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CHARLES GREEN LECTURE

Jon Bing, a leading Norwegian scholar in the field of computers and the law, will present the Third Annual Charles Green Lecture in Law and Technology at noon on Tuesday, Sept. 25, in Room 101. Students, faculty and staff are invited to attend.

Immediately preceding the lecture, an open reception will be held from 11 a.m. to noon in the rear lobby outside Room 101. All students are invited to attend the reception.

Professor Bing's topic, "The Problem of Finding a Precedent: Analogy and Artificial Intelligence," will raise issues about computers, robot lawyers, the European legal union of 1992 and legal philosophy. He will compare civil law and common law approaches to legal reasoning in the context of computer models of the law. Special focus will be placed on the use of computers to find and apply prior cases to new legal problems. He will describe the research at the Norwegian Research Center for Computers and Law using computers to store information about cases as a group of attributes. He also will address the implications of artificial intelligence to reasoning by analogy in the areas of comparative law and jurisprudence.

A professor of law at the University of Oslo, Bing co-founded the Norwegian Research Center for Computers and Law at the university in 1970. In 1984, he was awarded a chair in "legal informatics" by the Norwegian parliament. His work has emphasized issues of data protection, legal protection of computer programs, data bases and integrated circuits, and telecommunications law. He has written and co-written

numerous books on legal information and decision systems.

ADVISEE MEETINGS

Associate Dean Chapman's Advisees

Associate Dean Chapman's advisee meeting has been rescheduled to 1 p.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 25.

Professor Abbott's Advisees

Professor Abbott would like to meet with his advisees at 4 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 2, in Room 204.

Professor Bernstein's and Professor Lindgren's First-Year Advisees

Professors Lindgren and Bernstein invite their first-year advisees to a meeting at 4 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 27, in Room 304. Refreshments will be served. The following students are invited:

Antman, G.	Hemeway, D.
Austin, E.	Hester, T.
Bohman, J.	Keating, M.
Brody, J.	Lippe, M.
Burns, G.	Luber, M.
Buttall, C.	Magnes, C.
Callahan, R.	McMahon, M.
Carlson, P.	Miller, T.
Chiaro, W.	Miller, L.
Cliffer, N.	Nahmod, J.
Doddy, P.	Perry, K.
Edverson, J.	Potter, J.

Fisher, M.	Primeau, J.
Fojtik, K.	Rappin, H.
Freeman, M.	Reinhardt, S.
Griffith, M.	Rogoff, S.
Grossman, K.	Rothschild, M.
Harris, S.	Schwartz, S.
	Tubbs, K.

Mary Blake	Randall Hultgren
Mark Brown	John Johnson
Scott Bugay	Alison Lupel
Anthony Coco	Laura Lynn
Todd Fox	Aaron Plotnick
Jeannine Gilleran	Kevin Schulman
Andrew Greenwald	Tony Valevicius
Allan Hosack	Arthur Wilhelmi

If you cannot attend, please inform Thelma Fountain by electronic mail (PROFNET/TFOUNTAL).

If you cannot attend, please inform Bill Morse by electronic mail (PROFNET/BMORSE).

Professor Deutsch's Advisees

Professor Deutsch would like to meet with his advisees at 5 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 27, in Room 630.

Professor Kadish's Advisees

Professor Kadish would like to meet with his advisees at 7:45 p.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 25, in the student area in the Law Offices, Room 601. Please plan to attend.

Professor Malin's Advisees

Professor Martin Malin wishes to meet with his first-year student advisees at 4:15 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 2, in Room 303. Refreshments will be served. Professor Malin's advisees are:

Eric Barta	Slava Rozhko
Diane Dallianis	Melissa Shaw
C. Dohnalek	M. Suffoletta
Donald Franz	Maria Tabata
Eric Gallender	Lydia Tate
Kurt LeVitas	Robert Traul
Howard Metz	Audrey Wade
Henry Persons	Valeri Walker
Kwane Raol	Milton Walp

Professor Rudstein's Advisees

Professor Rudstein will meet with his first-year advisees at 4 p.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 25, in Room 303.

Professor Wright's Advisees

Professor Wright invites his first-year advisees to a discussion of law school and life on Tuesday, Oct. 9, in Room 303. Light refreshments will be served. Professor Wright's advisees are:

FACULTY NEWS

Phillip Hablutzel has been appointed to the governing council of the Illinois State Bar Association's Section of Commercial, Banking and Bankruptcy Law for 1990-91. At the council's meeting in St. Louis on Sept. 7, he made a presentation on the adoptions of limited liability company statutes in Wyoming, Florida, Colorado, Kansas and Indiana, and reviewed the progress of legislative efforts to adopt such a statute in Illinois.

March Kadish and **Richard Kling** participated as professors/reporters for the recent Illinois Judicial Conference. The annual meeting for all circuit, appellate and supreme court judges took place in Chicago in late August. Professors Kadish and Kling produced the written materials and the scenarios for the Committee on The Conduct of a Jury Trial.

Martin Malin's law review article, "Affirmative Action Issues and the Role of External Law in Labor Arbitration," was recently published in 20 Seton Hall Law Review 745.

