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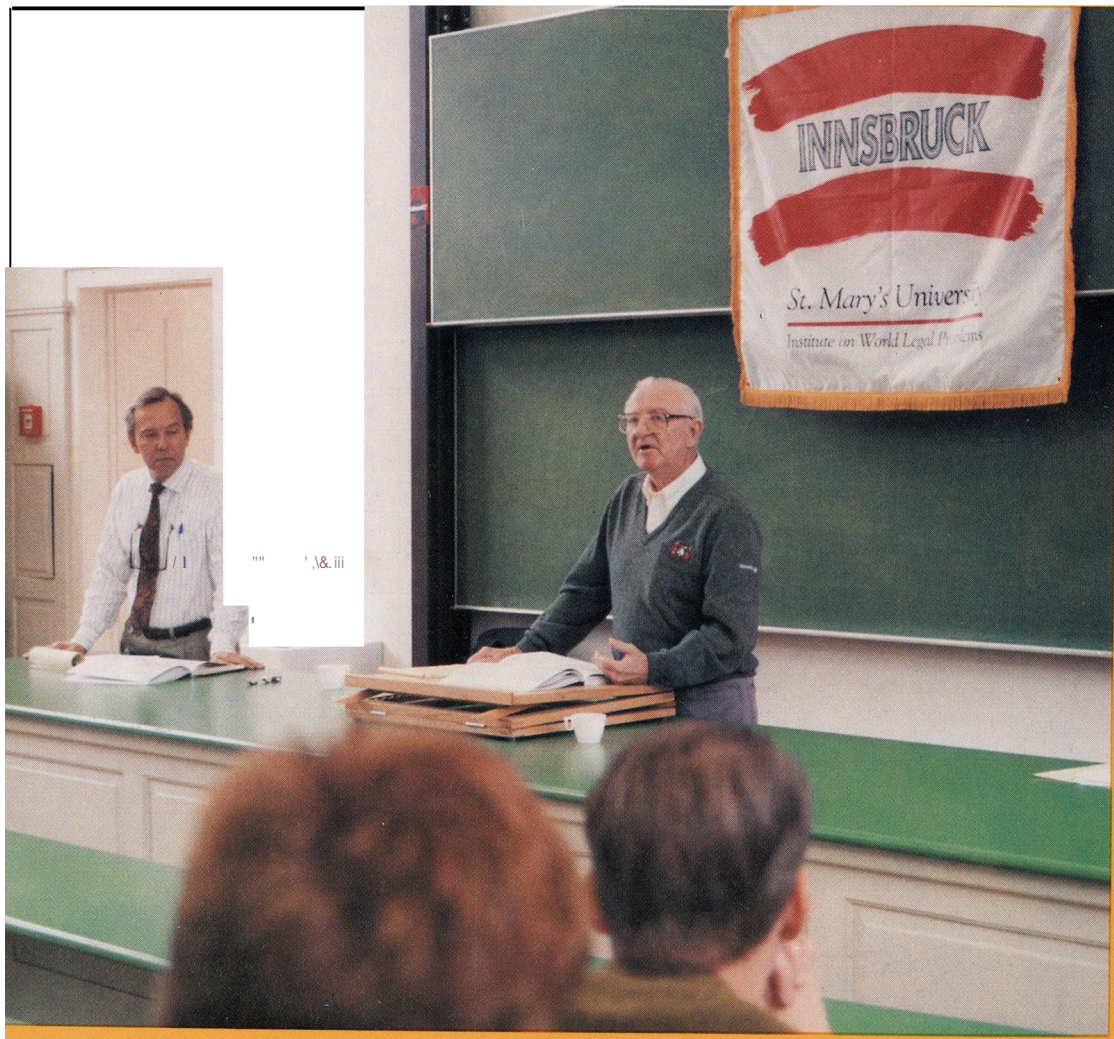
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On the cover:

The Honorable John Paul Stevens, Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court, discusses the U.S. Constitution with law students at the St. Mary's Institute on World Legal Problems in Innsbruck, Austria. Looking on is Professor David Dittfurth, who co-taught with Justice Stevens during the summer 1993 session.

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St. Mary's University School of Law was founded in 1927 in San Antonio, Texas, by the San Antonio Bar Association. Seven years later, the School of Law became part of St. Mary's University, an independent Catholic institution established in 1852 by four Brothers of the Society of Mary.

St. Mary's seeks to give its students the knowledge and the attributes of mind and character essential to the effective rendition of public service in one of the learned professions. The School of Law seeks to impart to its students a clear understanding of the true function and aim of the legal system - the attainment of justice.

St. Mary's University School of Law was approved by the American Bar Association in 1948. It was admitted to membership in the Association of American Law Schools in 1949.

Enrollment is limited to approximately 700 students.

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A Word from the Dean



Barbara Bader Aldave

In last year's *Annual Report*, I wrote that the byword of the previous three years had been *change*. During the 1992-1993 academic year, we continued to change things at St. Mary's University School of Law. Our goal was not and is not simply to make things different, of course, but to make them better.

In my view, the most fundamental of the changes that have occurred at St. Mary's over the past few years is the growth of *diversity* within the School of Law. Our faculty, staff, and student body are far more representative than ever before of all the racial and ethnic groups that make up our society. Today, our second- and third-year students can choose from a much wider variety of courses, seminars, externships, and clinical offerings than were available to their predecessors. Our professors now employ a broad array of teaching methods, and their scholarship runs the gamut from the thoroughly traditional to the genuinely innovative. Acting on their own initiative, our students have formed a host of vibrant new organizations, through which they are developing their special talents and pursuing their individual interests in collaboration with others who share their goals. Virtually every week, one or another of these organizations sponsors a lecture, symposium, conference, or reception for the benefit of all of us who are connected with the School of Law.

Even while we at St. Mary's celebrate our diversity, we have a heightened sense of our unifying mission. We are keenly aware that our School of Law, as part of a Catholic university located near the border between a highly developed and a rapidly developing nation, has a special role to play in training future lawyers.

