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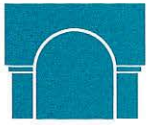
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Dear *Advocate* Reader,

This issue of the *Advocate* looks back at the 1991-1992 academic year at the USD School of Law. The lead articles focus on the two major speakers for the spring semester. A regular feature of the Spring/Summer issue will be two summary listings: one of all the events which have occurred during the year and one of all the faculty publications, addresses and appointments.

The increased size of the Class Action section is a direct result of alumni response to the reunion activities scheduled for Law Alumni Weekend '92. The classes of 1962, 1967, 1972, 1977, 1982 and 1987 all will celebrate anniversaries of their graduation on the weekend of Sept. 18, 19 and 20. Alumni are encouraged to send news (and photos) to be shared with classmates in this section.

Once again, we have enclosed an envelope for you to complete and return with any news or suggestions. We encourage you to keep in touch with the School of Law.

Sincerely,



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Director of Law School Development

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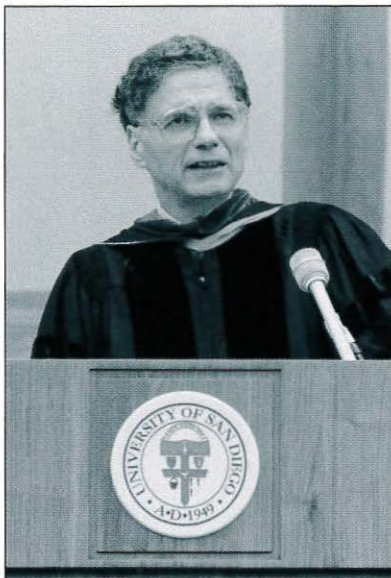
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“Tell them, *I build democracy.*”

By Brian Alexander

*Ralph Nader challenges the
1992 graduating class to
embrace public interest causes.*



*Nader speaks to 300 graduates
and nearly 2,000 family members
and friends.*

Commencement speaker Ralph Nader drew a broad line between “attorneys” and “lawyers” during his May 23 address to USD law graduates and challenged the students entering the profession of law to be lawyers first and attorneys second.

The nation’s most famous consumer advocate told the class of 1992 that “All attorneys should be lawyers. ... It was lawyers that got air bags into American cars that will save one out of five American lives.”

Nader directed his comments to the 300 aspiring lawyers representing the School of Law’s 35th graduating class. His remarks preceded the awarding of degrees by Dean Kristine Strachan, USD President Author E. Hughes and Ernest W. Hahn, chairman of the USD board of trustees.

In the past, Nader asserted in his address, legal education stressed the attorney side of the law. “Curriculum reflected the commercial demands of law firm practice,” Nader recalled, because it focused on business subjects. Times have changed somewhat. Nader pointed to

USD’s Center for Public Interest Law and the Children’s Advocacy Institute, both headed by original “Nader’s Raider” Professor Robert Fellmeth, as examples of “lawyers” at work.

It was lawyers who started the NAACP and the ACLU, Nader reminded the graduates. When called upon, these lawyers “could have said their working day was occupied by being an attorney and that they had no time to be a lawyer.”

There is a direct connection, Nader argued, between the availability of legal representation and the ability of people to lead fulfilling lives. At a time when such representation is in dramatically short supply, lawyers are struggling to bring it to more people.

Nader himself stands as the prime example of his own philosophy. After a stellar academic career at Princeton University’s Wilson School of Public and International Affairs and Harvard Law School, he began practicing in 1959. Just seven years later, he found himself at the center of the storm over General Motors’



Class of '92 graduate Allan Villanueva and his family pose for photos after commencement.

Corvair automobile thanks to his landmark book, "Unsafe at Any Speed." When GM used private investigators in a failed attempt to discredit Nader, his reputation and book sales soared. Since then, he has tackled issues ranging from the environment to insurance reform.

Although Nader acknowledged that his road was a difficult one, he mapped out several ways the graduates could contribute their skills as "lawyers" while working as "attorneys," and he called on law alumni to help the class of 1992 work for social justice.

While law firm work forces new lawyers to "play with a microscope instead of a telescope," Nader described four stages the new graduates could pursue. First, like Nader, they could create a new public interest group. Second, they could join an existing group. If the graduates choose not to devote their careers to public interest causes, they could work after hours in the

public interest. At the very least, Nader said, lawyers could take up opportunities for pro bono work and could enlist senior members of law firms to use their power to help make those opportunities a reality.

"Pick your stage," he urged strongly. "There is no excuse whatever for marginalizing your contribution to justice in the world. ... When someone asks you what you do, tell them, 'I build democracy.'"

In an interview after his speech, Nader insisted that alumni can be especially helpful. Not only can they form public interest groups of their own, as did his 1955 Princeton graduating class, but alumni are in a position to provide new lawyers and students with internships and full-time positions in these groups.

"Law alumni can do it even more effectively (than other organizations) because they are already organized into a group," he said.

Alumni within law firms should create

opportunities for young lawyers to gain public interest experience. Granting fellowships to students and developing criteria for pro bono work are just two ways.

Finally, Nader strongly advised USD to follow the lead of some other law schools that provide debt relief for graduates working in public interest fields. In such programs, principal and interest payments are forgiven during the period the recent graduate works for a public interest group.

Nader concluded his speech with a specific challenge to the class of 1992. "I'd like you to remember the following: that you have to persistently ask yourself questions about your career and what it means to be a lawyer ... keep asking yourself that."

COMMUNITY SERVICE GRANTS -1992

USD School of Law provided funds for 12 students to work for the following organizations this summer:

- AIDS Foundation of San Diego
- Alternate Public Defender
- California Indian Legal Services
- Centro de Asuntos Migrantos
- Domestic Violence Prevention Project
- Environmental Health Coalition
- Legal Aid Society of San Diego
- San Diego Volunteer Lawyers Project
- Senior Citizens Legal Services



The High Court: One Justice's View

By Kate Callen

Sandra Day O'Connor celebrates the work of Oliver Wendell Holmes and gives USD law students a rare and personal glimpse of the Supreme Court.

During an April 9 visit to the USD School of Law that lasted just under 24 hours, Supreme Court Justice Sandra Day O'Connor touched the minds and hearts of hundreds with the breadth of her knowledge and graciousness of her personality.

To a capacity audience of 750 at the 1992 Nathaniel L. Nathanson Memorial Lecture, O'Connor delivered an erudite tribute to Oliver Wendell Holmes that illuminated the complexity of American jurisprudence.

To the first-year law students in Professor Maimon Schwarzschild's civil procedure class, the justice provided a candid behind-the-scenes look at how the nation's highest court conducts its business day to day.

To each of the guests at a post-lecture dinner in her honor, the justice extended personal greetings.

A great many people were enthusiastic about the justice's visit to the USD campus. According to USD School of Law Dean Kristine Strachan, the outpouring of affection and respect was unprecedented in the eight-year history of the Nathanson Memorial Lecture Series.

In her introduction at the lecture, Strachan said, "Nathaniel Nathanson would have been delighted to have our speaker here today to give a lecture that bears his name. He was a liberal in most respects; he was moderate to conservative in some others," the dean observed. "But the qualities of excellence he possessed above all were an open mind and consistently sound judgment. Those qualities also perfectly describe Justice O'Connor."

The Nathanson Lecture, the School of Law's premier annual academic event, was established in 1984 to honor Nathanson, a USD distinguished professor of law (and a one-time U.S. Supreme Court clerk) who devoted his life to the law and legal education.

The inaugural Nathanson Lecture was delivered by a Supreme Court justice, the Honorable John Paul Stevens. Eight years later, the first and only woman to sit on the Supreme Court took the podium for the Nathanson Lecture and focused on the record of one of the Court's most legendary justices.

In her address, entitled "They Often Are Half Obscure: The Rights of the Individual and the Legacy of Oliver Wendell

Justice Sandra Day O'Connor was open and friendly to USD law students. After the lecture, law students Tamela Ridley, Shawn Randolph, Betsy McClutchey and Cheryl Forbes had a rare opportunity to speak candidly with a Supreme Court justice.

Holmes," O'Connor paid homage to the late justice on the 60th anniversary of his retirement from the Supreme Court in 1932. At retirement, he was 91 years old and had served 30 years on the Court.

Holmes is widely heralded as "the chief architect of the application of our Bill of Rights to the states," O'Connor said, and he is best remembered as a powerful champion of freedom of speech and the right to a fair trial.

Less widely celebrated, but equally important, was Holmes' "rigid distinction between law and morality," said O'Connor. She quoted a passage in which Holmes rejected the notion of rights as absolutes: "Nothing but confusion of thought can result from assuming that the rights of man in a moral sense are equally rights in the sense of the Constitution and the law."

As the justice explained it, when and where the Constitution recognized individual rights, Holmes stood firm, most notably in the protection of political dissidence. "Even where speech is repugnant and even where it might well lead to violence somewhere down the road, our Constitution has been held to protect the right of the speaker to be free from the government's interference," she said. "This is a legacy of Justice Holmes that should not be underestimated."

O'Connor also praised Holmes for insisting — and ultimately prevailing — that the Supreme Court should overturn murder convictions that were delivered by terrorized juries and upheld by state courts. "This was a fundamental shift in the Court's understanding of the power of the federal courts to enforce the constitutional rights of accused criminals," O'Connor said. "Holmes' broader view has stayed with us. While the Court has continuously tinkered with the finer points of the scope of *habeas corpus*, the



USD Provost Sister Sally Furay '72 greets Justice O'Connor at the reception following the lecture.

fundamental point Holmes expressed ... has been repeatedly reaffirmed ever since."

But Holmes did not always come down on the side of the individual, O'Connor emphasized. His adherence to the primacy of majority rule was best captured in a written passage cited by O'Connor: "The most fundamental of the supposed pre-existing rights — the right to life — is sacrificed without a scruple, not only in war, but whenever the interest of a society, that is, of the predominant power in the community, is thought to demand it."

O'Connor noted that this line of judicial reasoning produced the few opinions for which Holmes has been severely criticized. In one, Holmes upheld a pro-

hibition on the teaching of foreign languages as being "simply one aspect of the state's power to dictate what an individual might or might not learn." In another more notorious opinion, Holmes defended enforced sterilization of the mentally retarded, saying, "Society can prevent those who are manifestly unfit from continuing their kind. Three generations of imbeciles are enough."

Those words "sound chilling to the modern ear," O'Connor remarked. "In terms of the current understanding of the relationship between the individual and the state, this side of Holmes' jurisprudence has slipped into obscurity."

Still, Holmes' overall body of work on



key constitutional rights “possesses more vitality today than even in his own time, as his dissenting opinions have come to define our jurisprudence in these areas,” O’Connor said. “Justice Holmes believed passionately in the democratic process and he generally refused to substitute his own judgment for the will of the people as expressed through legislation.”

O’Connor quoted one scholar’s view: “When the modern constitutional judge is confronted with a hard case, Holmes is at her side with three gentle reminders: intellectual honesty about the available policy choices; disciplined self-restraint in respecting the majority’s policy choice; and principled commitment to the defense of individual autonomy even in the face of majority action. The words may be different today, but Holmes wrote the music.”

“Judges and scholars come and go and the main body of their work may have an influence after they’ve gone,” O’Connor concluded. “But Holmes’ thought and writing were so broad that even a small portion of it can cast the largest shadow.”

The 750 people who had packed Shiley Theatre on that warm spring afternoon to hear O’Connor’s formal lecture came away with a better understanding of the judicial traditions of the nation’s highest court. Earlier in the day, first-year law students who were treated to an impromptu session by the justice felt they experienced a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to hear a candid explanation of how the Supreme Court works — and how it sometimes gets bogged down.

The week before the justice’s visit, Professor Maimon Schwarzschild had been quietly informed by Dean Strachan that he might be asked to play host to a very special guest lecturer.

“It’s not every day, either as a law student or as a law teacher, that you have a

Supreme Court justice in your class,” Schwarzschild said afterward. “It was very exciting and really rather moving for all of us to have Justice O’Connor in our midst.”

The justice began her classroom talk with a wry observation that prompted laughter from the students. “A Supreme Court justice basically only does three things,” she said. “It’s not that tough a job. We decide which cases to accept for review; we do our homework to decide

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Winnowing through cases “is a very selective process,” said O’Connor, and the Court ends up reviewing only about 150 of the 6,000 petitions that come before it each year. Three criteria are used in the selection process, she said: “the impact of the issue; the extent to which it will come up again and again; and most importantly, the extent to which courts around the country have reached conflicting rulings.”

