NOTE: If you would like to have a notice posted in The Record, please submit your information by attaching (F6) a WordPerfect document to an email message sent to Jane McBride (JMCBRIDE). All notices must include your name, your email address and/or a telephone number where you can be reached during the day. If applicable, please include the name of your student organization. All information should be submitted by Wednesday at 5:00 p.m.

FROM DEAN CHAPMAN

Registration and Planning your Legal Education (Mark your Calendars)

The preliminary Fall semester schedule will be distributed during the week of March 20, the week before Spring Break. Some faculty members and I will meet with students at the following times to discuss the preliminary Fall schedule, course selections for the Summer and Fall semesters, and how to plan your legal education:

1L Day Division students: Tuesday, April 4 at 12:30 p.m. in the auditorium
1L Evening Division students: Tuesday, April 4 at 8:00 p.m. in Room 510, following Contracts
Advanced Day Division students: Wednesday, April 5 at 3:00 p.m. in Room 510.
Advanced Evening Division students: Tuesday, April 4 at 5:00 p.m. in Room 210.

Registration for the 1995 Summer Session will take place on April 4 and 5 for Evening Division students and on April 6 and 7 for Day Division students. Registration for the 1995 Fall Semester will take place on April 17 and 18 for Evening Division students and April 20 and 21 for Day Division students. A friendly reminder: as in past years, you will have to make a $300 deposit at registration unless financial aid will cover all of your tuition, so start socking some money away now.

Changing Divisions

Students who want to change from the day to the evening division or vice versa for the fall, 1995 semester must submit a request to the Registrar’s office by Thursday, March 23, 1995. If all students can be accommodated, all will be permitted to change. If there are too many requests, a lottery drawing will be held to determine the students eligible to transfer divisions.

Class Ranks

Class rank letters are being distributed in the Registrar’s office. If you were ranked with the wrong graduating class, please notify the Registrar. The GPA cut-offs were as follows:

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Students in the top 10% receive their degree with high honors and are usually elected by the faculty to The Order of the Coif. Students who graduate in the top 25% of the class receive their degree with honors.

Intensive Trial Advocacy

Students interested in taking Intensive Trial Advocacy, either regular or intellectual property, should refer to the announcement in last week’s Record and must submit a request form to the Registrar’s Office by Wednesday, March 22, 1995.

Unwanted Student Insurance. As mentioned in last week’s announcement, the hours for both intensive courses will be considered Fall semester hours for all purposes, except the maximum and minimum number of hours permitted to be taken in the Fall semester. All students registered in the Fall semester for at least 12 hours (including Intensive Trial Advocacy hours) will be automatically billed for student insurance. If you do not want this insurance, you must file a waiver by the appropriate date in September. For example: Assume you are an evening student registered for 10 hours in the Fall, 1995 semester and plan to take Trial Advocacy in January, 1996. The three credit hours for intensive will be added to your 10 Fall hours. You will be considered a full-time student for the Fall semester, will be automatically billed for student insurance, and will have to file a waiver if don’t want it. You will be reminded of this in later announcements, but it’s never too early to put you on notice.

FROM ASSISTANT DEAN OF STUDENTS JULIE FENTON

Summer may seem a distant hope at this point in the semester, but think August: warm sunny days, shorts, sunglasses, and ..... New Student Orientation! In August, a new group of nervous, bewildered students will begin their law school careers at Chicago-Kent. We’re looking for enthusiastic, caring student volunteers to serve as orientation leaders and student mentors. Help your new classmates feel welcome and share the secrets of success you wish someone would have told you. If you are interested, please email Lisa Severtis (LSEVERTI) by Friday, March 25. We need your help!

FROM THE OFFICE OF ALUMNAE/I & STUDENT RELATIONS

Photo Retakes: If you missed the first round of pictures and want to have a portrait taken for the composite, Wyckoff Portraits will be back! Sign up sheets are in Suite 310. Pictures will be taken in Room 583 on the following dates:

- March 21 1:30 p.m. - 4:45 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
- March 22 9:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. and 1:15 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Class Gift: The 1995 Graduation Committee is gathering pledges for its class gift to the Loan Repayment Assistance Program (LRAP). Chicago-Kent established LRAP to allow graduates the opportunity to pursue their career dreams practicing public interest law. With your contribution, LRAP will continue to grow and support Chicago-Kent Alumnae/i working for the public interest. If you wish to pledge, pick up a form from Sarah Frost, in Suite 310. Remember: All persons pledging will not be billed until June 1996.
FINANCIAL AID

1995-1996 Financial Aid Application Materials

Financial aid packets for the 1995-1996 academic year are now available in the Office of Admissions and Financial Aid, Suite 230. Students who plan to apply for financial aid for the next year should pick up the application packet for continuing law students as soon as possible. Please see the notice attached to the back of The Record for more information.

1995 Summer Session Financial Aid Application

Financial aid applications for the 1995 summer session are now available in the Office of Admissions and Financial Aid, Suite 230. Students attending Chicago-Kent during the summer or who are visiting another law school or visiting abroad may receive financial aid if they follow the instructions listed below. Recent changes in the federal regulations have changed the awarding of summer financial aid. It is imperative that you meet the deadlines described below in order for you to receive the first disbursement of your summer loan check by Monday, May 22, 1995 (the first day of summer school).

Remember: You must spend a certain amount of semesters "in residence" in order to receive your J.D. Please refer to Section 1.5 of the Student Handbook for more information or consult the November 14, 1994 issue of The Record.

Summer School at Chicago-Kent

Students who will be attending Chicago-Kent during the summer session and who need loans to cover their summer tuition, books/supplies, transportation, and "moderate but adequate living expenses" must be enrolled for a minimum of three credit hours and must complete all of the required financial aid documents*.

Note: Due to a recent change in the federal regulations, this is the last year that students can receive summer financial aid based on a minimum enrollment of three (3) credit hours. For the 1996 summer session, students must enroll in a minimum of four (4) credit hours in order to be considered for financial aid.

Students who will be attending Chicago-Kent for the 1995 Summer Session must complete all of the financial aid documents* for the 1995-1996 academic year as well as the 1995 Summer Financial Aid Application in order to be considered for financial aid during the summer. All forms are available in the Office of Admissions and Financial Aid. The deadline for submitting all of the financial aid forms is Monday, April 3, 1995.
1995 Summer Abroad Programs

Students who require financial aid and who are planning to visit another law school or take part in another law school’s overseas program during the summer must complete all of the required financial aid documents* for the 1995-1996 academic year, the 1995 Summer Financial Aid Application and complete the Consortium Agreement Information sheet. All forms are available in the Office of Admissions and Financial Aid, Suite 230.

Note: In order to receive financial aid while visiting another law school or participating in an overseas program, students must complete the "Petition to Visit Another Law School", which is available in the Registrar's Office, Suite 220. The petition must be approved by Dean Chapman. For more information, please consult Section V of the Student Handbook.

The deadline for submitting all of the financial aid forms is Monday, April 3, 1995.

*The Required Financial Aid Documents for 1995-1996

The documents that need to be completed by all students who want be considered for financial aid (and need-based scholarships) for the 1995-1996 academic year and who want to be considered for a loan for summer school include the following:

- Chicago-Kent Financial Aid Application
- Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)
- Financial Aid Transcripts (if you have never received a federal loan at Chicago-Kent)

If selected by the Department of Education, you may also be required to complete a Verification Worksheet and submit a signed copy of your and your spouse’s 1994 Federal income tax return.

Commonly Asked Questions Regarding Summer Financial Aid

Will borrowing money during the summer affect my eligibility for loans in the fall/spring? Yes! Any loan that you borrow during the summer will reduce your eligibility for that loan program in the fall/spring. For example, a student who borrows $2000 in the Subsidized Stafford loan program during the summer will only be able to borrow a maximum of $6500 during the fall/spring because the student cannot exceed the annual maximum of $8500.