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As you peruse this year's *Dean's Report*, you will see how we are translating our general principles into everyday practice. You will read about our new staff members and administrators, our joint-degree programs, our international initiatives, our student organizations, our scholarly achievements, and our community-service activities. You will learn, too, about the ways in which you and your colleagues have been supporting our work. And, we hope, you will gain a clearer idea of why, at the beginning of 1994, St. Mary's University School of Law is an exciting place to be.

Barbara Bader Aldave

New at St. Mary's!

New people, new programs: St. Mary's continues to strike out in new directions while building upon the strengths of the past.



Yvonne Cherena Pacheco

A New Associate Dean

Yvonne Cherena Pacheco joined the administration of the School of Law in September 1992 as Associate Dean for Enrollment Management. A Puerto Rican and native New Yorker, Associate Dean Cherena grew up in New York City, on the West Side of Manhattan and in the South Bronx. She joined the Sparkill Dominicans in 1967.

Cherena came to St. Mary's from the District of Columbia School of Law where she taught for four years as a member of the founding faculty. In addition to teaching legal writing, she was actively involved in the school's clinical programs. She founded and served as the supervising attorney of the consumer component of the Housing/Consumer Clinic, and she co-founded the HIV/AIDS Clinic. During the 1991-92 academic year, she also served as the chair of the school's admissions committee.

As Associate Dean at St. Mary's, Cherena staged the first "Day-in-the-Life-of-a-Law-Student" Open House ever held by the School of Law. The daylong event attracted more than 200 prospective students, most of whom hailed from Texas but some of whom came from other states. In her first year at St. Mary's, Associate Dean Cherena succeeded in increasing minority enrollment in the first-year class from the previous all-time high of 23.6 percent in

1992 to 31.8 percent in 1993. "St. Mary's University School of Law now has a higher enrollment of Mexican-American students than any other private law school in the United States," says Associate Dean Cherena. Only two state schools (the University of New Mexico and Texas Southern University's Thurgood Marshall School of Law) enroll a higher percentage of Mexican-American students than does St. Mary's.

Cherena was a member of the first class to graduate from the City University of New York (CUNY) School of Law, where she earned a Juris Doctor degree in 1986. After completing her work at CUNY, she became a graduate fellow at Georgetown University Law Center, where she taught and supervised students enrolled in the clinical program at the Center for Applied Legal Studies. She earned an LL.M. from Georgetown in 1992.

Before entering the field of law, Cherena enjoyed a career in Catholic-school education for more than thirteen years. She earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in English at St. Thomas Aquinas College in Sparkill in 1972, and a Master of Arts degree in Criminal Justice at the John Jay College of Criminal Justice in New York City in 1978.

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A New Campus Minister

After working for eleven years as a member of the campus-ministry team at St. Mary's University, **Grace Walle, F.M.I.**, moved "down the hill" to become Campus Minister at the School of Law. It did not take long for Walle, a Marianist Sister, to make the adjustment, nor for law students to respond enthusiastically to her presence.

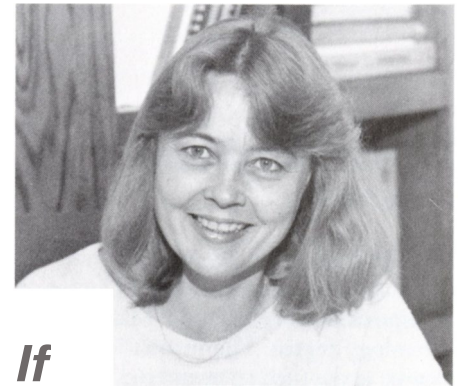
She instituted a host of programs, including a series of lunchtime seminars that addressed such issues as dealing with stress, juggling multiple roles, and preparing for exams. She herself prepared the meals for the seminars, as well as for other gatherings she organized for prayer and community-building, and rapidly became famous for her homemade bread and other delicious fare. Sister Grace's motto might well be that "One way to a law student's soul is through his or her stomach."

Sister Grace also surfaced new community-service opportunities for law students. More than two-dozen law students helped build a house for a low-income family through a Habitat-for-Humanity project; others volunteered to work at local shelters for the homeless or to cook at the Catholic Worker House; and a number spent a few evenings in the basement of a church, where they provided *pro-bona* legal services to people from one of San Antonio's poorer parishes. Sister Grace's activities at the School of Law became the subject of an article she published recently in *Crossroads*, the national newsletter of the Catholic Campus Ministry Association.



Grace Walle, F.M.I.

A native of Pennsylvania, Sister Grace received a Bachelor of Arts degree from St. Mary's University in 1978 and a Master's degree in Pastoral Ministry from Boston College in 1990. She recently was awarded the Sullivan Scholarship for her work in campus ministry. The scholarship will enable her to complete her studies for a doctorate in ministry at McCormick Theological Seminary.



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Elise D. Garda

A New Director of Communications and Development

In June 1992, the Law School opened its own Office of Communications and Development, with **Elise D. Garda** serving as its Director. Garda, a former Vice President of Common Cause, had served for seven years as a consultant to a number of nonprofit public-interest organizations in Washington, D.C., including Common Cause, Bread for the World, NETWORK: A National Catholic Social Justice Lobby, the Women's Ordination Conference, Partners for the Common Good Loan Fund, InterAction, and the Liturgical Conference.

During her first year at St. Mary's, Garda concentrated on revamping the Law School's publications, including the annual report, the application bulletin, and the alumnae/i newsletter. She created a number of brochures for recruitment and launched a new semi-annual magazine called *On the Record*. In 1993-94, she will focus on building the Law School's endowments for scholarships, especially for minority students, and exploring the feasibility of constructing a fifth building at the Law School to house the clinics.

Garda was born in New York City and raised in Latin America. She earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in English Literature from Windham College in Putney, Vermont, in 1972, and is the author of a guide to Guatemala.

