included newlyweds Kelly Haynes and Billy Buzzett of Tampa.

Newly elected Florida Bar President Ray Ferrero came by to visit as did Stephen Zack who is a candidate for President-Elect in 1988. They were welcomed by Don Gifford, incoming President of the Alumni Association.

During the reception, Jim Meyer (Class of 1970) presented a check for \$1500 to Dean Sandy D'Alemberte. Given by the Corporate, Banking and Business Section of the Florida Bar, these funds are to be used by the Law Library.

As the food and drink were being cleared away, the last of the crowd lingered on, still enjoying their time together and looking forward to the next occasion to meet and reminisce about law school days.



Newlyweds Kelly Haynes and Billy Buzzett of the Class of 1986 attended the Alumni Reception.



Jim Meyer presents Dean D'Alemberte with a check from the Corporate and Banking Section of The Florida Bar.



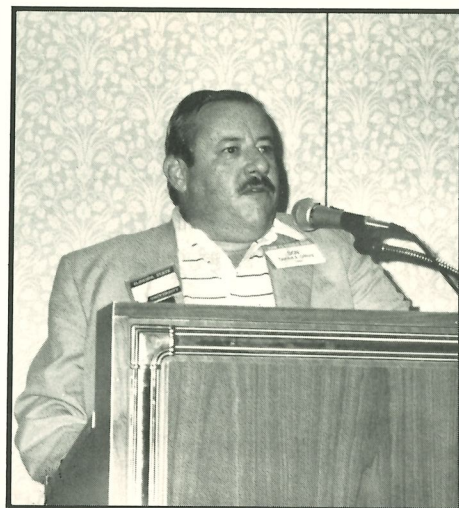
Terry Russell welcomed Steve Zack, candidate for President-elect of The Florida Bar, to the Alumni Reception.

Meet Don Gifford, New Alumni President

Donald A. Gifford assumed leadership with a smile and an enthusiastic response upon his installation as President of the College of Law Alumni Association in June. He was elected at the Annual Meeting held during the Bar Convention in Orlando.

Gifford is a 1970 graduate of the College of Law and a member of the law firm of Shackelford, Farris, Stallings & Evans in Tampa. Prior to joining the firm in 1973, Gifford clerked for William Terrell Hodges, Chief Judge of the U.S. District Court, Middle District of Florida.

Don Gifford is known for his extensive involvement in many legal and community activities. Most recently, he was installed as President-elect of the Hillsborough



President Don Gifford addresses alumni at the Bar Convention.

County Bar Association. He has served on the Board of Directors of the Association since 1983.

An active bar member, Don has held membership on many committees of The Florida Bar, the American Bar Association and the Federal Bar Association. He is affiliated with

the American Judicature Society and the 11th Circuit Court of Appeals Historical Society.

In addition to extensive lecturing for Continuing Legal Education programs, Gifford finds time to support both the University of South Florida and Florida State University. He was president of the USF Alumni Association in 1976 and is currently on the Board of Directors of the National Alumni Board. At Florida State, Don is a member of the Seminole Seekers Booster Club, serves on the FSU National Alumni Association Board of Directors and has served on the Law Alumni Association Board of Directors since 1982.

In his spare time, Don is active with the Kiwanis Club, Tiger Bay Club, Tower Club of Tampa, United Way of Greater Tampa, and the Hall of Fame Bowl Association. He and his wife, Sandy, have three children, Adriana, Roy and Stacy.

Alumni Reunion Weekend Set for October

In the midst of summer heat, it's hard to visualize cool, fall days. But they will arrive and the atmosphere around the law school will change. Classes will begin again, football season will start, and many activities will be scheduled.

A major event for alumni will be the Sixth Annual Alumni Reunion Weekend which is scheduled for Friday and Saturday, October 30 and 31, 1987. This is also University Homecoming Weekend.

The Reunion Weekend will begin on Friday, October 30, 1987, with a CLE course on "Litigation in Federal Courts." The course will be held at the Florida State Conference Center from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM, and will carry Bar designation credit.

On Friday evening, the Class of 1977 will celebrate its ten-year reunion with cocktails and dinner at

the Tallahassee Hilton at 7:30 PM. Jim Cunningham of Orlando is making arrangements and contacting class members.

The big social event for alumni is the Annual Reunion Brunch at the Florida State Conference Center on Saturday morning. The Brunch begins at 9:30 AM. Tickets are \$15.00 and may be ordered by using the registration form in this Newsletter.

Prior to the football game against Tulane, the annual Homecoming Beer & Oyster Party will be held on the patio at B. K. Roberts Hall. The game is scheduled for 7:00 PM but may be moved to the afternoon. The time for the Oyster Party will be set according to game time. All alumni are invited to attend.

Moot Court alumni will be hosted at noon on Saturday by Professor VanDercreek.

Football fans will gather at 7:00 PM on Saturday when F.S.U. plays Tulane in Campbell Stadium. For the first 150 persons who register for the Reunion, tickets are available in the law school block. See the registration form for further information.

Blocks of hotel rooms have been reserved at the Tallahassee Hilton, the Radisson Hotel Tallahassee, and the Holiday Inn University Center. Reservations are to be made individually with the hotel. Identify yourself as a College of Law alum. The registration form contains information on rates.

The Reunion Weekend will be a special time for law school alumni. Mark the dates on your calendar and plan to attend. The deadline for registration is October 1, 1987. Register now! Come and join the fun!



Don Gifford presents plaque to Steve McNamara in recognition of his service to the Alumni Association.



Terry Russell's wife, Mary Kay, and children share in his recognition as outgoing President of the Alumni Association.

Russell and MacNamara Recognized at Alumni Breakfast

Following a delightful breakfast at the Orlando Marriott and an informative talk by Congressman Buddy MacKay, newly elected Alumni Association President Don Gifford presented a plaque to Past President Terry Russell in recognition of his outstanding service to the organization. During Russell's term

of office, fundraising increased and a firm budget was instituted for the Alumni Association.

Also recognized by the Alumni Association was former Associate Dean Stephen R. MacNamara. Serving as Executive Director of the Alumni Association from 1984 until his resignation this spring, Mac-

Namara led the development efforts of the College of Law which greatly benefited the Alumni Association. MacNamara's efforts on behalf of the Association will continue with his election to the position of Secretary-Treasurer for 1987-1988.

Alumni Association Elects New Board Members; Names Officers

The College of Law Alumni Association met in Orlando during the Florida Bar Convention in June to elect new Board of Directors members and officers for the coming year.

Donald A. Gifford of Tampa was installed as President of the Law Alumni Association for 1987-1988. Named as President-elect was J. Wayne Hogan of Jacksonville and serving as Secretary-Treasurer of the Association is Stephen R. MacNamara of Tallahassee. Terrence J. Russell will serve as Past President.

Board members who will serve until 1988 are Fredric W. Baggett, Nicholas R. Friedman, J. William Kirkland, Peter M. Kramer, Rafael E. Martinez, Robert W. Perkins, H. Mark Purdy, Jack M. Skelding, George E. Tragos, Cass D. Vickers, and David W. Wilcox.

Serving until 1989 are W. Walter Grace, Jr., W. Christopher Hart, James F. Heekin, Jr., Eleanor M. Hunter, Roy M. Kinsey, R. Kent Lilly, John W. Little, III, Mel R. Martinez, Rayford H. Taylor, and James Harold Thompson.

