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# Taylor Times

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AUGUST/SEPTEMBER 1993

*Welcome* Class of '96

*Welcome* Back

Classes of '94 & '95

August 1993						
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September 1993						
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**August 23 - 24**

Registration and Orientation

**August 24 - 27**

Introductory Period for the Class of '96

**August 25**

Upper level classes begin.

Religion, Morality, Ethics and The Law

UT Associate Professor of Psychology

Michael G. Johnson presents "How

Lawyers Think" - Noon - St. John's

Cathedral, 413 West Cumberland

Avenue. Using the findings of a research

project comparing reasoning processes in

expert and novice personal injury lawyers

and other sources, Professor Johnson will

explore some aspects of lawyer reasoning

and the ethical implications of the

"malleability of reality." For further

information, call the Knoxville Bar

Association at 522-6522.

**August 27**

Dean's Reception for new law students

Faculty Club - 3:30 - 5:00 p.m.

**August 30**

The Class of '96 begins classes

**September 1**

Drop deadline for courses oversubscribed

on the first day of class - Records Office

**September 2**

Add deadline and Change to S/NC,

Grades, Etc. - Records Office

**September 4**

UT v. Louisiana Tech at home

**September 6**

Labor Day. No classes. Administrative

offices and Law Library closed.

**September 8**

Drop without a "W" - Records Office

**September 11**

UT v. Georgia at home

**September 17**

On-campus interviewing begins.

**September 18**

First Annual *Tennessee Law Review*

Ethics Seminar. See page 4.

UT v. Florida at Gainesville

**September 22**

Diploma Application Meeting for

December grads - 11:00 a.m. - Room

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**September 25**

Dean's Circle Meeting

UT v. Louisiana State at home

**UP-COMING EVENTS!**

■ **October 1**

Homecoming CLE "Make Your Computer Earn It\$ Keep" - 12:45 - 4:15 p.m. - Room 118 - \$40 per person. Law students may attend free of charge if space is available. Stop by Suite 14 for further information.

Reunions for the Classes of '88, '83, '78, '73, '68, '63, '58, '53, '48, '43, '38, '33 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. - Hyatt Regency in the Carolina Room - \$10 per person

■ **October 2**

UT Football Homecoming. Traditional food, music and fun on the front lawn of GCT (2 hours before kick-off) Buddy's Buffet (barbecue, sauce, bun, baked beans, slaw, and drink) \$6 per person \*Homecoming is being coordinated by the Office of Development and Alumni Affairs, Suite 14.

■ **October 15**

Academic Awards Banquet.

■ **October 22**

Fall Break. No classes.

■ **November 5**

1993 Alumni Distinguished Lecture in Jurisprudence by Milner S. Ball, Professor of Law, University of Georgia School of Law - Noon - Moot Court Room



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 This Week at GCT/*Taylor Times*/  
 Publications/News Releases ..... Suite 14  
 Vending Machine Refunds ..... Suite 14

## Aarons, Blaze Join Faculty

Dwight Aarons accepted an offer to become an Associate Professor of Law at GCT and Douglas A. Blaze accepted an offer to be the Director of Clinical Programs. Professor Aarons will teach civil procedure and criminal law. His office is located in A-108 in the Annex. Professor Blaze will teach civil advocacy and trial practice. He is located in Room A-19 in the Clinic.

Professor Aarons earned a B.A. in 1986 and a J.D. in 1989 from the University of California in Los Angeles. He served as a law clerk for the Honorable Lawrence W. Pierce, of the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit and was a staff attorney for the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit before joining the GCT faculty this year.

Professor Aarons is the author of "Nationwide Preclearance of Section Five of the 1965 Voting Rights Act: Implementing the Fifteenth Amendment," which appeared in an 1989 issue of the *National Black Law Journal*.

Professor Blaze earned a B.S. in 1976 from Dickinson College and a J.D. in 1984 from Georgetown where he was a member of the law review. After graduation from law school, Professor Blaze became an associate with the Phoenix, Arizona law firm of Fennemore, Craig, von Ammon, Udall & Powers. He began his teaching career in 1986 at Arizona State University College of Law in Tempe and taught civil procedure, clinic, natural resources, and trial advocacy.