Why do I have to complete the 1995-1996 financial aid materials in order to be considered for financial aid for the 1995 summer session? Summer is what we call a "leader" because financial aid during the summer affects a student’s eligibility for the following fall/spring. Since summer is a "leader" federal regulations now mandate that we review the financial aid documents for the 1995-1996 academic year in order to determine a student’s eligibility for the 1995 summer session.

When will I get loan checks for summer school? All federal loans must be disbursed in two equal disbursements, regardless of the academic term. Normally, students receive one disbursement during the
fall and one during the spring. During the summer, students must complete their financial aid file for the summer as well as for the 1995-1996 academic year by Monday, April 3, 1995 in order for it to be possible for them to receive their first disbursement when summer school starts (Monday, May 22, 1995). It is imperative that students applying for financial aid promptly respond (2-3 days maximum) to all requests for financial aid documents. The financial aid office will request all second disbursements for all summer loans be issued on Monday, June 19, 1995. This is the earliest date that second disbursements may be requested.

When will I get my refund check for living expenses for summer school? The university’s refund policy will remain the same during the summer term. Students will be required to sign all federal loan checks over to the university regardless of their balance. Any amount exceeding the student’s charges will be refunded to the student in 3-5 business days. BUDGET ACCORDINGLY!

What do I do after I submit my 1995 Summer Financial Aid Application and complete my 1995-1996 financial aid file? The following are the four events that need to occur once your summer and 1995-1996 financial aid files are complete:

1. Receive an Award Letter from the Financial Aid Office.
2. Submit a signed Award Letter to the Financial Aid Office.
3. Submit loan applications to the Financial Aid Office.
4. Read your email!

Don’t forget to submit loan applications once you receive an Award Letter!

SPECIAL NOTICES

The 12th Annual Conference on Section 1983 Civil Rights Litigation

All Students Interested in Civil Rights Litigation: On Thursday and Friday, March 16-17, 1995, Chicago-Kent will host Professor Sheldon Nahmod’s 12th Annual Section 1983 Conference. The conference features nationally prominent law professors and practitioners who offer instruction on both the fundamentals and more advanced aspects of §1983 practice, trial skills, and analysis of the latest case decisions. If you can attend only one or a few segments, you should come at the beginning for Professor Nahmod’s introduction to the prima facie case. This is a unique opportunity, especially for students who intend to be involved in federal court litigation when they practice.

Law students (J.D. only) who are enrolled at Chicago-Kent are welcome to attend any or all of the program sessions free of charge (note: course materials are not included; however, copies of the materials will be available in the library at a later date). However, pre-registration is required! To register, please stop by the Office of Administration, Finance and CLE (Suite 265) to fill out a registration form. Students must register before or on Tuesday, March 14, 1995.
Environmental and Energy Law Program Meeting

Professors Deutsch and Tarlock will be meeting with those students who are interested in joining the Environmental and Energy Law Program on March 14, 1995. Please see the notice attached to the back of this Record.

Lecture: Clean Air Act and State Enforcement

Matt Dunn, Assistant Attorney General and Chief of the Environmental Enforcement Division will be speaking to the Energy Law and Policy class on the Clean Air Act and State Enforcement in Room 170 from 4:00 p.m. until 5:50 p.m. on Monday, March 20, 1995. All students in the Environmental and Energy Program are invited to attend.

1995 Salmon P. Chase Law School Environmental Moot Court Competition

Chicago-Kent was represented at the Salmon P. Chase Environmental Moot Court Competition by Jane Banaszak, Yanick Polycarpe, and Andrew Scott. The team advanced to the semifinal round, and placed third in the competition. We believe that the team won second place for Best Brief, but are awaiting written confirmation. The coach is Eric Brodie and the Faculty Advisor is Professor Stuart Deutsch.

Law Offices In-House Clinical Education Program Summer Registration Information

Students who would like to learn how to practice law while they are in law school should apply for the in-house clinical education program, Law Offices. Applications are now available for the summer. The summer applications are due no later than March 20, 1995. Please see the notice attached at the end of this Record for more information.

Advanced Externship Program, Fall 1995

The Advanced Externship Program is a unique way to gain practical legal experience in a specialized area of the law for third year students. The Program is a four credit hour program and is open to students in their last two semesters of law school. Applications are due Friday, March 24, 1995. Please see the attached notice at the back of this Record for more information.

Bar and Gavel Society Nominations

Once again it is time for the Student Bar Association to seek nominations for the Bar and Gavel Society. Evening or day division students who will be graduating at the end of spring or summer term are eligible. We are looking for individuals who have distinguished themselves by outstanding service to their fellow students, their school and their community. If you know of such a person and wish to put forward their name for membership in the Bar and Gavel Society, please prepare a nominating letter which:

1) Provides a description of the particular service or pattern of service, including the amount and quality of time spent. (The degree of the nominee’s participation in comparison to their other obligations would be a consideration.)

2) Addresses whether the nominee is receiving some other recognition for the service performed. (Unsung acts are particularly valued.)
3) Discusses to what extent the nominee is motivated to such service beyond any obligation to perform the service.

4) Describes the effect these services had on the reputation of Chicago-Kent.

Nomination letters may be sent via KENTNET to the attention of PSMITH2 or by hardcopy to the Student Bar Association. Nominees will be asked to supply a copy of their resume. Self nomination is not a bar to acceptance in the Society. The deadline for nominations is April 7, 1995.

Temporary Change in Bursar’s Office Hours

The Downtown Campus Bursar’s office will have reduced hours during the week of March 13th in order for staff to attend a special training session. The schedule is as follows:

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News From the Bookstore

Be prepared for finals. We will be returning required and optional materials to the publishers beginning March 17. If you have the option of using your text or supplement in any of your finals, now is the time to purchase them if you have not done so already. However, study aids, hornbooks, or other reference materials will not be returned at this time.

Also note: The Bookstore will be CLOSED on Friday, March 31, 1995 for inventory.

Helpful Hints on the Bar Examination

The Bar Exam is right around the corner. Stuart Duhl, Board of Admissions to the Bar and sponsored by the Illinois State Bar Association will be conducting a discussion on Helpful Hints on the Bar Examination, Wednesday, April 5, 1995 at 3:00 p.m. in Room 570. Sign up in Career Services Office by 4:00 p.m., Tuesday, April 4.

From Professor Vivien Gross, Director of SOS (Serving Our Society)

For those of you interested either in volunteering or learning more about public interest opportunities, please stop by the SOS office in Room 686 and speak with one of our counselors, Juli Gumina (3L) or Sharon Doherty (2L) or call 906-5089 to set up an appointment. There is a wide range of placements available!

Here are three new pro bono opportunities:

1. Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA) Program of Cook County - A volunteer becomes an advocate for a child in the juvenile system. The advocate interviews all interested parties and makes recommendations to the court on behalf of that child.
2. St. Malachy Tutoring Program - St. Malachy is a grade school in the Henry Horner Housing projects. Interested tutors meet every other Saturday for 2-3 hours helping children with basic math and reading comprehension skills.

3. DeKalb County Public Defender - Students will interview clients, prepare and adjudicate cases and motions, and perform case research.

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Appointments for night students are available. Either call us at 906-5089 or email SDOHERTY or JGUMINA.

FACULTY NEWS

Professor Richard Gonzalez recently debated the merits of affirmative action with Diane Bast of the Heartland Institute, a conservative "think-tank". The debate was aired on WUSN-Radio (US99) on Sunday, March 12.

Professors Harold Krent and Jim Rossi had an op-ed article appear in the Thursday, March 9 edition of THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE titled, Avoiding A Mistake with 'Corrections Day'.

