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## T H E R E C O R D

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**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 Barbara Washington (BWASHINGTON), or dropped by her office, Room 815. 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 **MUST** be submitted by Wednesday at 5:00 p.m.

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### **CLASS CANCELLATION REMINDER**

All classes that begin at 4:00 p.m. or later on Tuesday, October 3 and all day and evening classes on Wednesday, October 4 are cancelled. Make-up dates have already been scheduled in the academic calendar.

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### **FROM THE REGISTRAR**

#### **February, 1996 Bar Exam Applications**

February, 1996 Illinois bar exam applications for students who began their law studies in 1993 are now available in the Registrar's office. The deadline for filing the application is November 1, 1995.

#### **Change of Division**

Students who want to change from the Evening to the Day division or vice versa for the Spring, 1996 semester must submit a Request to Change Divisions form to the Registrar's office by Friday, October 13. Division changes will be permitted on a space-available basis. Students who change divisions will have the lowest registration priority within their starting date group for the Spring, 1996 registration.

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### **FROM ASSISTANT DEAN OF STUDENTS JULIE FENTON**

#### **STRESS MANAGEMENT SEMINARS - CORRECT DATES**

Feeling the stress of the semester? Come to a Stress Management Seminar. Dr. Terry Shapiro, Director of Counseling, and his staff will conduct stress management seminars for day students on Wednesday, October 18 from 3:00-4:00 pm in Room C25 and Wednesday, October 25 from 3:00-4:00 p.m. in Room C25. A seminar for evening students will be held on Tuesday, October 24, from 5:00-6:00 p.m. in Room 370. You must pre-register for the workshops. Space is limited. E-mail Sherry Waldrep (SWaldrep) or sign up in Room 546.

### **FIRST-YEAR MEETINGS WITH FACULTY ADVISORS**

The following faculty will meet with their first-year advisees this week and next Monday:

Professor Eglit, Tuesday Oct. 3, 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. in Room 180  
Professor Gross, Tuesday, Oct. 3, 1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. in Room 345  
Professor Sowle, Thursday, Oct. 5, 3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. in Room 345  
Professors Baker & Krent, Thursday, Oct. 5, 3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. in Room 580  
Professor Nance, Friday, Oct. 6, 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. in Room 355  
Professor Brody, Monday, Oct. 9, 1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. in Room 155  
Professor Rudstein, Monday, Oct. 9, 5:15 p.m. - 5:55 p.m. in Room 744.

If you don't know who your faculty advisor is, stop by Room 544. The lists are posted outside the door.

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## **FROM THE ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR OF FINANCIAL AID, VIRGINIA FOSTER**

### **For Your Information...**

I have received quite a few inquiries about the process of disbursing student loan checks. I wanted to take this opportunity to shed some light on the behind-the-scenes process that takes place on both the lender side as well as here at Chicago-Kent.

### **Lender Processing:**

Before a lender sends a check to the school, they will first post the check on their system. If you call to check on the disbursement date of your loan check, they will give you the date the check was posted on their system. This date is not usually the same date the check was mailed. The lender still has to prepare the check for mailing by checking for correct amounts, printing rosters, as well as stuffing envelopes for mailing. At the time the check is mailed, it could take anywhere from 5-7 business days before it reaches our office.

### **Chicago-Kent Processing:**

Once we receive a batch of checks from a lender, we will compare their check roster to the enclosed checks to ensure that there is a check enclosed for each name printed on the check roster. We then have to check the amount of each paper check for accuracy in amounts. The next step we take is to log the check into the computer system and complete a disbursement form for each check being delivered to you. Next, we check your enrollment status for the proper number of credit hours registered for each semester. Lastly, we have to complete a Verification of Documents form which is placed in each student's file after the file is checked for all required documents, i.e., financial aid transcripts, signed tax returns, verification worksheet, etc... In the event there are documents missing, we will complete a Loan Check Hold Sheet and contact you via email and through the US mail to come into our office and rectify the situation before your loan check is released. After completing this entire process, we will send them to the Bursar's office and they will email you to come in and sign for the check(s). By the way, we are happy to announce that we have a 5-7 business day turn around time on this entire process.

**Busar Processing:**

We will forward all processed checks to the Bursar's office. The Bursar will email you to come to her office to endorse the check(s).

I hope this information has been helpful and insightful. Please be patient and sensitive to the process of receiving your check(s).

If you should have any questions, please contact Virginia Foster, the Associate Director of Financial Aid, by e-mail (VFOSTER).