In reviewing each year’s caseload,

O’Connor said: “It’s curious how issues seem to come in bunches. ... When you get five or more petitions that present the same issue, you are more confident that the Court needs to weigh in on it and resolve it.”

The justice urged the students to travel to Washington, D.C., and personally witness oral arguments before the Court. “It’s quite interesting, from my perspective, to see some of the lawyers who come in for oral arguments,” she said. “I always ask the clerk to give me the attorney’s admission papers (requesting permission to argue in person). ... A high percentage of them have never been before the Court. They’ll be there one time in a lifetime.”

As O’Connor described it, an attorney arguing before the Court typically feels like a lone mouse standing in the presence of nine cats. “I cannot remember one time in recent years when an attorney was able to get up and present an uninterrupted petition,” she said with a slight smile. “They are interrupted frequently. ... I think we justices all enjoy the oral argument days but I’m not sure how much the attorneys enjoy it. I imagine those who have enough confidence probably enjoy the intellectual challenge.”

The justice reminded the students that several of the justices honed their interrogation skills at the front of law classrooms. “Some of us are former law professors,” she said. “Justice (Antonin) Scalia is a tough questioner. And Justice (Anthony) Kennedy has the tactics of a former law professor.”

Once deliberations among the justices begin, O’Connor said, written arguments seem to hold more sway than oral discussion. “We try to write persuasively. We have, after all, only the power of persuasion in our writing to secure agreement around the country with whatever it is we resolve.

John Berol '81 and Professor Larry Alexander were among the guests at the reception and dinner with Justice Sandra Day O'Connor.



“And we want to bring all of our colleagues along with us,” she continued. “Sometimes you can actually persuade someone who voted the other way to change their mind once they’ve seen an opinion draft circulated. Real discussions occur, not at the conference table, but in the writing.”

In her remarks to the students, the justice was disarmingly frank about the challenges and demands of her job. “The worst part of the process,” she told them at one point, “is dealing with death penalty cases. The system is not functioning well in that regard.”

As the justice who has jurisdiction over the 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals, O’Connor was responsible for handling both the March execution of an Arizona

inmate and the April execution of a California inmate. Her dismay with the excruciating appeals process was quite clear. Noting that a last-minute *habeas corpus* petition in the Arizona case necessitated a 3 a.m. conference among all nine justices, she said, “We are up through the night with some of these cases about four or five times a month. It just doesn’t work well.” Those words were strangely prophetic: Less than two weeks after her USD visit, O’Connor issued a stern and highly unusual order to lower courts to refrain from last-minute stays of execution.

The justice left the students with a personal request: “When you study federal *habeas*, try to figure out how we can improve it.” She later added, “I would

hope that, over time, some mechanism could be found that would require *habeas* petitions to be filed within a certain period of time to enable all the members of the Court to give the matter appropriate examination.”

In response to a student’s question, the justice chronicled her judicial career, which has encompassed stints as an attorney for the San Mateo district attorney, a civilian lawyer for the Army overseas, a partner in a neighborhood law office, an assistant attorney general for Arizona, an Arizona state senator (and majority leader for the Senate), a state Superior Court judge, and a justice on the Arizona Court of Appeals.

“I never expected to be on the Supreme Court, so I never set out on a pathway to

take me there," O'Connor said. "Justice Powell told me that being appointed to the Supreme Court is a little like being struck by lightning in the sense of the improbability of the event. I think that's right."

As Strachan pointed out in her introduction at the Nathanson Memorial Lecture, O'Connor's appointment was a landmark event in several respects. "She is the only sitting Supreme Court justice to have held elective office," said the dean. "It has been said that that experience uniquely shapes many of her opinions. Often she counsels the wisdom of judicial restraint, deference to the legislative branch, avoiding tough constitutional questions until it is absolutely unavoidable, and close reliance on precedent. In many of her opinions, one can see a skilled tactician striving to carve out a moderate position and build consensus toward it."

But O'Connor is best known as the Supreme Court's first and only woman justice, a historic aspect that she downplays. In describing her appointment to the Court to the enthralled first-year class, the justice made no mention of the excitement that greeted her nomination by President Reagan in 1981.

But she did recall almost matter-of-factly that, when she graduated third in her class at Stanford University School of Law in 1952, no law firm would hire her because she was a woman. In one instance, the father of a friend helped her land an interview with a large law firm in Los Angeles. "The man who interviewed me said, 'We would never hire a woman lawyer but, in light of your training at Stanford, I think we could find a secretarial position for you,'" O'Connor recalled.

"I told him that that wasn't what I had in mind," she added.

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dent Bar Association, said women law students who had a chance to meet and talk to the justice were profoundly affected by the encounter.

"For those of us who are women about to enter the legal profession, this was very inspirational," Randolph said. "Justice O'Connor is an example of what we are able to achieve today, and she's also a reminder of how far we still have to go to achieve true political equality."

Asked what was most memorable about meeting the justice, Randolph said, "I think we were really struck by her personal demeanor. She has a very powerful presence, but she's also very down-to-earth. She seemed genuinely interested in us, as women and as law students. She was willing to talk to us and to listen to us, and we really appreciated that."



Dean Kristine Strachan listens as Justice Sandra Day O'Connor speaks at the board of visitors meeting on Friday, April 10, about her perception of improvements needed in legal education.

Cribbet Shares Knowledge

Professor John E. Cribbet literally wrote the book on property law, that staple of first-year law students, and, during the spring 1992 term, USD's first-year students were treated to Cribbet's encyclopedic knowledge.

Since Cribbet retired in 1988 from the University of Illinois — where he remains a professor emeritus — he has traveled the country teaching property law at the invitation of law school deans.

That's because Cribbet considers property law much more than a first-year requirement.

"I think it is one of the most important areas of our legal system," he says. "Property really means the control of things by people. That is, it is the relationship between the rights of people and their relationship with property, primarily with land."

Cribbet has explored that relationship for most of his professional and academic career, which began in 1947 after he served in the U.S. Army during World War II and had risen from the rank of private to major, earning the Bronze Star, Croix de Guerre and four battle stars along the way.

Much of his professional exploration has been through writing. In 1958, he wrote a landmark monograph for the Illinois Chamber of Commerce on Illinois water rights law. In 1960, he was a principal author of "Cases and Materials on Property," now in its sixth edition. His "Principles of the Law of Property," written in 1962, is in its third edition.



Professor John E. Cribbet

But for Cribbet, teaching property is the most satisfying. So Cribbet, now 74, continues to teach at the University of Illinois each fall and travel to other law schools each spring.

"It is known that I 'have casebook will travel,'" Cribbet explains. "The motivation is almost totally enjoyment. I like to teach. I like students. I like the law and I

enjoy what I am teaching. I'd rather teach than go put my feet up someplace. I am 74 but in excellent health. I ought to be good for another six years and when I do not enjoy it, I will quit."

And students enjoy Cribbet. He was voted outstanding professor by students at the University of Washington despite being a visitor.

In fact, academia has always been Cribbet's home. When he first entered private practice in Bloomington, Ill., he simultaneously served as an assistant professor at the University of Illinois. In 1951, he became an associate professor. He was chosen dean of the law school in 1967. In 1979, Cribbet was elevated to the chancellor's post of the Champaign-Urbana campus, a post he held for five years. He also served as president of the Association of American Law Schools.

This interest in higher education is another motivating factor in his constant travels. He likes seeing how schools — not just law schools — operate. But Cribbet does admit that he travels to other schools to learn about parts of the country he has not visited, and, he says laughing, to escape Illinois winters. He enjoyed USD both for its academic environment and for the city's weather.

"It is a good law school with a good reputation and my own feeling is that it is a law school that will continue to move ahead. The students are very good, wonderfully friendly and hard working."

Of course, San Diego also fit Cribbet's criteria for enjoyment, especially the view of the ocean from the condominium he and his wife, Betty, rented on Coronado. "We discovered we had an awful lot of friends that wanted to visit us," he recalls.

Cribbet will take his casebook caravan to law students at Florida's Stetson University next spring. USD hopes he'll return again soon.

Civil Rights Pioneer

The Honorable Gordon A. Martin Jr. earned his J.D. degree from New York University in 1960. Just 18 months later, in February 1962, he found himself prosecuting the first full-scale voting rights case in Mississippi as a young Justice Department attorney.

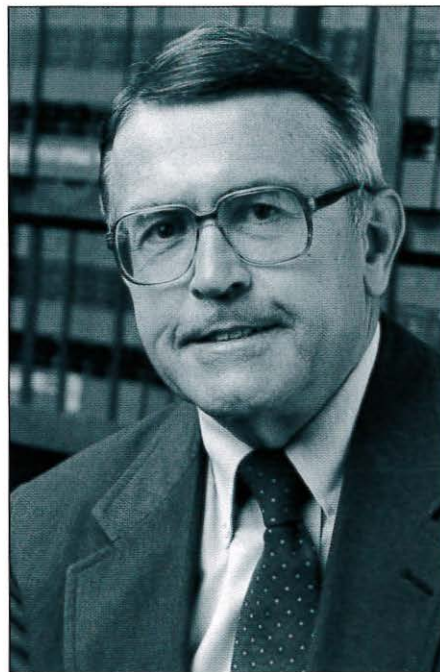
He won. Martin has been breaking ground ever since.

As USD law students discovered during the spring term, Martin has not stopped his pursuit of civil rights. Martin took a leave of absence from his post as a district court judge for the commonwealth of Massachusetts to pass along his passion for this subject and extensive knowledge in a class titled "Race and Civil Rights in America: The Second Reconstruction and the Reaction to It."

It's a title Martin thinks is especially appropriate. After the Civil War Reconstruction period, he says, there was a strong white backlash. That same phenomenon is present today in the wake of the 1960s civil rights legislation.

Martin is one of those people who can see the fight for civil rights with a broad perspective. He has one hand in the past and another in the future. For example, he still feels an important connection to the people of rural Mississippi. He had often wondered what had happened to the people who took part in the 1962 case and, in 1989, he returned to find out.

Financed with a fellowship from the John F. Kennedy Presidential Library,



The Honorable Gordon A. Martin Jr.

Martin set out to prepare an oral history of the case and its participants. He has finished most of the interviews — about two-thirds of the people are still living — and has discovered that his subjects consider the case a pivotal point in their lives. He will be completing his work this summer.

But Martin has not been one to stay buried in the past. Following his stint with the justice department, Martin became first assistant U.S. attorney for the district of Massachusetts. In 1967, he served as a special assistant to U.S. Sen. Edward Kennedy. In 1969, he was named to the Massachusetts Commission Against Discrimination. Then, in 1971, Martin founded his own law firm to specialize in litigating discrimination and due process issues for athletes.

While sports has been a force for integration, Martin saw room for improvement. Martin has taken on the NCAA for

its stand against the participation of foreign students in athletic programs at American colleges.

During a seminar Martin taught at USD, Kit Morris, executive director of the Knight Foundation Commission on Intercollegiate Athletics, visited the students. USD student reaction to the Knight Commission report was distributed to NCAA chief Dick Schultz and Maryland Rep. Tom McMillan, a former NBA star who has followed the commission closely.

Martin was impressed with the sensitivity of his students at USD. "I remember speaking at the first session of the sports law seminar about the fact we would deal with race and ethnicity and athletics. I had to count on white students to have the kind of perceptiveness to think about the feelings of others, and they did," he says. Martin credits USD in its recent efforts to increase diversity at the school, a move he thinks can only make the school stronger.

Martin, 58, came to USD via Tulane University where he taught in the fall term of 1991. He will return to the bench in October, following the completion of his oral history. He also will begin writing a civil rights casebook with USD School of Law Professor Roy Brooks and Villanova School of Law Professor Gilbert Carrasco.

Benson Heads Up Career Services

Susan Benson, the new director of the School of Law Office of Career Services, likes a challenge.

Benson has found a home in the current job market for the legal profession. It is now her mission to prepare students and alumni alike with job search strategies that have shifted from opening a book and pointing to a page of available options to an intensive search.

Actually, Benson has rediscovered a home. She worked in USD's career planning and placement office from 1982 to 1988 before moving to UCSD Medical Center's Owen Clinic. There, she recruited medical professionals for the clinic's HIV education and training program.

In January of this year, she began working part-time in the School of Law's career office. This April, after a nation-



Susan Benson, director of career services

wide search, she was appointed to head the office, this time into the turbulent 1990s.

It's a role she relishes.