Members whose terms run until 1990 are Joseph R. Boyd, Thomas M. Burke, James O. Cunningham, Robert D. Fingar, C. David Fonvielle, John W. Frost, II, William A. Gillen, Raymond O. Gross, Alan M. Grunspan, William E. Johnson, J. Christopher Lombardo, Douglas H. Morford, Vincent J. Rio, III, Susan Wadsworth Roberts, Douglas C. Spears, C. Gary Williams, and Lori Wilson.

The Board of Directors meets three times per year. The Board serves as an administrative body of the College of Law Alumni Association.

Curriculum Changes Result in "L.A. Law" and Other Innovative Courses

If you listen to students talking in the hallways of the law school, you will hear puzzling comments about "L.A. Law" which do not seem to refer to the popular TV show. Closer attention reveals that the phrase is actually "Dore's L.A. Law." It seems that this new and catchy term is being used to describe the Legislative and Administrative Law course which was taught last year by Professor Patricia Dore as one of the new first year elective courses.

The academic year 1986-1987 saw changes in the first year curriculum. Previous two-part five hour courses were combined into single four hour courses covering the basic required course load. Students were then allowed to choose an elective course from an array of six courses including "L.A. Law." This innovative program resulted in a feeling among students that they had some degree of choice in their first year program.

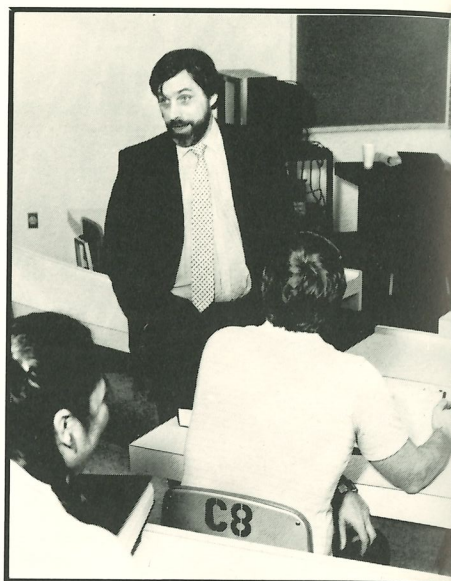
Another important change taking place in the College of Law curriculum is a trend toward instituting more courses aimed at the practical aspects of law practice. The clinical intern programs are well established and enable many students to experience actual case preparation and courtroom trials. These continue to be a successful part of the law curriculum.

Two years ago, a *Litigation Skills Seminar* was inaugurated. Nine students participated in two trials which were conducted in the courtroom and videotaped. Involved in all aspects of preparing for and trying the cases, the students were assisted by practicing attorneys who

both lectured and played the role of prosecutor or judge. This fall, Professor Steve Goldstein will be teaching a similar course emphasizing the skills necessary to be an effective litigator. Skills will be introduced by a lecture after which students will engage in simulated exercises which will be videotaped. The final step will be to discuss and critique the exercises and tapes. Again, lawyers and judges will assist through lecture and demonstration of skills.

A course entitled *Business Transactions and Skills* will be offered by Professor Joe Jacobs in the fall. It is designed to offer intensive, small group instruction in business transactions and stresses two skills — negotiating and drafting documents — indispensable to the business lawyer. Students will be introduced to four common transactions with which business lawyers should be familiar — Organization of a Business, Real Estate Transaction, Loan Transaction, and Sale of the Business. Each transaction will begin with simulated negotiations and culminate in the drafting of documents. A one week negotiation segment will be taught by principals of Conflict Management, Inc.

Offered last summer on an experimental basis, the Business Transactions and Skills course drew favorable comments from recent graduate Alan Fields. "I can't begin to express how much of an edge that one course has given me," he said, "or how much use I am continuing to make of the skills and even the form documents developed there." He expressed his appreciation for the availability of

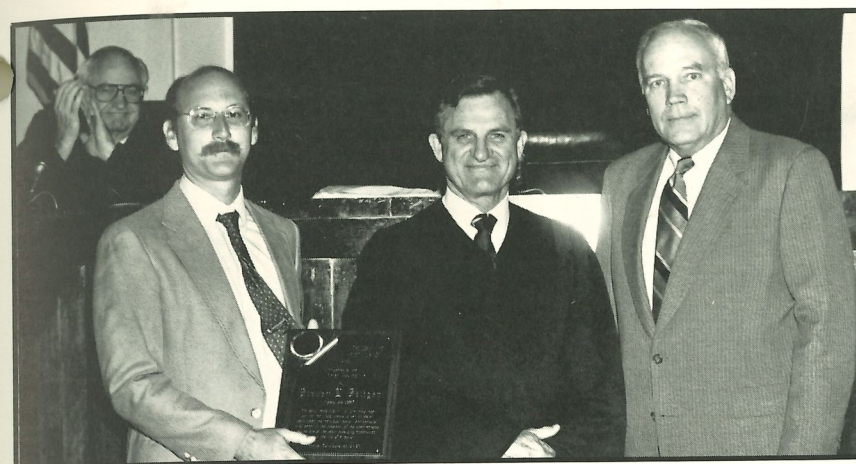


Professor Joe Jacobs stresses a point to students in his Business Skills course.

the course as it "was a tremendous learning experience and has already proven to be of great practical value."

Both the Litigation Skills and Business Skills courses have received support from the legal community. Attorneys who have volunteered their time will assist in the teaching of each of these courses. Professor Jacobs has received \$10,000 from the Corporation, Banking and Business Law Section of The Florida Bar to assist in funding his course. In return for offering their services, arrangements have been made to grant CLE credits to those attorneys who participate in these programs.

Several other courses designed to prepare young attorneys for law practice have been taught for several years. Many alumni will remember Ehrhardt's *Trial Practice*, Dickson's *Family Law Seminar* and Dore's *Constitutional Law Problems Seminar*, also known as "Supreme Court Roleplaying." With the addition of litigation and business skills courses, students at the College of Law have several opportunities to learn about the "real world" of law practice.



Steven Seliger displays the 1987 Tobias Simon Award which was presented to him by Chief Justice Parker Lee McDonald (c) after his nomination by (r) Circuit Judge Charles E. Miner. Applauding in the background is Justice Ben Overton.

Seliger Receives Tobias Simon Pro Bono Award

Steven L. Seliger, a 1977 graduate of the College of Law, is the recipient of this year's Tobias Simon Pro Bono Service Award. The Award was presented on April 24, 1987, at a ceremony held at the Florida Supreme Court in Tallahassee. The Florida legal profession's highest honor for public interest service, the Award confers recognition by the State's highest court on a private lawyer for rendering voluntary, free legal services to the poor.

In accepting the award from Chief Justice Parker Lee McDonald, Seliger stated, "I'm a little bit embarrassed that we have to award these kinds of awards because as a profession it's always been my belief that our primary function is to serve everyone." He added, "I do appreciate the award. It's quite an honor."

Seliger, who practices law in Quincy, has contributed over 1,000 hours on 34 cases in addition to his participation in the Legal Services of North Florida Pro Bono Program. He has given the bulk of his time to the collateral appeals of two death-sentenced inmates. Currently, Seliger is volunteering his time to represent several young men in a federal civil case against corrections officers in the Jackson County Jail.

A solo practitioner, Seliger is regularly appointed by the U.S. Court of Appeals for the 11th Circuit to represent indigent persons in appeals before that court. He also provides low-cost routine civil legal assistance to persons referred by the local legal services office.

"Steve Seliger breathes meaning into the belief that service to humanity is the best work of life. Not once has he rejected any man's cause for financial considerations," commented Tallahassee Circuit Judge Charles E. Miner in a letter supporting Seliger. "The words of the oath that lawyers take upon admittance to the Bar are the same for all. What sets Steve Seliger apart from too many others is that he believes and lives those words."