Richard Wright spent the past academic year as the Leroy Jeffers Centennial Visiting Professor at the University of Texas at Austin School of Law. Last spring, he participated in the Symposium on Scientific and Legal Perspectives on Causation sponsored by the American Bar Association (ABA) and Johns Hopkins University, and he made a presentation on "Toxic Exposure and Corrective Justice" at the annual meeting of the Central Division of the American Philosophical Association.

Over the summer, Professor Wright was elected a member of the American Law Institute (ALI) and was appointed to the newly formed Academic "Think Tank" Subcommittee of the Products, General Liability and

Consumer Law Committee of the American Bar Association's Tort and Insurance Practice Section. On Sept. 6-8, he participated in the ALI Members' Consultative Group review of Preliminary Draft Number 3 of the Final Report of the Project on Compensation and Liability for Product and Process Injuries.

FROM THE REGISTRAR

Office Hours

During the week of Sept. 24 through the week of Oct. 29, the Registrar's Office will be open until 6 p.m. on Wednesdays only. We will again be open until 6 p.m. on both Wednesdays and Thursdays beginning the week of Nov. 5. Please call ext. 5009 if you require assistance.

Loan Checks

Loan checks are available to be picked up in the Registrar's Office, Room 306. We can hold loan checks for only 30 days. Any checks still in our possession at the end of the 30-day period must be returned to the drawee bank and the loan canceled.

Student Insurance

All full-time day division students must have health insurance coverage. IIT offers very basic insurance coverage for \$149 per year, payable in two equal installments. You will be automatically billed for the student insurance if you want the plan, and no response is required. If you choose to decline the insurance, your declination must be received by the Bursar's Office no later than Friday, Sept. 28. Declination forms are available in the College Office, Room 301.

Evening students also may be covered by the plan if they desire. However, evening students are not automatically charged; you must sign up for the plan. Applications are available in the College Office. If you have been given permission to take more than 11 hours, you will be charged for the insurance automatically. If you do not want the insurance, you must fill out the declination form and return it by the deadline stated above.

FROM ASSOCIATE DEAN CHAPMAN

Student Class Awards

Student Class Award winners who were unable to attend the Student Awards Luncheon on Tuesday, Sept. 11, may pick up their award certificates in Dean Chapman's office, Room 305.

Class Cancellation

All classes scheduled to begin at 11:45 a.m. or later will be canceled on Friday, Oct. 26, due to IIT's centennial convocation and inauguration of Lewis Collens as president of the university, which will be held that afternoon on Main Campus. Additional information on the centennial convocation and inauguration program will be announced in the near future.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Arbitration Day

Chicago-Kent is one of several institutions joining with the American Arbitration Association (AAA) to co-sponsor AAA's annual Arbitration Day program on Oct. 3. The event will feature concurrent morning sessions on alternative dispute resolution in labor, construction, family law and securities regulation. The program will conclude with a luncheon and an address by Leonard Amari, immediate past president of the Illinois State Bar Association, on "The Bar Associations and ADR: The Current Agenda and Goals." The student registration fee of \$30, which includes all program materials and lunch, is a substantial discount over the regular registration fee of \$90. For more information, call AAA at 312-346-2282 or pick up a brochure on the second floor. Lunch will be served at 12:45 p.m., not 2:45 p.m. as the brochure states.

CAREER SERVICES NEWS

Workshops and Programs

1. **ENVIRONMENTAL LAW** -- Noon on Tuesday, Oct. 2, Room 314. Interested in environmental law? Hear what Chicago-Kent alums practicing environmental law have to say about their work. Learn what issues they deal with in their practices and

what a typical day is like for them. Guest speakers will be Ken Fenner, Clean Water Act program manager with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency; Joseph Messer of Rudnick & Wolfe; and John Watson of Gardner, Carton & Douglas.

2. TAPPING THE SMALL and MID-SIZED LAW FIRM MARKETPLACE -- Noon on Tuesday, Oct. 9, Room 314. Although large firms make up the portion of the legal sector with the most visible recruitment programs, they represent only a small portion of the entire legal marketplace. Hear what Chicago-Kent alumni who are working in small and mid-size firms in the city have to say about their practices, how they landed their positions and what life is like in a "smaller" environment. Speakers will include Jean Templeton of James D. Montgomery & Associates; Joan Eagle of Schwartz & Freeman; Randall Gold of Lawrence, Kamin, Saunders & Uhlenhop; and Richard Rogich of Robert A. Clifford & Associates.

3. SO YOU WANT TO BE A LITIGATOR? Then find out what it's all about at noon on Tuesday, Oct. 23, Room 314. Alumnus Steven Nieslawski of Phelan, Pope & John; Richard Beuke of Kogut & Beuke; Nancy Paridy of Rooks, Pitts & Poust; and Ariel Schaffner of the Illinois Attorney General's Consumer Protection Division will share their personal stories about what it's like to be a litigator. Don't miss this opportunity to learn what a litigation practice is all about and what you should do to prepare for a career in this area.