A New Joint--Degree Program

Law students at St. Mary's now may work simultaneously toward a Doctor of Jurisprudence degree and a Master of Theology degree. The newest joint degree is the fifth to be offered by the School of Law in coordination with the Graduate School of St. Mary's University. St. Mary's is one of only a handful of law schools in the country to offer a joint degree in law and theology.

The joint-degree programs were initiated in 1989 to enable St. Mary's students to complement their training in the law with advanced study in other disciplines. Besides providing the new JD/MT option, the School of Law allows students to earn both a law degree and a master's degree in business administration, economics, international relations, or public administration.

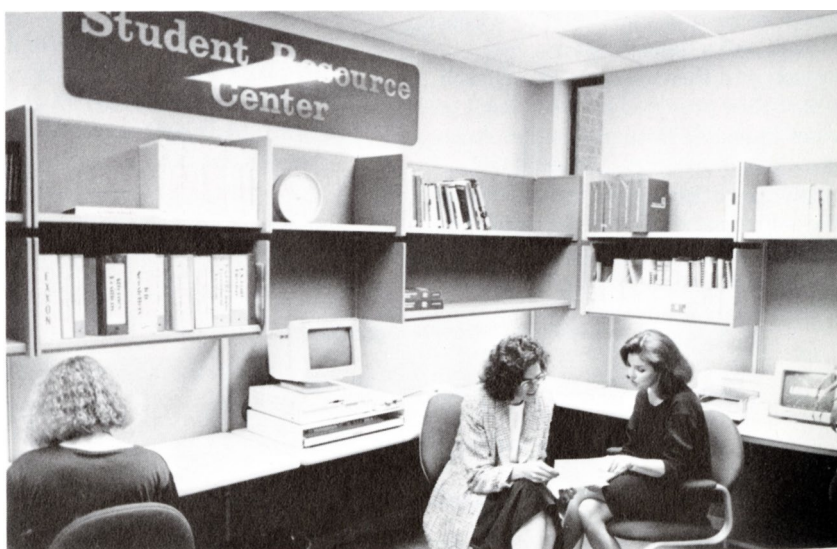
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A New Student Resource Center

The dust flew and walls tumbled in the Law Administration Building during the hectic summer of 1992. Out of the rubble emerged a new Student Resource Center, built under the direction of **Mary Brennan Stich** ('81), Associate Dean for Career Services and Alumni Relations.

The Center, which adjoins Associate Dean Stich's office, contains work spaces and computers for students to use in researching information about prospective employers. Students now have ready access to databases of information on attorneys, their geographic locations, and their areas of practice. A printer, photocopier, telephones, and other tools for job-searching are available. In addition, a new database, tailored to meet the particular needs of St. Mary's students, is being developed. It includes information on employers who have interviewed or hired St. Mary's law students in the past.

Undoubtedly, the greatest asset for students at the Center is Associate Dean Stich herself- who, in addition to offering individual strategy sessions for successful job searches, presents a number of workshops and programs on networking, resume-writing, and interviewing skills. Stich, a two-time graduate of St. Mary's, joined the administration of the Law School in February 1992, after nearly ten years of practice at the San Antonio law firm of Cox & Smith, Incorporated. The position she assumed was a new one, created to carry out the Law School's commitment to helping its students gain meaningful employment upon graduation.



Associate Dean Stich (left) reviews a student's resume.

A New Immigration--Clinic Director

In 1992, **Lee J. Teran** became the Director of the St. Mary's Immigration Clinic, and immediately infused it with new life. The Clinic engages students in the representation of indigent foreign nationals in a variety of immigration cases.

Previously, the students participating in the Immigration Clinic were limited to handling asylum cases. Now, under Professor Teran's supervision, they are able to seek suspension of deportation for undocumented individuals who have lived in the United States for at least seven years and have relatives who are citizens or legal residents of the United States, and to seek Section 212(c) waivers and adjustments of status for immigrants who are longtime residents of this country. The expansion of the Immigration Clinic was made possible by a \$35,000 grant from the Texas Equal Access to Justice Foundation.

Teran brings a wealth of experience and expertise to St. Mary's. She is the Co-Director of the Immigrant and Refugee Rights Project of the Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights Under Law of Texas, a former Director of the Immigration Project for Texas Rural Legal Aid, and a former staff attorney at Laredo Legal Aid. She has been in private practice since 1980, and has won numerous awards for her legal work, including the *Jack Wassennan Litigation Award* from the American Immigration Lawyers Association in 1992, the *Carole King Immigration Award* from the Immigration Project of the National Lawyers Guild in 1990, the Pro-Bono and *Professional Responsibility Award* from the American Bar Association in 1989, and the *Litigation Award* from the Texas American Immigration Lawyers Association in 1985. She earned her Juris Doctor degree from the University of Colorado in 1975 and a Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Utah in 1970, and has been Board-certified in immigration and nationality law since 1984.

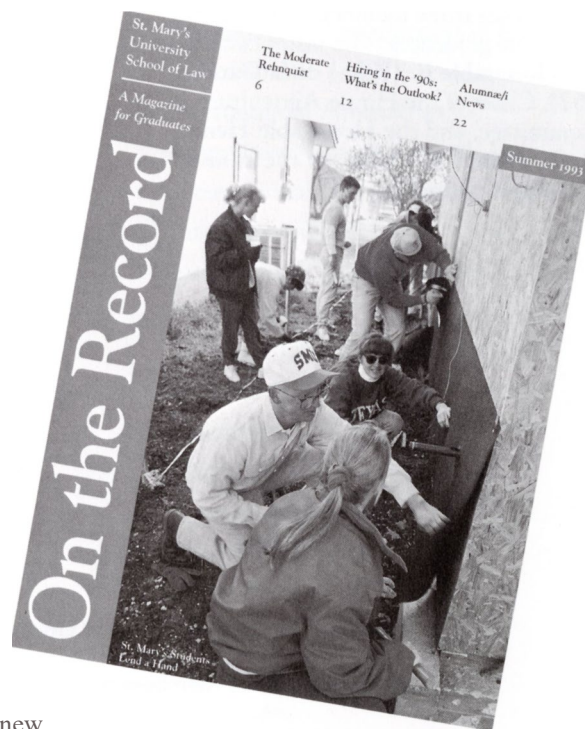


Lee J. Teran

A New Publication for Alumnae/i

Last summer, St. Mary's University School of Law launched *On the Record*, a new semiannual magazine for graduates. The magazine features news about the Law School and its students and faculty, as well as class notes and other information about alumnae/i.