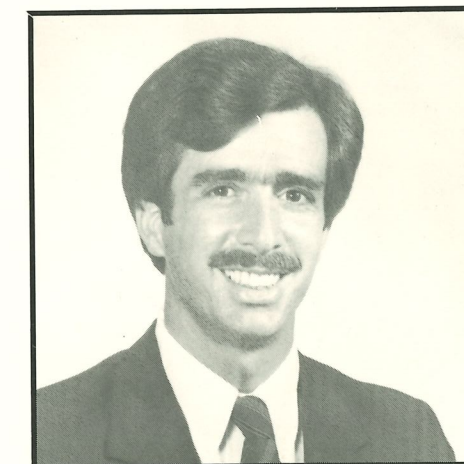
The Tobias Simon Pro Bono Award is named in honor of Miami lawyer Tobias Simon, a champion of individual rights until his death in 1982. Seliger is the sixth recipient of the Award. Two of the other five finalists, Ed Stafman of Tallahassee and Tom Equels of Miami, are also graduates of the Florida State University College of Law.

In addition to recognition by the Chief Justice, Seliger was one of 17 attorneys to receive The Florida Bar President's Pro Bono Service Award.

Equels Honored by Florida Bar President for Pro Bono Service

Litigating on a voluntary basis the wrongful eviction of all tenants in an Overtown apartment, Thomas K. Equels was successful in court with the result that the tenants are now owners of the building.

Equels, a 1980 graduate of the College of Law who is a partner in the firm of Holtzman, Krinzman & Equels in Miami, was honored in April as a recipient of The Florida



Equels

Bar President's Pro Bono Service Award given in recognition of volunteer legal services to the poor. Equels spent over 850 hours on the tenant case during a four-year period. He has spent 1,500 hours in defense of a death row inmate and has handled many other cases.

The Florida Bar President's Pro Bono Service Award was established in 1981 to encourage lawyers to volunteer free legal services to the poor and to communicate to the public some sense of the substantial volunteer services provided by Florida lawyers. It recognizes individual lawyer service in each of Florida's 17 judicial circuits.

In addition to Equels from the 11th Circuit, Steven L. Seliger (Class of 1977) of the 2nd Circuit was recognized for his pro bono activities.

Pro Bono Project Hosts Recognition Reception

On June 16, 1987, the Florida State University College of Law Pro Bono Project and Legal Services of North Florida, Inc., hosted an appreciation reception in honor of attorneys and students who have made pro bono contributions. Cohosts for the reception were Thomas M. Ervin, Jr., and Steven J. Uhlfelder, members of the Board of Governors of the Second Judicial Circuit.

Dean Talbot D'Alemberte, on behalf of the College of Law, commended the law students who have volunteered with the Government

Night Clinic Program, which is sponsored by Legal Services of North Florida. Awards for outstanding pro bono services were presented by D'Alemberte to students Gemma Santos and Kevin Beck for their volunteer contributions to the clinic.

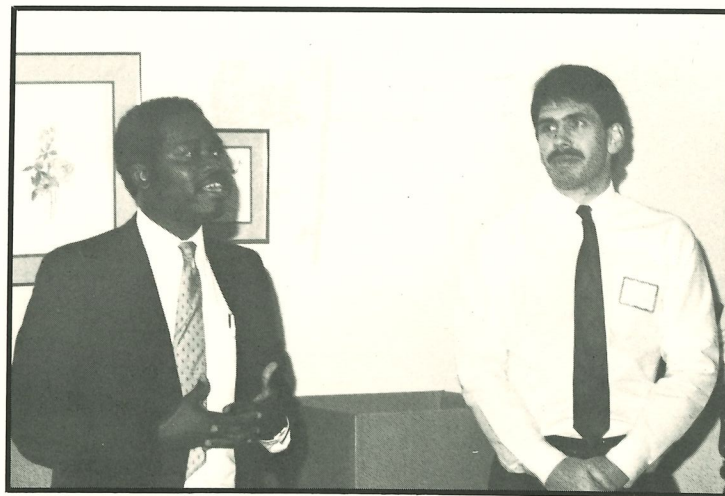
Attorneys in the community who have made significant pro bono contributions were recognized by Jack McLean, a graduate of the College of Law and Executive Director of Legal Services of North Florida.



Gemma Santos receives her pro bono award from Dean Sandy D'Alemberte.



Dean D'Alemberte presents the pro bono award to Kevin Beck.



Speaking to those gathered at the reception were Jack McLean and John Fenno of Legal Services of North Florida.

Pro Bono Project Inaugurated at College of Law

The Florida State University College of Law, in connection with the Public Service Fellowship Program, recently inaugurated a Pro Bono Project which recruits students to volunteer with various pro bono programs in the community. The Project has had an enthusiastic response from the student body. In its brief four months of operation, it has enrolled approximately 40 students who have contributed an impressive 200

volunteer hours.

The goals of the Project are to allow students to gain practical legal skills and valuable legal experience; to encourage and recruit attorneys to provide pro bono services by providing them with student clerking assistance; and to encourage students to fulfill their ethical obligations by performing pro bono services after graduation.

Pro Bono is a Latin abbreviation which literally means "for the good of the public." The contributions of the law student volunteers are truly within the meaning of the term pro bono in that they receive neither monetary reimbursement nor academic credit.

The Project assigns students to work with a wide range of pro bono programs. These include Legal Services of North Florida,

Inc.'s Government Night Clinic Program, the Tallahassee Bar Association sponsored Legal Aid Foundation afternoon clinic, the State of Florida Guardian Ad Litem Program for the Second Judicial Circuit, the Florida Law Related Education Association, and the Public Defender's Office. The Project hopes to expand in the future to include Legal Services of North Florida's new small claims clinic and its Emeritus Attorney Program.

Most of these community pro bono programs involve direct legal representation to the poor. A student volunteer is typically assigned to an attorney for a specific case. The students may be involved in all phases of the litigation, including intake, issue analysis and research, procedural practice, pleading practice, and a whole range of other functions including assistance at hearings.

The students may also participate in other pro bono activities which do not involve direct legal representation. For example, the students have worked with the Florida Law Related Education Association on a documentary celebrating the Bicentennial of the U.S. Constitution.

There are varied reasons why the law students volunteer for pro bono work. Chris Tiernan, a second year student, stated one reason he volunteered was "to get some experience and see where I want to go with my law degree." Third year student Gemma Santos was aware of the need for free legal services from her volunteer work in the Hispanic community in Miami, and welcomed an opportunity to do pro bono work. Kevin Beck, a second year student, feels all members of the legal community have a responsibility to do pro bono work, and volunteering with the program is his "effort to serve the community."

The community agencies providing pro bono services have



Legal Services staff members Sonia Crockett and Marian Alves visit with Francisco Rivera, Public Service Fellow Coordinator of the Pro Bono Project.

welcomed the student participation. Marc Taps, Senior Attorney with Legal Services of North Florida, Inc., feels the law student volunteers with the Legal Services Night Clinic Program provide a needed service. "They're very important," he said, "because the attorneys, most of whom work for the government during the day, can't spend the time necessary to do the leg-work." LSNF's Project Coordinator, John Fenno, stated that "the student volunteers act as a lure for attorneys who would otherwise not

participate in the program."

Teresa Goodson, Director of the Project, explained that the program's goals are to "enable the law student volunteers to gain valuable work experience and skills in different areas of civil and criminal public interest law, while at the same time giving assistance to the pro bono attorney." She said, "It is hoped that this type of experience will persuade law students to continue to participate in pro bono work upon graduation."