Fall On-Campus Interview Program Additional Recruits

Attention all Fall On-Campus Interview Program participants!!! Several additional employers have signed up for on-campus interviews. Students interested in interviewing with these employers must submit resumes to the Career Services Office by the deadlines stated below:

LINDQUIST & VENNUM, Minneapolis, Minn. Interview date: Tuesday, Oct. 2; interviewing second-year students ONLY. Firm info-practice areas include litigation, corporate, banking, bankruptcy, environmental, estate planning and real estate. Hiring criteria: Upper 25 percent of class, law review/moot court preferred. Submit resumes to Career Services Office by Wednesday, Sept. 26 at NOON.

WISCONSIN PUBLIC DEFENDER'S OFFICE, Madison, Wis. Interview date: Oct. 25; interviewing third-year students ONLY. Criminal clinic or other relevant

experience preferred. Submit resumes to Career Services Office by Oct. 8.

Cook County Bar Association Seventh Annual Minority Law Student Job Fair - Oct. 13

The Cook County Bar Association will sponsor this year's Minority Job Fair at Northwestern University School of Law on Oct. 13. Last year, the Job Fair attracted some 50 employers and more than 150 students. Information about this year's employers along with student registration forms is available in the Career Services Office. Interested students should pick it up immediately. All forms and resumes are due in the Career Services Office no later than Sept. 28.

Department of Justice: Attorney General's Honors Graduate and Summer Intern Programs

The U.S. Department of Justice will hold regional interviews at Northwestern University School of Law on Thursday and Friday, Nov. 1 and 2. The Honors Program is the sole vehicle through which graduating law students may be hired by the Justice Department. The department also hires second-year students through its Summer Intern Program. For detailed information about these programs, as well as application procedures, pick up the Justice Department Brochure in the Career Services Office. **Interested students must forward their applications to Washington, D.C. by Sept. 28. This deadline is strictly adhered to by the Justice Department.**

Third Annual NALP/NAPIL Public Interest Law Career Fair

The Third Annual NALP/NAPIL Public Interest Law Career Fair will be held at the Washington Court Hotel in Washington, D.C., on Friday, Oct. 19. The fair will consist of information tables, interviewing and a series of panel discussions on public interest issues. The fair is held in conjunction with the Sixth Annual NAPIL Student Public Interest Law Conference on Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 20 and 21, at Georgetown University Law Center. More than 100 employers have already registered for the Oct. 19 job fair. Information pertaining to the fair and participating employers is now available in the Career Services Office. Please note that individuals wishing to reserve a room at Washington Court Hotel at a discounted rate of \$95 (single or double), must make reservations by Oct. 1.

Skadden, Arps Public Interest Fellowships

The law firm of Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom annually grants 25 fellowships to graduating law students and outgoing judicial clerks, enabling those fellows to spend a year as staff attorneys for public interest organizations. Students interested in applying for a fellowship must first obtain a commitment for employment from a sponsoring public interest organization. Deadline for application for 1991 Fellowships is Oct. 15. Application forms are available in the Career Services Office.

Department of Defense General Counsel Legal Internship Program

The Office of the General Counsel in the U.S. Department of Defense is accepting applications from interested first- and second-year students for its 1991 Summer Legal Internship Program. The Office of the General Counsel is responsible for advising high-level policy makers in the Office of the Secretary of Defense and works closely with senior attorneys and policy makers from the military departments and with officials from the Departments of Justice, State, the Treasury and other government agencies. For more information and application procedures, pick up Handout #9 in the Career Services Office. Please note that there is a Nov. 12 deadline for submitting applications.

Legal Assistance Foundation of Chicago Staff Attorney Positions

The Legal Assistance Foundation of Chicago is seeking 1991 law graduates for staff attorney positions. LAFC is the federally funded legal services program in Chicago and provides legal representation for poor persons in civil cases. LAFC has approximately 85 attorneys, 40 paralegals, 25 law students and many other support personnel working in six neighborhood offices or in one of LAFC's special projects or specialty units. Further information about LAFC is available in the Direct Contact Employer Books on the bookshelves in the Career Services Office. All applications from 1991 law graduates must be received by LAFC by Nov. 15.

Department of Commerce, Patent & Trademark Office Entry Level Attorney Position

The U.S. Trademark Office is currently looking to fill a number of entry level trademark attorney positions in its expanding Trademark Examining Operation in 1991. These are not patent attorney positions and do not require a technical background. Strong research and writing skills are desired. Graduating third-year students who are interested in such a position should apply by submitting a resume, a completed federal SF-171 form and an unofficial transcript directly to the Trademark Office Personnel Office in Washington, D.C. For more information, see Handout #12 in the Career Services Office.

Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press Legal Fellowship and Internship Programs

The Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press is a voluntary, unincorporated association of reporters and editors dedicated to protecting the First Amendment interests of the news media. From its Washington, D.C. office, the Reporters Committee staff provides free legal defense and research services to journalists and their attorneys throughout the United States. The committee will offer two one-year fellowship positions for recent law grads beginning in September 1991. Strong research and writing skills are required, and a background in journalism is preferred. The committee is also accepting applications for its one-semester legal internship. Students serving an internship would work on freedom of information issues. For more details about these programs and application deadlines, pick-up Handout #11 in the Career Services Office.