Professor Joan Steinman has recently published an article, The Effects of Case Consolidation on the Procedural Rights of Litigants: What They Are, What They Might Be Part 1: Justiciability and Jurisdiction (Original and Appellate), 42 UCLA L. Rev. 717 (February 1995).

In a formal report, the National Institute of Standards and Technology has recommended to the National Archives that they use the ExMENTIS(TM) software for copyright and fee tracking for their services and document delivery. Professor Mickie Voges provided the legal advice in the design of ExMENTIS(TM).

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

WE WANT YOU!!! Temporary Employment from April 5 - 23. The Office of Development is looking for a few good men and women for an adventure! Travel to exotic lands via phone, meet new friends, and have fun, FUN, FUN! Chicago-Kent’s annual Alumni/Student Spring Phon-a-thon begins on April 5th. Work hours vary from weekdays, evenings and weekends. The Spring Phon-a-thon will solicit pledges for Chicago-Kent’s Loan Repayment Assistance Program (LRAP). LRAP is post-graduate financial assistance for Chicago-Kent graduates pursuing careers in public interest law, such as government and non-profit jobs. This is a very worthy cause for both our students and alumnae/i! Earn EXTRA MONEY for school, your social life, or to pay for that Spring Break vacation. Compensation is $5.50/hour plus bonuses or...
$6.50/hour if you have worked a prior phon-a-thon. Contact Brenna Kelley (BKELLEY) in the Development Office (Suite 310, 906-5248) to sign up or for more information.

CAREER SERVICES NEWS

2Ls: On-Campus Interview Opportunity

James D. Montgomery & Associates, Ltd. will be interviewing 2Ls on campus for summer law clerk positions. Applicants must have completed two years of law school by May of 1995 and have a B average. Interviews will be Wednesday, April 12th. Interested students must submit a resume, writing sample and list of times you are unavailable to interview to the Career Services Office by 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 5th.

Public Interest News:

New York IOLA Legal Services Fellowships

Each year, several graduating law students who want to practice poverty law in New York are awarded New York IOLA fellowships. IOLA is a funding entity created to support the activities of non-profit organizations serving the legal needs of the poor in NY state. It generates revenues through interest earned on certain previously non-interest bearing lawyer’s trust accounts. The accounts contain client funds which are held for too short of a time or contain too little money to generate interest for the client. Rather than the lawyer benefiting, lawyers must turn over the interest earned on these small client accounts to IOLA to provide funding for the legal needs of the poor. One of the eleven fellowships awarded this year went to a Chicago-Kent student. Because students must be sponsored by a participating N.Y. legal services organization, second year students interested in applying next year should develop relationships with N.Y. organizations this summer. Applications for 1996 fellowships will be available in Career Services this summer!

Kent Justice Foundation Summer Fellowship Applications

Kent Justice Foundation (KJF) annually awards fellowships to students working in non- or partial-paying summer jobs with public interest organizations. You must have participated in fund raising on behalf of KJF in order to be considered for a fellowship. Applicants are responsible for obtaining employment; the Serving Our Society (SOS) office can assist students in identifying potential employers. Selections are made by the KJF Grant Committee.

Explanations of the selection process and applications are available on the table under the Career Services bulletin board. Applications are due in the Kent Justice Foundation mailbox by 5:00 p.m. on April 21st. Applicants will be notified of the results on April 28th.
Office News:

Spring Break Office Hours

The office will close at 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, March 30th. The office will be open regular hours during the rest of the week.

Mock Interviews: Sign Up Soon!

Mock interview appointments are going fast! Some appointments are still available for the following dates:

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You must leave a resume with receptionist Gwen Johnson prior to the date of the interview. Please give notice of any cancellation at least 24 hours in advance.

Upcoming Programs:

Looking for a Job Outside Chicago?

On March 14th and 15th, the Career Services Office will be sponsoring informal programs on long distance job searches. As an experienced out-of-state job searcher, Stephanie Rever Chu will moderate the discussions and provide tips for learning about the local legal market, finding job openings, and answering the important interview question, "Why [this city/state]?"

Sign up at the reception desk to attend the following sessions:

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1Ls: Opportunities to Maximize Your Academic Credentials in Law School

Chicago-Kent’s Diversity Committee believes it’s important that all students, early in their law school careers, develop an awareness of the means by which they can distinguish themselves in law school. The Diversity Committee has planned a program designed to help first year students learn how to make the most of activities available at Chicago-Kent. The program is scheduled for Monday, March 20th at 5:00 p.m. in the auditorium.

Students at Chicago-Kent are fortunate to have a wide range of opportunities from which to choose including moot court, Law Review, trial advocacy, clinical opportunities including the LADR program, judicial and advanced externships, teaching assistantships, and certificate programs in environmental and international law.
Faculty advisors and student representatives from each of these programs will be on hand to explain how membership or participation may be a helpful credential and will briefly describe how to get involved. Sign up in the Career Services Office to attend. We’ll see you on the 20th!

Members of groups traditionally underrepresented in the legal field are especially encouraged to attend.

**Networking and Informational Interviewing**

Join career strategist Debbi Gutman on Thursday, March 23rd at 3:00 p.m. for a practical discussion on using networking and informational interviewing in your job search process. Good networking skills can help you find a job and can help you succeed once you have a job. The program will be in room C35—sign up in the Career Services Office to attend!

**Elementary/Secondary Teaching Certification**

Students interested in exploring elementary/secondary teaching as an alternative career are invited to attend a workshop at Northern Illinois University Alumni Career Center in Hoffman Estates on Tuesday, April 25, 1995 from 7:00 p.m. until 9:30 p.m. Reservations must be made by April 11th by calling 815-753-9465. The cost for NIU alums is $25.00, $37.50 for non-alums.

**Handouts Concerning Special Opportunities:**

**3Ls, 4Ls: Lawyering Process Instructor Positions in Massachusetts**

Western New England College School of Law is seeking candidates for instructor positions in the Lawyering Process Program, the law school’s first-year research and writing course. Details are available on Handout #84. The application deadline is April 15, 1995.

**1L Minority Students: Kirkland & Ellis Panel Presentation**

Kirkland & Ellis law firm is sponsoring a panel discussion on issues including why minority students should consider careers at large law firms and what in-house corporate positions exist for minorities. The panel, featuring The Honorable Ruben Castillo of the U.S. District Court of the Northern District of Illinois, will be on Tuesday, April 11th from 4:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. at the firm’s offices, 200 East Randolph Drive, 54th Floor. If you plan to attend, please RSVP to the firm by March 24th at 312-861-8534. Full details can be found on Handout #82.

**CBA Seminar on Alternative Careers**

The Chicago Bar Association is hosting its seventh annual seminar, "Being a Lawyer, Is It Your Only Choice?" on Friday, March 24th from 12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. More information is available on Handout #83.
CHECK IT OUT . . . NEWS FROM THE LAW LIBRARY

Tutorials

If you have ever had to locate a treaty for one of your papers here at school or for work, you should consider coming to the tutorial on **Treaty Research** that is being offered March 13-19 by the Library’s Reference Staff. We will trace the treaty-making process and then show you how to find treaties in various places on the 8th and 9th floors.

The schedule for this week’s tutorials is posted on the library bulletin board. You don’t have to sign up; just show up by the Reference Desk at the scheduled times. Each tutorial will last about 20 minutes. If you want to suggest tutorial topics or a change in the schedule, please email Lenore Glanz (LGLANZ). We will be happy to hear from you.

Treaties on the Internet

In conjunction with the tutorial being offered this week, we would also like to encourage students to attempt to find treaties on the Internet. Using the WWW Browsers available through the KENTNET menu (Lynx, Netscape, Cello) students can go to the following addresses in order to locate the full-text of many treaties as well as information about treaties. If there are any questions about accessing or using these sites, please feel free to ask the Reference Staff.