He has written a book, *Arizona Law of Negligence* (with J. Lankford) and has had articles published in the Arizona, Georgetown, and William and Mary law reviews. Professor Blaze served on the Board of Directors of the Arizona Capital Representation Project and the Arizona State University Homeless Legal Assistance Project. He served as a Judge Pro Tem for the Arizona Court of Appeals in the fall of 1991. Professor Blaze and his wife Christy live in west Knoxville with their son Daniel.

## Visiting Faculty 1993-94

D. Fenton Adams of the University of Arkansas School of Law, Little Rock has accepted a visitor's position to teach Commercial Law and Insurance. Professor Adams earned an A.B. in 1947 and an LL.B. in 1949 from Dickinson College where he served as editor in chief of the *Dickinson Law Review*. Before joining the faculty at the University of Arkansas in 1977, Professor Adams taught at Dickinson School of Law. He teaches commercial law, commercial paper, contracts, and insurance.

Leo J. Raskind of Minnesota has accepted a visitor's position to teach Anti-trust and Income Tax. Professor Raskind earned a Ph.D. in 1952 from the London School of Economics and an LL.B. in 1955 from Yale. He has also taught law courses at Ohio State and Vanderbilt.

Daniel M. Sklar has taken a leave of absence from the Los Angeles law firm of Sklar, Coben, Levinson & Dorenstein, Inc. to accept a visitor's position to teach Entertainment Law and Trial Practice. He has been involved in all aspects of entertainment law and litigation for over thirty years and has practiced coast-to-coast. Professor Sklar earned an A.B. in 1949 from the University of Colorado and an LL.B. in 1952 from Harvard. His interest in writing lead to several articles on trusts and jurisprudence. He is a member of the Beverly Hills, California and American Bar Associations, and the Los Angeles Copyright Society.

Dr. Jurgen Salzwedel of Bonn, Germany, has accepted a visitor's position to teach Comparative Environmental Law. Dr. Salzwedel earned a J.D. in 1957 and has studied law at Berlin, Cologne and Humboldt Universities. In 1988, he visited UT as part of the Knoxville-Bonn Exchange Seminar and presented a lecture entitled, "Water Management Objectives in the Execution of Federal Water Law and Effluent Charging." Dr. Salzwedel is a member of the Board of the German Water Protection Union and the Environmental Law Society. He also serves as an environmental advisor to the Commission of the European Community.

## Yarbrough Joins NC Faculty

Marilyn V. Yarbrough, UT College of Law Dean from 1987-91, accepted an offer to join the faculty at the University of North Carolina School of Law in Chapel Hill. She was the 1992-93 William Rand Kenan, Jr. Visiting Professor of Law at North Carolina. Professor Yarbrough will teach torts, professional responsibility, race and gender, and sports law.

She is developing a professional responsibility course with emphasis on public interest law. Her busy schedule has not slowed since dropping the title of Dean. This spring alone she has been the featured speaker at five programs and is writing two articles on race discrimination in elementary and secondary education. One article is titled "Resegregative Effects of School Choice Voucher Systems"; the other article is on hate speech on campuses.

With husband Dave working in Columbia, South Carolina, she feels she is in the best of both worlds. Being close to family and close to friends, especially College of Law alumni, delights her. "North Carolina is a fine school," says Marilyn, "and my position there will allow me to keep close contact with Tennessee."

Daughter Carmen and Carla also keep her on the run. Carmen will be married this year in Texas. Carla will be a junior at Kenyon College in Gambier, Ohio, where she is an outstanding swimmer. She has also received the Barry M. Goldwater Scholarship for this academic year.

## Student Stuff

Congratulations to the following students on their selection to the Hamilton Burnett Chapter of the American Inns of Court. They are: Nicole Bandy, Steele Clayton, Jonathan Cole, Micki Griffin, Jason Hood, Barbara Johnson, Michelle Johnson, Cynthia Richardson. Cindy Shoffner, Michael Stagg, Jane Stahl, Tina Treiss.