"I am an initiator," she says. "This is a very different job than the one I left in 1988. The legal employment market has changed dramatically. ... It is now an employer's market."

But, says Benson quickly, it is a market that can be cracked with the correct preparation and attitude.

That preparation begins during the first year of law school, Benson says. Law firms now have many more experienced applicants from which to choose. That means students now have little time to "fish and throw back" options for future career choices.

Benson says summer work experience can be critical. Building a competitive

resume may require that graduates have two summers of solid work experience in the field they hope to pursue so that a prospective employer feels an applicant can hit the ground running.

But getting that experience is becoming more difficult. Anecdotal evidence shows that some larger firms are cutting summer associate hiring by up to 50 percent. Many legal employers, who in previous years have traveled to campuses to interview, have opted for less-expensive recruiting practices and now conduct many interviews "in-house."

And, Benson says, this is not a temporary phenomenon. She sees an employment shakeup across the country as firms come to realize they must produce the same amount of work with less staff.

In response, Benson is refocusing the way her office operates. She is re-establishing employer ties to the Law School, stressing preparation to students as never before, and she is collecting as much information as possible from employers, especially when a USD candidate does not receive a job offer after an interview. "We want to know why a USD graduate was not selected," she says. Finally, her office has a renewed emphasis on judicial clerkships.

But, says Benson, job seekers carry much of the burden. They must remain flexible. Students should be willing to take work in areas they had not considered before and to live in a city they may not have selected as a favorite.

Of the approximately 200 affiliated and on-campus interviewers who will participate in USD's interviewing program this fall, a majority of newcomers, of which there are over 50, are headquartered in states such as Florida, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Pennsylvania and Ohio. USD recruiters span the country and continue to draw from those states traditionally



represented in the interviewing program: Arizona, California, Massachusetts, Nevada, New York, Oregon, Texas, Utah, Washington and Washington, D.C.

Students and alumni also should consider looking into non-firm options such as medical administration, education, foundations and non-profit organizations, government or in-house practice. Some of these areas actually will expand in the future as big firms pare back from the 1980s boom years.

Graduates should thoroughly research the firms with which they will interview. In this new environment, firms are looking for ways to exclude candidates rather than include them, Benson says, and the more you know about a potential employer, the more competitive you are.

Benson's office also helps alumni who find themselves with an impending job dislocation. Her office publishes the *Alumni Job Newsletter*, a listing of current job openings in San Diego and the nation. Alumni can subscribe to the newsletter by calling the Office of Career Services at (619) 260-4771. In addition, Benson can critique resumes and cover letters, interviewing style and networking procedures. She has a variety of resources available to aid in a search.

Benson says alumni can help USD graduates by letting her office know as soon as they learn of a job opening in their firms. "The alums are our eyes and ears in the marketplace," she says.

The jobs are there, Benson says. But students as well as alumni must look past the obvious. Like the child's game in which animals are hidden in a picture of a forest, today's job market requires job hunters to have perseverance and sharp eyes to spot the opportunities.

USD SCHOOL OF LAW CLASS OF 1991 EMPLOYMENT REPORT

Number of 1991 Graduates: 323

Known Status: 87% (283/323)

Employed of Known Status: 91% (258/283)

EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF THOSE KNOWN

Full-time Legal Position	213	(82.5%)
Full-time Nonlegal Position	12	(4.7%)
Part-time Legal Position	16	(6.2%)
Part-time Nonlegal Position	2	(.8%)
Advanced Degree Program	4	(1.6%)
Not Seeking Employment/ Unclassified	11	(4.2%)
Unemployed (of those known)	25	(9%)

FIRM SIZE

AVERAGE ANNUAL ASSOCIATE SALARY(F-T)

2 - 10	\$38,637
11 - 25	48,304
26 - 50	48,181
51 - 100	54,066
- 101+	62,717
Salary Range	\$19,200 - 70,000

LOCATION OF PRACTICE

West	216	(83.8%)
San Diego	148	(57.3%)
Los Angeles	21	(8.2%)
Bay Area	18	(7.0%)
Other California	29	(11.3%)
Southwest	24	(9.3%)
Midwest	5	(1.9%)
Northeast	8	(3.1%)
International	5	(1.9%)

La Raza Students Establish Scholarship Fund

Enterprising members of the La Raza Law Students Association organized a fund-raising event last fall that resulted in two scholarships being awarded this spring. Last September, La Raza members Rosa Linda Hanau, Lorenna Castro and Claudia Gacitua organized the first La Raza Scholarship Banquet. The event was well attended by members of the San Diego La Raza Lawyers Association, USD faculty, staff and students.

The first La Raza scholarship awards were given to Nieva Kelly and Gary Talavera, both first-year law students and members of the La Raza Law Students Association. Start-up costs for the September 1992 banquet were set aside from the funds raised last fall.

For more information, call the La Raza office at (619) 260-4600, ext. 4342.

Professor of the Year Award Presented to Dean Strachan

Each spring, the Student Bar Association presents the Professor of the Year Award to a faculty member who demonstrates excellent teaching and personal responsiveness to the students. This year's recipient, USD School of Law Dean Kristine Strachan, said, "This is really a great pleasure and honor to receive. Teaching is what keeps me centered amidst all the daily trials and tribulations of being a law school dean." Last year's recipient was Justice Richard Huffman.

Events at USD School of Law

USD faculty and student groups host a variety of extracurricular events which enrich the intellectual life of the USD School of Law community. The following list represents a sampling of these events from the 1991-92 academic year.

- **"San Diego's Landfill Crisis: Innovative, Ecological Solutions"** — Environmental Law Society. Fall 1991.
- **Hate Crimes Forum** — Featured representatives from the San Diego Office of the District Attorney, the Police Department, the San Diego Anti-Defamation League and the San Diego Human Relations Committee. Asian Pacific American Law Students Association. Fall 1991.
- **First Annual La Raza Scholarship Banquet** — Featured guest speaker attorney Ramon Castro and Folklorico Ethnic Dancers. La Raza Law Students Association. September 1991.
- **Professor Roy Brooks** — An informal discussion of Judge Clarence Thomas and the Senate confirmation hearings. Speaker's Bureau. September 1991.
- **"The Other Bar: Chemical Dependency in the Legal Profession"** — ABA Law Student Division and Phi Delta Phi. October 1991.
- **"Civil Rights Litigation"** — Featured attorney Cathryn Chinn. Women's Law Caucus. October 1991.
- **Sharon Siegan Memorial Lecture Series** — Presented Milton Friedman,

Nobel Memorial Prize Laureate in Economic Science, speaking on "The Role of Incentive in Private and Government Behavior." October 1991.

- **"International Business Litigation"** — Attorney J. Ernesto Grijalva '84. International Law Society. October 1991.
- **"Trial By Media: Guilty Until Proven Innocent?"** — Panelists included *L.A. Times* city editor, *San Diego Union* reporter, local attorney and USD professor. The Society of Professional Journalists. October 1991.
- **The Honorable Judith McConnell** — San Diego Superior Court. Women's Law Caucus. October 1991.
- **Immigration Career Symposium** — Featured local attorneys from the Border Patrol, Legal Aid Society and private law firms. International Law Society. November 1991.
- **Stress Management Seminar** — Featured Dr. Pam Culley-McCullough, psychologist. Women's Law Caucus and Black Law Students Association. November 1991.
- **"Employment Discrimination"** — Featured Abby Silverman '79, partner at Baker & McKenzie. Women's Law Caucus. November 1991.
- **"Federal Sentencing Guidelines: A Revolution in Criminal Justice"** — The distinguished panel of experts included representatives from the Federal Bureau of Prisons, U.S. Court of Appeals, U.S.

Sentencing Commission, U.S. District Court, U.S. Attorney's Office, Federal Defenders and USD School of Law. Sponsored by Community Defenders Inc. Endowment. November 1991.

- **"Humor in the Courtroom"** — Featured San Diego attorney Charles Sevilla of Cleary & Sevilla. Speaker's Bureau. November 1991.
- **"A New World Order: Can It Bring Security to the World's People?"** — Panelists included former United Nations peacekeeper and local university professors. International Law Society. December 1991.
- **Martin Luther King Jr. - A Week of Celebration** — USD School of Law Student Groups. January 1992. Events included:
 - **"The Three Stages of the Civil Rights Movement"** — Lloyd Took, prominent civil rights attorney.
 - **"Dialogue and Process Between African Americans and Jews after Martin Luther King Jr."** — Panel discussion.
 - **"Campus Racism and Civil Rights"** — Jesse Jackson Jr.
 - **"Minorities and Women in the Law"** — Regina Petty, partner, Gray, Cary, Ames & Frye.
 - **"Legacy of Civil Rights Act: Racial Separation v. Racial Integration"** — Judge Gordon Martin, justice of the Massachusetts Trial Court.
 - **"Where Do We Go From Here?"** — Thomas Gayton, civil rights consultant.



Faculty Colloquia

At least once a month, faculty gathered for a presentation by a guest lecturer. The following is a list of those speakers:

Sanford Lakoff — Professor of Political Science at University of California, San Diego. September 1991.

Bernadette Lynch — Faculty of Law, University of Birmingham, England. September 1991.

Gerald Warren — Editor, *The San Diego Union*. October 1991.

Alex Johnson — Professor, University of Virginia School of Law. November 1991.

Larry Alexander — Professor, USD School of Law. November 1991.

Jesse Choper — Dean and professor of law, University of California, Berkeley, Boalt Hall School of Law. December 1991.

Bill Black — Senior deputy chief counsel of the Federal Home Loan Board. February 1992.

David Dolinko — Professor, University of California, Los Angeles, School of Law. March 1992.

Robert C. Post — Professor, University of California, Berkeley, Boalt Hall School of Law. March 1992.

Charles Silver — Professor, University of Texas School of Law. June 1992.

■ **Frank Susman** — Noted U.S. Supreme Court advocate, spoke on his experiences before the Supreme Court. Women's Law Caucus and Student Bar Association. January 1992.

■ **Appellate Practice Seminar** — California Court of Appeal, 4th Appellate District. February 1992.

■ **Peace and Justice in a Changing World: "Negotiation and Mediation: Achieving Just Outcomes"** — USD School of Law Professor Maimon Schwarzschild. February 1992.

■ **"A Discussion of the Proposed North American Free Trade Agreement"** — Featured the Canadian Consul in San Diego, the American Consul in Tijuana, B.C., Mexico, and the trade officer from the consulate general of Mexico. Master of Comparative Law Program. February 1992.

■ **Conference on the intersection of torts, contracts, remedies and political theory, as presented in "Risks and Wrongs,"** by Professor Jules Coleman of Yale Law School — Participants included professors from Chicago-Kent, Yale, USC, Pittsburgh, Arizona, USD, McGill, Stanford, Duke and Boston University. March 1992.

■ **"How to Integrate ADR into Your Law Practice or Business"** — March 1992.

■ **"Current Issues in Civil Rights"** — Nadine Strossen, national president of the ACLU. March 1992.

■ **"A Lawyer's Perspective on Progressive Government — Challenges for the 1990s"** — San Francisco Supervisor

Roberta Achtenberg. GALLSA, Women's Law Caucus and the Jewish Law Students Association. March 1992.

■ **Nathaniel L. Nathanson Memorial Lecture Series** — Addressed by Sandra Day O'Connor, justice of the United States Supreme Court. April 1992.

■ **San Diego's Clean Ocean Crisis Symposium** — A round-table discussion on the recent sewage crisis featured local water authorities and was moderated by Professor Richard Wharton. Environmental Law Society. April 1992.

■ **Health Care Reform Panel** — Featured representatives from the medical community, former and current members of Congress and a distinguished professor from the UCSD School of Medicine. Federalist Society and the Health Care Interest Group. April 1992.

University of San Diego School of Law Faculty Activities

1991-1992

LAWRENCE A. ALEXANDER (1970)

Publications:

"The Gap," 14 *Harvard Journal of Law & Public Policy* 695 (1991).

"Inculpatory and Exculpatory Mistakes and the Fact/Law Distinction: An Essay in Memory of Myke Bayles," ___ *Social Theory & Practice* ___ (1992).

"Proving the Law," ___ *Northwestern University Law Review* ___ (1992).

"Self-Defense, Punishment, and Proportionality," 10 *Law & Philosophy* 323 (1991).

Reviews of *Liberal Neutrality*, by R. Goodin and A. Reeve, eds.; *The Supreme Court and the Process of Adjudication: Interpreting the Constitution*, by H. Wellington; and *On Reading the Constitution*, by L. Tribe and M. Dorf, 8 *Constitutional Commentary* 255, 463 (1991).