**Fletcher School of Law & Diplomacy:** contains Treaties regarding Human Rights, Trade, Environment and many other topics (the Gopher site is often faster than the HomePage).

http://www.tufts.edu/departments/fletcher/multilaterals.html/

gopher://gopher.law.cornell.edu:70/11/foreign

**WIRETAP:** Includes the Geneva, Hague, League of Nations, Mideast, Law of the Sea, and other various International Conventions.

gopher://wiretap.spies.com:70/11/gov/treaties

**International Legal Materials:** contains many full-text excerpts from the last couple of years as well as from the current ILM.

gopher://gopher.enews.com:2100/11/magazines/category/international/ilm

Service Calls for Copiers

Library staff check the copiers on each floor every hour on the hour. If a copier is malfunctioning in between times, please call the Library Service Desk or Document Center from the wall phones outside the copier room, and we will check the copier.
Countdown to Tax Deadline

With only a month left to go before this year’s income tax deadline, remember federal tax forms are available on LOIS. To access this database, use “STUDENT” as the login ID and “STUDENT” as the password. You can print your forms to the Document Center. If you need help using LOIS, ask the Reference Librarians.

WestLaw Training

This week, March 13-15, WestLaw representatives will conduct optional computer research training for first year students and any other students who want to sharpen their WestLaw skills. Topics will include cost efficiency in clerking, biotechnology update, international law, environmental law and several other topics. These sessions will be in Room 760, the small computer classroom. If you are interested in these sessions, check the library bulletin board for the list of topics and times. Sessions will begin Monday, March 13.

NEWS FROM THE CENTER FOR LAW AND COMPUTERS

TECHSHOW: March 30 1995 - April 1, 1995

Chicago-Kent College of Law Center for Law and Computers is co-sponsor of the 1995 ABA TECHSHOW designed for lawyers, MIS professionals, and administrators who use -- or want to use -- technology. Meet practicing lawyers from across the country. Discuss their interest in using technology in practice and your expertise in using technology in legal education.

TECHSHOW is at the Sheraton Chicago Hotel and Towers, 301 East North Water Street. You can meet conference participants and discuss Chicago-Kent’s leading role in integrating technology into legal education at the exhibit. On Saturday morning, April 1, 1995, Chicago-Kent will sponsor hands-on computer workshops at the law school for participants interested in document assembly and expert systems, where student volunteers can meet the top document assembly vendors. Student assistants are also needed to help TECHSHOW participants on Friday, March 31, 1995, at Chicago-Kent during the hands-on workshop on Cruising the Internet.

Email Jim Judge (JJUDGE) to reserve a place at TECHSHOW. Jim will arrange a special student "orientation" to discuss what to expect, who will be attending, and what questions will be asked. Pick up a TECHSHOW brochure outside Room 703.

Bridging the Gap from Law School to Practice

On Thursday, March 16, 1995, from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., Philip Taxman and Diane Nelson will demonstrate courtroom animation developed with laser disk technology used in a recent medical case. Mr. Taxman, the attorney who litigated the case, will discuss the legal issues and decisions that must be made in using this type of demonstrative evidence and in getting it admitted in trial. Ms. Nelson will discuss how she worked with the attorneys on the case to develop the animation.

Please join the members of the Computer Applications in the Practice of Law seminar on Thursday, March 16, 1995, at 4:00 p.m. in the Marovitz Courtroom on the first floor of the law school.
CLASS Staffs the Helpdesk

A schedule has been posted by the Helpdesk in Lab 700. CLASS (Computer Law Association) members staff the helpdesk weekdays during the days and evenings. If you have an email problem, word processing problem, or just general questions about computers, stop by and ask them.

Remember, you should email HELPDESK about general problems or questions about computers. CLASS and Center members check HELPDESK throughout the week, including weekends and evenings!

Xircom Certification for Laptops

This week, on Tuesday and Thursday the Center will be certifying students (and their laptops) for Xircom use. With a school-provided Xircom, you can connect your laptop to KENTNET from over 1,000 locations in the building.

Stop by the Center anytime Tuesday or Thursday of this week between 9:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. WITH your laptop. Ask for Ted Newman, a Center technician, who will check out your laptop and go over the procedures of how to use the Xircom. After the session, you can then check out a Network Connection Packet from the Library at the Service Desk.

Wanted: WestLaw Representatives

Outgoing enthusiastic students wanted as WestLaw student representatives. Please submit resumes and cover letters to Career Services by March 15th. Send inquiries to Scott Briley, WestLaw Academic representative, at SBRILEY@MCIMAIL.COM (or call 1-800-443-3075) or contact CTACKETT, BGILL, TENGLING, or SHYDERI.

WestLaw Representatives

Your WESTLAW reps are Brian Gill (BGILL), Cynthia Tackett (CTACKETT), Tim Engling (TENGLING), and Shalla Hyderi (SHYDERI). They will be in the computer lab (Room 700) in the library or right outside the room at one of the tables during the following hours. You may also contact them via email for assistance in using WESTLAW.

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LEXIS/NEXIS Student Representatives

The LEXIS/NEXIS student reps are Kevin Csink (KCSINK) and Kirsten Albrecht (KALBRECH). The reps can be reached by email or found in the computer lab (Room 700) in the library during the following NEW LAB HOURS.

Lexis/Nexis Day 1995

Chicago-Kent students and faculty are encouraged to attend LEXIS/NEXIS Day 1995 which will be held on Tuesday March 21, 1995 from 11:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. in the front lobby of the law school. Meet with the LEXIS/NEXIS representatives for a day of FOOD and FUN... ask questions about LEXIS/NEXIS; see demonstrations of the 1L computer textbook; meet LEXIS/NEXIS reps from various Chicago law firms; learn about the MVP program for access to LEXIS/NEXIS after graduation; learn about access to the "CAREER LIBRARY" after graduation; pick up a copy of the Emanuel Law Outline for LEXIS/NEXIS; learn about "ECLIPSE", "TABLE of CONTENTS" and "TABLE of AUTHORITIES" for 1L legal writing briefs; pick up a copy of speciality booklets for 2L advanced research and seminar classes; pick up a copy of the LEXIS/NEXIS Library Contents book; an opportunity for professors to learn about LEXIS/NEXIS' "COUNSEL CONNECT"; sign up for training classes and earn a Certificate for Cost Effective Searching; sign up for training classes for summer associates and judicial clerks.

LEXIS/NEXIS Looking for Student Representatives

LEXIS/NEXIS is looking for a student rep for the 1995-1996 academic year. Send resume to Jennie Starr, c/o LEXIS/NEXIS, 135 S. LaSalle St., Ste. 2200, Chicago, IL 60603, 312/899-7833 or fax resume 312/984-1600.
SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

DuPage County Bar Association Scholarship

The DuPage County Bar Association will award a $1,500.00 scholarship to a DuPage County resident who will commence the 2nd year law school in the Fall of 1995. This scholarship, applied toward the 1995-96 academic year tuition, will be awarded on the basis of academic ability and financial need.

All interested students must submit a letter of application to Assistant Dean Nancy Herman, Office of Admissions and Financial Aid, Suite 230, no later than Monday, March 20, 1995.

Serbian Bar Association Scholarships

The Serbian Bar Association (SBA) is awarding two $1,000 scholarships to two qualified candidates at the SBA's Annual Scholarship Ball which will be held on May 20, 1995, at the Union League Club of Chicago. All law students who are of Serbian ancestry are encouraged to apply for a scholarship and membership in the SBA. Note that applications must be postmarked on or before April 1, 1995. The application process includes the application, an essay and a certified copy of your law school transcript. Students wishing to be considered for this scholarship should pick up the application form in the Office of Admissions and Financial Aid, Suite 230.