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## FINANCIAL AID OFFICE

Please note that the Financial Aid Office will close at 11:30 am on Friday, October 6, 1995. Students who will need assistance on October 6 should come in before 11:30 am because the office will close promptly at 11:30 am and remain closed for the course of the day. We will reopen Monday morning. As a reminder, our regular business hours are as follows:

MONDAY	8:30 am - 6 pm
TUESDAY	8:30 am - 5 pm
WEDNESDAY	8:30 am - 5 pm
THURSDAY	8:30 am - 6 pm
FRIDAY	8:30 am - 5 pm

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## CAREER SERVICES

### Fall On-Campus Interview Program

Additional On-Campus Interviewer: Human Resources Consulting Services of Ernst & Young LLP

Ernst & Young LLP, an international professional services firm, is seeking 2L, 3L, 4L and LLM candidates for positions in its Human Resource Consulting Services (HRC) practice for its offices in Atlanta, Chicago, Cleveland, Dallas, Indianapolis, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, New York, and Washington D.C. They will be interviewing at Chicago-Kent on October 24, 1995.

Applicants should have a demonstrable interest in tax and employee benefits law. Relevant courses and work experience will be considered. If interested, please bring a resume and transcript to the Career Services Office no later than noon on October 16, 1995.

### Callbacks and Offers

Please let us know how you are faring in the program! Email SCHU or LABRAMS and tell us about any callbacks or offers you receive.

### **Upcoming Programs**

#### *The Big Picture: Interview Tips from the Experts*

On Tuesday, October 10 at noon in room 370 and 5:00 p.m. in room 570, practitioners from small and mid-size firms, government agencies and public interest organizations will share their advice for interviewing. Sign up in the Career Services Office to attend!

#### *Careers with the FBI*

On Monday, October 16 at noon in room C50, Special Agent Kevin Illia will discuss job opportunities within the FBI. Sign up to attend in the Career Services Office and come meet Agent Illia!

### **Networking Opportunities**

#### Chicago's Committee for '96/Democratic National Convention Committee

Chicago's Committee for '96 is seeking volunteers to assist with the planning and support for next summer's Democratic National Convention in Chicago. Information and applications are available as **Handout #31** in the Career Services Office or by sending an email request to Chgoconv @ smtp {ChgoConv96@aol.com}.

### **Fellowship Opportunities**

#### The George Slaff Fellowship Sponsored by the ACLU of Southern California

The ACLU of Southern California is accepting applications for a one-year fellowship during which a fellow will work on litigation involving freedom of speech, freedom of the press, and the right to petition the government. The application deadline is November 15 but we encourage interested students to apply soon. Pick up **Handout #32** for details.

#### The Ralph C. Menapace Fellowship in Urban and Land Use Law

The Municipal Art Society of New York invites applications for its Ralph C. Menapace Fellowship in Urban Land Use Law. The fellow, whose term will begin in the late summer of 1996, will work under the guidance of members of the Society's law committee, who are distinguished attorneys with expertise in preservation, zoning, and planning matters. The deadline for application is November 15, 1995. For more information about the fellowship please consult **Handout #26** which can be picked up at our office.

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#### Roger Baldwin Foundation of the ACLU Civil Liberties Fellowships

The Roger Baldwin Foundation of the American Civil Liberties Union is seeking a third year law student or lawyer with less than five years of experience for its Civil Liberties Fellowship. The fellow, who will serve in the post for one year and who can be renewed for an additional year, will work in all phases of civil liberties advocacy in which the organization engages. Applications must be sent by October 31, 1995. For more information, please pick up **Handout #27** from our office.

**Skadden Fellowships for AIDS and Civil Liberties Project**

The Roger Baldwin Foundation is also looking for applications from 3Ls for Skadden Fellows who will assist in all phases of litigation concerning over 40 cases which are currently in the federal and state trial courts and appellate courts. Applications are due as soon as possible since the deadline for Skadden Fellowships is October 9. For more information, please pick up **Handout #28** from our office.

**Other Special Opportunities: Handouts Available in Career Services**

**Illinois Department of Professional Regulation Seeks Volunteers**

The Department of Professional Regulation is seeking interns to review files and prepare pleadings for prosecution of professional acts violations. Students with 711 licenses may also participate in hearings. Candidates should be highly motivated and self-starters. 3Ls and 4Ls with 711 licenses are preferred. Apply as soon as possible! See posting PT-95-3132 in the Career Services Office or on Kentnet's computerized job listings.