Appointments:

Board of Editors, *Law and Philosophy*

DORIS Y. ALSPAUGH (1967)

Appointments:

Chair, USD Admissions and Financial Aid Committee

CARL A. AUERBACH (1985)

Publications:

"A Revival of Some Ancient Learning: A

Critique of Eisenberg's *The Nature of the Common Law*," 75 *Minnesota Law Review* 539 (1991).

Appointments:

Visiting Scholar, Northwestern University Law School, Fall 1991

LAURA M. BEREND (1983)

Publications:

"Proposition 115 Preliminary Hearings: Sacrificing Reliability on the Altar of Expediency," ___ *Pacific Law Journal* ___ (1992).

"Evidence Advocacy Problems" in Appendix to *Evidence for the Nineties*, by Carlson, Imwinkelried & Kionka, 3rd ed., Michie Co., 1991.

Appointments:

Board of Directors, Defenders Program of San Diego, Inc.

Coordinator, Federal Sentencing Guidelines Symposium, USD, November 1991

Editor, USD Law Clinic Newsletter
Co-Chair, USD Community Defenders, Inc., Programs

DARRELL D. BRATTON (1967)

Addresses:

"Civil Procedure," University of Baja California, Tijuana, Mexico.

Appointments:

Board of Directors, USD Law Alumni Association

Director, USD LL.M. (General) Program
ABA Self Study Committee
USD Senate, Vice Chair
Faculty Advisor, USD Law Review

ROY L. BROOKS (1979)

Publications:

"Aristotle and Western Liberalism: The Fundamental Tenets of Judge A. Leon Higginbotham's Scholarship," 9 *Law & Inequality* 419 (1991).

"The Ecology of Inequality: The Rise of the African American Underclass," 8 *Harvard Blackletter Journal* 1 (1991).

Review of *In Our Defense: The Bill of Rights in Action*, by E. Alderman and C. Kennedy, 48 *Bench & Bar of Minnesota* 41 (1991).

Review of *Race and Schooling in the South, 1880-1950: An Economic History*, by R. Margo, 519 *The Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science* 231 (1992).

Review of *Reflections of An Affirmative Action Baby*, by S. Carter, 21 *Book World (The Washington Post)* 4 (Sept. 8, 1991).

Preface to Second Printing, *Rethinking the American Race Problem*, University of California Press, 1992.

"Shelby Steele and the Subtext of Our Developing Civil Rights Laws," 9 *Law & Inequality* 359 (1991).

Appointments:

Stephen C. O'Connell Chair of Law, University of Florida College of Law, Spring 1992

NANCY CAROL CARTER (1987)

Publications:

"Microforms: Still a Future in Law Libraries," (with J. Dupont) in *The Spirit of Law Librarianship: A Reader*, R. Mersky and R. Leiter (comp.), F.B. Rothman, 1991.

Appointments:

Advisory Board, *Law Library Journal*

Advisory Board, *Legal Reference Services Quarterly*
 Director, Pardee Legal Research Center

KEVIN L. COLE (1987)

Publications:

"Problems in Preferring Empirical Justifications for Guidelines: A Response to Professor Wright's View of the Sentencing Commission," 4 *Federal Sentencing Reporter* 140 (1992).

Federal Sentencing Guidelines Handbook: Text and Analysis of Case Law (with J. Woll and R. Haines, Jr.), Shepard's/McGraw-Hill, 1991.

Federal Sentencing and Forfeiture Guide (with J. Woll and R. Haines, Jr.), 3d ed. Del Mar Legal Publications, 1991.

Addresses:

Panelist, Federal Sentencing Guidelines Symposium, USD, November 1991.

"Proposed Model Forfeiture Statute," Annual Conference of the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws, August 1991, Naples, Fla.

Appointments:

Reporter, Drafting Committee on Civil Forfeiture in Drug Offense Cases, National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws, since 1990
 Faculty Advisor, USD Law Review

LYNNE L. DALLAS (1987)

Publications:

"The Control and Conflict of Interest Voting Systems," 71 *North Carolina Law Review* (1992).

Appointments:

Executive Committee, AALS Section on Teaching Methods

JOSEPH J. DARBY (1965)

Addresses:

U.S.-U.S.S.R. Scholar's Dialogue on International Human Rights, San Bernardino, January 1991.

Appointments:

Visiting Professor, University of Cologne, Germany

KENNETH C. DAVIS (1976)

Publications:

In Progress: *Administrative Law: Cases, Text, Problems*. 7th ed. West Publishing Co.

In Progress: Davis and Pierce, *Administrative Law Treatise*.

Addresses:

Administrative Conference of the United States, Washington, D.C., December 1991.

FRANK A. ENGFELT (1963)

Appointments:

USD Senate, Honorary Degrees Committee

ROBERT C. FELLMETH (1977)

Publications:

California Administrative and Antitrust Law: Regulation of Business, Trades and Professions (with Folsom), 2 vols. Butterworth Legal Publishers, 1991.

White Collar Crime Treatise (with Papageorge), Parker, 1992.

Quarterly commentaries in *California Regulatory Law Reporter*.

"Final Report of the State Bar Discipline Monitor," March 1991.

Addresses:

"Four Radical Ideas," The Traynor Lec-

ture before the California Association of Judges, July 1991.

Appointments:

Price Chair in Public Interest Law Faculty, California Judicial College
 Director, USD Center for Public Interest Law

Executive Director, USD Children's Advocacy Institute

Board of Directors, California Common Cause - Litigation Chairman
 Board of Directors, National Association of Counsel for Children

Board of Directors, Association of Child Advocates (national)

Board of Directors, *Public Citizen*
 California State Bar Discipline Monitor
 Editor, *California Regulatory Law Reporter*

RALPH H. FOLSOM (1975)

Publications:

Antitrust Laws and Trade Regulation (supplements and revisions to vols. 9-14) in von Kalinowski, ed., Matthew-Bender Co., 1991.

California Administrative and Antitrust Law: Regulation of Business, Trades and Professions (with Fellmeth), 2 vols. Butterworth Legal Publishers, 1991.

Connecticut Estates Practice: Probate Litigation, Lawyer's Cooperative Publishing Co., 1991.

Supplements to volumes on incapacity and adoption, jurisdiction and procedure, wills, and trusts in *Connecticut Estates Practice* (with Wilhelm), Lawyer's Cooperative Publishing Co., 1991.

European Community Law in a Nutshell, West Publishing Co., 1991.

International Business Transactions: A Problem Oriented Coursebook (with Gordon and Spanogle). 2d ed. West Publishing Co., 1991. *Documents Sup-*

plement (1991). *Teacher's Manual* (1991).

Supplement to *State Antitrust Law and Practice*, Prentice-Hall Law and Business, 1991.

C. HUGH FRIEDMAN (1977)

Publications:

California Practice Guide: Corporations, 2 vols. 6th ed, The Rutter Group, 1991.

"Choice of Business Entity: Non-Tax Planning Considerations," Chapter 1 of *Closely-Held Businesses*, New York University School of Continuing Education: Finance, Law and Taxation (Spring 1991).

Addresses:

Seventh Annual Presentation on "Developments in Corporate, Tax & Securities Law During 1990," Annual Meeting of San Diego County Bar Association Business Law Section, January 1991.

Presenter and Panelist, "Non-Tax Planning Considerations in Choice of Entity," New York University Conference on Closely Held Businesses, Spring 1991.

"Corporate Governance Reform," National Conference of State Legislatures, November 1991.

"Role of the Courts in the Year 2000," California Judges Association Annual Conference, Palm Springs, May 1991.

"Modern Business Law Regimes," Workshop for Hungarian Judiciary and Chamber of Commerce, Summer 1991.

Appointments:

Member, California Commission on Corporate Governance, Shareholder Rights & Securities Transactions
Board of Directors, San Diego County Boy Scouts of America

Board of Directors, San Diego Chapter, American Red Cross

STEVEN HARTWELL (1980)

Publications:

"Women Negotiating: Assertiveness and Relatedness" (with Pace), Chapter 5 in *Constructing and Reconstructing Gender*, State University of New York Press, 1992.

"Mediation in Resolving Legal Disputes: Secret is Best," ___ *Journal of Contemporary Legal Issues* ___ (1991).

"Moral Development, Ethical Conduct and Clinical Education," 35 *New York Law School Law Review* 131 (1990).

"Teaching Law: Some Things Socrates Did Not Try," (with Sherry L. Hartwell). *Journal of Legal Education* 40 (1991).

"Understanding and Dealing with Deception in Legal Negotiations," 6 *Ohio State Journal on Dispute Resolution* 171 (1991).

Addresses:

Presentation on Moral Development, California Center for Judicial Education and Research, Oakland, January 1991; San Clemente, August 1991.

Presentations on the Myers-Briggs Type Indicator, USD, February and October 1991.

"Managing Anger in Mediations," International SPIDR Conference (Society of Professionals in Dispute Resolution), San Diego, November 1991.

Appointments:

Faculty Advisor, SBA Pro Bono Project
Faculty Advisor, GALLSA
Treasurer, Residential Relations of San Diego

Steering Committee, USD Irvine Foundation Cultural Diversity Grant

WALTER W. HEISER (1978)

Publications:

In Progress: *California Civil Procedure and Practice* (with Perschbacher), Matthew-Bender.

Appointments:

Citizens Law Enforcement Review Board, San Diego County, May 1991 Chair, Rules and Regulations Subcommittee

GAIL HERIOT (1989)

Publications:

"Way Beyond Candor," 89 *Michigan Law Review* 1945 (1991).

"Whether Pigs Have Wings," ___ *Wayne Law Review* ___ (1992).

PAUL HORTON (1973)

Appointments:

USD Senate - Executive Committee; Secretary
Supervisor, Judicial Internship Program
Member, Exhibits and Collections Committee of the San Diego Zoological Society

MICHAEL B. KELLY (1988)

Publications:

"The Rightful Position in 'Wrongful Life' Actions," 42 *Hastings Law Journal* 505 (1991).

Appointments:

Faculty Advisor, USD Moot Court Board

HERBERT I. LAZEROW (1967)

Publications:

Droit des Affaires aux Etats Unis D' Amerique: Part IV, Inbound Interna-

tional Transactions and Part V, Estate, Gift Taxes and Generation Skipping (Editions Jupiter 1992).

"Shipping Exemptions, Realty and Treaties," 17 *International Tax Journal* 27 (1991).

"Tax" Chapter 17 in *United States Law* (A. Levasseur, ed.) 1992.

Addresses:

Moderator, "Locating your FSC," 1992 FSC-DISC Tax Conference, San Diego, December 1991.

"Perils and Pleasures of Summer Law Programs Abroad," AALS Conference, Washington, D.C., January 1991.

Appointments:

Director, USD Institute on International and Comparative Law

Editor-in-Chief, *International Tax Journal*
ALI Consulting Group on Rest. Property (Servitudes and Mortgages)

Acting Secretary and Director, Landmark Art Projects

JOHN H. MINAN (1976)

Publications:

"New Article 2A: Deviations from the Statutory Analogue," 40 *University of Kansas Law Review* ____ (1992).

Addresses:

"Egyptian Law," presented at an International Conference of American and Irish Lawyers, Luxor, Egypt, January 1992.

Guest Commentator, National Public Radio, "Single-Subject Rule" of the California Constitution, November 1991.

Appointments:

Hearing Officer, San Diego Housing Commission

Search Committee, USD Vice President for Business and Finance

JEAN MONTOYA (1990)

Publications:

"On Truth and Shielding in Child Abuse Trials," 43 *Hastings Law Journal* ____ (1992).

Appointments:

Steering Committee, USD Irvine Foundation Cultural Diversity Grant

GRANT H. MORRIS (1973)

Publications:

In Progress: *Insanity in the Criminal Law: Stan Stress and the Vietnam/Sports Conspiracy* (with Allen Snyder) (1992).

Addresses:

"Should Involuntarily Committed Mental Patients Have the Right to Refuse Treatment," San Diego Psychology-Law Society, March 1991.

"Evaluating Competence to Refuse Treatment," Annual Patients' Rights Advocacy Conference, San Francisco, August 1991.

"Determining Capacity to Refuse Antipsychotic Medication: Capacity from a Legal Perspective," California Association of Lanterman-Petris-Short Hearing Officers, San Leandro, January 1992.