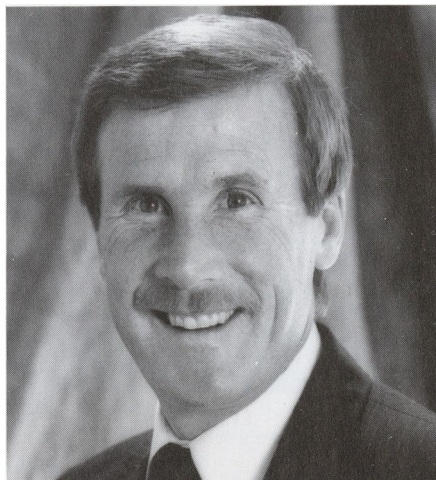
The publication provides a "new vehicle for [graduates] to receive valuable information about the School of Law and contemporary legal issues," said **William R. Crow, Jr.**, then-President of the Law Alumni Association, in his introductory column. *On the Record* replaces the *Barrister*, a quarterly newsletter.



A New Member of Congress

Congratulations to the **Honorable Scott McInnis** (R-CO)! The 1981 graduate of St. Mary's University School of Law was elected in 1992 to the U.S. House of Representatives from the Third Congressional District of the State of Colorado. Representative McInnis previously served in the Colorado legislature, where he was House Majority Leader from 1990 to 1992.

St. Mary's University School of Law now counts three members of Congress among its graduates. The other two are the **Honorable E. (Kika) de la Garza** ('52), Chair of the House Agriculture Committee, and the **Honorable Henry B. Gonzalez** ('43), Chair of the House Banking Committee.



Representative Scott McInnis ('79)

A New Internship Program - in Mexico!

Thanks to the efforts of **Wayne I. Fagan**, Director of the St. Mary's Centre for Conciliation and Arbitration, St. Mary's now has a summer internship program in Mexico for students who wish to increase their understanding of Mexican law and culture. The program enables students to gain legal experience across the border by working in Mexican law firms or in the legal departments of banks, corporations, or similar institutions.

Two students, **Mark H. McCraw** (3L) and **Carlos Ibarra** (1L), participated in the program last summer.

Ibarra spent the summer in Juarez, where he worked for the firm of Bryan, Gonzalez Vargas y Gonzalez Baz, S.C., which has offices in New York City as well as several Mexican cities. McCraw spent the summer in Saltillo, where he sampled the legal environments of a bank, a corporate office, a private law firm, a notary public, and the Supreme Court of Coahuila.

More than twenty students already have indicated an interest in signing up for internships in Mexico in 1994.

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New Courses and Seminars

In recent years, St. Mary's University School of Law has modernized and significantly expanded its curriculum. In addition to providing a solid selection of core courses, the School of Law now offers dozens of courses and seminars which focus on developing areas of the law, as well as a comprehensive clinical education program.

New Courses

Advanced Bankruptcy
Alternative Dispute Resolution
American Legal History
Banking
Comparative Criminal Procedure
Comparative Law I, II, III, and IV
Comparative Legal Profession
Criminal Justice Administration
Employee Benefits Law (ERISA)
Environmental Law I and II
Environmental Law Practicum
Environmental Litigation
European Economic Community
Federal Pretrial Practice
Hazardous Waste and Superfund
International Business Transactions
International Human Rights
International Law - Common Areas
International Trade
Labor Law I and II
Law and Economics
Law and Philosophy
Medical Malpractice Litigation
Military Law
Poverty Law
State Pretrial Practice
Tax Litigation

New Seminars (1992-1994)

Advanced Evidence
Aviation Law
Bioethics
Biotechnology
Capital Punishment
Comparative Law
Doing Business in Mexico
Environmental Law for Small Business
Ethics and the Profession
Family Violence
First Amendment/Reporter's Privilege
Immigration Consequences of Criminal Conviction
International Arbitration
International Environmental Law
International Human Rights
International Law
International Trade/NAFTA
Health Law
Language Discrimination
Law and the Elderly
Mediation
Negotiation
Parent/Child Crisis
Personal-Injury Law
Public-Interest Law
Race, Racism, and Law
Real Estate
Sports Law
State Constitutional Law
Texas Bill of Rights
Transforming Society Through Law
Voting Rights

St. Mary's Expands Its International--Law Programs

St. Mary's University School of Law continues to expand its programs in international law in order to meet the challenges of a global society.

St. Mary's at Innsbruck

One of the Most Popular Foreign-Study Programs

by Professor Vincent R. Johnson

According to recent figures from the American Bar Association (ABA), a St. Mary's law student is almost four times more likely than the typical American law student to study international law abroad. This fact is important because polls continue to show that international law is one of the "hottest" areas of legal practice. A student with a firm grounding in the rules of international trade and related topics enjoys a considerable advantage in entering the job market of the 1990s.

With a total enrollment of 104 students (including forty-six from the home campus), the 1993 St. Mary's program was one of the best-attended of the approximately ninety foreign-study programs operated by American law schools around the globe last summer.