Scholarship Program Enhanced by Recent Donations

Additional scholarship funds have been provided to the College of Law by donations from two sources. In April, a check for \$1,000 was presented by Betty Steffens on behalf of the Nabors Giblin Steffens & Nickerson law firm in Tallahassee. The funds will be used for a scholarship award to be made

in the Fall 1987 Semester.

Also to be awarded in the Fall Semester is a scholarship for \$300. These funds were contributed by the Tallahassee Women Lawyers Association.

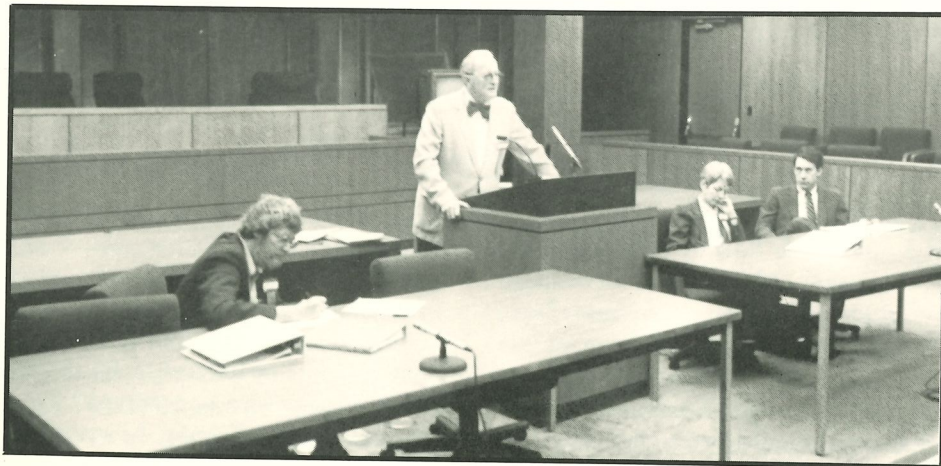
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The Advanced Trial Advocacy Training Program for Public Defenders, sponsored by the College of Law, the Public Defenders Association, and the Justice Administrative Commission, was held in May and again in August. More than eighty assistant public defenders attended the week-long skills training conferences which were held in the College of Law courtroom.



Pictured discussing plea negotiations at the Trial Advocacy Training Program are (l-r) APD Gerry Itkin from Key West; APD Tony Rondolino from Clearwater; Millard Farmer, Team Defense Project, Inc., Atlanta; former Chief Justice James Adkins of the Florida Supreme Court; Tallahassee attorney Don Modesitt; APD T. Michael Johnson from Bushnell; APD Larry Shearer from Bartow; and APD Ann Finnell from Jacksonville.



Dr. Wallace Kennedy of Florida State University delivers a lecture on cross-examining the child psychologist expert witness, while panel members Dr. Harry Krop and Dr. Elizabeth McMahan of Gainesville, and Dr. Robert Berland of Tallahassee, wait to add their comments and be cross-examined in small group sessions.

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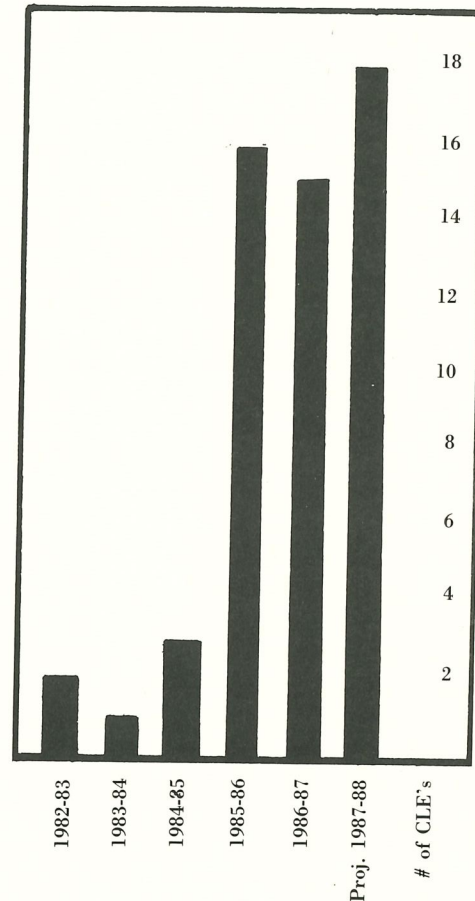
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In January of 1986, Ms. Catherine McCaskill was hired as a full-time CLE Coordinator. In addition to coordinating programs offered by the law school, she develops advertising

brochures, handles registrations and plans conferences and programs.

Ms. McCaskill has recently been appointed to the Continuing Legal Education Committee of The Florida Bar (the only non-lawyer on the committee), and to the University Advisory Board for the Center for Professional Development and Public Service.

Over the past two years, the number of law school CLE offerings has dramatically increased, and a wider variety of programs has been developed. A calendar of programs for the 1987-88 year is contained in this Newsletter. For further information, call Ms. McCaskill at 904/644-2590.



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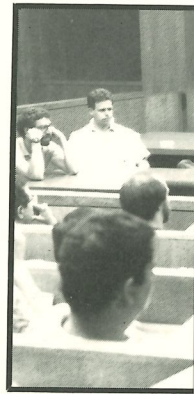
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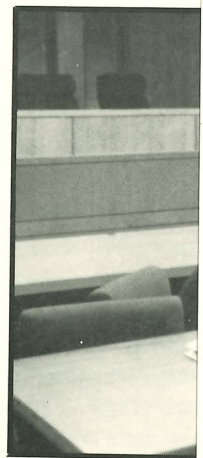
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1987-88 CLE and Conference Calendar

October 2, 1987

Taxing Services: Policy, Process... and Problems

Tallahassee: Florida State Conference Center

Sponsor: FSU CLAA

Co-Sponsor: Tax Section and Administrative Law Section of The Florida Bar

Will tell all about the policy behind the new taxing services Act; how the Act works; the Act's problems.

October 2 & 3, 1987

The Workplace: Critical Issues '87

Tallahassee: Ramada Inn North

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Litigation in Federal Courts

Tallahassee: Florida State Conference Center

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Annual update on Federal practice.

November 6, 1987

Surrogate Parenting and the New Reproductive Technologies

Tallahassee: Florida State Conference Center

Sponsors: Policy Studies Clinic, FSU College of Law, Center for Human Services Policy and Administration, FSU.

A forum for developing public policy on surrogate parenting and the new reproductive technologies.

March 1988

Court-Annexed Arbitration

Orlando

Sponsor: The Florida Dispute Resolution Center, FSU College of Law

A workshop for court-appointed arbitrators.

CERL To Sponsor Critical Issues Conferences

The Center for Employment Relations and Law will sponsor its annual Critical Issues Conference in three locations this fall. On October 2 and 3, 1987, the conference will be held in Tallahassee at the Ramada Inn North. Registrants will receive two free tickets to the FSU-Miami football game. On November 19-20, 1987, the conference will be held in Orlando at the Sheraton-Maitland Hotel & Towers. A third site in Ft. Lauderdale is yet to be determined.

Topics to be discussed include affirmative action, AIDS, sexual harrassment, working women, immigration reform and recent Florida law developments. Speakers will include employment law specialists from Epstein, Becker, Borsody and Green; Carlton, Fields Law Firm; Holland & Knight; Paul, Hastings, Janofsky and Walker; and others.

The Center recently completed a 275-page monograph, *Aids and The Workplace*, an employer's resource guide to dealing with AIDS problems in the workplace. Another monograph, *Law of the Workplace*, has been completed and will be published by the American Bar Association.

For further information about the conferences or the monographs, call the Center at 904/644-4287.