DuPage County Chapter of the Justinian Society of Lawyers Scholarship

The DuPage County Chapter of the Justinian Society of Lawyers is awarding a minimum of one $1,000 scholarship to a law student who meets the following criteria:

1. Must have completed at least one semester of law school
2. Must be of Italian extraction
3. Must demonstrate academic achievement

Students wishing to be considered for this scholarship should pick up the application form in the Admissions Office, Suite 230. The scholarship application process includes the scholarship application form, a brief personal statement and a letter of recommendation by a law school faculty member.

All materials should be mailed to Marsha H. Cellucci, c/o Cellucci, Yacobellis & Holman, 1155 S. Washington Street, Suite 100, Naperville, IL 60540, and must be received no later than April 3, 1995.

Real Estate Educational Foundation Scholarships

The Illinois Real Estate Educational Foundation is a not-for-profit organization established to aid and promote the work of real estate education throughout Illinois. The Foundation is supported by voluntary contributions from organizations and individuals who recognize the importance of furthering academic experience and training in the real estate industry in Illinois. Scholarship awards have become a prominent activity of the Foundation. Many students in real estate-related curricula at colleges and universities have benefited from the Foundation's scholarship grants.
The selection of scholarship recipients will be determined by the Foundation, taking into consideration the following criteria:

1. The applicant’s indication of interest in pursuing a career in real estate or an allied field (i.e., construction, land use planning, mortgage banking, property management, real estate appraising, real estate assessing, real estate brokerage, real estate development, real estate investment counseling, real estate law, real estate syndication);

2. The applicant’s record of scholastic achievement, including academic grade point average;

3. The applicant’s economic need or situation;

4. The applicant’s references and recommendations by instructors, employers, realtors and other prominent individuals.

Students wishing to be considered for this scholarship should pick up the rather lengthy application form in the Office of Admissions and Financial Aid, Suite 230. The scholarship application process includes the scholarship application form, a letter of application, a record of military service (if any), a description of the proposed program of study, a typed statement from the real estate instructor recommending you as an applicant, an official law school transcript and two letters of recommendation.

All materials must be received by May 1, 1995, and should be mailed to The Real Estate Educational Foundation, P.O. Box 19451, Springfield, IL 62794-9451, (217)529-2600.

Haneman-Perskie Memorial Foundation Scholarship

The Haneman-Perskie Memorial Foundation is a non-profit corporation created for the purpose of awarding scholarships and is administered by a Board of Trustees comprised of the officers of the Atlantic County Bar Association. The number of scholarships awarded annually shall be in the discretion of the Board of Trustees.

The criteria for the scholarship are:

1. All applicants must be a resident of Atlantic County (New Jersey) for one year prior to application.

2. All applicants must demonstrate academic ability, financial need, leadership potential and character.

Each scholarship award will be paid directly to the law school in the name of the recipient and will be automatically applied toward the 1995-96 academic year tuition.

Students wishing to be considered for this scholarship should pick up the rather lengthy application form in the Office of Admissions and Financial Aid, Suite 230. Applications must be received by Monday, May 1, 1995, and should be sent to: Haneman-Perski Scholarship Foundation, c/o Atlantic County Bar Association, 1201 Bacharach Blvd., Atlantic City, New Jersey 08401.
Latin American Bar Foundation Scholarships

The Latin American Bar Foundation seeks applicants for scholarships to be awarded to needy and qualified Hispanic law students. All applicants must meet the following criteria:

1. Must be a United States citizen or resident alien
2. Must be currently enrolled in the College of Law and in good standing
3. Must not be related to any officer or director of the Latin American Bar Foundation
4. Should demonstrate financial need, scholastic aptitude and community service
5. Preference may be given to applicants of Hispanic ancestry
6. Must attend a personal interview
7. Must submit, along with the application, a personal essay, all LSAT scores and law school grades

Students wishing to be considered for these scholarships should pick up the rather lengthy application form in the Office of Admissions and Financial Aid, Suite 230. Please note that the scholarship application, personal essay, LSAT scores and law school grades must be fully completed and received by the Latin American Bar Foundation Scholarship Committee on or before May 12, 1995.

Cabaniss, Johnston Scholarship

To commemorate its 100th anniversary in 1987, the firm of Cabaniss, Johnston, Gardner, Dumas and O’Neal of Birmingham and Mobile, Alabama, created with the Alabama Law Foundation, Inc. a scholarship in memory of its founding partners, Edward Harmon Cabaniss and Forney Johnston. The first scholarship was awarded in 1987.

All applicants must meet the following criteria:

1) Must be a resident of Alabama
2) Must be entering the second year of law school during the Fall 1995-96 academic year

The scholarship will cover tuition and books for the second year of law school to a maximum of $5,000. A second place scholarship of $1,000 will be awarded at the committee’s discretion. While academic achievement is the key factor in determining eligibility for the scholarship, consideration will be given to other factors such as conscientiousness, dependability, civic involvement, financial need and dedication to the highest ethical standards.

Students wishing to be considered for this scholarship should pick up the rather lengthy application form in the Office of Admissions and Financial Aid, Suite 230. All materials must be sent as one complete package and must be received no later than June 16, 1995. Mail the total package to Cabaniss, Johnston Scholarship Committee, Alabama Law Foundation, Inc., P.O. Box 671, Montgomery, Alabama 36101, (205) 269-1515.
The CLEVELAND STATE LAW REVIEW has announced the 1995 Judge John M. Manos Writing Competition on Evidence for student written articles. The winning entry will receive $1,000 and all entries will be considered for publication. The deadline is April 1, 1995.

The Food and Drug Law Institute has announced the 1994-1995 Vincent A. Kleinfeld Scholarship Awards. The award encourages law students to take an interest in the areas that affect food, drugs, cosmetics, medical devices and biochemistry. Three $5,000 scholarships will be awarded to degree candidates who are in good standing and will receive either a J.D. or an LL.M. during 1996. The deadline is April 19, 1995.

The International Association of Defense Council has announced its 1995 Legal Writing Contest. The contest is open to all J.D. candidates who submit an article of practical concern to lawyers engaged in the management and defense of civil litigation. The winning entries will receive $2,000, $1,000 for second and $500 for third. Commemorative plaques will be given to the authors of the prize-winning articles and those awarded honorable mentions along with their articles being published in Defense Counsel Journal. All entries must be postmarked on or before April 21, 1995.

The law firm, Sudekum, Rosenbert & Cassidy, Chtd., is announcing its writing competition. The article must be on any topic relevant to the defense of suspicious and fraudulent insurance claims. The prize is a $5,000 scholarship. The deadline is May 1, 1995.

The National Association of College and University Attorneys has announced the National Legal Writing Competition on a topic relating to legal issues in the corporate practice of law on behalf of colleges and universities. The best article receives the Donal L. Reidhaar Prize of $1,000 and submission for publication in The Journal of College and University Law. The deadline is May 12, 1995.

The Food and Drug Law Institute has announced the 1994-1995 H. Thomas Austern Memorial Writing Competition. This award encourages law students to take an interest in the areas that affect food, drugs, cosmetics, medical devices and biochemistry. The prize for first place is $3,000. The deadline is May 18, 1995.

The American Bar Association Section of Natural Resources, Energy, and Environmental Law have announced the 1995 Sonreel Student Writing Competition. Entries should address the topic of natural resources, energy or environmental law. First prize is $1,000 and second prize is $500. The deadline is May 31, 1995.

The American Bar Association Standing Committee on World Order Under Law is sponsoring the 1995 Bruno Bitker Essay Contest. Entries must examine the record of the United Nations both internally and world-wide in regards to its responsibility to promote and protect the rights of women. First prize is $1000 and second prize is $500. The deadline is May 31, 1995.