American Agricultural Law Association 11th Annual Meeting and Job Fair

The American Agricultural Law Association will sponsor its 11th Annual Conference and Job Fair in Minneapolis, Minn., on Oct. 5-6. Participation in the Job Fair requires neither association with nor membership in the AALA. Interested students should forward resumes to the Job Fair Coordinator. Further information is available in the Career Services Office as Handout #10.

Externships for U.S. Attorney, Northern District of Illinois

All third-year students who are interested in externing with the U.S. Attorney's Office for the Northern District of Illinois should pick up applications from Professor Vivien Gross in Room 612. The primary goals of this externship are to provide the extern with the greater possible exposure to and participation in federal trial and appellate practice and to assist the office in handling its multitude of important cases. **Completed applications must be received at the U.S. Attorney's Office by Monday, Oct. 1.**

To receive law school credit for this externship, you must also be accepted into the law school's **Advanced Externship Program**. Professor Gross will explain the procedures to you when you pick up your application for the U.S. Attorney. The law school externship application will be available in mid-October from Professor Gross.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Hellenic Bar Association Scholarships

The Hellenic Bar Association of Illinois will award at least two scholarships of \$2,000 each to deserving law students of Hellenic descent. The awards will be presented at the Annual President's Scholarship Ball to be held on Oct. 27 at the Ambassador West Hotel. Applications are available from the Admissions Office, Room 307, and must be completed and received by the Chair of the Hellenic Scholarship Committee no later than Sept. 25.

Mexican American Lawyers Scholarship Fund

The Mexican American Lawyers Scholarship Fund (MALSF) seeks applicants for a \$1,000 scholarship to be awarded to a deserving first-year law student of Hispanic descent. All applicants must meet the following criteria:

1. Must have one parent or guardian of Hispanic ancestry.
2. Must be a first-year student enrolled on a full-time basis.
3. Must not be related to a trustee or officer of MALSF.

Students wishing to be considered for this scholarship should pick up the rather lengthy application form in the Admissions Office, Room 307. Please note that the scholarship application must be fully completed and delivered to MALSF on or before Sept. 29.

Alumni Association Loans and Scholarships Available

The Chicago-Kent Alumni Association is accepting applications from continuing students for a limited number of low-interest, long-term loans as well as for outright scholarship support. Students wishing to be considered should submit a one-page letter of application along with a loan/scholarship application form (available from the Admissions Office) to Assistant Dean Nancy Herman, Admissions Office, Room 307, no later than Oct. 31. Recipients will be selected by an Alumni Association committee on the basis of your letter of application, financial need, law school and/or community activities and academic performance.

STUDENT WRITING CONTESTS

The Federation of Insurance and Corporate Counsel Foundation

The Federation of Insurance and Corporate Counsel Foundation is pleased to announce its 17th Annual Student Essay Contest for 1991.

Prizes: First: \$2,500
Second: \$1,500
Third: \$1,000

The author of any other essay selected for publication in the Federation of Insurance and Corporate Counsel Quarterly will receive \$250.

Eligibility: All law students enrolled in their second or third year at ABA-accredited law schools.

Subject: Any insurance related subject, including trial practice of liability litigation.

Deadline: Essays must be submitted no later than May 1, 1991.

The National Energy Law and Policy Institute

The National Energy Law and Policy Institute is pleased to announce its Energy Law Essay Competition for 1991.

Prizes: \$300 for the author.
\$200 for the school represented by the author.

Eligibility: Only essays prepared between April 1, 1990, and March 31, 1991 will be accepted.

Topic: Any legal subject related to energy, including traditional subjects in oil and gas law; federal/state regulation of natural resources; development of energy resources on state, federal, or private lands; nuclear power; utilities; solar energy; international aspects of energy; or similar topics. Essays need not be restricted to case law.

Deadline: Essays postmarked after April 1, 1991, will not be considered.

The American Journal of Tax Policy

The American Journal of Tax Policy is pleased to announce its 10th Annual Writing Contest.

Prizes: First: \$1000
Second: \$500
Honorable Mention: \$250

Eligibility: Any student enrolled in an American law school.

Deadline: Entries must be postmarked no later than Dec. 31, 1990.

For more information, please contact Pat Rogers in Room 305.

The John Marshall Law School Center in Intellectual Property Law

The John Marshall Law School Center in Intellectual Property Law announces the Eight Annual Gerald Rose Memorial Competition.

Award: \$1,000 for the best paper on intellectual property law.

Eligibility: Papers either unpublished or first published in 1990.

Topic: Any aspect of United States intellectual property law, including but not limited to patent, copyright, trademark, trade secret and unfair competition law.

Deadline: Papers should be submitted by the author or with the author's consent by Jan. 1, 1991.

The National Association of College and University Attorneys

The National Association of College and University Attorneys announces its annual legal writing competition. The award is the Donald L. Reidhaar Prize of \$1,000 and publication in the Journal of College and University Law. Manuscripts must be received no later than May 31, 1991. For more information, please contact Pat Rogers in Room 305.

RESEARCH ASSISTANTS WANTED

Professor Gary Laser is seeking two research assistants to work in the area of civil procedure and/or clinical education. A commitment of at least 10 hours per week is required. Pay or independent research credit is available. Interested students may contact Professor Laser in his office, Room 601, or call him at 567-5050.