**Summer Volunteer Position with HomeBase in San Francisco**

HomeBase, California's law and social policy center dedicated to ending homelessness, seeks summer volunteers. The center works directly with homeless people as well as with the agencies providing services to the population. Information about HomeBase is available on **Handout #30**. 2Ls may apply immediately. 1Ls may apply as of December 1. Applications are due February 2, 1996.

**Judicial Clerkship for the United States District Court, Eastern District of Virginia**

The U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia is looking for qualified applicants for one-year clerkships commencing in August of 1997. Seventeen clerkship opportunities will be available. Applications will be accepted beginning December 1, 1995 and continuing until February 20, 1996. For more information please consult **Handout #29** which can be picked up in the Career Services Office.

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**NEWS FROM THE CLC (CENTER FOR LAW AND COMPUTERS)**

**Computer Support Specialist Available**

Leah Moral, the Computer Support Specialist, has scheduled specific hours in which she will be available to help students with computer questions, questions about PCMCIA cards, modem problems, software questions, etc. at her desk just outside room 703. We hope this will provide even better service to students at Chicago-Kent. Just go to the 7th floor and turn left at the drinking fountain. Leah may reschedule an appointment with anyone who needs more time and whose computer may need more attention.

**Open Clinic Days and Hours:**

Monday, Wednesday, Friday  
Tuesday, Thursday

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  
1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Evening students can email Leah (LMORAL) for special help with questions and problems.

### **1995 Technology Guide**

Additional copies of the popular Chicago-Kent Technology Guide are available in the bookstore. The Guide gives you information on Kentnet, CALI lessons, WordPerfect, and real-life advice from law students. Available for \$8.

### **CALI Lessons**

The current set of CALI (Computer Assisted Legal Instruction) lessons are available on Kentnet. For DOS lessons, look under the LESSONS ON THE LAW option. For WINDOWS, look under CLASSES | TEACHING RESOURCES.

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## **CHECK IT OUT . . . NEWS FROM THE INFORMATION CENTER**

### **SUPREME COURT REVIEW**

Last week the United States Supreme Court decided to:

Review how federal copyright law applies to the user friendly features of computer software programs. Lotus Development v. Borland Int'L, 94-2003.

Hear arguments from several state and local governments on whether the U.S. must adjust 1990 census figures to make up for undercounting minorities, an adjustment which would result in redrafting of several congressional districts. (multiple cases)

Hear arguments from two policemen convicted in the Rodney King beating who claim the 9th Circuit erred in deciding that their original 30 month sentences were too lenient. Koon v. U.S., 94-1664 & Powell v. U.S., 94-8842.

Review a conviction under the military death penalty to consider whether it was unconstitutional for President Reagan instead of Congress to make changes in the existing law. Loving v. U.S., 94-1966.

Hear a Florida bank argue that federal law requires states to let national banks sell insurance in small towns. Barrett Bank of Marion County v. Gallagher, 94-1837.

### **TUTORIALS**

#### **A.L.R.**

When you are researching a legal issue and finding an A.L.R. Annotation, your research--as you may know--is just about finished. A.L.R. Annotations have been called a "goldmine of research references". In order to help you with using A.L.R.'s to find an applicable annotation for legal issues, the Information Center's Reference Staff is offering a tutorial on using A.L.R.s.

The schedule for this week's tutorials will be posted on the 9th floor bulletin board. It's not mandatory that you sign up, just come to the reference desk.

**INFORMATION CENTER WELCOMES NEW STAFF**

Scott Livingston joins the Reference Staff this week. Scott comes to IIT from Detroit; he has both his J.D. and an M.B.A. and is completing his Library Science Masters Degree at the University of Michigan. Please join us in welcoming Scott - stop by the reference desk and say hello!

**VALIDATION STICKERS**

All students are required to have validation stickers for the current semester. When checking out books, using reserve materials, and reserving rooms, it is mandatory that students show their Chicago-Kent I.D.'s with this sticker on the back.

You can get these stickers from the Registrar's office located on the second floor.

**CORRECTION OF LIBRARY HOURS**

**Regular Fall Hours (Beginning Sunday, August 20, 1995)**

Sunday	10:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m.
Monday-Thursday	7:45 a.m. - 11:00 p.m.
Friday	7:45 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Saturday	9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

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**FROM THE OFFICE OF ALUMNAE/I & STUDENT RELATIONS**

The Alumnae/i & Student Roundtables are filling up quickly! Stop by Suite 310 to sign up for any of the roundtables below, which still have spaces available. Esther R. Rothstein, '49 will be here tomorrow for the first of the roundtable series.