The Federal Circuit Bar Association is sponsoring the 1995 George Hutchinson Writing Competition. Entries may examine any topic within the procedure, substance, or scope of the jurisdiction of the Federal Circuit Court of Appeals. The best entry receives an award of $1,000. The deadline is June 1, 1995.
The Notre Dame Law School is sponsoring its second annual Feminist Jurisprudence Writing Competition. The author of the best original, unpublished work concerning any issue within the category of feminist jurisprudence will receive $1,000. The deadline is June 1, 1995.

The American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers (ASCAP) has announced the 57th Annual Nathan Burkan Memorial Competition. The subject is copyright law. First and second prizes of $500 and $200 will be awarded to students at each participating school. National awards ranging from $500 to $3,000 will be awarded to first through fifth place participants. The deadline is June 15, 1995.

The American Intellectual Property Law Association announced the Robert C. Watson Award for 1995. The author of the best article on a subject relating to the protection of intellectual property written or published between August 1, 1994 and July 31, 1995 will receive $2,000. The deadline is July 31, 1995.

For more information, stop by the Office of the Associate Dean, Room 320.

FROM SBA PRESIDENT TOM STOVALL

BARRISTER’S BASH TICKETS ARE NOW ON SALE IN THE BOOK STORE: It will be held on Friday April 21, 1995 at the Field Museum (Roosevelt Road at Lake Shore Drive) from 8:00 p.m. to 12:00 a.m. The entire museum will be available for viewing and arrangements are being made for guided tours of exhibits. There will be an open bar for all four hours and a D.J. Other details are still being arranged. The cost of a ticket will be $30.00 in advance or $60.00 at the door. You can pay by cash, check, or charge. Get your tickets early!

Chicago-Kent’s Law Week: April 17 through April 21. The events for the week are:

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Faculty Evaluation Forms: The SBA encourages you to help yourself and your fellow students by anonymously filling out professor/course evaluations for recent courses you have taken. Results of the evaluations will be available in upcoming issues of THE COMMENTATOR. Your input will help us all in making course selections for the Fall and beyond. Evaluation forms will be available on the Concouse level and in the third floor Spak.

Notice of Elections: Join the Student Bar Association Board of Governors! Elections for Officers and Representatives (Day and Evening Divisions) will be held on April 17th and 18th. The following Representative positions are available:

1. four Second-Year Representatives, Day Division;
2. four Third-Year Representatives, Day Division;
3. two Second-Year Representatives, Evening Division;
4. two Third-Year Representatives, Evening Division;
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5. two Fourth-Year Representatives, Evening Division;
6. one Representative for the American Bar Association/Law School Division, Day Division;
7. one Representative for the American Bar Association/Law School Division, Evening Division;
8. one Illinois State Bar Association Representative;
9. one Chicago Bar Association Representative.

The following Officer positions are available:

1. President;
2. Vice-President, Day Division;
3. Vice-President, Evening Division;
4. Secretary;
5. Treasurer.

Election petitions will be available during the week of March 6, outside the offices of the Student Bar Association on the Concourse level. PETITIONS AND CANDIDATE STATEMENTS MUST BE TURNED INTO THE STUDENT BAR ASSOCIATION NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, MARCH 24th AT 5:00 P.M. CAMPAIGNING MAY NOT BEGIN BEFORE MONDAY MORNING, APRIL 3.

Instructions and campaign rules will be attached to the petitions. Among other things, Representative petitions may only be signed by students in the class and/or division indicated, and absolutely no campaigning over email is allowed.

NOTE: Any petition irregularities or violations of campaign rules may result in disqualification.

The Election Committee encourages your participation: help make Chicago-Kent the best place it can be! For more information, contact Mark Gussin (MGUSSIN).

Bar and Gavel Society Nominations: Once again it is time for the Student Bar Association to seek nominations for the Bar and Gavel Society. Evening or day division students who will be graduating at the end of spring or summer term are eligible. We are looking for individuals who have distinguished themselves by outstanding service to their fellow students, their school and their community. If you know of such a person and wish to put forward their name for membership in the Bar and Gavel Society, please prepare a nominating letter which:

1) Provides a description of the particular service or pattern of service, including the amount and quality of time spent. (The degree of the nominee’s participation in comparison to their other obligations would be a consideration.)

2) Addresses whether the nominee is receiving some other recognition for the service performed. (Unsung acts are particularly valued.)

3) Discusses to what extent the nominee is motivated to such service beyond any obligation to perform the service.

4) Describes the effect these services had on the reputation of Chicago-Kent.

Nomination letters may be sent via KENTNET to the attention of PSMITH2 or by hardcopy to the Student Bar Association. Nominees will be asked to supply a copy of their resume. Self nomination is not a bar to acceptance in the Society. The deadline for nominations is April 7, 1995.
ORGANIZATIONS

Dean’s Advisory Council

The Dean’s Advisory Council will meet on the following dates:

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Environmental Law Society

ELS BIKE RAFFLE!! You could win a Cannondale Mountain Bike! You could also win environmental t-shirts and other bike paraphernalia. Tickets are now available for ONLY $1.00 each! The raffle will take place during the intermission of the Kent Justice Foundation Auction, so buy your tickets now! Contact your local ELS representative for ticket sales. The proceeds from the raffle go toward the ELS summer fellowship.

GAYLAW

GAYLAW gets sticky! Starting this Monday, and every Monday for the rest of the Semester (excluding Spring Break of course!), GAYLAW will be selling ANN SATHER’S Cinnamon Rolls in the Spake. Have these world famous sticky buns (that’s southern for Cinnamon Rolls, for those of us who still can’t pronounce ‘cinnamon’ correctly) waiting hot and fresh for you each Monday morning.

All proceeds will go to the Jon Simmon’s Memorial Fund that is being jointly developed by KJF and GAYLAW. Come enjoy a delicious treat, and help a good cause at the same time.

News From the Front: How is the military’s “Don’t Ask, Don’t Tell” policy being attacked in the STATE courts instead of the Federal? Why does House Speaker Gingrich think he’s really FDR? Subscribe to GAYLEGAL and learn all. Why do the Hearst Newspapers support Domestic Partnership Benefits for Gays, but not for heterosexuals? How is the Fulton County, Georgia Republican party trying to keep HIV + athletes from competing in the 1996 Summer Olympics? Subscribe to GAYCULTURE and we’ll tell you! Email NFOSS with Subscribe in the subject line, and we’ll forward the answers to you.

Health Law Society

The second in this semester’s series of speaker events focusing on careers in health law, will be held on Wednesday, March 15, 1995 at 5:00 p.m. in Room 170. Senior Attorney for Abbott Laboratories, Hal Sprague and Senior Attorney for Walgreens, Jill Drell will be discussing health law opportunities and environmental and trade relation aspects of the field. All are welcome to attend.

Hispanic Law Students Association

Proposition 187 Panel Discussion: HLSA, along with KJF, AALSA, and the Federalist Society, will be co-sponsoring a Panel Discussion on Proposition 187 on Wednesday, March 15, at 5:00 p.m. in the Auditorium. A Reception will follow. The panelists will represent a variety of positions, including the constitutional questions surrounding Prop. 187, the pro-Prop. 187 view point, the perspectives of foreign
countries whose people will be affected as represented by their consuls. The event promises to be interesting, so please tell your friends.

SALSA NIGHT! Saturday, March 18! This is open to everyone, not just Chicago-Kent students. If you haven’t bought your ticket, email RFERNAND. Buffet dinner and dancing until 2:00 a.m. for only $10.00! Cheap!

Latin Food Fest was a success. Thank you to all who brought food, helped out, patronized, or just wished us well.