Professor James Lindgren is seeking a research assistant to work 5-10 hours a week on existing projects. These include feminist theory, criminal law enforcement, rape, exploitation, seduction, wills, the efficient markets hypothesis and, if we have time, the meaning of life, the universe and everything. Don't panic. A second- or third-year student is preferred. Interested students may place a resume in Professor Lindgren's mailbox in the College Office. Drudges and bores need not apply.

Professor Richard Wright is seeking one or more students to assist him in research on one or more of the following topics: (a) the theoretical foundations of tort liability; (b) empirical studies on the actual operation of the tort and insurance systems; and (c) historical and comparative analyses of tort liability. For more information, come by Professor Wright's office,

Room 315, call him at ext. 5044, or send him an electronic message (PROFNET/RWRIGHT). Interested students should submit a resume to Professor Wright or Bill Morse (Room 334C or E-Mail PROFNET/BMORSE).

JOB OPENINGS

Office of Development and Alumni Relations

TUITION WAIVER FOR AN EVENING DIVISION LAW STUDENT! If you can type 65 words per minute and are looking for a day-time job, this may be your lucky day. The law school's Office of Development and Alumni Relations is looking for a full-time support person to perform word processing, general correspondence, phone work and other office duties. In addition to a salary, the person chosen will receive a waiver of tuition equivalent to nine credit-hours for every semester that they are employed in this position. Interested students should contact Wally Verdooren at 312-567-5766. If you're in the building, you may dial ext. 5766 or stop by Room 322 for an immediate interview.

The Office of Development and Alumni Relations is also looking for someone to do clerical work approximately 5-10 hours per week. Hours are flexible, any time between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. Mondays through Fridays. Pay is \$6.00 per hour. If interested, contact Joann or Sandy at 312-567-5766, or drop by Room 321.

RESOURCES

Wall Street Journal Subscriptions

Students who would like to subscribe to *The Wall Street Journal* at reduced student rates should sign up on the sheet posted on the glass wall outside Room 626. Students may subscribe for 15 weeks (\$21), 26 weeks (\$36) or 52 weeks (\$65), and they will be billed directly by the publisher.

Lexis ID Distribution

There will be a Lexis ID distribution between 4 and 6 p.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 25, in the cafeteria. **All students who have not yet received their ID should plan on coming.** This includes those students for whom we did not have IDs earlier; most of those will

be available at that time. If you have any questions, please contact Martha Niles (MNILES) via e-mail.

Lexis Assistance

Lexis assistance will be available in the Library computer room during the following hours:

Sundays, 1-3 p.m.
Mondays, 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Tuesdays, 12 - 2 p.m.
Wednesdays and Thursdays, 7:30 - 9 p.m.

If any student requires assistance at a time not listed, please contact either Martha Niles (MNILES) or David Barron (DBARRON) by e-mail to arrange a meeting.

Loan Forgiveness

Find out how Chicago-Kent will provide loans to graduates who go into public interest employment to assist in the repayment of their student loans. Attend an informational meeting on Thursday, Sept. 27, at 11:45 a.m. or at 5 p.m. in Room 105. The Loan Repayment Assistance Program is sponsored by Students United for the Public Interest.

COMMUTER RAIL SCHEDULES

Metra has announced tentative changes in schedules for commuter trains on the Milwaukee North Line, which runs from Union Station in Chicago through the northern suburbs to Fox Lake.

The proposed schedule changes could have both positive and adverse effects on students taking evening classes who travel on the Milwaukee North Line. Currently, late evening trains depart on that route from Union Station at 6:55, 8:20 and 10:05 p.m., and 12:25 a.m. Under the proposed schedule, trains would depart at 6:35, 7:35, 8:35 and 10:35 p.m., and 12:26 a.m. While that schedule would allow students who have finished classes by 7:30 p.m. to catch a train earlier than under the current schedule, students who take classes later in the evening might have a longer wait for a train.

The planned implementation date for the new schedule on the Milwaukee North Line is Oct. 29. Comments on the proposed new schedule may be submitted before that date to Metra, Passenger and Information Services, 547 W. Jackson Blvd., Chicago, IL 60606; telephone 312-322-6770.

STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

Christian Legal Society

Is there a "moral law of the universe?" For a discussion on this topic, join the CLS meeting at 11:45 a.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 25, in Room 104. Everyone is welcome to attend, and feel free to bring your lunch.

Commentator

The final deadline for submissions to the October issue of the Commentator is **5 p.m., Friday, Sept. 28**. Submissions should be placed in the submissions folder attached to the door of the Commentator's office.

Several student organizations have already submitted material for the upcoming issue. Don't let your organization be left out! If your organization wishes to regularly print articles or notices in the Commentator, please contact Paul Gerding, editor, immediately via the submissions envelope.

Persons still interested in serving as Editorial Board and editorial staff members are encouraged to contact the Commentator before the final deadline for the Commentator's October issue.

Photographer Needed: The Commentator needs a photographer! All persons who regularly submit serious photographic material will be credited as Commentator staff members. If you would like to submit photos to the Commentator, please contact Paul Gerding, editor, immediately via the submissions envelope.