**Esther R. Rothstein, '49**

**Tuesday, October 3, 12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.**

Ms. Rothstein is a partner at McCarthy & Levin. She served as the first woman chair of the Chicago Bar Association and has also served as president of the Illinois Women's Bar Association. She currently is in charge of the Woman's Bar Foundation. In 1993, Ms. Rothstein received recognition from the ABA in the form of the Margaret Brent Women Lawyers of Achievement Award.

**Keith Harley, '88**

**Wednesday, October 25, 5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.**

Mr. Harley works for the South Chicago Legal Clinic. He started a program at the clinic in the environmental poverty law. A significant part of Mr. Harley's job is spreading the word about community environmental activism. He conducted 25 community seminars last year alone.

**Michael Marick, '80**

**Friday, October 27, 12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.**

Mr. Marick is a founding partner of Bates, Meckler, Bulger & Tilson. He concentrates on civil litigation with an emphasis on insurance coverage and reinsurance. While at Chicago-Kent, Mr. Marick was on Law



Review, Trial Advocacy and Moot Court. Most recently, Mr. Marick served as the President of the Law School Association in the '94-'95 term.

**Barry Maram, '71**

**Tuesday, November 7, 5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.**

Mr. Maram is a partner at Sonnenschein, Nath & Rosenthal. He practices health care law. In 1994, Mr. Maram served as a spokesperson for the Clinton Health Care Reform Plan in the Chicago area. Mr. Maram is currently the President of the Law School Association.

**Judith Munson, '76**

**Friday, November 10, 12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.**

Ms. Munson is general counsel at the Illinois Department of Public Health. She also serves as Vice-President for the Lawyers Assistance Program. She has been an adjunct professor for the University of Illinois at Chicago's Public Health Program. Ms. Munson was a member of the Law School Association Board of Directors for six years and served as its' president in 1986-87.

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## FROM PROFESSOR VIVIEN GROSS, FACULTY ADVISOR OF SERVING OUR SOCIETY (SOS)...

### **And SOS Student Counselors, Ms. Sharon Doherty (3L) and Mr. Steve McKenzie (2L)**

Please stop by and see us. We can counsel you generally about legal and non-legal interest opportunities, and specifically help you locate a volunteer experience in a public interest area. Here are just a few mid-semester reminders:

As you know, this is usually where we list all of the new volunteer opportunities available through SOS. And, of course, there are several new listings this week, for which you can find out more about by visiting the SOS office and speaking to one of our counselors. One to note is:

**ILLINOIS CLEMENCY PROJECT** - The IL Clemency Project seeks clemency for battered women who have killed their abusers. This project needs help in drafting and organizing support for a large number of clemency petitions that have been or will be submitted to the Governor's office.

Remember, however, that there is also a wide range of pro bono/volunteer positions that are always available - more than we could ever possibly include in our "New Listings." This means that even though something may not catch your eye in the Record, there is most likely another agency that may be just what you are looking for! By stopping by the office, we can match your specific interests to an employer's needs. (And, to help us place you quickly, try to have a resume with you when you stop by.)

Finally, never forget that you can volunteer in a legal OR non-legal position. Some people are looking to explore new areas of the law or to gain valuable skills, while others are looking to do volunteer work, such as tutoring, to give them a break from the legal grind.

**Office Hours:**

Monday: 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.  
Tuesday: 12:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. and  
4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday: 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Whatever your interests, please take the time to stop by or contact either Sharon (SDOHERTY) or Steve (SMCKENZI) by e-mail, or call 312/906-5089. Thank you!

**FEDERAL JUDICIAL EXTERNSHIPS: SPRING 1996 SEMESTER  
FOR SECOND AND THIRD YEAR STUDENTS  
WITH A MINIMUM 3.2 GRADE POINT AVERAGE**

**Informational Meeting**

On Tuesday, October 3, 1995 at 12:00 Noon in Room C40, there will be a meeting for all students who are interested in externing for a federal appellate, federal district, bankruptcy or federal magistrate judge for the Spring 1996 Semester. Professor Vivien Gross will describe the kinds of experiences a judicial extern will have in the course of a semester, as well as how to apply. If you are interested in a judicial externship, but are unable to attend the meeting, please see Professor Gross in Room 617.