Alumni are encouraged to submit items of interest to the newsletter. Forward to:
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Intern Supervisors Workshop Held In April

Attorneys from Public Defender and State Attorney offices across the state attended the first annual Intern Supervisors Workshop at the College of Law on April 24, 1987. Included were attorneys from eight of the eleven offices in which F.S.U. students are interning.

The Workshop featured lectures and discussion on effective orientation and supervision techniques in training student interns. Also included were presentations on the Florida Student Practice Rule and the ABA accreditation rules for internship programs.

Introductory remarks were made by Dean Talbot "Sandy" D'Alemberte who urged that the interns be trained by the great trial lawyers of the respective offices, much like the teaching hospital in the medical profession.

During a lunch break, the supervising attorneys were introduced to their summer interns. Several former interns concluded the session with presentations on the positive and negative aspects of their own internships.

The Workshop was held as part of an ongoing law school effort to improve the structure and content of the internship program. Intern Coordinator Nancy Daniels stated that the workshop was productive and would be repeated next year.



Members of the State University System Board of Regents met in the Student Lounge of B. K. Roberts Hall on May 14 and 15, 1987, for their monthly meeting. Several members attended the Johnson-Caldwell House Dedication following the meeting.

Legal Studies Workshop Resumes in Fall

The Legal Studies Workshop will resume in the Fall with another full schedule of speakers from the fields of psychology, economics, philosophy, history, and law.

The purpose of the Workshop is to provide members of our law faculty, the wider university faculty, and the surrounding legal community with a forum for interdisciplinary discussion of their research in progress. More broadly, we see the Workshop as an occasion for the academic and professional communities to interact, one of our long-standing goals. The Workshop meets for one evening each month and is followed by an informal reception. Attendance is, of course, free of charge.

Our first session for the new academic year will be held on Tuesday, September 15, at 7:30 P.M. in the Rare Book Lounge, Third Floor, at the College of Law. Joyce Carbonelle, Professor of Psychology, will discuss

"Psychological and Legal Aspects of Rape Trauma Syndrome and Post-Traumatic Stress." It promises to be an interesting evening, and all alumni are cordially invited to attend.

If you are not at present on the Legal Studies Workshop mailing list and would like to be, please fill in and return the attached form. You will receive announcements for all upcoming Workshop sessions together with an introduction to each presentation.

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Larry D. Beltz	Torts Achievement Award
Dexter Douglass	Torts
Frost & Purcell, P.A.	Evidence
Gorman & Matthew	Torts
Holland & Knight	Environmental Law Achievement
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Robert G. Kerrigan	Criminal Law
Roy and Pat Kinsey	Torts
Messer, Vickers, Caparello, French & Madsen	Taxation
Richard Nahstoll	Professional Responsibility
Parker, Skelding, Costigan, McVoy & LaBasky	Constitutional Law II
Ruden, Barnett, McClosky, Schuster & Russell, P.A.	Property
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Stearns, Weaver, Miller, Weissler, Alhadeff & Sitterson	Business Law
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Roberts, Baggett, LaFace & Richard	State Constitutional Law

\$1,000 Book Awards

BAR-BRI	Top First Year Student Award
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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Boyd, Sr.	Law Review
Clark, Partington, Hart, Larry, Bond & Stackhouse	Faculty Designated Award
Ten Members — Class of 76-77	Bob Tirelli Book Award in Remedies
Anthony Cleveland and Bruce Leinback	Public Labor Law
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
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Bill Powers	Private Labor Law
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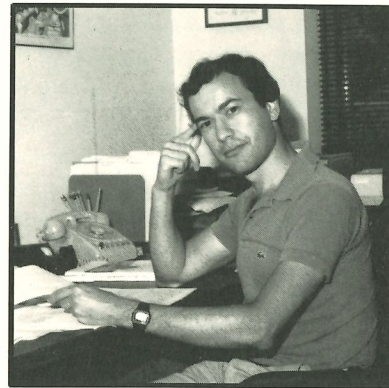
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"The Collision of Military Cultures in Seventeenth Century New England," will appear in the March 1988 issue of the *Journal of American History*.

Joseph Jacobs has completed an article, "Excess Tax Reserves and the Tax Reform Act of 1986: An Overview of the Problem and Congressional Efforts to Repeal Section 203(e) of the Tax Reform Act of 1986" (with Thomas Mittelstaedt), which has been published in 13 *Tax Management Washington Tax Review* 71 (April 1987) and reprinted at 35 *Tax Notes* 1339 (June 29, 1987). His article, "Murphy's Law: A Revenue Crisis Spawns Title Uncertainty," appears at 16 *Stetson Law Review* 228 (1987) (with Alan B. Fields).

John Larson recently assisted the Senate Judiciary-Civil Committee in developing legislation to provide for liens on real and personal property for delinquent child support.

Robert Laurence recently published an article "At Home with the Bankruptcy Code: Residential Leases, Installment Real Estate Contracts and Home Mort-

gages," *The American Bankruptcy Law Journal*, Vol. 61, Spring 1987. His article, "A Student Guide to Sales Letters of Credit

New Legal Writing Instructors Named

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The Coif dates back to 1826 in England. The first graduates-at-law wore a close-fitting robe known as serafim.

Members elected are Richard D. Clearwater; James Susan S. Oosting of Jacksonville; Kelly M. Haynes, Orlando; Michael Pensacola; Robert P. Gray, Marysville; Christopher McGuire, Tallahassee; and Timothy D. Tallahassee; Alan B.

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Jack Van Doren recently published two articles, "Critical Legal Studies: A Dialogue," in the *New England Law Review*, Volume 21, Number 2, and "Private Property: A Study in Incoherence," 63 *University of Detroit Law Review* 683 (Summer 1986).

Kenneth Vinson participated in February in a conference, "The Public Philosophy in a Pluralistic Society," sponsored by the Department of Religion and the College of Law.

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The Order of the Coif dates back to the medieval period in England when serjeants-at-law wore a close-fitting hood covering all but their faces. They were known as serjeants of the coif.

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Brown Bag Series Features Travis and Castor

The Brown Bag Luncheon Series reached a successful conclusion in the Spring Semester.

Robert Travis spoke on April 16, 1987, on the Florida Bar Foundation and IOTA (Interest on Lawyer Trust Accounts). In May, the College of Law and the House Majority Office presented Betty Castor, Commissioner of Education. Her topic was "Planning for Florida's Future."



Commissioner of Education Betty Castor addressed law students in May.

(Caribbean, *continued*)

offers five scholarships yearly for law students from the islands to study here.

The second, and perhaps more important, reason is the man who directs these programs, Elwin J. Griffith. A native of Barbados, Griffith spent seven years as dean of DePaul Law School before deciding the climate of north Florida was more to his liking than that of Chicago. Now at FSU, he has extensive contacts in legal and governmental circles throughout the Caribbean.

In the United States, organizations such as the American Law Institute and the Uniform Commissioners of State Laws have worked over decades to develop model laws that states could adopt to bring some order to the nation's hodge-podge of often-conflicting laws. One of the most important of these was the Uniform Commercial Code, which has been of great value to those engaged in interstate trade. The FSU-based Institute would be patterned after such organizations.

Many legal and governmental systems are well developed in the

Caribbean — the Barbados parliament is 300 years old, for example. But the rich mix of laws stemming from such varied influences as the Spanish, Dutch and British can be confusing to the outsider.

The need for model laws to aid commerce in the area is obvious: Differing rules make area trading complex and difficult; many potential traders simply don't make the effort. But, Griffith says, there is already much cooperation between the judiciaries of many Caribbean nations that could serve as the basis for developing more uniform laws.