Graphic Designer Needed: The Commentator needs an artist willing to do a small amount of illustrating for the Commentator's new layout. All work will be credited. Any artist who regularly submits material to the Commentator will be credited as a Commentator staff member. If you would like to contribute artwork to the Commentator, please contact Paul Gerding, editor, immediately via the submissions envelope.

Decalogue Society

The Decalogue Society is sponsoring a deli lunch at noon, on Tuesday, Oct. 2, in Room 645. All recent and past members are invited to enjoy the company of fellow students as well as some of the more charming law professors.

Environmental Law Society

The Recycling and Legislative Action committees will meet at 5 p.m. on Monday, Sept. 24, in Room 105. Any student interested in participating or in learning more about these committees is invited to attend.

The speaker scheduled for Tuesday, Sept. 25, Jack Barnett of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, has been cancelled and will be rescheduled on a later date to be announced.

Attention all ELS members interested in participating in the 1991 Pace University Environmental Law Moot Court Competition: The list of students invited to present a short oral argument will be posted on the ELS bulletin board by Monday, Sept. 24. A sign-up sheet will also be posted to schedule oral arguments beginning on Thursday, Sept. 27. Final team selection, three team members and one alternative, will be posted on the ELS bulletin board on Friday, Sept. 28. This selection process will allow the team members to begin work immediately on the competition problem, which is due by Oct. 1.

For more information, call Cameron Davis, 708-251-0476; Adam Nelson, 312-902-4301; Sheri Bianchin, 815-469-3612; or Andrew Warren, 312-525-4925.

Gay and Lesbian Student Association

The Gay and Lesbian Student Association will meet at 4 p.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 25, in Room 646. Please note that this is a change in time from the meeting originally planned. We will discuss the upcoming speakers events, the employer survey and how first-year students can deal with the pressures of law school. Please plan on attending.

Health Law Society

The Health Law Society will hold its first fall meetings at 11:45 a.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 25, in Room 224 and at 5 p.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 26, in Room 224. At these meetings, we will get acquainted and discuss dates, topics and speakers for future meetings. Pizza and soda will be provided!

Anyone interested in health law issues is invited to attend. Students unable to attend either meeting but who are interested in joining the Health Law Society should contact one of the following: Roxanne Newland, president, locker 6-112; Hilary Karp, vice

president, locker 150C; or Jill Burman, secretary, locker 144.

International Law Society

The society will hold a general meeting at 11:45 a.m. on Thursday, Sept. 27, in Room 203. The main focus of the meeting will be Careers Day. We need to sign up volunteers for preparation. We also encourage anyone who missed the first meeting to come to this one. It's never too late to join ILS. If you're planning on attending the meeting and haven't already paid your dues, bring your checkbook. The amount is \$10 for the year.

ELSA Law Review: The European Law Student's Association is looking for students interested in submitting articles to the association's law review. The topic of the article can be anything of a European legal nature and should be approximately 4,000 to 5,000 words in length. Interested students should pick up a copy of the requirements from the ILS bulletin board outside the cafeteria. If you have any further questions, come to the meeting or contact Cynthia Cervini by leaving a note on the student activities office door or a message on the ILS machine at ext. 5879.

Careers Day: The Fourth Annual Chancellor Kent International Law Society Careers Day is set for Friday, Oct. 26. More information will be posted in the next week, so stay tuned. We will also need some volunteers to help with the mailings. If you are interested, drop your name in that ever popular envelope on the door to Room 226.

National Lawyers Guild

NAPIL Conference in Washington, D.C. Any students interested in attending the NAPIL job fair and conference in Washington, D.C., on Oct. 19-21 should sign up in the Placement Office, Room 202, by Sept. 28. The National Lawyer's Guild will be renting a van and hotel rooms to help offset the cost to students. There is no registration fee to attend only the job fair. The NAPIL conference will cost \$50 for registrations sent in prior to Oct. 1. If anyone wants to attend but cannot come up with the registration fee, special arrangements may be made on a case-by-case basis.

Chicago-Kent Justice Foundation: The Chicago-Kent Justice Foundation was established to provide funding for students interested in doing public interest summer internship over the summer. Based on a students-funding-students concept, the foundation

raised money through the students, faculty and alumni. However, the Chicago-Kent Justice Foundation has not been active for more than five years, and this year we are trying to reactivate it. If you are interested in participating in efforts to reorganize the foundation, please contact Brian Kalata by e-mail (BKALATA) or at locker 137 on the second floor.

Phi Alpha Delta

There will be a mandatory meeting for all committee members at noon on Wednesday, Sept. 26, in Room 203. All other members are also encouraged to attend.

Only a few weeks remain left to join the most active organization on campus. Get your applications in now! You can pick up an application from any PAD officer. Please drop the completed forms in the PAD mailbox in the College Office. If you have any questions about Phi Alpha Delta, feel free to drop us a line in our mailbox and we'll answer all your questions.

Upcoming Events:

October 5-6: This year's District Conference will be held at the Yacht Club in Burham Harbor. The events planned are as follows:

Oct. 5: Cocktail Reception, 5-7:30 p.m.

Oct. 6: A series of workshops will be held throughout the afternoon. Also, the keynote speaker for the conference is James Grogan, general counsel for the Illinois Attorney Registration and Disciplinary Commission.