A judicial externship enables the student to become involved in particular legal problems through research and writing, and to contribute in the resolution of those legal problems. Depending upon the judge, an extern may have the opportunity to observe the day-to-day routine of a judge and discuss with the judge and the judge's law clerk those legal problems which attorneys face in their profession, and the specific problems which attorneys confront in the courtroom. Take advantage of this wonderful opportunity!

**Application Process**

The applications for the Spring Judicial Externships will be available in Room 601, Law Offices, as of Monday, September 25. Completed applications should be submitted to Ms. Carole Ross, Secretary to Professor Gross, in Room 612 of Law Offices by Wednesday, October 11, 1995 by 5:00 p.m.

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**STUDENT NEWS**

Richard Azarnia '95 recently published his essay, "Tort Law in France: A Cultural and Comparative Overview," in the Spring 1995 issue of the Wisconsin International Law Journal.

Third-year student Lee Ferron and second-year student Ludy Aguada played major roles recently in the trial of a major age and disability discrimination case before the Illinois Human Rights Commission. Lee, who holds a Supreme Court Rule 711 license, made her trial debut by second-chairing the trial and cross-examining a witness and both she and Ludy were invaluable to Prof. Richard Gonzalez throughout trial preparation and trial. Congratulations to both for their great work.

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## SPECIAL NOTICES

### To Professor Stewart's Advisees

I hope you'll be able to join me on Wednesday, October 11 at 5:00 p.m. in Room C35 for cookies, soda and a free-wheeling discussion of how to survive the first semester of the first year of law school. I'm looking forward to meeting all of you. In the meantime, if you'd like to drop by my office and introduce yourself, the number is 833. Advisees are: John Bretscher, Brent Boyd, Heidi Christensen, Robert Dixon, Lillian Johnston, Eric Karell, Rattan Nath, Timothy O'Brien, Richard Rosenstiel, Michael Weisman, Joji Baniqued, Frederick Barnhart, Carolyn Sperl, Oman Abuzir and Mary Baker.

### Writing Competitions

The Georgetown University Law Center Space Group has issued a call for student papers. The topic is space law. The award is \$1,500 for the best paper. The deadline is November 1, 1995.

The Roscoe Pound Foundation has announced its annual Environmental Law Essay Contest. Specific topics are available. The awards are \$3,000 and a trip to Boston to attend the awards dinner, \$2,000 and \$1,000. The deadline for intent to enter forms for fall classes is December 15, 1995; the deadline for spring classes is February 16, 1996.

The ABA Forum on the Construction Industry is sponsoring a writing competition on any topic related to construction industry law. Prizes of \$1,500 and \$750 will be awarded to the first and second place winners. The deadline is December 29, 1995.

The Federal Taxation Committee of the Chicago Bar Association is sponsoring an essay contest. The winning entry will receive \$250 and the topics can be found in room 320. The deadline is January 7, 1996.

The American Prepaid Legal Services Institute has announced its Essay Contest. They will award prizes of \$2,500, \$1,500 and \$500 to the best essays. The question to be answered is: How do group and prepaid legal service plans improve access to justice? The deadline is January 15, 1996.

The John Marshall Law School's Center for Intellectual Property Law is sponsoring the 13th Annual Gerald Rose Memorial Competition. The topic is any aspect of Intellectual Property Law and the award for best paper is \$1,000. The deadline is January 15, 1996.

The Roscoe Pound Foundation has announced the Elaine Osborne Jacobson Award for the Working Women in Health Care Law. The Awards are \$2,000 and \$1000. The deadline is January 19, 1996.

The American Indian Law Review has announced its writing competition. The topic is any issue concerning American Indian Law. Awards are \$1,000, \$500 and \$250. The deadline is January 31, 1996.

The American College of Legal Medicine is sponsoring the Letourneau Award for the outstanding paper on Legal Medicine. The award is \$1,000 and the deadline is February 1, 1996.

The Catholic University of America has announced the Communications Law Writing Contest. Open to second- and third-year law students, the two best papers will receive awards of \$1,000 and \$300. The deadline is February 15, 1996.

The American Association of Attorney-Certified Public Accountants Foundation has announced a writing contest. The topic is "The Usage of Accounting Terminology in Legal Documents." The grand prize is \$2,500 and the deadline is March 1, 1996.

The Federal Circuit Bar Association has announced the George Hutchinson Writing Competition. The topic is any that lies within the procedure, substance or scope of the jurisdiction of the Federal Circuit Court of Appeals. The best entry will receive \$2,000 and the deadline is June 1, 1996.