Justice Stevens Presents Expansive View of Constitution

The "headliner" on the faculty was **Justice John Paul Stevens** of the United States Supreme Court. In his six lectures in Professor **David Dittfurth's** *Constitutional Issues* course, the Justice spelled out his view that the Constitution is not necessarily limited by the intent of the Framers. Playing the devil's advocate, Professor Dittfurth offered a contrasting "originalist" perspective, often harking back to Justice Antonin Scalia's lectures at Innsbruck in 1992.

Justice Stevens and Professor Dittfurth performed for a packed auditorium, with the more venturesome students accepting the Justice's invitation to jump into the discussion. The lectures were extremely well-received, both by the students and by the many faculty members, including Dean **Barbara Bader Aldave**, who attended. Numerous students commented on how the often-acerbic language of Supreme Court opinions left them unprepared for the Justice. At every turn, Justice Stevens displayed not only the intellectual brilliance that one expects of a Supreme Court Justice, but also a genuine thoughtfulness for others (including students struggling to answer questions in class) and the demeanor of a consummate gentleman. The luckier participants had the chance to speak with the Justice or his wife, **Maryan Stevens**, outside of class, and a few even played tennis with the Justice (who at the age of seventy-three is a formidable force on that court, as well as on *the* Court).

As usual, the courses were complemented by a variety of special events: an opening reception at the local castle



Supreme Court Justice John Paul Stevens and students enrolled in the St. Mary's Institute enjoy a gala reception held in his honor.

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(SchloB Ambras); a gala honoring Justice and Mrs. Stevens; a field trip by students in the *International Human Rights* course to the concentration camp at Dachau; a mini-series of lectures on international business by Adjunct Professor **Wayne I. Fagan**; and a guest appearance in the *International Art Theft* course by **George Ortiz**, a Swiss art collector whose extensive antiquities recently were exhibited in St. Petersburg and Moscow, and who spoke passionately against "cultural-patrimony" laws.

The **Reverend John Moder, S.M., Ph.D.**, President of St. Mary's University, made his first visit to the University's Law School and Business School programs in Innsbruck-and the Justice unexpectedly called on him in class.

Students Offered Unparalleled Selection of Courses And Exceptional Faculty

The success of the Innsbruck program in recent years has been due, in large part, to its unparalleled selection of courses and the quality of its faculty. In 1993, students could choose from among eleven courses, virtually all of which were devoted to contemporary world legal problems. Students with an appetite for commercial law could take *International Business Transactions*, *International Taxation*, *The Economic Unification of Europe: EEC Law and Policy*, and *Mediation in the International Setting*. Those more interested in public policy could study *International Human Rights*,

Population Law and Policy, and *International Environmental Law*. Other courses focused on issues raised by increasing international criminal activity. No other summer program comes close to matching the array of courses offered by St. Mary's in Innsbruck.

The 1993 Innsbruck faculty was stronger than ever before. The team included fourteen professors from nine American and European universities. Among the visitors were Professor **Jean C. Love**, the Institute's 1993 Katherine A. Ryan Distinguished Visiting Lecturer and a respected authority on tort law, from the University of Iowa; Professor **Edith Brown Weiss**, an internationally acclaimed expert on environmental law, from Georgetown University; Dean and Virginia Rusk Professor **Thomas J. Schoenbaum**, Director of the Dean Rusk Center for International and Comparative Law at the University of Georgia; **Spencer Weber Waller**, Director of the Center for the Study of International Business Law at Brooklyn Law School; Professor **Alan Raphael**, Director of the Loyola (Chicago) University program on international law in Rome; Professor **Robert J. Peroni**, a prolific author from George Washington University; Professor **David Sokolow**, a popular professor and an expert on business and entertainment law from the University of Texas; Professor **Andras Sajo**, who recently served as Chief Legal Advisor to the President of the Hungarian Republic, from the University of Budapest; and Professor **Fritz Raber**, a

The St. Mary's Institute on World Legal Problems has attracted outstanding faculty members from universities in the United States and Europe, and from the Supreme Court of the United States.

They have included the **Honorable John Paul Stevens**, 1993 Distinguished Visiting Lecturer; the **Honorable Antonin Scalia**, 1992 Distinguished Visiting Lecturer; the **Honorable William R. Rehnquist**, 1991 Distinguished Visiting Lecturer; and Professor **Laurence Tribe**, 1990 Distinguished Visiting Lecturer.

co-founder of the program and longtime supporter of St. Mary's, from the University of Innsbruck.

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Faculty from the home campus included Professors **Gerald S. Reamey**, **Victoria Mather**, **L. Wayne Scott**, **Jeffrey Pokorak**, and **David Dittfurth**. Written course evaluations indicated that all of the teachers were highly effective. Professor Reamey and I again directed the program.

In 1994, St. Mary's will field an equally impressive selection of courses and faculty in Innsbruck. **Chief Justice William H. Rehnquist**, a veteran of the 1991 program, will return as a distinguished professor. He plans to present eight lectures in a course which will be co-taught by Dean Aldave.

- Professor Johnson is the Director of the St. Mary's Institute on World Legal Problems.

Joint Venture

First and Only Program of Its Kind

Joint Venture, a transnational study and training program established by St. Mary's University School of Law and the Universidad de Monterrey, was launched in September 1992, when sixteen United States lawyers and sixteen Mexican lawyers met in Monterrey to study the historical development and current characteristics of the civil- and common-law systems. The participants have been meeting for three days each month since then, and are scheduled to "graduate" in December 1993.

The *Joint Venture* is the first and only program of its kind in the Americas. Co-ceived by **Heriberto A. Amaya**, Dean of the School of Law and Social Sciences of the Universidad de Monterrey, and **Barbara Bader Aldave**, Dean of St. Mary's University School of Law, the program was fashioned in response to the growing need for attorneys who understand the legal systems and business cultures of both the United States and Mexico.

The *Joint Venture* program has been very effective in helping me to expand my knowledge of the civil-law system in Mexico. I have found the program to be especially useful in establishing business contacts in Mexico.

- A United States participant



The joint sessions offer Mexican and U.S. participants the opportunity to get to know each other both in the classroom and at social events sponsored by St. Mary's University School of Law and the Universidad de Monterrey.