"Judicial Hearings to Determine a Mental Patient's Competency to Refuse Antipsychotic Medication," Professional Staff In-Service Training Sessions: Southwood Hospital, May 1991 and Villa View Hospital, July 1991.

Appointments:

Executive Committee, AALS Section on Law and Mental Disability

Superior Court Commissioner and Judge Pro Tem, 1991

Public Housing Hearing Officer, San Diego County Housing Commission, 1991

Clinical Professor, University of California, San Diego, School of Medicine, Department of Psychiatry

MARY JOSEPHINE NEWBORN (1990)

Publications:

"The Precarious Plight of the Corporate Debtor Under Section 362(h) of the Bankruptcy Code," ____ *Annual Survey of Bankruptcy Law* ____, Callaghan Press (1991).

Appointments:

Faculty Advisor, USD Black Law Students Association

Chair, Conference Subcommittee, USD Social Issues Committee

VIRGINIA NOLAN (1974)

Publications:

In Progress: *Enterprise Liability, No-Fault, and Tort Reform: Basic Foundations* (with Ursin).

"Tort Law and Science" (with Ursin), Review of *Galileo's Revenge: Junk Science in the Courtroom*, by P. Huber, 254 *Science Magazine* 1663 (1991).

HERBERT PETERFREUND (1978)

Addresses:

"The Value of a Legal Education," USD Seminar, February 1991.

THERESA PLAYER (1980)

Publications:

California Trial Techniques (with Clifford and Perschbacher), Parker & Sons, 1991.

Appointments:
Director, USD Legal Clinic

**RICHARD CRAWFORD PUGH
(1989)**

Publications:
Taxation of International Transactions 1991-1993 (with Gustafson), Commerce Clearing House, 1991.
Taxation of Business Enterprises 1992-1993 (with Barton, Coven, and Peroni), Commerce Clearing House, 1991.

Addresses:
Moderator, Journal of Contemporary Legal Issues Symposium on Legal Aspects of the Gulf Crisis, San Diego, February 1991.

Appointments:
Tax Advisory Group on Federal Income Tax Project — American Law Institute
Board of Editorial Advisors, *The International Lawyer* (ABA)
Board of Contributing Editors and Advisors, *The International Tax Journal*
Director, Association of American Rhoades Scholars
Fellow, American College of Tax Counsel

MICHAEL B. RAPPAPORT (1991)

Publications:
"The Private Provision of Unemployment Insurance," 1992 *Wisconsin Law Review* 61.

**MAIMON SCHWARZSCHILD
(1982)**

Publications:
In Progress: "Class, National Character, and the Bar Reforms in Britain: Will There Always Be an England?"
In Progress: "Religion and Public Debate in a Liberal Society: Always Oil and

Water, or Sometimes More Like Rum and Coca-Cola?"

Addresses:
"The Bill of Rights," San Diego League of Women Voters, November 1991.
Panelist: The Clarence Thomas Nomination, The Ross-Hedgecock Report, KNSD 39 TV, San Diego, October 1991.

Appointments:
Faculty Advisor, *Journal of Contemporary Legal Issues*

EMILY L. SHERWIN (1989)

Publications:
"Law and Equity in Contract Enforcement," 50 *Maryland Law Review* 253 (1991).
"Why is Corrective Justice Just?" forthcoming, *Harvard Journal of Law and Public Policy* (1992).

VIRGINIA V. SHUE (1974)

Publications:
Fundamentals of Computer — High Technology Law (with Vergari), American Law Institute-American Bar Association, Institute on Continuing Legal Education, 1991.
"What You Should Know About Computer-Assisted Legal Research," 37 *Practical Lawyer* 53 (1991).

Addresses:
"Professional Responsibility in a High Tech Environment," ALI-ABA, Boston, May 1991.

Appointments:
Associate Dean
Director, Graduate Tax Program
Co-Chair, ALI-ABA Basics of Computer Law Committee

BERNARD H. SIEGAN (1973)

Publications:
Comment on Anthony Downs' "The Advisory Commission on Regulatory Barriers to Affordable Housing: Its Behavior and Accomplishments," 2 *Housing Policy Debate* 1169 (1992).
Review of *Judicial Power and Reform Politics, the Anatomy of Lochner v. New York*, by P. Kens, ___ *Wayne University Law Review* ___ (1992).

Addresses:
"Non-zoning Is the Best Zoning," Houston and Dallas, July 1991.
"The United States Supreme Court: Economic Liberties and the Constitution," California State University, Hayward, November 1991.
"Property and the Rule of Law," Conference on Constitutions and Laws for Central and Eastern Europe, Washington, D.C., December 1991. (two addresses)
"Economic Liberties and the Constitution," Second Saturday Club, April 1991.
Lecture on Advising the Bulgarians on a Constitution, National Council to Support the Democracy Movements, San Diego Chapter, July 1991.
"Liberty and the Ninth Amendment," Liberty Fund Colloquium, Tacoma, Wash., May 1991.

Appointments:
Member, Commission on the Bicentennial of the United States Constitution
Advisory Board, The Claremont Institute, Golden State Center for Policy Studies, Claremont, Calif.
Adjunct Scholar, CATO Institute, Washington, D.C.
Advisor, Institute for Central and Eastern European Studies, San Diego State University

Panelist Pool, National Endowment for the Humanities, Washington, D.C.

General:

Consultant: Authored proposed Constitution for the Republic of Armenia, 1991; "Suggested Model Constitution for Emerging Republics of the Soviet Union."

ROBERT L. SIMMONS (1972)

Publications:

In Progress: *Handbook on California Remedies*, Little, Brown & Co.

Addresses:

"Legal Consequences of ADA," National Conference of Society of Professionals in Dispute Resolution (SPIDR).
"Standards on State Court Facilities Designs and Planning," presented to California Judicial Council. Final standard adopted November 1991.

Appointments:

Board Member, San Carlos Area Council Member, California Judicial Council Advisory Committee on New Court Facilities

Awards:

1991 Environmental Prize, Sierra Club, San Diego Chapter.

SARAH ANN SMITH (1965)

Publications:

In Progress: "The Unique Agreements: Premarital and Marital Agreements, Their Impact Upon Estate Planning, and Proposed Solutions to Problems Arising at Death," *28 Idaho Law Review* ___ (1992).

ALLEN C. SNYDER (1978)

Publications:

In Progress: *Insanity in the Criminal Law: Stan Stress and the Vietnam/ Sports Conspiracy* (with Grant Morris) (1992).

Addresses:

"Health Law in the 1990s," Mission Hills Methodist Church, January 1991.

Appointments:

Board of Directors, San Diego Volunteer Lawyers Program
National Institute for Trial Advocacy Teacher Training; Masters Program
Co-Director, National Institute for Trial Advocacy, Pacific Region

LESTER B. SNYDER (1983)

Publications:

In Progress: "Federal and State Tax Policy on a Collision Course: Taxation of Foreign Multinationals v. Domestic Multistate Corporations — An Economic Turnoff for the U.S.?"
In Progress: "Deduction of Losses for Tax Purposes: S&L Stock Investors — A Bailout of a Third Kind."

Addresses:

Moderator and Speaker, Current Tax Issues, San Diego Bar Association Tax Section, October 1991.

Appointments:

Editorial Advisory Board, *Journal of Real Estate Taxation*. (Editor-in-Chief 1972-1991).
Advisor: Aerospace Industry on Uniform Division of Income for Tax Purposes Act (UDITPA): Apportionment of Taxes of Multinational Corporations (1991).

KRISTINE STRACHAN (1989)

Addresses:

"Feminism and The Law," University of California, San Diego, Women's Center, May 1992.
"Free Speech and Hate Speech," ABA Midyear Meeting, Dean's Workshop, Seattle, February 1991.
"How The Warren Court Changed America," Earl Warren Symposium, University of California, San Diego, April 1991.
"Recognizing and Dealing with Gender Bias," San Diego County Bar Association, February 1992.

Appointments:

Board of Directors, San Diego Volunteer Lawyers Program
San Diego Federal Court Advisory Group, Civil Justice Reform Act of 1990 (Biden Committee)
Honorary Master of the Bench, American Inns of Court, San Diego
Executive Committee, Association of American Law Schools
ABA, Section of Legal Education Liaison to Standing Committee on Continuing Education of the Bar.
President's Advisory Council, Law School Admissions Council
Evidence Test Drafting Committee, Multistate Bar Exam, National Conference of Bar Examiners
Board of Trustees, The Bishops School

EDMUND URSIN (1975)

Publications:

In Progress: *Enterprise Liability, No-Fault, and Tort Reform: Basic Foundations* (with Nolan).
"Tort Law and Science," (with Nolan), Review of *Galileo's Revenge: Junk Science in the Courtroom*, by P. Huber, *254 Science Magazine* 1663 (1991).

JORGE A. VARGAS (1983)

Publications:

- "California's Offshore Islands: Is the 'Northern Archipelago' a Subject for International Law or Political Rhetoric," has been expanded as a book and republished (in Spanish), in Fondo de Cultura Economica, Mexico, 1992, and in *20 Juridica: Anuario del Departamento de Derecho de la Universidad Iberoamericana* 83 (1991).
 "The Law of the Sea" (in Spanish), Chapter in *International Law*, Secretariat of Foreign Affairs (SRE), Mexico, 1992.

Addresses:

- "Introduction to the U.S. Legal System," (in Spanish), UABC School of Law, (Master's Program), Tijuana, B.C., Mexico.
 "Review of Latest Changes in Mexican Law," San Diego County Bar Association, November 1991.
 "Legal Aspects of the U.S.-Canada-Mexico Free Trade Agreement," Invisible University, La Jolla Bankers Association, November 1991.
 "Cross-Cultural Aspects in the Mediation Process," Society for Professionals in Dispute Resolution (SPIDR), San Diego, October 1991.
 "An Overview of Alta California in 1831: Legal, Political and Socio-Economic Aspects," University of the Third Age, USD, January 1992.

Awards:

- Fullbright Award 1991-92, teaching Border Economic Law at UABC's School of Law (Master's Program), Tijuana, B.C., Mexico.

STEVEN D. WALT (1990)

Publications:

- "Expectations, Loss Distribution and Commercial Impracticability," *24 Indiana Law Review* 65 (1991).
 "For Specific Performance Under the United Nations Sales Convention," *26 Texas International Law Journal* 211 (1991).
 "The Law and Psychology of Precedent," (with Laufer) in *Handbook of Law and Psychology* (Laufer and Kagahero, eds.) 1991.
 "Some Problems of Pragmatic Jurisprudence." Review of *The Problems of Jurisprudence*, by R. Posner, *70 Texas Law Review* 318 (1991).
 "Why Personhood Doesn't Matter: Corporate Criminal Liability and Sanctions" (with Laufer), *18 American Journal of Criminal Law* 263 (1991).
 "On the Relation Between Competition and Cooperation," *Harvard Journal of Law and Public Policy* (forthcoming, 1992).

Appointments:

- Manuscript referee, *Ethics* (since 1981)

DONALD T. WECKSTEIN (1972)

Publications:

- Professional Responsibility in a Nutshell* (with Aronson), West Publishing Co., 2d ed. 1991.

Addresses:

- "Distinguishing Characteristics of Court-Annexed Mediation," International Meeting of Law and Society Association, Amsterdam, The Netherlands, June 1991; San Diego Society of Professionals in Dispute Resolution (SPIDR) chapter meeting, September 1991.
 "Unauthorized Practice of Law and Case Screening," State Bar of California

Lawyer Referral Workshop, Napa, Calif., August 1991.

- "Rain Making in the 90s — Ethical Aspects," San Diego County Bar Association, September 1991.
 "Case Presentation," American Arbitration Association, San Diego, November 1991.
 "Ethics in Mediation," American Arbitration Association, November 1991.
 "Ethical Concerns for Legal Secretaries," Northern San Diego County Legal Secretaries Association, February 1991.
 "Arbitration of Employment Discrimination Complaints," International SPIDR Conference, San Diego, October 1991.

Appointments:

- Society of Professionals in Dispute Resolution (SPIDR) Western Region Vice President; Chair, Labor Programs-1991 Conference
 Vice President, Resident Relations of California
 City of Los Angeles Employee Relations Board (since 1991)
 American Bar Association, Liaison, Committee on Specialization of the Section of Administrative Law and Regulatory Practice Co-Chair, Alternative Dispute Resolution Sub-committee, Section of Labor and Employment Law, Committee on Labor Arbitration and Collective Bargaining
 National Academy of Arbitrators (since 1990)

CHARLES B. WIGGINS (1975)

Addresses:

- "Nancy Cruzan and Helga Wanglie: Puzzles on the Right to Die," Whitehall Colloquium in Biomedical Ethics, UCSD School of Medicine, May 1991.
 Facilitator: Training in the Law Firm Institute, Malibu, Calif., March 1991.