Brand Names Education Foundation is sponsoring the Ladas Memorial Award. The subject of the paper is to be trademark law or a matter that directly relates to or affects trademarks. The winning paper is awarded \$4,000 cash and financial support up to \$1,000 for the recipient's attendance at an educational program sponsored by Brand Names Education Foundation. The deadline for papers to be submitted is November 15, 1995.

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

### LEXIS/NEXIS

LEXIS/NEXIS Student Representative office hours for the upcoming week are as follows:

Monday:	9:00 - 10:30	Karin Kiyabu	Thursday:	8:00 - 10:30	David Stone
	10:30 - 11:30	David Stone*		6:00 - 8:00	Kevin Csink
	12:00 - 4:00	Karin Kiyabu	Friday:	1:00 - 4:00	Kevin Csink
	5:00 - 7:00	David Stone			

\*denotes office hours in the Career Services Office

During office hours, the LEXIS Rep is located in Room 700 (the large 7th floor Computer Lab inside the Law Library) or at the tables directly outside the lab. If you have any questions regarding LEXIS/NEXIS services, you may e-mail them at any time at "LEXISQ" on Kentnet or call 1-800-45-LEXIS.

**GET CONNECTED!** Pick up your copy of the LEXIS ON-LINE CONNECTION today! The LEXIS On-Line Connection integrates your Word Processing program with the LEXIS/NEXIS on-line software, allowing you to run both at the SAME time! Ask for your copy of the Windows version of the LEXIS home access software at the reference desk in the Information Center and get connected. It's free, and it's available NOW! Get your copy today!

**THIS WEEK'S LEXIS QUICK TIP: LEXIS DAY: Tuesday, October 10, 1995 .** LEXIS/NEXIS is proud to announce LEXIS DAY AT CHICAGO-KENT. Your LEXIS Student Representatives have organized a day full of activities and information-packed excitement to introduce you to all of the new and exciting features that LEXIS has to offer!

This year we are raffling off two copies of the Law Student Office program. This incredible new program is what you have been hearing about all semester. In addition to the raffle, be sure to stop by and pick up your personal copy of the LEXIS home access software including the new and exciting LEXIS ON LINE CONNECTION. We will also be distributing Emanuels and other literature on LEXIS features.

## National Asian Pacific American Bar Association Law Foundation Scholarships

The NAPABA Law Foundation, an affiliate of the National Asian Pacific American Bar Association, is pleased to announce the NAPABA Law Foundation Scholarships competition for the 1995-96 academic year.

The purpose of this nationwide scholarship program is to recognize and encourage those outstanding law students who demonstrate a commitment to serving the needs of the Asian Pacific American community in their future legal careers. The Foundation intends to make scholarship awards in the amount of \$1,000 or more.

The factors that the Foundation may consider in awarding these scholarships include, but are not limited to:

1. the applicant's demonstrated commitment to and interest in pro bono and/or public interest legal work;
2. the applicant's financial need;
3. the applicant's leadership potential;
4. the applicant's maturity and responsibility;
5. the applicant's commitment to serving the needs of the Asian Pacific American community.

Students wishing to be considered for this scholarship should pick up the lengthy application form in the Office of Admissions and Financial Aid, Suite 230. The scholarship application process includes the scholarship application form, an essay (not to exceed 500 words), a copy of your most recent law school transcript, your resume, two letters of recommendation (from persons not related to you), and a copy of your application to your law school for financial assistance (optional). All materials should be mailed to The NAPABA Law Foundation, 901 Fifteenth Street, N.W., Suite 410, Washington, DC 20005-2301, and must be postmarked no later than October 7, 1995.

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## ORGANIZATIONS

### Student Bar Association

It was good to see everyone at the Happy Hour. We hope you all had a chance to relax and socialize. It was a bit of stress release for the 1L's. We wish you luck on the next paper (due today).

Don't forget that elections take place next week Monday and Tuesday in the second floor SPAK. Reps for the following positions will be chosen: 2 first yr. reps. from each SECTION (1,2,3 & eve.); 1 second yr. rep; 1 third yr. rep. Be sure to vote between 9am and 7pm. A copy of each candidate's statement will be available on Wednesday near where the Record is located. **Good luck to all candidates!**

Be sure to stop in and hear **Representative Flanagan speak in our auditorium on Thursday. He'll be here from 3:45 till about 4:30.** Let's have a good turnout to show our guest that Kent students are interested in what's happening. Information about Rep. Flanagan is posted on the SBA bulletin board. Also, there will be refreshments afterwards for those who attend.