Talbot "Sandy" DAlemberte, dean of the FSU College of Law, sees the adoption of model laws as the possible start of a Caribbean Common Market — or more. "I can't help but think of our efforts to bring this nation together," he says. "It's exciting."

Exciting, but not grandiose. The FSU-based Institute plans no buildings, here or in the Caribbean. It would assign legal scholars to inventory the laws now in effect and would set up conferences bringing together lawyers, government officials and judges to deter-

mine the need for and to develop model laws. The cost of the program would be extremely modest for a federal project — \$1.5 million a year for five years. After the start up, the Institute would operate with private financing.

The Institute has the backing of the Florida legislative delegation with a special push from Sen. Bob Graham, who is credited by DAlemberte with getting FSU involved with its first Caribbean program.

Is there a chance of getting even the small amount of money needed in this tight federal budget year? Says DAlemberte: "If our congressional delegation is as good as I think it is and this idea is as good as I think it is and if the Caribbean is as important to the nation and to Florida as I think it is, I believe we will have the funding by October 1."

Congress should make the small investment. This low-cost initiative could work — for the Caribbean, for Florida and for the nation.

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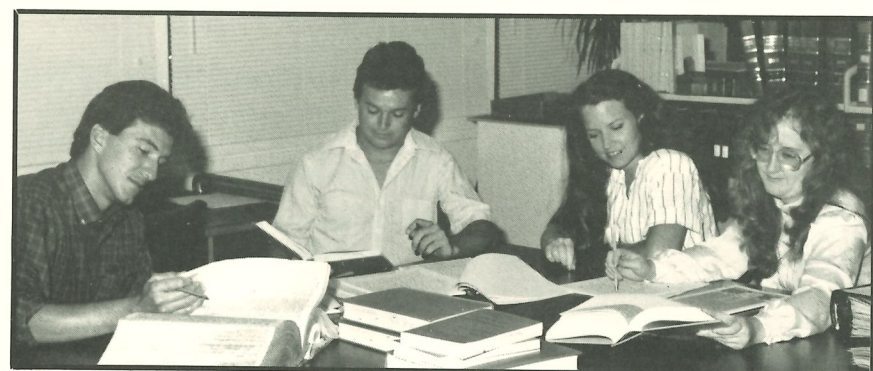
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Law Review staff members (l-r) Richard Getchell, Steve Mitchell, Christine Clark and Chris Metcalf are hard at work during the "slow" summer.

Law Review Publishes New Issues

The Florida State University Law Review has published the first two issues of Volume 15, including articles on tort reform, AIDS, proposals for a new Social Security Court, RICO, and the text of the Mason Ladd lecture by Robert Gordon of Stanford University. The Review is completing work on the third issue which will include an article by Lea Brilmeyer of Yale Law School based on her 1987 Mason Ladd Lecture, along with responses to Ms. Brilmeyer's article by several distinguished writers. In December the Review will publish its third annual Review of Florida Legislation.

The Florida State University Law Review has also published the Florida Style Manual, a comprehensive guide to citation of Florida-specific sources. This is a necessary supplement to A Uniform System of Citations for Florida materials. Copies of the Florida Style Manual are available from the Review office for \$5.00.

In March, the Review held its annual New Member Reception at the top of the Capitol Building. In addition to members of the Review, the reception was attended by local alumni, professors and judges.



Silvia Alderman (r), Chairman of the Land Use and Environmental Law Section of The Florida Bar, presents a check to David Hallock, Editor-in-Chief, and Professor Donna Christie (l) Faculty Advisor, of the FSU Journal of Land Use and Environmental Law.

Law Journal Gains New Sponsors

The *Journal of Environmental Law and Land Use* gained three additional sponsors recently. A contribution from the firm of McDermott, Will & Emery was presented to the *Journal* by attorney Paul Amundsen, and attorney Larry Sellers, representing Holland & Knight law firm, presented a check to the *Journal* in May. In addition, a check for \$1,000 was received from Silvia Alderman on behalf of the Land Use and Environmental Law Section of The Florida Bar.

In addition to funding publication costs of the *Journal*, contributed funds will be used to sponsor an annual distinguished lecturer in Environmental and Land Use Law. This past year's lecturer was James Huffman of Lewis and Clark College of Law. William Rogers of the University of Washington College of Law has been invited to be the Spring 1988 lecturer.



Paul Amundsen presents check from McDermott, Will & Emery to David Hallock, Editor-in-Chief of the Environmental Law Journal.



Hallock receives a check presented by Larry Sellers on behalf of Holland & Knight law firm.

Admissions Office Reports Successful Year

The Admissions Office is pleased to report a successful year. The class entering in 1988 has excellent credentials. The average undergraduate grade point average for those admitted is 3.5; the average LSAT is 36. These are very strong "numbers", and it is gratifying that admission standards remain so high.

Recruitment of minority students has resulted in a 28% increase in enrollment over last year. A great many people have worked diligently to achieve this. It could not have been done without alumni contributions which afforded us the ability to offer these qualified students financial aid.

One last time for this season: thank you to all alumni who assisted us this year. We appreciate your taking the time to contact us on behalf of applicants, and contacting them on our behalf. We look forward to your continued assistance in recruiting the entering class of 1988.

Congressman Fascell to Speak at December Graduation

Congressman Dante Fascell will address College of Law graduating seniors in December. Mr. Fascell, who represents the Nineteenth Congressional District of Florida, serves as Chairman of the House Foreign Affairs Committee. Commencement ceremonies will be held on Saturday, December 12, 1987, in Ruby Diamond Auditorium on the Florida State University campus.

Placement/Alumni Office Reports Progress

Fall Interviewing. In mid-July, 108 firms and legal employers were scheduled for on-campus interview dates for Fall 1987. This is a new record for the College of Law. Judging from past years, another ten or twelve employers will schedule by the first of September. Space is limited this year, but dates in the second and third weeks of November are available. Interested firms should contact the Placement Office at 904/644-4495 as soon as possible.

Alumni Directory. The response to Dean D'Alemberte's recent letter regarding the new Alumni Directory has been tremendous. More than 1,000 information cards have been received, and records are being updated daily. If you have not returned your card, please do so as quickly as possible. If you did not receive a letter and card, call

904/644-4495 and verify existing information or provide new information. If your name has changed since graduation, provide the name under which you graduated. If you have contact with other graduates, encourage them to respond. With alumni cooperation, the Directory can be completed and published by early Fall.

Placement of Class of 1987. Based on information received to date, approximately 70% of the last graduating class are employed. Several persons are delaying their job search until after the Bar Exam. If you have not responded to our survey, please do so. Not only do we need statistical information, we are interested in what you are doing. If you need additional assistance with your job search, please contact us immediately.



The staff of the Alternative Dispute Resolution Center moved into the Caldwell House in early August. Seated are Deborah Jordan and Deborah Glover; standing are Kim Mullinax, Mike Bridenback and Professor Jim Alfini.

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James M. Landis, has become a partner in the firm of Foley and Lardner, One Tampa City Center, Ste. 3900, P.O. Box 3391, Tampa 33601-3391. 813/442-3296.

Douglas L. Stowell announces the formation of Stowell, Anton & Kramer, Ste. 750, Barnett Bank Bldg., P.O. Box 11059, Tallahassee 32302. 904/222-1055.

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Donald A. Gifford was installed as President-Elect of the Hillsborough County Bar Association on June 26, 1987. He is a member of the firm of Shackelford, Farrior, Stallings & Evans, P.O. Box 3324, Tampa 33601. 813/273-5000.