Appointments:

Visiting Professor of Internal Medicine,
Oregon Health Sciences University,
Portland, Ore.
Consultant, Partners for Democratic
Change: Central and Eastern Europe
and the New Soviet Republic (drafting
negotiated rule-making legislation for
Hungarian Parliament; training Hun-
garian, Polish and Slovakian
parliamentarians, business and civic
leaders in ADR).

Awards:

Fulbright Fellowship, National Law
School of India, Bangalore, India, 1992.

W. WILLARD WIRTZ (1986)*Publications:*

"Human Rights and Responsibilities at
the Workplace," 28 *San Diego Law
Review* 159 (1991).

Addresses:

Nathaniel Nathanson Memorial Lecture,
University of San Diego, March 1991.
Panelist, "Ensuring Social and Economic
Justice in a Changing America: Time
for a New Bill of Rights," AALS
Annual Meeting, San Antonio, Texas,
January 1992.

PAUL C. WOHLMUTH (1974)*Publications:*

"Contractual Allocation of Resources
Reconsidered: Value, Markets and the
Myths of Human Autonomy" (with
L. J. Goldberg). *Proceedings of the Inter-
national Society for Systems Science*,
Volume II: Advances in General Sys-
tems Theory and Philosophy 108
(1991).

Addresses:

"Contractual Allocation of Resources
Reconsidered: Value, Markets and the
Myths of Human Autonomy," Multi-
Disciplinary Seminar, Washington and
Lee University, Department of Eco-
nomics, October 1991; Conference on
Systems Science and Law, St. John's
College, Annapolis, Md., June 1991;
Annual meeting of International Soci-
ety for Systems Sciences, University of
Ostersund, Sweden, June 1991.

Appointments:

Faculty Advisor, *Journal of Contemporary
Legal Issues*
Chair, Legal and Political Systems Special
Interest Group, International Society
for Systems Sciences

**CHRISTOPHER T. WONNELL
(1984)***Publications:*

"The Structure of a General Theory of
Nondisclosure," 41 *Case Western
Reserve Law Review* 329 (1991).

FRED C. ZACHARIAS (1990)*Publications:*

"Structuring the Ethics of Prosecutorial
Trial Practice: Can Prosecutors Do Jus-
tice?" 44 *Vanderbilt Law Review* 45
(1991).
"A Critical Look at Rules Governing
Grand Jury Subpoenas of Attorneys,"
76 *Minnesota Law Review* 917 (1992).

Appointments:

Executive Committee, AALS Section on
Professional Responsibility
Instructor, National Institute of Trial
Advocacy

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'62 30-Year Reunion

CLASS REUNION & GIFT CHAIR:



Herbert Katz
Stroock & Stroock & Lavan
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Los Angeles, CA 90067
(310) 556-5800

'63

The Honorable Victor E. Bianchini was honored in December by the San Diego Trial Lawyers Association for his contributions to the legal community in the field of education and for his military service during Desert Shield/Desert Storm. Bianchini, who has served on the municipal court bench since August 1982, recently retired from the U.S. Marine Corps Reserve as a colonel after 31 years, 7 months of service, including service in Vietnam.

'65

Col. Rufus C. Young Jr. recently published "How Endangered Species Affect Land Use," ALI-ABA Course Material Journal, April 1992. He is a partner and chair of the environmental law department at Burke, Williams & Sorensen in Los Angeles.

'66

Phillip M. Idema is the president of Idema & Keyser, P.C., in Grand Rapids, Mich. A former trustee of the Grand Rapids Bar Association, Idema is the chairperson of the domestic relations committee and is a frequent presenter on public service broadcast media regarding domestic relations.

'67 25-Year Reunion

CLASS REUNION CHAIR:



Charles Rowe
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Suite 1600
San Diego, CA 92101
(619) 233-1900

CLASS GIFT CHAIR:



Michael R. McDonnell
Michael R. McDonnell, Inc.
440 East La Habra Blvd.
La Habra, CA 90631
(310) 694-3821

Robert F. Kuhnert is the head deputy district attorney at the Norwalk, Calif., branch office. He has a daughter currently attending USD Law School and she plans to graduate in 1993. She is his third child to attend USD Law School.

'68

The Honorable William Howatt has succeeded Municipal Court Judge **David Ryan '73** as president of the San Diego County Judges Association. Howatt is with the San Diego Superior Court.

'69

Steven R. Cloud, vice president and attorney of Fresno District Co. & R.V. Cloud Co. in Fresno, Calif., is married, has two children and says hello to his class of 1969!

Craig D. Higgs recently became a member of the board of directors of USD's Law Alumni Association. He is a partner at Higgs, Fletcher & Mack in San Diego.

Catherine Chandler Stevens has been named general counsel of the National Endowment for the Arts. She was formerly the general counsel for Occidental International Corp.

'70

The Honorable Judith N. Keep is the secretary of management of the San Diego Armed Services YMCA.

'72 20-Year Reunion

CLASS REUNION CHAIR:



The Honorable Susan P. Finlay
Municipal Court
South Bay Judicial District
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Chula Vista, CA 91910
(619) 691-4516

CLASS GIFT CHAIR:



Michael B. Kaplan
ARKA Properties Group
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#302
Beverly Hills, CA 90212
(310) 274-2259



Alan R. Block is a land use attorney in Los Angeles. He is a member of the Los Angeles County Black Advisory Committee and is on the Senate Select Committee for Small Business Administration. He is married and has two children, ages 14 and 5.

B. James Brierton Jr. of the law firm Brierton & Jones in San Diego, is a certified masters triathlete.

Barry D. Ladendorf is the supervising deputy attorney general in charge of the recently established health quality enforcement section of the attorney general's office. He is in charge of the San Diego office.

Donald J. MacNeil is married with three children and lives in Fairbanks Ranch, Calif. He is chief of the North County branch of the district attorney's office.

John H. Tannenberg joined the law firm of Hinchy, Witte, Wood, Anderson & Hodges in San Diego in June to head up their family law department. He is a certified family law specialist.

'73

Richard G. Cline of Ring & Cline in Vista, Calif., is president of the North County Bar Association for 1992.

Jules E. Fleuret was appointed to the San Bernardino County Superior Court by Gov. Pete Wilson on Jan. 21. He will be one of four judges sitting on the Desert District in Victorville, Calif. Prior to his appointment, he practiced law for four years with Caldwell & Kennedy in Victorville and served 14 years with the San Bernardino County district attorney's office. At the time of his appointment, he

was president-elect of the San Bernardino County Bar Association.

The Honorable Melinda Lasater and the Honorable David Ryan are directors of the San Diego County Judges Association.

The Honorable Lantz Lewis has been elected presiding judge of El Cajon Municipal Court for 1992 after serving as assistant presiding judge. He succeeds **the Honorable Christine K. Goldsmith '76**.

The Honorable William J. McGrath is the assistant presiding judge of El Cajon Municipal Court.

James J. Mietzel is president of the Foothills Bar Association. He and his wife, **Ann Mietzel '77**, have a general practice in El Cajon. Ann does a lot of probate; Jim handles civil work and some criminal misdemeanors. They have a daughter, Marnie, who is 10 years old.

'74

David S. Bright is the North County Bar Association's Superior Court liaison for 1992.

David S. Casey Jr. was installed in San Francisco as vice president of the California Trial Lawyers Association.

Mary A. Eikel is a principal attorney at the California 4th District Court of Appeal. She was most recently a writs attorney there.

'75

Robert W. Beck, a solo practitioner since 1976 in Torrance, Calif., was elected to serve a four-year term as a member of the

City Council in the city of Rolling Hills Estates, where he resides. He has a daughter who is a sophomore at UCLA, a son who is a junior in high school and another daughter who is 10 years old (and advancing quickly in karate).

Steven R. Denton was elected to San Diego County Bar Association's board of directors. He was also named Trial Lawyer of the Year by the San Diego Trial Lawyers Association.

Jan S. Driscoll recently became a member of the board of directors of USD's Law Alumni Association. She is a partner at Gray, Cary, Ames & Frye in San Diego.

Richard A. Heller is a director of the North County Bar Association in San Diego for 1992.

Thomas F. Steinke is a new partner at Seltzer Caplan Wilkins & McMahon in San Diego.

'76

Clayton M. Anderson is vice president of the Foothills Bar Association.

Anne L. MacArthur, assistant staff judge advocate at the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery, U.S. Navy, manages the Risk Management Branch of the Office of Medico-Legal Affairs. Her office processes all Navy medical malpractice investigations.

William M. McGuigan is a vice president of the South Bay Bar Association.

Gary W. Schons recently became a member of the board of directors of USD's Law Alumni Association. He has succeeded **Harley Mayfield '70** as assistant attorney

general in charge of the criminal division in San Diego.

Judith A. Wenker was recently named a new board member of Big Sisters of Los Angeles, and has been a Big Sister for the past seven years. She is head of the environmental section of the western region legal department of Texaco, Inc., in Universal City, Calif.

'77 *15-Year Reunion*

CLASS REUNION CHAIR:



The Honorable Louisa Porter
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District of California
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Thomas E. Polakiewicz
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Barden & Finegold
12425 Rancho Bernardo Road,
Suite 206
San Diego, CA 92128
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Phillip S. Aurbach is a shareholder in Marquis & Aurbach in Las Vegas, Nev. The firm has eight attorneys and three paralegals. They handle employment law, commercial litigation, bankruptcy, real estate and construction law. When not at work, Aurbach says he can usually be found on the tennis court!



Christine A. Bologna became an administrative law judge with the Public Employment Relations Board on May 1, 1990. She exercises quasi-judicial powers over public schools (kindergarten through community colleges), state civil service and higher education.

Robert F. French has a two-attorney firm in the Lake Tahoe community of Truckee, Calif. French is also a rock 'n roll musician, having played as an opening act for John Nayall & the Bluesbreakers, Leon Russell and Nicollette Larson.

F. David Froman joined the firm of Walraven and Roberts in Prescott, Ariz., in April. Previously, he was a deputy county counsel in San Diego.

Robert R. Heft is a director of the North County Bar Association for 1992.

Gary L. Kincannon of Saxon, Dean, Mason, Brewer & Kincannon in San Diego, has been appointed chairman of the San Diego Chamber's North City Advisory Board.

Robert E. Mann closed his solo New York City law practice and became senior vice president and general counsel of National Recovery Institutes Group in Boca Raton, Fla., in April.

'78

Jeffrey S. Bostwick is engaged in criminal appellate work. He is married to Yoko and has two children: Matthew, age 12, and Jeremiah, age 8.

Sandra J. Brower is the second vice president of the La Jolla Bar Association for 1992.

Greer Diane Knopf took a position as an administrative law judge in August 1990. She is with the office of administrative hearings in San Diego.

John J. McElligott and his wife, Brenda, had a son, Sean Robert, on Oct. 4.



Patricia A. McQuater, a member of the USD law alumni board of directors, was elected in February to serve as president of the board of directors for the San Diego Convention Center Corp. Initially appointed to the board by the mayor and City Council in July 1989, McQuater was elected vice president in November 1990.

Solveig Store retired temporarily to raise her three children after being in private practice for nine years. She is married to Dan Deuprey and her children are Jennifer, 5 years, Daniel, 4 years, and William, 1 year.

Thomas Ulovec is county bar liaison for the South Bay Bar Association. Tom was last year's president.

Daniel S. Weber is treasurer of the Earl B. Gilliam Bar Association.

Christopher Wesierski is the managing partner of Wesierski & Zurek in Irvine, Calif.

'79

Maria Arroyo-Tabin, assistant U.S. attorney and chief of the criminal division in San Diego, has received the



Attorney General's Distinguished Service Award. She is founder and board member of the San Diego Volunteer Lawyer Program and is pro bono chair of Lawyers Club.

Alan H. Charmatz, with the Marin County district attorney's office, has been trying homicide cases for the last three years.

Thomas J. Gilmore was promoted in April 1992 to general counsel and secretary of Van Camp Seafood Co., Inc. He has served as counsel for the company since September 1990. He and his wife, Susan, became parents in November of a baby girl, Kelly Alyse.