**Illinois State Bar Association**

Become an Illinois State Bar Association Member: Law student membership in the ISBA offers many practical benefits, including the opportunity to meet and learn from active ISBA members -- Networking! Currently, the ISBA has 32,000 members. Annual law student membership is only $10 a year or $25 for four years. Join now and receive free subscriptions to ISBA journals and newsletters plus free admission to ISBA Law Ed Series programs. Pick up ISBA applications on the Concourse Level.

All organization leaders-- ISBA can do printing for your special events. Over the past year, ISBA has printed ticket for Barrister’s Bash, as well as posters, handbills and other notices for special events. As long as one of your officers is an ISBA member and you give us two weeks notice, we can do your printing. Contact one of your ISBA Law Student Representatives. For the 1994-95 school year your representatives are Melissa Durkin, Rupal Dalal, Susan Walter (SWALTER2) and Mala Byanna.

**Jewish Law Students Association/Decalogue Society**

We are pleased to announce that Mr. Ahaz Ben-Ari, Legal Advisor to Prime Minister Rabin of Israel, will speak at Chicago-Kent on Tuesday, March 21 at 5:15 p.m. in the 10th Floor Faculty Lounge. Reception to follow. All members of the Chicago-Kent community are invited. For more information contact MGUSSIN or GGOLUB.

**Kent Justice Foundation**

Reminder: KJF’s Annual Spring Break Kick-Off Auction is Wednesday, March 22, 1995. The reception begins at 5:30 p.m. and the Auction at 6:30 p.m. The auction is a lot of fun, with great events and items up for bidding. We hope to see you there.

Meeting: There is a meeting for everyone who is working on the Auction every Tuesday at 12:45 p.m. in Room C35.

Speaker Event: KJF will be hosting a discussion of the repercussions of California’s new immigration policy on Wednesday, March 15, 1995 at 5:00 p.m. in the auditorium. Proposition 187 would allow for the removal of substantive rights and many state services, including the denial of an education, for children of undocumented immigrants. Please come and listen to faculty speakers analyze the constitutionality and effects of such a proposal.
Sports and Entertainment Law Society

I hope everyone is enjoying their spring?! We are in the process of setting up some more speaker events. Thanks for all of the feedback and watch this space for more good stuff. Email AFREEDMA with any questions or suggestions.

Students United for the Public Interest (SUPI)

Juvenile Rights Forum: We are having a meeting on Tuesday, March 14, 1994 at 11:45 a.m. in C74 to finalize plans for a possible forum. Please attend and bring ideas!
TO: All Continuing Students
FROM: Assistant Dean Nancy Herman
DATE: Spring Semester 1995
RE: CRITICAL INFORMATION REGARDING: FINANCIAL AID AND MERIT-AND-NEED-BASED SCHOLARSHIPS


The time of year has arrived for you to begin the process of applying for financial aid for the 1995-1996 academic year. Please take note of the calendar of important dates below; I suggest that you save this memo for future reference. Your financial aid, whether a loan and/or a merit-and-need-based scholarship, depends on it.

We have prepared folders containing the applications, as well as information to assist you with the application process. Please be sure to read through the entire packet. The application packets can be obtained in the Office of Admissions and Financial Aid, Suite 230.

Please note that the Monday, April 3, 1995 deadline is the first day after spring break (the dates for spring break are March 25, 1995 - April 2, 1995). If you plan to leave town, please be sure that you arrange to have your application materials in the Office of Admissions and Financial Aid no later than Monday, April 3, 1995.

To be eligible for all forms of financial aid you must meet the deadlines listed below.

Calendar of Important Dates:

By April 3

1. The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) should be received by the processor no later than Monday, April 3, 1995. A preaddressed envelope is enclosed in the FAFSA booklet. Plan to mail it in sufficient time to meet the deadline.

2. Your Chicago-Kent College of Law Financial Aid Application should be received by the Chicago-Kent College of Law Office of Admissions and Financial Aid, Suite 230, no later than Monday, April 3, 1995. All sections of the application must be complete in order for them to be accepted.

NOTE: Monday, April 3, 1995 is a strict deadline. This deadline is the cut-
off date for determining the allocation of merit-and-need-based scholarships.

**By May 15**

1. After you file the FAFSA, you will be sent the Student Aid Report (SAR). All pages of the SAR should be in the Office of Admissions and Financial Aid by Monday, May 15, 1995, even though it will say that you are not eligible for the Pell Grant (Pell Grants are for undergraduates only). Be sure to complete the Student’s Use Box on the back of page one of the SAR.

**Corrections:** If you need to make corrections to your SAR, please call the Office of Admissions and Financial Aid at (312) 906-5180 because our office may be able electronically correct the errors.

2. If you are selected for Verification, you will be asked to submit copies of your tax forms and a Verification Statement, which are available in the Office of Admissions and Financial Aid. If you are selected for Verification, our office will automatically send the Verification Worksheet upon receiving your Student Aid Report (SAR). These materials and your SAR must be returned before a financial aid award will be determined for you.

**By June 30**

1. You are expected to turn in student loan applications from the lender of your choice by June 30. Loan applications for Law Access, LAWLOANS, Chase Manhattan, and any Illinois bank are available in the Office of Admissions and Financial Aid, Suite 230. However, the office has a limited supply of applications so it is best to contact your lender directly to obtain the necessary application.

2. You should sign and return your financial aid award letter to the Office of Admissions and Financial Aid within three weeks of the date printed on the letter.

We are ready to help if you need assistance--just call the Office of Admissions and Financial Aid at (312) 906-5180.

Thank you for your cooperation. Continuing students are eligible to receive both need-and-merit-based and merit-only scholarships. Merit-only scholarships do not require a financial aid application. If you are only interested in these merit-only scholarships, you do not need to apply for financial aid. However, if you want to be considered for need-and-merit-based scholarships, then you must complete all of the financial aid forms, even if you are not planning to take out student loans. Need-and-merit-based awards constitute a larger dollar amount than merit-only awards.
THE JEWISH LAW STUDENTS ASSOCIATION
PROUDLY WELCOMES

MR. AHAZ BEN-ARI
Legal Advisor to the Honorable
Yitzhak Rabin, Prime Minister of Israel.

Please join us in welcoming Mr. Ben-Ari on
Tuesday, March 21, 1995, in the 10th Floor
Faculty Lounge. Mr. Ben-Ari will speak at
5:15 followed immediately by a reception.

Don't miss this opportunity to hear Mr. Ben-
Ari speak on matters of international law and
diplomacy in this changing world.

Sponsored by: The Jewish Law Students Association and The
Student Bar Association

Organizational assistance provided by JUF/UJA Campus Campaign
All food served at the reception will be in accordance with Jewish dietary laws.
A PANEL DISCUSSION ON

CALIFORNIA’S "PROPOSITION 187"

Wednesday, March 15, 5:00 p.m.
Chicago-Kent Auditorium

Speakers will include:

Tom Faber - Illinois Coalition on Immigration Reform
Roberto Cornelio - The Mayor’s Office
Abela Fuentes - Consul General of Guatemala
Alicia Shapiro - Press Attaché of the Mexican Consul General

Reception in the lobby will follow. Refreshments will be served.

TO: ALL STUDENTS INTERESTED IN JOINING THE PROGRAM IN ENVIRONMENTAL AND ENERGY LAW

FROM: PROFESSORS DEUTSCH AND TARLOCK

RE: MEETINGS ABOUT JOINING THE PROGRAM

Every Spring semester we hold meetings to talk with students interested in joining the program. This year the meetings will be:

Tuesday, March 14

12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Room 520 Room 510

We will discuss the requirements to earn a Certificate in Environmental and Energy Law, internship and job opportunities while in law school, placement opportunities, the activities of the Program and the Environmental Law Society, and answer your questions. We will also discuss what other courses you should take during your career at Chicago-Kent.