Robert L. Trescott has become of counsel to the firm of Stinson, Lyons & Schuette, P.A., 9th Floor, 1401 Brickell Ave., Miami 33131. 305/373-7571.

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David P. Kirwan has been re-elected by acclamation as chief judge of the Sixteenth Judicial Circuit for the term beginning July 1, 1987 to June 30, 1989. His address is 3117 Overseas Highway, Marathon 33050. 305/743-4590.

A. Edward McGinty has become a partner in the firm of Rudnick & Wolfe, Ste. 1600, 201 E. Kennedy Blvd., Tampa 33602. 813/229-2111.

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Joseph R. Boyd has been reappointed to the faculty of the Realtor Institute of the Florida Association of Realtors. He serves as general counsel to the Tallahassee Board of Realtors

and is associated with the firm of Boyd & Branch, P.A., 2441 Monticello Drive, Tallahassee 32303. 904/562-5597.

James B. Loper, P.A., announces the relocation of his office to 612 Horatio St., Tampa 33606. 813/253-0577.

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Robert S. Hightower has become a partner in the firm of Finley, Kumble, Wagner, Heine, Underberg, Manley, Myerson & Casey, Ste. 600, First Florida Bank Building, 215 S. Monroe St., Tallahassee 32301. 904/222-2107.

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C. Anthony Cleveland, formerly Florida Department of Environmental Regulation Assistant General Counsel, announces the formation of the firm of Larramore, Getzoff & Cleveland, P.A., 325 N. Calhoun St., P.O. Box 11068, Tallahassee 32302. 904/222-3780.

Charles G. (Gary) Stephens, formerly of Blain & Cone, P.A., announces the opening of his office at Bayport Plaza, Ste. 460, 6200 Courtney Campbell Causeway, Tampa 33607. 813/870-3200.

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Roberta J. Fox has become associated with the firm of Ben Kay, P.A., 2155 Main St., Sarasota 33577. 813/365-4878.

Christopher R. Haughee, formerly staff director of the Ethics and Elections Committee, Florida House of Representatives, has become associated with the firm of Moffitt, Hart, Rigsby & Herron, P.A., 215 S. Monroe St., Ste. 800, Tallahassee 32302. 904/222-3471.

Deborah J. Miller, P.A. announces a new office location at One Biscayne Tower, Ste. 2400, 2 South Biscayne Blvd., Miami 33131. 305/381-8050.

Bruce A. Minnick, formerly Assistant Attorney General, Chief of Personnel, Labor and Employment Discrimination Litigation Branch, Florida Department of Legal Affairs has joined the firm of Mang, Rett & Collette, P.A., Ste. 740, Barnett Bank Building, 315 S. Calhoun St., Tallahassee 32302-3127. 904/222-7710.

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Michael L. Benito is currently serving on the staff of the State Attorney's Office, Courthouse Annex, Tampa 33602. 813/272-5400.

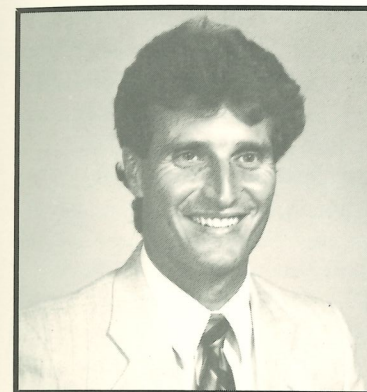
Randall O. Reder has become associated with the firm of Alpert, Josey, Freemon & Grilli, P.A., Ste. 2000, Ashley Tower, 100 S. Ashley Drive, Tampa 33602-5348. 813/223-4131.

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Thomas L. Barnhart announces the opening of his law office at 105 W. Fifth Avenue, Tallahassee 32303. 904/222-4480.

Robert S. Cohen has become a partner in the firm of Haben & Culpepper, P.A., 306 N. Monroe St., P.O. Box 10095, Tallahassee 32302. 904/222-3533.

Elizabeth J. Daniels was recently elected President-Elect of the Clearwater Bar Association. She previously served a two year term on the Board of Directors and one year as Secretary. She is a partner in the firm of Johnson, Blakely, Pope, Bokor, Ruppel & Burns, P.A., 911 Chestnut St., Clearwater 33516. 813/461-1818.



Castagna

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Charles N. Castagna has become associated with the firm of McMullen, Everett, Logan, Marquardt & Cline, P.A., First National Bank Building, P. O. Box 1669, Clearwater 33517. 813/441-8966.

Mary A. Edenfield has become a partner in the firm of Mateer, Harbert & Bates, P.A., 100 E. Robinson St., P.O. Box 2584, Orlando 32802. 305/425-9044.

Jack E. Espinosa has become associated with the firm of Muga & Real, P.A., 2110 W. Platt St., Tampa 33606. 813/251-6705.

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Patricia H. Alexander, former Legal Writing Instructor at the F.S.U. College of Law, has become associated with the firm of Cummings & Lawrence, P.A., P.O. Box 589, Tallahassee 32302-0589. 904/681-6187.

Gary J. Anton announces the formation of Stowell, Anton & Kraemer, Ste. 750, Barnett Bank Bldg., P.O. Box 11059, Tallahassee 32302. 904/222-1055.

Lawrence A. Kellogg has become a partner in the firm of Finley, Kumble, Wagner, Heine, Underberg, Manley, Myerson & Casey, 701 Brickell Ave., Miami 33131. 305/371-2600.

Mary K. Kraemer announces the formation of Stowell, Anton & Kraemer, P.O. Box 489, Destin 32541. 904/837-9110.

Debra L. Romanello has become a shareholder in the firm of Moffitt, Hart, Rigsby & Herron, P.A., 401 S. Florida Ave., Ste. 200, Tampa 33602. 813/223-7333.

Charles R. Talley has become associated with the firm of Lemle, Kelleher, Kohlmeyer, Dennery, Hunley, Moss & Frilot, 601 Poydras St., Ste. 2100, New Orleans 70130. 504/586-1241.

Letitia E. Wood has been selected as one of the Outstanding Young Women of America for 1986. She is associated with Swann & Haddock, P.O. Box 640, Orlando 32802-0640. 305/425-3939.

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Carrie J. Hightman has become associated with the firm of Schiff Hardin & Waite, 7200 Sears Tower, Chicago, IL 60606. 312/876-1000.

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Scott E. Clodfelter has become associated with the firm of Beggs & Lane, P.O. Box 12950, Pensacola 32576-2950. 904/432-2451.

Alfred L. Frith, formerly of Akerman, Senterfitt & Eidson, announces the formation of Frith, Keating & Brown, P.A., Ste. 1211, First Union Bldg., 20 N. Orange Ave., Orlando 32801. 305/425-2571.

William E. "Ted" Guy, Jr. announces relocation of his practice to 55 E. Ocean Blvd., P.O. Box 3386, Stuart 33495. 305/286-7372.

Brian R. Toung has been elected to the Young Lawyers Section of the Board of Governors for the Seventh Judicial Circuit. He recently became an associate with the firm of Landis, Graham, French, Husfeld, Sherman & Ford, P.A., 145 E. Rich Ave., P.O. Box 48, Deland 32721-0048. 904/734-3451.

Nicolas J. Watkins has become associated with the firm of Steel, Hector & Davis, 4000 Southeast Financial Center, Miami 33131-2398. 305/577-2800.

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Timothy P. Bennett is serving as Legal Counsel with Mortgage Guaranty Insurance Corporation, MGIC Plaza, P.O. Box 488, Milwaukee, WI 53201. 414/347-6326.