Mike L. Koenigsberg is deputy corporation counsel for the city of New Haven, Conn. He is on the board of directors for the Eli Whitney Museum and is also president of New Haven Land Trust.

Charles W. Kranstuber was elected to the City Council in Dublin, Ohio, for a four-year term beginning in January.

Adrienne C. Leonard gave birth to twin girls in December 1990 and was due to give birth to a boy in May.

Abby B. Silverman was the recipient of the Lawyers Club Community Achievement Award this year for her work on behalf of Planned Parenthood.

Jerry D. Spencer, M.D., most recently was the director for clinical services and regional medical examiner at the U.S. Naval Hospital, Yokosuka, Japan. In July, he will be moving to the Walter Reed Army Medical Center in Washington, D.C.

Susan L. Sutton is the chief bankruptcy lawyer for Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher's San Jose office.

Tina Thomas and her husband had their third baby, Sam Abbott. He joins sisters Elisabeth and Mary Claire. Thomas is a partner with Remy & Thomas in Sacramento, Calif.

'80

Arthur N. Buck is a partner at Andersen, Goldberg & Waldron in San Diego.

Robert P. Cheney Jr. resigned as associate attorney general for New Hampshire in April. He began as an associate at Sheehan, Phinney, Bass & Green in May, practicing environmental and military base closure law.

Robert B. Gerard has formed Gerard, Selden & Osuch in San Diego to concentrate on construction defect litigation.

Thomas J. Lincoln's third child was due to be born June 13. He has two other children: John Elliott, 9 years old, and Andrew Murray, 4 years old.

Elinor Merideth is a new partner at Seltzer Caplan Wilkins & McMahon in San Diego, practicing in the area of trusts and estates.

'81

Judith A. Blick has joined Lorber, Volk & Greenfield as a non-equity partner to open an insurance coverage department. She left Haasis, Pope & Correll in San Diego as an associate.

Barbara L. Davis is secretary of the Earl B. Gilliam Bar Association.

Richard DiNapoli and his wife, Julie, are busy raising three children. They also are working extensively to relocate the Grants to San Jose.

Gary Holt, general counsel for the La Jolla Playhouse, joined the office of Charles LeBeau.

Jeffrey J. Koch has succeeded **Gary W. Schons '76** as head of the Asset Forfeiture Program in San Diego.

Alan J. Saxe and his wife, Kay, had a baby boy, Hudson Mitchell, on Nov. 14.

Gerald N. Sims was elected president of the San Diego County Bankruptcy Forum for 1992.

James M. Waters has been elected chairman of the San Diego County Bar Association's public lawyers committee, which has about 700 members. A deputy district attorney in San Diego since 1987, Waters is presently in the Superior Court division.

'82

10-Year Reunion

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CLASS GIFT CHAIR:



Lynn A. Behymer
2745 Jefferson Street,
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Carlsbad, CA 92008
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Karen E. Black received an LL.M. (taxation) in 1986 from George Washington University in Washington, D.C. She is a sole practitioner emphasizing estate planning, tax and general business. Black is secretary of the North County Bar Association for 1992. She is also a state bar delegate for 1991-92.

Mark L. Brandon is a new partner at Ault, Deuprey, Jones & Gorman in San Diego.

Sharon A. Cheever was promoted to vice president and investment counsel at Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Co., Newport Beach, Calif.

H. Mark Davis is currently a special agent for the FBI in Los Angeles. He has also worked for the FBI in Washington, D.C., and Pittsburgh. He is ex-prosecutor for the state of Colorado.

Craig D. Dingwall is director, regulatory affairs, and counsel for Sprint Communications Co. in Washington, D.C.

Ana Espana-Reilly is the supervising attorney for the dependency section of the San Diego public defenders office. They represent abused and neglected children.

Don Gilbert works at Barry Bartholomew & Associates in Costa Mesa, Calif. He and his wife of nine years, Susie, have two

children: Jonathan, 5 years old, and Allison, 2 years old.

Paul G. Hanson has been a sole practitioner in Lynnwood, Wash. He is married, has two children and says he misses San Diego a lot!

Allise K. Jutras is presently working as a senior attorney for the southwestern district office of the Comptroller of the Currency in Dallas.

Edward (Ned) Huntington (LL.M.), a member of the State Bar's board of governors and a partner at Huntington & Haviland in San Diego, is the fifth winner of the annual Norby Award, named for San Diego County Superior Court Judge Norbert Ehrenfreund.



Michael J. Kissane has been named general counsel for CTB, Inc., in Milford, Ind. CTB is the parent corporation for Brock Manufacturing and Chore-Time Equipment,

all of which are headquartered at Milford. Prior to joining CTB, he was in private practice for nine years with the law firm of Strauss & Kissane in San Diego. Kissane is a native of Warsaw, Ind., where he resides with his wife, Barbara, and their two daughters.

Beverly Meyers is a deputy attorney general III for the State of California Department of Justice in San Francisco. She is also an instructor at St. Mary's College paralegal program.

Leslie A. Rose is a staff attorney at Appellate Defenders, Inc., in San Diego. She has two children: Graydon David, born in February 1990, and Melissa Harly, born in March.

David H. Silver stopped practicing law after three years and has been a high school French teacher for the past seven years.

Steven M. Walker is the 1992 Imperial County Bar Association president. He works at the law firm of Horton, Knox, Carter & Foote in Brawley, Calif. His wife, Cheryl, is a legal assistant with the firm. They have two sons: Casey, 12 years old, and Kiel, 9 years old.

John G. Wurm says he is now fishing and skiing in Lake Arrowhead, Calif.

'83

Gary P. Sinkeldam is in charge of the construction litigation department at Shifflet, Walters, Kane & Konoske in San Diego.

Craig Weinstein married Ranée Zulna on Nov. 24.

'84

Steven J. Cologne is a new partner at McInnis, Fitzgerald, Rees, Sharkey & McIntyre in San Diego. He is also chair of the San Diego County Bar delegation.

Kyle Niki Cox is with the California Department of Justice as a deputy attorney general, after five years as a superior court research attorney.



Mary F. Gillick was promoted to partner at Luce, Forward, Hamilton & Scripps in San Diego.

Mark A. Osman is a new partner at Circuit, McKellogg, Kinney & Ross in San Diego.

Alan Brent Rabkin (LL.M.) was promoted from northern counsel to senior counsel at Bank of America N.T. & S.A. in Reno, Nev.

'85

Gail Atkinson married Coby J. Anderson in July 1990. She is a research attorney II with the San Diego Superior Court.

Peter J. Attarian Jr. has become a principal with the law firm of Fisch, Spiegler, Ginsburg & Ladner in San Diego. His practice emphasizes business and real estate litigation. Peter has been working at the firm since 1986.

Guylyn R. Cummins became a partner at Gray, Cary, Ames & Frye in San Diego.

Donald J. DeSisto is an associate with Hinchy, Witte, Wood, Anderson & Hodges. He was previously with Thorsnes, Bartolotta, McGuire & Padilla.

Graham S. Hollis (M.C.L.) became a partner at Ault, Deuprey, Jones & Gorman in San Diego.

Vicki L. Rubin Howton married David Howton in 1988 and is working with her husband practicing worker's compensation defense law.

Dickran A. Semerdjian became a partner in January at Post, Kirby, Noonan & Sweat in San Diego. He and his wife, Peggy, had their second child, Tyler, in April. They also have a daughter, Alyssa, who is 2 years old.

Lyn A. Semeta was honored by the San Diego Volunteer Lawyer Program in January for contributing more than 200 hours of pro bono service.

Robert Wilder has been awarded a Ph.D. with emphasis in international environmental law and policy from the University of California, Santa Barbara. He is currently in the Fiji Islands as a Fulbright Fellow, where he is researching issues in ocean resources policy. He is also a guest lecturer with Cousteau's Project Ocean Search in the South Pacific, and has an article on the topic in the current issue of the Virginia Journal of International Law.

Phillip C. Wing is a new partner at Circuit, McKellogg, Kinney & Ross in San Diego. He is also a director of the La Jolla Bar Association.

'86

Mimi L. Coates formed Coates & McGreevy in September, specializing in small business litigation, land-use and estate planning.

Craig E. Courter is a new partner at Seltzer Caplan Wilkins & McMahon in San Diego.

LuAnn M. Kelley and **Lorne Lazzarini** were honored by the San Diego Volunteer Lawyer Program in January for contributing more than 200 hours of pro bono service.

Garrison "Bud" Klueck is a director of the Foothills Bar Association.

Allyson A. Swaney left the toxic torts section of the county counsel's office to move to Japan with her husband, who was transferred by the Navy.

Anna Tomalino is an associate at Ault, Deuprey, Jones & Gorman in San Diego.

'87

5-Year Reunion

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Miguel A. Smith
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Chris Ambrose
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Christopher Ambrose moved from Haight, Brown & Bonesteel in Los Angeles to Chapin, Fleming & Winet in San Diego in 1991. He and his wife, Tammy, were married one week after he took the bar exam in July 1987.

Robert D. Baker is a partner at the law firm of McCormick and Mitchell in San Diego.

Brian A. Barnhorst has left Lorenz, Alhadeff & Oggel in San Diego after three years to join Duckor & Spradling as an associate.

Jay Bryan Bell and his wife, Elizabeth, have a one-year-old son, Ryan. Bell works with Dowling, Magarian, Phillips & Aaron in Fresno, Calif.

Nancy J. Brinkac is a trial attorney with the Department of Justice in Washington, D.C.

Laurel E. Davis and **George Assad** were married in October on the island of Maui, Hawaii.

Jodi Doucette and **Dennis Doucette '86** have two daughters: Lauren, born in January 1990, and Chanelle, born in November 1991. Jodi has been a trial attorney in the child abuse unit, county counsel, for four years.

Robert C. Greif has relocated to Connecticut and is working at Diserio, Martin, O'Connor & Castiglioni in Stamford. He says he lasted in New York City 3-1/2 years, longer than most people had bet!

William T. LaVelle is a senior trial attorney for narcotics-related homicide cases in the Brooklyn district attorney's office.

Casey G. Lilienfeld has been a public defender in Los Angeles County since 1988. He is married and has one daughter.

David A. Perkins became a partner at Corona, Balistreri & Ramseyer in San Diego. He joined the firm in 1987.

Russell Primeaux is a deputy staff judge advocate with the U.S. Marine Corps in New Orleans. He and his wife, Valerie, had their third child, Phillip Alan, in December.

Kneave Riggall (LL.M.) has joined the faculty of the USC School of Accounting as a part-time lecturer. He is teaching advanced individual tax planning as part of USC's master of business taxation program.

Steven M. Romanoff left Gray, Cary, Ames & Frye in San Diego after 4-1/2

years in May to start his own practice in conjunction with fellow alumni **Shelley Wilensky** by joining his firm, Laturno & Wilensky, as of counsel.

Agnes Y. Ruskowski plans to wed Fire Captain Wes Alston on Oct. 10.

'88

Dorsett Marc Lyde was among a delegation of 12 civil trial lawyers invited by the Russian Ministry of Justice to present two mock jury trials and participate in discussions of the conduct of American civil law. Lyde departed on April 24 and first presented a mock trial at the Kremlin in Moscow and then a second one in St. Petersburg. The trial advocacy group returned to the United States on May 5.

Catherine Lynch McKee and her husband, Bert, became parents on July 25, 1991, with the birth of their son, Timothy.

Sherry K. Salls recently opened her own law practice in Temecula, Calif., and completed a term as president of the Hemet-Mt. San Jacinto Bar Association.

Todd F. Stevens was honored by the San Diego Volunteer Lawyer Program in January for contributing more than 200 hours of pro bono service.

'89

David Graves joined Laturno & Wilensky in San Diego as a senior associate.

Andrew L. Kozlowski left Jennings, Engstrand & Henrikson in February to spend a year in Warsaw working with Poland's Ministry of Finance on a bank privatization and mortgage banking program. He remains of counsel at Jennings,

Engstrand, coordinating the firm's efforts in Poland. His wife, **Joanne Evoy '84**, a deputy district attorney in the juvenile division, and one-year-old daughter, Barbara, went with him to Poland.

Kathleen A. Rabin of Brown, Martin, Haller & McClain in San Diego has passed the patent bar.

Marsha Redmon joined the firm of Mazarella, Dunwoody & Wilson in San Diego, after having worked for Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher.

David H. Wise's daughter, Katherine Elizabeth Wise, was born in November 1990.