## ■ Presenting the Class of '96 ■

Approximately 170 first-year law students will register Monday, August 23, 1993. They will collectively be known as the Class of '96. After four days of introductory classes, they will begin their odyssey.

They come from the District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Kentucky, Maryland, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Montana, Nebraska, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, South Carolina, Virginia, Washington and, of course, from every corner of Tennessee. Their ranks also include representatives from Puerto Rico, Sweden, and West Africa.

They have studied accounting, anthropology, business administration, communications, computer science, criminal justice, cytotechnology, design, education, economics, engineering, english, finance, french, german, government, history, industrial and labor relations, industrial relations and management, international relations, journalism, literature, management, mathematics, nursing, philosophy, political science, psychology, public administration, sociology, speech, textile science, and theatre at small and large colleges and universities across the United States. Many have been on Dean's Lists. They are members of various honor societies and winners of numerous scholarships and awards.

Among their numbers are members of the National Parks and Conservation Association, the American Heart Association, the American Vocational Education Research Association, Greenpeace, People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals, World Wildlife Fund, the American Diabetes Association, and the Sierra Club.

Their civic activities include volunteering in organizations that help the homeless, special athletics, high school dropouts, the sick, juveniles, the environment, children, the elderly, and criminals.

The class also includes an Eagle Scout, a crewer (Women's Lightweight Four), a dancer, a puppeteer, the proud father of Maggie, a foster parent, and a Girl Scout leader.

Previous careers for some of the Class of '96 include being in the Navy; working as a legal assistant, as a news anchor, as a pharmacy technician, for UPS, for the Department of Energy; and serving as an intern for Congressman Bart Gordon.

The faculty, administration and staff of GCT welcomes each of them. Let's make it a terrific three years together!

### Dean's List - Summer 1993

Jane Anderson  
John Jacob Bandeian, Jr.  
Deborah L. Brooks  
Howard L. Cleveland IV  
Patrick Dean Conley  
Derek Chase Crownover  
Christopher Sean Dunn  
Matthew C. Kline  
Catherine Eleanor Krane  
Randall J. Phillips  
Richard Douglas Plumley  
Richard Christopher Rose  
Ann Elizabeth Sartwell  
Elizabeth S. Sowa  
May Johnson Templeton  
Jerry Williams  
Kurt Gregory Williams

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## The "Let's Go For It" Section for Law Students

The National Center for Preventive Law presents its annual writing contest. The paper should be about preventative law. Preventative law is a philosophy of law and a method of professional practice that emphasizes reducing risks and maximizing legal opportunities in the conduct of business and personal affairs. Cash prizes will be awarded to the winners. Deadline: December 31, 1993.

## Who's Who in Student Organizations

### BLSA

President: Maurice King  
Vice President: Chenise Wiley  
Secretary: Linda McCain-Parsons  
Treasurer: Kimberly Price  
Parliamentarian: Tonya Lloyd

### Environmental Law Association

President: Teri Rhodes  
Treasurer: John Enkema  
Speakers Chair: Richard Thornburgh  
Newsletter Editor: Rob Rollins  
Fundraising Chair: Margaret Moore  
Pro Bono Chair: Marti Williams  
Publicity: Mike Eastridge  
Recycling Chair: Robert Manning

### Law Review

Editor in Chief: Michael Stagg  
Managing Editor: Kim Mitchell

### Moot Court Board

Chair: Jonathan Cole  
Vice Chair: Jane Stahl  
Secretary/Treasurer: Tina Treiss

### SBA

President: Jason Hood  
Vice President: Barbara Johnson  
Secretary: Lida Hoskins  
Treasurer: Mia Gianotti

**TAYLOR TRIVIA:** Who in the GCT family discovered a long-lost relative here in the hallowed halls? Answer to last month's Taylor Trivia: Professor Glenn Reynolds represented Tennessee at the national spelling bee in his youth and placed 26th in the country.

**Faculty Facts**

**Fran Ansley ...**

... had an article, "Standing Rusty and Rolling Empty: Law, Poverty, and America's Eroding Industrial Base," published in 81 *Georgetown Law Journal* 1757 (1993).