Although the lawyers enrolled in the program receive a sound theoretical foundation for their studies, the entire thrust of the program is practical. During one of five joint sessions, for example, the U.S. and Mexican participants engaged in mock negotiations for the establishment of a business. The curriculum was designed by Aldave, Amaya, Adjunct Professor **Wayne I. Fagan**, and Lie. **Carlos Gabuardi**, formerly the Head of the Department of Law at the Universidad de Monterrey and now a Visiting Professor at St. Mary's. The courses include *Foreign Investment and Maquiladoras*, *Import and Export Regulations*, *The Structuring of International Transactions*, *Judicial and Administrative Proceedings in Mexico*, *Consumer Protection and Products Liability*, and more than two dozen others.



Photos courtesy of Carlos A. Salas Silva.

Joint Venture participants and faculty enjoy a lunch break in the St. Mary's Law Library during the joint session on U.S. and Mexican negotiating techniques.

The program for U.S. lawyers is taught by Mexican faculty in San Antonio, with three joint sessions in Monterrey; the program for Mexican lawyers is taught by U.S. faculty members in Monterrey, with two joint sessions in San Antonio. More than forty U.S. and Mexican faculty members are involved.

In January 1994, the Universidad de Monterrey and St. Mary's University School of Law will launch *Joint Venture II*, a new program with a total enrollment of forty U.S. and Mexican participants.

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The *Joint Venture* program has confirmed my belief that one cannot separate practice from theory. This program enables lawyers from Mexico and the United States to work together in order to facilitate cross-border business transactions.

- A Mexican participant

Centre for Conciliation and Arbitration Achieves Major Coup in Chile!

Last April, **Wayne I. Fagan**, Director of the St. Mary's Centre for Conciliation and Arbitration, traveled on behalf of the Centre to Santiago, Chile, to meet with the Executive Committee of the Inter-American Commercial Arbitration Commission and to invite the Commission to convene its next General Congress in San Antonio, Texas. In a major coup for the Centre and San Antonio, Fagan succeeded in obtaining a "Yes!" from the Executive Committee. The decision was ratified by the full Congress at its 1993 meeting in Mexico City: the Inter-American Commercial Arbitration Commission *will* convene in San Antonio in 1995.

Previous sites for conventions of the General Congress have included Madrid, Spain, and capital cities throughout Latin America. The San Antonio meeting will be the first to be held in the United States in fourteen years, and will bring to the River City leaders in dispute resolution from South America, Mexico, the Caribbean, Central America, Canada, the United States, and many other countries around the world.

Thanks also to the tireless efforts of Director Fagan, the St. Mary's Centre for Arbitration and Conciliation now has a stellar cast of legal, business, and government leaders on its International Advisory Board. Among the members of the Board are representatives from Australia, China, Hong Kong, Japan, Malaysia, South Korea, Russia, England, France, Hungary, India, Kuwait, the United States, Canada, and Mexico. They include **Charles Robert Norberg**, Director General of the Inter-American Commercial Arbitration Commission of the Organization of American States; Professor **S.N. Lebedev**, Chair of the Maritime Arbitration Commission of the Moscow Chamber of Commerce; **Dr. Werner Melis**, Chair of the International Arbitral Centre of the Federal Economic Chamber of Austria; **Dr. Eva Horvath**, President of the Court of Arbitration of the Hungarian Chamber of Commerce; **Dr. A.R.A. Reda**, Head of the Legal Department for Legal Advice and Legislation of the Government of Kuwait; and **Georges R. Delaume**, former Senior Counsel to the World Bank .

The Centre also has a Regional Advisory Council, whose membership roster looks like a *Who's Who* of legal experts and business leaders from Texas and Mexico. Director Fagan hopes that the Centre will become a site for the resolution of international disputes arising between or among parties in different nations in the Western Hemisphere.



Wayne I. Fagan

Lectures, Events, Awards, and More!

Thanks to the efforts of organizers and participants, the faculty, students, and friends of St. Mary's University School of Law enjoyed a number of lectures, seminars, and symposia at the School during the past academic year.

Antitrust Symposium Attracts Leading Scholars and Experts

On May 21, 1993, the Law School sponsored a symposium that featured more than a dozen of the nation's leading scholars and experts on antitrust law. "An Antitrust Revival? Constructing Policies and Goals for a Revitalized Economy" was organized jointly by St. Mary's Professor **Marsha Cope Huie** and **William Curran**, the editor of *The Antitrust Bulletin*. The papers presented at the symposium are to be published by the *Bulletin*.

The symposium, held at La Mansion del Rfo on the Riverwalk, comprised four panel discussions: "Revitalizing Enforcement and Setting a New Agenda," "Reinvigorating the Economy through Antitrust Tools," "IBM, GM, U.S. Steel, AT&T, and Other Lessons from the Past," and "A Revived Political Course for Antitrust." During lunch, the **Honorable Kenneth Starr**, former Solicitor General of the United States, addressed the audience on "The Supreme Court, the Congress, and Awaiting Challenges."



Former Solicitor General Kenneth Starr delivers the keynote speech at the Antitrust Symposium.

The participants in the symposium included Professors **Thomas Jorde**, University of California at Berkeley (Boalt Hall); **William G. Shepherd, Ph.D.**, University of Massachusetts at Amherst; **William Kovacic**, George Mason University School of Law; **Walter Adams, Ph.D.**, Distinguished Professor of Economics, Trinity University (San Antonio), and former President of Michigan

State University; **David Teece**, Mitsubishi Bank Professor of International Business and Finance, University of California at Berkeley (School of Business); **Theodore Kovaleff, Ph.D.**;

Robert Lande, University of Baltimore School of Law; **Rudolph Peritz**, New York Law School; **John Flynn**, University of Utah School of Law; Texas Assistant Attorney General **Tom Perkins**; **Merrick Garland**, Arnold & Porter, Washington, D.C.; and former U.S. Assistant Attorney General **Charles F. Rule**, Covington & Burling, Washington, D.C.