The next speaker event is planned for either November 2 or 9, from 4 to 6 pm. (depending on the availability of our speakers) Our topic will be "Civil Rights - Past, Present, Future" "Where have we been and where are we

going?" We have a panel of speakers lined up who will discuss pertinent civil rights issues and explore how civil rights affect our international as well as national dealings. A firm date for this event will be in the next Record.

The SBA is planning a **Halloween Party** for our October Happy Hour. Costumes are optional, however, we may be awarding prizes for costumes. The scheduled date is Oct 26. More to come on this in the next Record. **\*\*\*Faculty, you are invited to every SBA function. Come join us!\*\*\***

Finally, the next SBA meeting is scheduled for Wednesday October 11 at 5:15 pm. Newly elected reps should plan to attend. The room will be announced next week.

### **American Bar Association**

GENERAL MEETING ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11 at 3:00 p.m. in room 170!! Come and learn more about the ABA, member benefits and share your ideas about Chapter programming. Applications and Info are available on the Concourse level.

E-mail RISMAIL with any questions.

### **Amnesty International**

Amnesty International presents "Women's Rights as Human Rights," a forum on women's issues in international human rights law. Topics will include the recent UN Beijing Conference, gender as a basis for asylum and human rights issues in Bosnia. The event will be held Thursday, October 12, 1995 from 3:30 to 5:45 in room 570. Please join us!!

AI will also host a human rights information table in the Spak on Monday, October 2 from 12 - 5:30. Our current human rights campaigns target abuses in Bosnia, Egypt and Central America. We will also have information on the formation of the International Criminal Court. Come by and find out what you can do to stop human rights abuses worldwide!!

### **Animal Rights Law Society**

Check out our bake sale on Monday in the Spak.

The Animal Legal Defense fund announced its Eleanor Seiling Legal Clerkship for the Summer of 1996. ALDF is a national non-profit public interest law organization dedicated to protecting animals and establishing their legal rights through litigation. Since 1981, ALDF has won precedent setting victories to expand legal protections for animals in research labs, on farms, companion animals and wildlife. This is a 10-week internship in Rockville, Maryland open to second year law students only. The salary is \$3,500. For further information, e-mail CBURKE.

GOOD NEWS: Congress, with a 78 to 18 vote in the Senate, recently ended a two million dollar a year subsidy to the mink industry. The money was being used to promote fashion shows abroad.

Quote for the week: "Our task must be to free ourselves by widening our circle of compassion to embrace all living creatures and the whole of nature in its beauty." - Albert Einstein (1879-1955)

## **Commentator**

ATTENTION!!!!

The Highly Anticipated First Issue of The Commentator has now arrived!! Pick up your free copy either on the concourse, second floor cafeteria or the fifth floor student lounge. We encourage people's comments by submitting a letter to the editor. Either drop it in The Commentator's mailbox on the second floor, or e-mail KARTZ.

## **Corporate Law Society**

Ever wonder what corporate lawyers actually do? Want to know more about Corporate Law? Come to the **Corporate Law Society Luncheon Series** featuring Linscott Hanson of Di Monte, Schostok & Lizak. Bring your lunch and join us at 11:45 am on Tuesday, October 3 in room 270. E-mail Marie Quinn (MQUINN), Linda Chen (LCHEN), or Tad Huntington (HHUNTING) if you have any questions.

## **Intellectual Property Law Society**

We will be having our first meeting on Monday, October 2 at 4:00 in room C40. The meeting will include a general overview of what the Intellectual Property Law Society is about, as well as discussions of upcoming events, fundraising activities, and what's new in the world of Intellectual Property. Watch for more details about the location in next week's Record or on e-mail.

Also, if you have not received any e-mails concerning IPLS and would like to be put on the mailing list, please e-mail Scott Smilie (SSMILIE).

## **International Law Society**

REMINDER:

The Annual International Fall Congress at DePaul University, October 18-22, is FREE to all ILS members. If you did not fill out a registration form at last week's meeting, please stop by the ILS student office - room C76 and do so as soon as possible.

Note to returning members - please remember that you will need to pay your membership dues (still only \$10). Your membership dues will allow you to continue your ILS benefits including the Fall Congress.

The first ILS speaker event is in cooperation with Amnesty International. The event is titled "Women's Rights as Human Rights" on October 12 at 3:30 pm - 5:45 pm in room 570. A complimentary cocktail reception will follow. The speakers include Cache Wood, who has recently returned from the UN Beijing Women's Conference, and will give us insight into the issues discussed at the conference as well as women's development in the third world nations. Other speakers will also be discussing various international and human rights issues. We are anticipating a large turn out for this event as it will address some very important issues that are in the forefront of today's news. We look forward to seeing all ILS members!