For more information, please see the PAD bulletin board on the second floor.

October 25: Initiation

New members for the 1990-91 academic year will be initiated in the Ceremonial Court Room of the Dirksen Federal Building. A reception will follow the ceremony.

Student Bar Association

SBA Happy Hour: The SBA will hold a happy hour for all students at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 27, at the Celtic Club. D.J., dancing and free beer will be provided.

SBA Fall Elections: Any first-year day student and any first-year or second-year evening student interested in becoming an SBA representative should pick up a petition in the SBA Office. Each student must obtain 10 signatures and write a short campaign statement. Petitions are due back in the SBA Office no later than Monday, Sept. 24. Elections will be held on Oct. 3 and 4 in the cafeteria between 11:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. and between 5 and 6 p.m. Also, a list of students who will be running, along with their campaign statements will be available in the SBA Office on Sept. 26 or 27.

Booze Cruise: Just sit right back and we'll hear a tale,
 a tale of a fateful trip,
 it started from a Chicago port,
 aboard a tiny ship,
 the mate was a might sailor man,
 the skipper brave and sore,
 Kent passengers set sail that day for
 a three-hour tour,
 a three-hour tour. . .

Who: Students, faculty, staff, friends, Ginger, Marianne, the professor, Gilligan, Skipper. . . .

When: Oct. 12.

Where: Just south of Lake Point Tower (off of Grand Avenue, maps available later).

Cost: A mere \$20 pays for beer, wine, pop, submarine sandwiches, music and dancing, not to mention the boat ride aboard the M/V Chicago.

Ticket Sales: Sept. 24 through Oct. 2, 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. and 5 to 6 p.m. in the cafeteria or while they last.

We sail rain or shine; spacious enclosed accommodations provided below deck.

Great time for all! Come, relax and have a fun time at this casual get-together. It'll be a great chance to get acquainted with other students, faculty and staff as well as spend time with old Chicago-Kent friends.

Ski Trip to Utah: Trip includes seven-night condo stay in Park City, Utah (Jan. 3-10, 1991), round-trip airfare from O'Hare Airport, lift tickets and more for only \$545. For more information, see the posting on the SBA door or contact Donna Weinberg

(DWEINBER) by e-mail. Deadline is Wednesday, Oct. 3.

Student Tax Society

The Student Tax Society invites all students to its first meeting of the semester on Tuesday, Sept. 25, in Room 204 at 12:15 p.m. and again at 5:15 p.m. Professor Gary Laser, director of clinical education (featured in the September 1990 ABA Journal focusing on "Law School in the 90s") will reveal plans for the clinic's new Tax Division and will announce a new course offering in tax practice and procedures.

We invite all new and continuing students as well as faculty members to join us as we plan our 1990-91 agenda and to hear the news regarding opportunities to represent taxpayers before the IRS and in Tax Court.

Women in Law

Several committees will meet this week:

Wednesday, Sept. 26 at 5 p.m. in Room 104:
 Book Collection (developing comparable worth section, sexual harassment section, etc.).

Thursday, Sept. 27, at 5 p.m. in Room 104:
 Constitution and Bylaws.

There will also be a general membership/administrative meeting at 5 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 2, in Room 223. We will discuss what's happening with each committee, upcoming speakers, etc. First-, second- and third-year students are welcome to attend (no membership fees).

FROM THE EDITORS

Starting this week, the "Law School Events Calendar" will run as a regular feature in every issue of The Record. The Calendar will list upcoming events with open attendance that are sponsored by the law school or by official student organizations. As an addition to the items that already run in The Record, the Calendar will serve two purposes for students and their organizations:

First, if your organization is planning an event, the Calendar will help you by providing a quick reference to other events already scheduled at the law school. In this way, it will be easier to avoid conflicts between

activities that otherwise might compete for attendance.

Second, the Calendar will help you, as individuals, to plan ahead to attend your choice of the many informative programs offered by the law school and student organizations. These programs can be important adjuncts to your class work, and I urge you to attend many of them.

To have their events added to the Law School Calendar, sponsors must contact the Office of Administration and Finance in Room 302. After that office makes room assignments, events will be added to the Calendar.

We hope the Calendar will help you to organize your time at the law school more efficiently and productively.

LAW SCHOOL EVENTS CALENDAR

EDITORS NOTE: The Law School Events Calendar lists upcoming events with open attendance that have been officially scheduled. To be scheduled, event sponsors should contact the Office of Administration and Finance in Room 302.