If you cannot attend and are interested in joining, please contact Professor Deutsch (email SDEUTSCH, or in Room 839, or at 906-5040).

We look forward to seeing you on March 14.
Health Law Presents..............
The second in this semester’s series of speaker events focusing on careers in health law. Featuring............

Hal Sprague
Senior Attorney
Abbott Laboratories

Jill Drell
Senior Attorney
Walgreens

Wednesday
5:00 pm
March 15, 1995
Room 170

All are welcome to attend. In addition to speaking about health law opportunities speakers will touch on environmental and trade relation aspects of the field.
GET READY!!! Kent Justice Foundation's Annual Spring Break Kick-Off Auction  
Wednesday, March 22, 1995  
Reception & Silent Auction begin at 5:30  
Auction begins at 6:30  
$.5 for Chicago-Kent students  
$10 for non-students  
Spirits and snacks all night!!

Fun with Chicago-Kent Faculty:

Gourmet Brunch for Six with the Spak's
Dine with: Prof. Stewart, Heyman, & Soule, Baker-Richardson  
e or Lauren, Lockwood, and Mike Marick
Tennis and Dinner with Prof. Thomas

AN EVENING OF JAZZ WITH PROF. BROWN
Bowling Party with Prof. Greenberg, Dolley, Rossi & Quentin
Trade places with DEAN MATASAR for a day
Power breakfast and Meyers-Briggs or career counseling with Lisa Abrams
Pizza and a Show at Annouance Theater with Stephanie Reyer-Chu

Fun Around Town:

DINNER, THEATER AND HOTEL PACKAGES!!!

Party for 100 at Drink
Party for 50 at Hi-Tops
Party for 20 at Whiskey River
Pool Party for 50 at

Dinner at:
PARTHENON, SANTORINI, GREEK ISLANDS, Planet Hollywood

More . . .

PLANE TICKETS TO PUERTO RICO!
Gift-Certificate to Chicago-Kent Bookstore
3 month membership to LAKE SHORE HEALTH CLUB
BULLS & CUBS TIX!!!
Screen plays of: PULP FICTION, FOREST GUMP & QUIZ SHOW
+ Flowers, Food and more fun!!!
And Much, Much MORE!
ADVANCED EXTERNSHIP PROGRAM
FALL 1995
THIRD YEAR STUDENTS

Do you wish to develop your legal skills? Gain practical legal experience in a specialized area of law with a corporation, firm or government agency? Make yourself more marketable to prospective employers upon graduation? If you have answered "yes" to any of the above questions, consider applying for the Advanced Externship Program for Fall Semester 1995.

The Advanced Externship Program is a four credit hour program consisting of a 3 credit hour fieldwork and a 1 credit hour classroom component. The program is open to students in their last two semesters of law school. For the fieldwork component, an extern is placed in a private or public, civil or criminal practice and is required to work a minimum of 15 hours a week at his/her designated placement. Externs interested in civil law may select to work under the supervision of general counsel in major corporations or under the supervision of designated teaching lawyers in well-known firms or specific government agencies. Externs may specialize in such diverse legal areas as tax, commodities, securities, corporate, health care, medical malpractice, and general corporate law, etc. Those interested in criminal law may select to work with designated supervising lawyers at the States Attorney's Office, Public Defender's or the U.S. Attorney's office. Many externships may offer the externs opportunities to obtain a 711 license and appear in court.

The accompanying classroom component consists of a 1 hour class weekly, which focuses on various aspects of today's practice of law and on the externs' fieldwork experiences.

If you are interested in learning more about externship opportunities or in applying for the program, please see Professor Vivien Gross in Room 617.

More information about the program and an accompanying application form are available in the Law Offices Reception Area. Applications must be turned in to Room 610 by 4:00 p.m. on Friday, March 24, 1995. All applicants must have scheduled an interview with Professor Gross prior to turning in their applications. Slots are limited. In the event applicants outnumber the number of students that can be accepted in the program, students with at least one semester of Law Offices or LADR (Law Alternative Disputes Resolution program) will receive a preference over other students in being admitted in the Externship Program.
LAW OFFICES

SUMMER REGISTRATION
IN-HOUSE PROGRAMS

SUMMER 1995 APPLICATIONS ARE NOW AVAILABLE IN ROOM 600
DUE NO LATER THAN
MONDAY, MARCH 20

Students who would like to learn how to practice law while they are in law school should apply for the in-house clinical education program, LAW OFFICES. Applications are now available for the summer. The summer applications are due no later than March 20.

Students may apply for Law Offices after they have completed their first year of law school (current 1L’s may apply for the summer 1995 semester). To be considered for a place, ALL students must complete and return a completed Law Offices application. Applications must be turned in to the Law Offices receptionist in Suite 600 by the March 20 deadline. Students who have previously taken or who are now taking Law Offices (called Continuing Law Offices Students) and who submit their applications by the due date will be given preference in their same practice group if availability permits. New students who have submitted their applications by the due date will be selected in the Law Offices lottery. The total number of available places during the summer semester is dependent upon the number of supervising attorneys in each practice group. The number of available new places is dependent upon the number of continuing students and thus has not yet been determined.

The in-house program is comprised of two components. One is a three credit fieldwork class graded on a pass/fail basis in which students work in practice groups on client cases or similar projects assigned to them by a supervising attorney. The fieldwork component also includes practice group lectures, supervising attorney conferences, section meetings, and various client interview experiences. The other is a graded classroom component for one credit.

There are eight in-house practice groups from which to choose - employment discrimination/civil rights with some general practice, criminal defense, commercial litigation, transactions (non-litigation), immigration, tax (prerequisites are Personal Income Tax and Tax Procedure), health law, and mediation & other ADR procedures.
For more information, you may talk to the clinical professors who supervise the various practice groups.

**Employment Discrimination/Civil Rights (with some general practice)**
- Professors Gonzalez Room 629
- Professor Norton Room 623
- Professor Schwartz Room 611

**Criminal Defense**
- Professor Kadish Room 613
- Professor Kling Room 625
- Professor Thomas Room 609

**Commercial Litigation**
- Professor Smith Room 690

**Transactions (non litigation)**
- Professor Lemberis Room 688

**Immigration**
- Professor Benítez Room 627

**Tax**
- Professor Brown Room 615
- Professor Livingston Room 694

**Mediation and other ADR Procedures**
- Professor Smith Room 690
- Professor Kentra Room 684

**Health Law**
- Professor Toolan Room 621
- Professor Elster Room 692

Professor Laser (Room 631) is also available to answer your questions.

**SUMMER APPLICATIONS ARE DUE BY MARCH 20, 1995**

Please note - Applications for the FALL 1995 semester will be available soon in Room 600. Please watch for a broadcast message.
CHICAGO-KENT COLLEGE OF LAW
INTENSIVE TRIAL ADVOCACY 1 REQUEST

Submit this request to the Registrar's office by March 22, 1995. You will not be eligible unless all information is provided.

I would like to enroll in the following Intensive Trial Advocacy 1 course:

- Regular (January 6 - 13, 1996)

Check only one box.

You may only enroll in one of these courses. If you want to be considered for both courses, submit a separate form for each course and answer the following question:

If I am selected for both programs, I want to be enrolled in:

- IP
- Regular

Name (print) ____________________________ Social Security #: ____________________________

Address: ____________________________ City: _____________ State: ____ Zip: _____________

Home phone with area code: ( ) _________ work phone: ( ) _________

Division:  O Day  O Evening

Date you expect to graduate from Chicago-Kent: ________________

Number of hours completed at the end of current semester: ________________

Cumulative GPA: ________________

Signature: ____________________________ Date: ________________