... was the featured banquet speaker at a conference on Women and Economic Development: Local and International Perspectives which was sponsored by West Virginia University and the Ms. Foundation. The conference was held at West Virginia Wesleyan in Buckhannon in June.

... was a moderator for a community forum on the North American Free Trade Agreement in June in Knoxville.

... co-wrote and co-signed a pro bono brief on behalf of the Federation for Industrial Renewal and Retention which was filed in *Ypsilanti v. General Motors*, the Michigan state court case where a township is trying to prevent GM from moving jobs during the life of a multi-million dollar tax abatement granted earlier by Ypsilanti.

... spoke to the Tennessee Bar Auxiliary in May on Sexual Harassment and The Law.

... attended a conference on Teaching and Diversity which was sponsored by the Society of American Law Teachers. The conference was held at New York University in May.

**Reba Best ...**

...has been promoted to the rank of Professor by the University of Tennessee Board of Trustees.

... is the co-author (with Cheryn Picquet) of a book, *Computer Law and Software Protection: A Bibliography of Crime, Liability, Abuse and Security, 1984 through 1992*, which has been published by McFarland & Company.

**Neil Cohen ...**

... has taken a leave of absence and will spend the next four months in Paris, France with his family.

**Bob Lloyd ...**

... had an article, "Tennessee Adopts Article 2A of the UCC," published in the July/August issue of *The Tennessee Bar Journal*.

**Jerry Phillips...**

... had his fourth edition of *Products Liability in a Nutshell* published by West Publishing.

**Cheryn Picquet ...**

... is the co-author (with Reba Best) of a book, *Computer Law and Software Protection: A Bibliography of Crime, Liability, Abuse and Security, 1984 through 1992*, which has been published by McFarland & Company.

**Glenn Reynolds ...**

... has been approved the award of tenure at the University of Tennessee College of Law by the Board of Trustees.

... had his review of Carl Q. Christol's book, *Space Law: Past, Present, and Future*, appear in the Spring 1993 issue of *Jurimetrics Journal*.

**Barbara Stark ...**

... has been selected as the Carden Research Fellow for 1993. She plans to write an article on feminist rhetoric and the international bill of rights.



**Personnel Particulars**

Our condolences to Evelyn Carr on the death of her mother this month and to Dean Wirtz on the death of his mother-in-law last month.



Matt Dessem, son of Dean Larry Dessem, attended the Governor's School for the Humanities at UT-Martin in July.



Emily Pierce, daughter of Professor Carl Pierce, received several scholarships after her graduation from Webb School in May. They include a scholarship award from Webb School for outstanding academic achievement, the Margaret and Leonhard Scheuermann Trophy for scholarship, integrity and graciousness of spirit, the Ruth Graf Award for English, and the James C. Linville Award. Emily will attend Princeton this fall.

**Career Services**

■ Read *Tennessee Student Job Briefs* each month.

■ Check Career Services Bulletin Boards regularly.

■ Joann Rothery, Director of Career Services, will serve as Southeastern Region Vice Chair of the Alternative Careers Committee of the National Association for Law Placement (NALP). She also serves on their Counseling Concerns Committee. The Concerns Committee is working on a book titled, *Guide to Interviewing for a Legal Position*. Joann attended the NALP's annual meeting in June in Seattle.

**First Annual Tennessee Law Review Ethics Seminar**

**Saturday, September 18**

**9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.**

**UT University Center**

**3 hours of Tennessee CLE**

**\$75 for lawyers;**

**\$35 for non-lawyers**

Program:

Ethical Problems in Estate Planning and Administration

F. Evans Harvill, Daniel, Harvill, Batson & Nolan, Clarksville, Tennessee

Conflicts of Interest Problems

Ed E. Williams III, Baker, Worthington, Crossley, Stansberry & Wolf, Johnson City, Tennessee

Ethical Problems in Trial Practice

Donald F. Paine, Paine, Swiney & Tarwater, Knoxville, Tennessee

For more information, contact Micki Fox in the TLR Office.