Also, we look forward to seeing all ILS members at the symposium on Public Policy and Global Technological Integration sponsored by Chicago Kent on Oct. 6 and 7. This is an excellent opportunity for all Kent students interested in the various ways technology is reshaping the Global Trading System. The symposium will feature many experts from all over the world to discuss and examine the problems and policies of technological integration.

The symposium is FREE to all Kent students and lunch is only \$5.00 for all students who are registered for the symposium.

If you are interested in International Law or would like further information about our organization or events, please E-mail either NSINGH or CBROWN.

### **International Moot Court Honor Society/Space Law**

The International Moot Court Society will hold an informational meeting Friday, October 6 from 12:00 - 1:00 p.m., in room C35 on the possibility of entering an international space law moot court competition. Interested 2Ls and 3Ls should attend.

### **Kent Association of Trial Lawyers of America (KATLA)**

Our next general meeting will be **Wednesday, October 11 at 3:00 P.M.** For those of you who can't make that time, particularly our night student members, we will also be meeting on **Thursday October 12 at 5:15 P.M.** One of the things we will be doing is addressing envelopes to ATLA attorneys so that we can get our letter-writing campaign for mentors underway.

It's never too late to get involved in KATLA. Applications are on the bulletin board on the Concourse and can be dropped in KATLA's mailbox #239.

We also have openings for Parliamentarian and Vice-President, which we will be electing at our next meeting. We are still accepting nominations. This is a good way to get involved in KATLA. If you have any questions or are interested in running for one of the positions, e-mail **CDEUTSCH**.

### **Phi Alpha Delta**

ATTENTION 1Ls...come to the Brown Bag Seminar about OUTLINING. This will help you get a head start with your substantive classes. The Seminar will be held on **TUESDAY OCTOBER 3 at 12:00 noon** in room C20. E-mail **SREWERTS** with questions.

Congratulations to our New Initiates ... if you couldn't make it or are still interested in joining PAD, our next initiation is scheduled for **November 9 at 6:00** in the Courtroom, so mark your calendars now!

PAD night at the Brew & View .. only \$1 or one canned good for PAD members and \$3 or 3 canned goods for non-PADs. Join us on **October 12** for a night of beer and movies and help a worthy cause!

Mark your calendars for the Annual PAD Halloween Party on **OCTOBER 31** ... it will be **FREE** for PAD members and \$10 for non-PADs.

LRE - Legal Related Education is a program where Kent students go into area schools to teach about the law. Lesson plans are already structured and we are looking for enthusiastic students to help us teach these students more about the law. E-mail **SKANDELMA** with questions.

Questions/Ideas? E-mail **RISMAIL, BROSENBL, ASINIBAL, LHEISLER, JGUBKIN**



## **Sports & Entertainment Law Society**

Thanks to everyone who came out and saw Ray Asher. He gave a fantastic lecture about representing athletes. For those of you who missed it, look for a synopsis of his speech in the next Counsel. In other news, SELS has another speaker scheduled for Tuesday October 10. She is one of the lawyers for Playboy magazine. More details will follow soon.

Also, we are still trying to get our committees off and running. Look for another e-mail soon. Any scheduled meeting will certainly be after the upcoming holidays. I hope that everyone enjoys them.

## **Students United for the Public Interest (SUPI)**

Reminder: The SUPI general meeting is rescheduled for tomorrow, Tuesday October 3 at 11:45 (for day students) and Thursday October 5 at 5:00 (for evening students) in room C25. Of course anybody can attend either meeting to best fit your schedule. We apologize for the mix-up with the last scheduled meeting.

At the meeting, we will discuss the upcoming Annual SUPI Spaghetti Dinner (October 18), the Public Interest Job Forum Program (October 24), and the First Year Representative Election. The date of elections will be decided at the meeting.

Also, if anyone has any questions or an interest in attending the NAPIL Conference in D. C., to be held October 20-22, please e-mail RSHAPIRO or let us know at the meeting.

See you at the meeting! If you cannot be there, please e-mail SDOHERTY.

## **Women in Law**

Try to attend these programs:

- October 5 - Ethics Forum
- October 12 - Women's Rights as Human Rights
- October 17 - Interviewing - Special Concerns of Women - Luncheon Meeting.

**CHICAGO-KENT CORPORATE LAW SOCIETY  
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