'90

Denise P. Blasband has joined Hinchy, Witte, Wood, Anderson & Hodges in Rancho Bernardo. Blasband was previously with Gray, Cary, Ames & Frye in San Diego.

Felipe C. Cervantes (also LL.M. '91) is treasurer of the South Bay Bar Association for 1992.

K. Todd Curry has joined the firm of Shenan, Shaw & Spievak in San Diego as an associate.

Nina C. Davis is working at the Pima County district attorney's office, criminal division, in Tucson, Ariz.

Kenneth J. Hara is working at the Stanislaus County district attorney's office.

Karin V. Keuilian is an associate at Andersen, Goldberg & Waldron in San Diego.



Gay D. Morgan will start clerking for Judge C. Arlen Beam of the 8th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in August.

Janet M. O'Neill has moved back to her hometown of San Luis Obispo and has joined the O'Neill Law Firm, a general practice firm, practicing with her father, mother and uncle.

Debra A. Piscitelli joined Allen, Matkins, Leck, Gamble & Mallory in San Diego as an associate.

Adan A. Schwartz is not working with the Department of Energy in Oak Ridge, Tenn., as was incorrectly stated in the last issue of the *Advocate*. Though it was his plan to do so at one time, he has remained as a staff attorney in the general counsel's office of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency in Washington, D.C.

Michael C. Spata (LL.M.) is a partner at Andersen, Keleher & Spata in Manhattan Beach, Calif.

Gilda L. Spencer is a board member of the Earl B. Gilliam Bar Association.

Susan Westover and **Dale J. Giali** are engaged and are planning an August wedding. Westover works at Murtaugh, Miller, Meyer & Nelson in Orange, Calif.

'91

John P. Altomare and **Sharie A. Johnson**, assistant director, USD Career Services, are to be married Sept. 5 at Founders Chapel, USD campus. Altomare relocated to Indianapolis in April and is a staff attorney with the National Legal Center for the Medically Dependent & Disabled. After a honeymoon to the Pacific Northwest and Canada, the couple will live in Indianapolis.

Daniel A. Andrist and **Susan A. Rose** are associates at Seltzer Caplan Wilkins & McMahon in San Diego.

Kris T. Ballard is working at Jones, Jones, Close & Brown, Chartered, in Las Vegas, Nev. He passed the Nevada bar in August 1991 and was sworn in Oct. 11. He and his wife, Tracy, had their first baby girl, Hannah Ellen, on Aug. 29.

Nancy L. Beattie is working at Adams, Duque & Hazeltine in San Diego.

Maryann D'Addezio was appointed to the position of deputy public defender I with the law offices of the Los Angeles County public defender.

Bradley S. Ellis joined Horton, Knox, Carter & Foote in El Centro, Calif.

William C. Getty and **Sarah S. Madruga-Denz** are associates at Stutz, Gallagher & Artiano in San Diego.

Lisa M. Goeden and **Brian T. Hackley** are associates at Walton, Ottesen, Meads, Kiler & Hack in San Diego.

S. Ward Heinrichs is working at the law offices of Michaela Curran in San Diego.

Mitchell M.T. Kam is working and living in Dusseldorf, Germany, this summer. He is at a commercial real estate development company, WilmaGmgh, until Aug. 14. In a postcard, Mitchell said, "I'd love to hear from any fellow classmates or graduates in the area." Mitchell will be attending Erasmus University in Rotterdam, Holland, from September through December 1992. He'll head back to Austin, Texas, in January to finish his last semester of the MBA program at the University of Texas.

Matthew Adam Keces is working for the international shipowner Sanko Steamship Co. in Tokyo, Japan. His work is diverse and ranges from arbitration to chartering. He plans to remain in Tokyo for two to three years.

Walter H. Kubelun is working at Bonne, Jones, Bridges, Mueller & O'Keefe in Los Angeles.

Michael Garden Lubitz is the inside general counsel for Kyocera Industrial Ceramic Corp. in Vancouver, Wash. He has passed the Oregon bar exam and is planning to take the Washington bar exam. His wife, Kari, gave birth to a baby boy, Joseph Benjamin.

Jennifer L. McCombs Kelly and **Leann A. Sumner** are associates at Brobeck, Phleger & Harrison in San Diego.

Bradley W. Nemeth (LL.M.) has joined the law offices of **J. Douglass Jennings Jr.** '71 in San Diego as head of its corporate/tax division.

Scott S. Payzant is working at Higgs, Fletcher & Mack in San Diego.

Richard James Schnieders is working at Marks & Golia in San Diego.

Jeanne M. Simpson-White is an associate at McInnis, Fitzgerald, Rees, Sharkey & McIntyre in San Diego.

Lincoln Smith-Quintana married Dr. P.J.E. Quintana and they are expecting a daughter in July. Lincoln is working at Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher in Los Angeles, specializing in intellectual property.

Julie A. Stern and **Douglas A. Watkins** were married May 18, 1991, and moved to

Washington, D.C. Doug works for the Internal Revenue Service.

Anne Marie Urrutia is a law clerk for Judge George Brody at the U.S. Bankruptcy Court in San Diego.

Mary L. Waltari is an associate at Post, Kirby, Noonan & Sweat.

IN MEMORIAM

The School of Law community extends deepest sympathy to the family and friends of the deceased.

'62

Russell L. Sparling died March 28, 1991. He retired in 1986 after 23 years with the legislative counsel. He was 64.

'76



Lorraine Bassoff died on Jan. 13 in Sacramento. She is survived by her husband, **Steven Bassoff '76**. Steve writes that he and Lorraine had been in private practice together

as Bassoff and Bassoff in Sacramento since 1987. Prior to that, Lorraine was an assistant clinical professor at McGeorge School of Law from August 1983 to August 1987.



Gregory Q. Greenheck was killed in a car accident on Jan. 5 in Minnesota. He was 40 years old. He is survived by his wife, Leanne, two daughters, Kaitlin, 5

years old, and Anne, 2 years old, his parents of Wabasha, Minn., and eight brothers and sisters.

The Honorable Russell L. Thrasher died on April 3. He was an administrative law judge for the Unemployment Insurance Appeals Board in San Diego. [Editor's Note: The Asian Pacific American Law Students Association (APALSA) asks friends and classmates of Judge Thrasher to consider a contribution to the USD School of Law in his name. The students are organizing an annual scholarship award.]

'80

David B. Florance died in a boating accident in November. He worked for the San Diego County counsel's office.

'94

On Jan. 24, second-year evening student **Michael Konz, 25**, was fatally shot following a grievance hearing with a fired General Dynamics employee. Michael was a human resources representative at General Dynamics' Convair Division in San Diego. The Arizona native received his undergraduate degree at Arizona State University.

Classmates Wendy Schmitt, Leslie Olson, Ken Roberts, Michael Shevlin, Matt Murphy and Luke Ryan worked diligently to set up a memorial fund in Michael's name. They were successful in raising more than \$7,000 this spring. The endowed memorial scholarship will benefit a continuing evening student in the upper half of the class who works full-time. Michael's classmates want the recipients to embody Michael's philanthropy, wit, optimism, integrity and his dedication to the study of law.

CORRECTION

In the Fall/Winter 1991/1992 issue of the Advocate, a listing of USD School of Law alumni who currently serve as judges appeared on page 10. The following names were omitted, bringing the final count to 81 USD alumni judges:

1964

The Honorable Robert H. Gallivan, West Orange County Municipal Court, Westminster, Calif.

1970

The Honorable Hideo Chino, Referee, Superior Court, San Diego

1973

The Honorable James L. Ducknick, Commissioner, Municipal Court, San Diego

The Honorable Elden S. Fox, Municipal Court, Beverly Hills, Calif.

1974

The Honorable Carol Muehling Frausto, Municipal Court, San Diego

1976

The Honorable John M. Thompson, Superior Court, San Diego

Additionally, **The Honorable Ernestine D. Littlejohn '74** was listed incorrectly as serving on the Superior Court in San Diego. Her current appointment is: **The Honorable Ernestine D. Littlejohn**, Unemployment Insurance Appeals Board, San Diego.

Mary E. Harvey '59 wrote to remind the editor about the retired judges who graduated from USD, including: **The Honorable Robert J. Cooney '58**, **The Honorable Richard J. Donovan Jr. '59** and **The Honorable Carl E. Ericson '60**.

1992 GRADUATION AWARDS

CLINICAL EDUCATION

Outstanding Civil Clinic Interns:

Philip Coats, Martin Kovalsky

Outstanding Environmental Clinic

Intern: Suzanne Varco

Outstanding Immigration Clinic Intern:

Teresa Robinson

Outstanding Public Interest Law

Advocate: David Hicks

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ADVOCATES

Outstanding Trial Competition Team:

Louis Bertsche, Nicola Blair, Robert
Strauss

ORDER OF BARRISTERS AWARDS

Nicola Blair, Ann Bradley, Kevin Childs,
Campbell Finlay, Raymond Katrinak III,
Jeffrey Pratt, Kristen Young Rayder, Janet
Richardson, Robert Strauss, Michael
Tunink

JOSEPH P. BUSCH JR. CRIMINAL
JUSTICE AWARD

Outstanding Student in Criminal Justice:

Cynthia Grimm

BRUNDAGE AND ZELLMAN
AWARD

Excellence in Labor Law:

Edward Gassman

MASTER OF COMPARATIVE LAW
AWARD

MCL Student with Highest Grade Point

Average: Victor Theng-Kok Chew

GENERAL GEORGE W. HICKMAN
JR. AWARD

Outstanding Student in Constitutional

Law: Thomas Elsner

RANDOLPH A. READ LAW AND
PSYCHIATRY AWARD

Outstanding Contribution to Law and
Psychiatry: William Eddy, 1991; John
Henry, 1992

JAMES R. WEBB ENVIRONMENTAL
LAW AWARD

Outstanding Student in Environmental
Law: Terry Kilpatrick

IRVIN J. KAHN AWARD

Excellence in Real Property Courses:
Elizabeth Ryner

LAW ALUMNI ASSOCIATION
SERVICE AWARD

Outstanding Service to the Law School:
Shawn Randolph

PETER DURBIN MEMORIAL AWARD

Greatest Increase in Grade Point
Average, First to Third Year:
Edward Gassman

RESEARCH INSTITUTE OF
AMERICA, INC.

J.D. Excellence in Taxation Law:
Karl Wiersholm

LL.M. Excellence in Taxation Law:
Kevin Bagley

GRADUATE TAX AWARD

Excellence in Federal Tax Policy:
Stephen Talmadge

RALPH GANO MILLER TAX AWARD

Excellence in Taxation Law:
Amy Goldstein

MATTHEW MADNICK INSURANCE
LAW AWARD

Excellence in Insurance Law:
Julie Dunne

BUREAU OF NATIONAL AFFAIRS
AWARD

Greatest Increase in Grade Point

Average, Final Year: Sarah Overton

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARDS

Luis Blanco, Brian Chu, Anne Dierickx,
Judith Hartwig, Franklin Heredia, Traci
Hoppes, Rosemarie Kwiatkowski, Shawn
Randolph, Tamela Ridley, Michael
Tunink

DEAN'S AWARDS FOR LEGAL
SCHOLARSHIP

Highest Cumulative Grade Point

Average, Evening Division:

Blaise Jackson

Highest Cumulative Grade Point

Average, Day Division: Julie Miller

Aug. 24

First day of Law School classes.

Aug. 27

Diversity reception for incoming law students and diversity alumni, Hahn University Center. Contact Janet Mad-den '84, (619) 260-4600, ext. 2817.

Aug. 29

SBA-sponsored fall picnic. Former SBA officers and all alums welcome.

Sept. 18, 19 and 20

Law Alumni Weekend

- Reunions for the classes of 1962, 1967, 1972, 1977, 1982 and 1987.
- Michael Mohr Memorial Golf Tournament.
- Distinguished Alumni Award Luncheon.
1992 Recipient: The Honorable David B. Moon '67.
- MCLE classes for all alumni.
- Sea World reception for all alumni.

Sept. 14 - Nov. 6

On-campus Interviews.
Contact Susan Benson, Career Services,
(619) 260-4771.

Oct. 5

California State Bar Annual Meeting and
USD Law Alumni Luncheon,
San Francisco.

Nov. 6-7

USD Law Review Symposium:
American Law Institute Study on Enter-
prise Responsibility for Personal Injury.
For more information, contact Law
Review at (619) 260-4531.

Nov. 10

Law Alumni Advisor Program Reception.

Nov. 12

USD Law Alumni Reception, Washing-
ton, D.C.

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