St. Mary's Hosts Texas City Attorneys' Symposium

Nearly two hundred city attorneys from throughout Texas came to St. Mary's on June 10 and 11 for the annual "Symposium on Municipal Law," which was cosponsored by the Texas City Attorneys Association and St. Mary's University School of Law. In the past, the symposium has been held in Austin.

Among the topics addressed at the symposium were "City Zoning and the Fair Housing Act," "Municipal Issues under Section 1983," and "Cities and the Establishment Clause." At the end of the day, St. Mary's and the San Antonio law firm of **Denton, Navarro & McKamie** gave the participants a good dose of South Texas hospitality at a *fiesta* in the *piiata-festooned* Law Faculty Building.

Medical Malpractice Conference Packs a Crowd

St. Mary's University School of Law, for the ninth year, cooperated in the production of the ever-popular "Medical Malpractice Conference." The two-day conference, held in mid-April, included discussions on such topics as "Medical Privileges and How To Bust 'Em," "Breast Implant Litigation," "ADR in Medical Malpractice Cases," "Biophysical Profiles and Other Antenatal Tests," and "Cross-Examination of the Enemy Expert." The discussions were moderated by the **Honorable Mack Kidd**, Justice of the Third Court of Appeals, and the **Honorable Alice Oliver-Parrott**, Chief Justice of the First Court of Appeals.

The conference was planned by St. Mary's Adjunct Professor **Frank Southers**, St. Mary's Professor **L. Wayne Scott**, and Texas Tech Assistant Dean **Kay P. Fletcher**. It was cosponsored by Texas Tech University School of Law, the Litigation Section of the State Bar of Texas, and the Health Law Section of the State Bar of Texas.



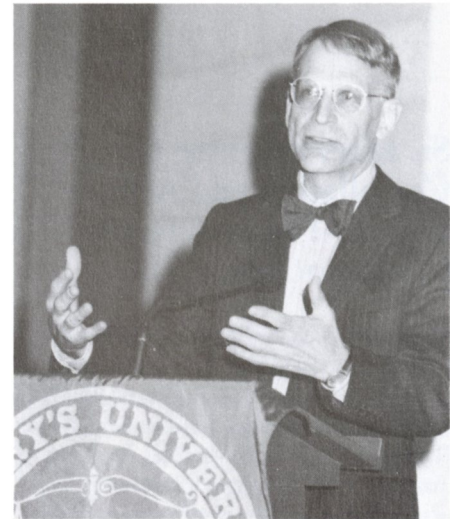
Robert Hinojosa and Barbara Bader Aldave

St. Mary's Dean Honored By Hispanic Issues Section of State Bar of Texas

At the 1993 annual meeting of the State Bar of Texas in Fort Worth, the Hispanic Issues Section publicly recognized Dean Barbara Bader Aldave for her efforts on behalf of Hispanic students. Also honored were **Rep. Henry B. Gonzalez** (D-TX) and Assistant Secretary of Education Norma Cantu.

Robert Hinojosa, President of the Hispanic Issues Section, commended Dean Aldave for her "success in making St. Mary's University School of Law an institution vital to the minority communities of South Texas."

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Thomas J. Schoenbaum

Dean Rusk Professor Thomas J. Schoenbaum Delivers Fourth Annual Dean's Lecture

Professor Thomas J. Schoenbaum, Dean and Virginia Rusk Professor of Law and Executive Director of the Dean Rusk Center for International and Comparative Law at the University of Georgia, came to St. Mary's in late November to deliver a lecture on "Agricultural Trade Wars: A Threat to the GATT and Global Free Trade."

Professor Schoenbaum's lecture traced the history of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT), through the latest "Uruguay Round," and singled out disagreements over tariffs on agricultural commodities as a central obstacle to global free trade.

Schoenbaum is the author of numerous books and more than one hundred articles and papers. Prior to assuming his current position at the University of Georgia, he taught law at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, and served as Associate Dean and Professor at Tulane University School of Law. Schoenbaum received his law degree, with distinction, from the University of Michigan Law School, and undertook post-doctoral studies in law at the University of Munich in Germany. He has held numerous visiting professorships and five Fulbright fellowships in foreign countries.

St. Mary's Centre for Conciliation and Arbitration Co-Presents Regional Conference of SPIDR

The Society of Professionals in Dispute Resolution (SPIDR), in cooperation with the St. Mary's Centre for Conciliation and Arbitration, held its Southwest Regional Conference in San Antonio in August. The daylong conference, attended by dispute-resolution professionals from Texas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Arkansas, New Mexico, and Kansas, focused on the cross-cultural implications of alternative dispute resolution.

The Law School was well-represented at the Conference. **Wayne I. Fagan**, Director of the St. Mary's Centre for Conciliation and Arbitration, co-chaired the Program Steering Committee and served as a panelist in the session on "Transnational ADR." St. Mary's Associate Professor **Marsha Merrill** also was a member of the Program Steering Committee. Professor **L. Wayne Scott** served as a panelist in the session on "ADR Malpractice Issues," Visiting Professor **Lie Carlos Gabuardi** chaired the panel on "Transnational ADR," and Visiting Professor **Andre Hampton** was a panelist in the session on "Resolving Public Policy Disputes."

Ann Fagan Ginger Delivers Lecture on Human Rights

In March, the San Antonio and St. Mary's University chapters of the National Lawyers' Guild sponsored a speech at the Law School by Ann Fagan Ginger, Director of the Meiklejohn Civil Rights Project in Berkeley, California. She reviewed the provisions of a number of human-rights treaties, and argued for more vigorous protection of human rights both in the United States and abroad. Ginger, a renowned civil-liberties lawyer and scholar, has written twenty-three books and published innumerable articles in legal and popular journals.