September

25	11 a.m. Noon	"Brunch with Bing," First floor, rear lobby. Green Lecture, Jon Bing, Room 101.
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October

2	11:45 a.m. - 1 p.m.	Career Services program: Environmental Law; Room 314.
3	6-8 p.m.	CLE program: Life Insurance: What Every Lawyer and Accountant Should Know (will continue on Wednesdays through Nov. 7).
3-5		CLE program: 13th Annual Commodities Law Institute, Westin Chicago Hotel, 909 N. Michigan Ave.
9	Noon	Career Services program: Tapping the Small and Mid-Sized Law Firm Marketplace; Room 314.
11	4-8 p.m.	BALSA reception and panel program.
16	11:45 a.m. - 1 p.m.	Career Services program: Government Law Practice; Room 314.
19		CLE program: Sixth Annual Public Sector Labor Relations Law Program.
23	11:45 a.m. - 1 p.m. 5-6 p.m.	Career Services program: So You Want to Be a Litigator? Room 314. Environmental Law Society speaker series; Room 204.
26	Afternoon	IIT Centennial Convocation and Inauguration of President Lewis Collens; Main Campus.
	TBA	International Law Society Careers Day; Location to be announced.
30	11:45 a.m. - 1 p.m. 5-6 p.m.	Career Services orientation for first year students; Rooms 102 and 103. Career Services orientation for first-year students; Room 103.

CENTER FOR LAW AND COMPUTERS

COMPUTER USER NEWS

Law School Nightmare No. 162

You have written the definitive paper. Your research was on target; your logic was flawless. This is an "A" paper. You get your grade -- it's a "D". Somewhere between the flawless logic and the on-target research you forgot to check your grammar.

When writing papers, spell-checking isn't enough. A word can be spelled correctly and still be out of context or the wrong tense. Sentences can be too long and poorly punctuated.

Fortunately, Kentnet has three writing analysis tools - RightWriter, Grammatik and Correct Grammar - which can spot errors like these and offer suggestions for improvement. Each program is designed to analyze writing for conformity to standard rules of grammar, style, usage and punctuation. To access the writing analysis tools, login to Kentnet. At the Main Menu, select **D) Student Productivity Tools**; select **F) Writing Analysis Tools** from the Student Productivity Tools Menu; then select one of the writing analysis programs.

Try them all, then choose the one that "feels" right to you. Remember: use one before turning in any assignment to avoid Law School Nightmare No. 162.

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LAB CLOSINGS

Lab 416

Tuesday, 25 Sept 90, 4-6P

Thursday, 27 Sept 90, 11:30A-1:30P

Thursday, 27 Sept 90, 7:30-9P

Lab 641

Wednesday, 26 Sept 90, 6-8P

**Please use another lab
during these times.**

LEXIS®/NEXIS® and WESTLAW® IDs

Law students at IIT Chicago-Kent can obtain a personal Lexis®/Nexis® and Westlaw® ID (password). Both Mead Data Central and Westlaw have hired Kent students to handle distribution of ID numbers. They can be reached through Kentnet's E-Mail. If you haven't received your ID(s), contact

Martha Niles (MNILES)
for Lexis®/Nexis® ID;

Mary Harris (MHARRIS)
for Westlaw® ID.

MAC Enthusiasts

Join the MAC Users Group. Meetings are held every Thursday at noon in LAB 643.

See you there.

Questions...Questions...Questions...Questions...Questions...

How do I convert Framework documents into WordPerfect documents?

To "EXPORT" a Framework document to WordPerfect

- 1) load the Framework document onto the desktop, then select it;
- 2) open the DISK MENU and select EXPORT
- 3) from the EXPORT Submenu, select F. WordPerfect.

The document is exported to your floppy diskette in WordPerfect format (the document will have the same name as the original Framework document but with a .WP extension). The original Framework document remains unaltered.

Exit Framework as you normally do, then select WordPerfect from the Student Productivity Tools Menu. Once in WordPerfect, retrieve your converted document. You can edit it, select different laser fonts -- treat the document as if it were created originally in WordPerfect.

I've never used E-Mail before. Help!!!!

Here are a few E-Mail basics:

The E-mail "carrier" for Profnet and Kentnet is PostMaster. PostMaster is activated when you login to Kentnet. During the login process, if you have any new mail in your "mailbox", your new mail folder is opened to display its contents. The word .EW is beside any mail that has not been read since your last login.

After you login to Kentnet, PostMaster remains on the job -- monitoring incoming mail. If someone sends you E-Mail while you are working at your computer, an inverse text message bar flashes on the bottom of the screen to alert you to new mail arrivals. You must clear the message to continue working. To clear the message, press the CTRL and ENTER keys simultaneously. To open your mailbox press the ALT and M keys simultaneously.

Once your new mail folder is open, the highlight bar will be on the last message sent to you. To read that message, press the ENTER key. To read the next message in your folder, press the → key; press the ← key to read the previous message.

When reading a message, you can send a reply by pressing the F2 key. The To:, From:, on Server: and Subj: fields are already filled in. Type your message in the message area, then press F10 to send it.

To originate a message, start PostMaster by holding down the ALT key and pressing the M key. Press F1 to bring up a blank message template. Type the login name of the recipient in the To: field. A Profnet (faculty/staff) or Kentnet (student) login name is the first letter of the first name and the first 7 letters of the last name (there are no spaces between first and last name letters). Type in the correct server in the on Server: field, fill in the Subj: field, then type your message. To send the message, press F10.

To exit PostMaster, press the ESC key; it will close any open message (E-mail sent to you); clear a reply or new message from the screen (E-mail you sent); or close the new mail folder and return you to the place you were at before opening your "mailbox".

PostMaster gives many on-screen prompts and messages to guide you through operations. If you need additional help, call the Computer Center Help Line at x6802.

...and ANSWERS (call x6802)