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Bob L. Harris has become a partner in the firm of Haben & Culpepper, P.A., 306 N. Monroe St., P.O. Box 10095, Tallahassee 32302. 904/222-3533.



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Judith W. Hawkins announces the opening of the law offices of Judith W. Hawkins, Attorney at Law, 833-B East Park Ave., Tallahassee 32301. 904/224-8010.

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Nancy K. Neidich has become associated with Shapiro, Rose & Fishman, 1031 Ives Dairy Road, #230, N. Miami Beach 33179. 305/653-9500.

Danni Vogt announces the relocation of his offices to Room 209, Artercraft Building, 308 E. Park Ave., P.O. Box 11301, Tallahassee 32302. 904/224-0333.

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Thomas H. Barkdull has become associated with the firm of Steel, Hector & Davis, 4000 Southeast Financial Center, Miami 33131-2398. 305/577-2894.

F. Marshall Deterding has become associated with the newly formed firm of Rose, Sundstrom & Bentley, 2544 Blainstone Pines Dr., Tallahassee 32301. 904/877-6555.

Woodward Finds Challenge Out West

Lured to the West several years ago, Charter Class graduate David Luther Woodward recently found excitement in new business ventures in Colorado and Texas.

In May, he and others acquired the controlling interest in Impact Energy, Inc., a publicly-owned OTC company, and moved the executive functions to an office in Fort Worth, Texas. A Denver office has been retained for a management point for the oil and gas interests in the Rocky Mountain area. To pursue the development, a partially-owned subsidiary, Butte Peak Development Co., Inc., was organized. In addition, Southwest Sites, Inc., was acquired as a wholly-owned subsidiary to engage in commercial/industrial real estate acquisition, development, and sale, both locally in the Dallas/Ft. Worth area and internationally.

After graduating from the Florida State University College of Law in June of 1969, Dave Woodward went to Washington, D.C. as Trial Attorney General for the Regulatory Division of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. In 1971, he returned to Florida to handle criminal appeals and federal litigation in the Attorney General's Office, and from 1973 to 1976, he was a member of the firm of Rose

and Woodward in Tampa. He formed his own firm in 1976 for the practice of civil and commercial litigation, immigration, international law and construction representation.

Woodward spent the 1980-81 academic year as an instructor in the College of Law at the University of Oklahoma in Norman. He then studied at the London School of Economics and Political Science and was awarded the degree of Master of Laws in International Law on November 3, 1982.

Returning to Oklahoma, Dave entered private practice with Gungoll, Jackson & Collins, engaging in civil and international litigation and private international law. He continued practicing in these areas with Brice & Mankoff in Dallas, Texas, until mid-1986.

Woodward's law training has taken him from Tallahassee to London to the western United States, from government employment to teaching to law practice and, now, to new ventures in oil and real estate. His experiences provide an impressive example of the areas open to those who seek and obtain a legal education.

Steven S. Ferst has become associated with the firm of Borkson, Simon & Moskowitz, P.A., 1500 N.W. 49th St., Ste. 401, Fort Lauderdale 33309. 305/491-2000.

Richard Whitaker has become associated with the firm of Lima & Elliott, P.A., 620 Twiggs St., Tampa 33602. 813/228-8539.

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Richard M. Carnell, Jr., has become associated with the firm of Neill Griffin Jefferies & Lloyd, 311 South Second St., Fort Pierce 34954. 305/464-8200.

Forrest Kim Clinard has become associated with the firm of Bull & Mize, 111 N. Orange Ave., Ste. 1200, Orlando 32801. 305/843-5291.

Steven Kelley Hall has become associated with the firm of Stowell, Anton & Kraemer, 315 S. Calhoun St., Ste. 750, Tallahassee 32301. 904/222-1055.

Kathryn A. Hathaway has become associated with the firm of Ackerman, Bakst, Gundlach, Lauer & Zwickel, P.A., Northridge Centre, 515 North Flagler Dr., West Palm Beach 33401. 305/655-4500.

Paul J. Kreuzkamp, Jr., former staff attorney for the Brevard County Sheriff's Department, has become associated with the firm of Nash & Fallace, P.A., 930 S. Harbor City Blvd., Ste. 505, Melbourne 32901. 305/984-3300.

Richard D. LaBelle, III, has been appointed Vice Chairman of the Florida Bar Committee on Individual Rights and Responsibilities. He is currently associated with the firm of Johnson, Blakely, Pope, Bokor, Ruppel & Burns, P.A., 911 Chestnut St., Clearwater 33517-1368. 813/461-1818.

Mary Ann Morgan has become associated with the firm of Billings, Cunningham & Mitchell, P.A., 330 E. Central Blvd., Orlando 32801. 305/425-2000.

Cynthia A. Reed has become associated with the firm of Ackerman, Bakst, Gundlach, Lauer & Zwickel, P.A., Northridge Centre, 515 N. Flagler Drive, West Palm Beach 33401. 305/655-4500.

Frank J. Sanchez has become associated with the firm of Steel Hector & Davis, 4000 Southeast Financial Center, Miami 33131-2398. 305/577-2894.

IN MEMORY
James Randall Millen
Class of 1969
Died February 5, 1987

Setting it Straight

The January Alumni Newsletter announced that Terrence J. Russell

had been elected to The Florida Bar Board of Governors for the 17th Circuit and that he was the first College of Law graduate to be elected to the Board. It has come to our attention that Joe Miklas of the Class of 1973 was elected to the Board of Governors in 1983. He represents the 16th Circuit. Both Mr. Miklas and Mr. Russell are to be congratulated for their election to the Board of Governors.

Missing Alumni

Mail for the following alums was returned recently. If you have any information about these persons, please contact the College of Law Alumni Office at 904/655-4495.

Gerald Emory Anderson
Eduardo Jose DeGuardiola
Clifford Sam Gibbons
Jomoya J. Mobutu
John Carter Moore
Phillip Pfeilmair
Robert Lee Powell
Bradley D. Robbins
Claire Duchemin Schubert
Herman Thomas
Dallasteen J. Yates

ALUMNI INFORMATION SHEET

Name _____
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 Home Address _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
 Home Telephone _____ Area Code _____
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 City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
 Business Telephone _____ Area Code _____
 Please ✓ the address you prefer as your mailing address. Home _____ Business _____
 Professional Status (attorney, corporate counsel, banker, etc.) _____
 Area(s) of law practiced _____
 Bars of which a member _____
 Information you wish to share with the College of Law administration and faculty regarding policies, admissions, curriculum, etc., or with fellow alums. _____

Calendar of Events

- August**
- 9-14 Advanced Legal Education for Assistant Public Defenders — Tallahassee
 - 20 Orientation for New Students
 - 24 Classes Begin — Fall Semester
- September**
- 5 FSU vs Texas Tech
 - 10 Southeast Regional Conference on the Constitutional System — Tallahassee
 - 15 On-Campus Interviews Begin
 - 19 FSU vs Memphis State
- October**
- 2 CLE: Taxing Services: Policy, Process and Problems — Tallahassee
 - 3 FSU vs Miami
 - 19 CLE: Business Transactions and Skills — Tallahassee
 - 24 FSU vs South Carolina
 - 30 CLE: Litigation in Federal Court — Tallahassee
 - 30 Class of 1977 Ten Year Reunion — Tallahassee
 - 31 Alumni Reunion Brunch — Tallahassee
 - 31 Oysters on the Patio Homecoming Party — Tallahassee
 - 31 FSU vs Tulane
- November**
- 14 FSU vs Furman
 - 24 Classes End — Fall Semester
 - 24 On-Campus Interviews End
- December**
- 12 Graduation
 - 14 Holidays Begin

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