Florida Rural Legal Services Director Gives Reflections at 40th Red Mass

Maureen Kelleher, R.S.H.M., Director of Florida Rural Legal Services, Immokalee, Florida, spoke at the fortieth annual Red Mass in San Fernando Cathedral. Sister Kelleher, who provides legal services to indigents in southwest rural Florida, described the injustices suffered by the poor and disenfranchised in her area. She said that there is an urgent need for lawyers who will advocate on behalf of the oppressed in our society, and urged St. Mary's law students to rise to the challenge.

The Red Mass has been a legal and judicial tradition since the reign of King Edward III in the early fourteenth century. Held prior to the fall term of the courts, the Mass marked the opening of the parliamentary, judicial, and academic year. The tradition was revived in San Antonio forty years ago by the St. Mary's University School of Law and the Catholic Lawyers' Guild of San Antonio.



Sister Maureen Kelleher, R.S.H.M., speaker at the Red Mass, shares a few words with the Rev. Charles Miller, S.M., before processing into San Fernando Cathedral.

Honors!

Each year, St. Mary's honors distinguished individuals in recognition of their achievements and public service. In 1992-93, these men and women received awards:

The Honorable Henry B. Gonzalez ('43), U.S. Representative for the Twentieth District of the State of Texas, was presented with the *St. Thomas More Award* "in recognition of his exceptional contributions in public service."

The Honorable Rose Spector ('65), Justice of the Supreme Court of Texas, received the *Rosewood Gavel Award*, which is given each year to "an outstanding judge or justice for her or his contribution to our system of constitutional democracy."

Karen Ruble Johnson ('70), Executive Director of the State Bar of Texas, was named the *1993 Distinguished Law Graduate* by the St. Mary's Law Alumni Association.

Pat Brown Klenk ('93) won the *Mario G. Obledo Public Interest Award*, which recognizes a third-year student whose "past record, present activities, or plans for future employment indicate that he or she has a strong commitment to serving the public interest." The award includes a gift of \$5,000.



Left: Karen Ruble Johnson receives the 1993 Distinguished Law Graduate award from Law Alumni Association President Bill Crow.

Below: Pat Brown Klenk receives the Mario G. Obledo Public Interest Award. With her are Dean Barbara Bader Aldave and Mario G. Obledo.

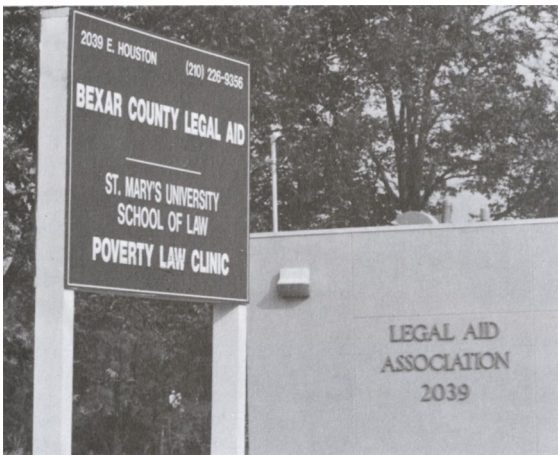


Pro Bono Legal Services

Students at St. Mary's engage in a number of community-service activities, through both the Law Clinics and volunteer projects.

Poverty Law Clinic Handles More Than 400 Cases

During the 1992-1993 academic year, the twenty-six students enrolled in the Poverty Law Clinic worked on more than 400 cases, and closed 273. Some of the cases were referred to the students by Bexar County Legal Aid, and others were obtained through outreach to area shelters for the homeless.



In its third year of operation, the Poverty Law Clinic continued to expand, with the establishment of a Women, Children, and the Elderly Project financed by a \$63,410 grant from the Legal Services Corporation. Through this project, students enrolled in the Clinic handled 183 cases involving the legal rights of indigent women, children, or senior citizens.

The Clinic's other major component, the Homelessness Project, continued its operations with a grant of \$96,968 from the U.S. Department of Education. The Project received significant local recognition last year: The San Antonio *Light* ran a feature story about **Mary Mendez**, the Clinic's Homeless-Shelter Outreach Coordinator, and KVDA-TV aired a segment during its evening news on Ms. Mendez and the work of the St. Mary's Clinic.



In addition, a story in the San Antonio *Express-News* highlighted a case handled by Bexar County Legal Aid lawyer **Alice Lozano**, with the assistance of **Karen Cusenbary**, a third-year student at St. Mary's. Ms. Cusenbary and Ms. Lozano succeeded, on short notice, in obtaining a temporary restraining order "to prevent the owners of an East Side apartment complex from evicting tenants

with only 24 hours' notice," the newspaper reported. According to the article, the tenants were "routed from bed starting at 5:30 a.m. Friday and handed a one-page notice that they had until noon Saturday to move from the complex." The story's headline told it all: "24-Hour Evictions by Complex Halted."

The Clinic's founder and Director is Associate Professor **Jon C. Dubin**. **Sue T. Bentch** and **Ana M. Novoa** are the Clinic's supervising attorneys, and **Pat Reyna** serves as the Clinic's administrative assistant and legal secretary.

Immigration Clinic Helps Refugees, Detainees, and Families

Students enrolled in the St. Mary's Immigration Clinic, working out of the offices of the Catholic Services for Immigrants and the Refugee Aid Project, handled more than 100 cases during the last academic year. Under the supervision of Clinic Director **Lee J. Teran**, they also took two trips to Laredo to interview detainees at the Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) Detention Center and to assist the Refugee Assistance Council with a number of cases, including some involving Haitian refugees detained in Laredo.

In addition to handling asylum cases, primarily on behalf of refugees from Guatemala and El Salvador, the nine students in the Clinic provided legal assistance to permanent U.S. residents in their efforts to bring family members to the United States. The students also helped to protect the undocumented relatives of U.S. residents from deportation.

Students Provide Legal Counsel to Death-Row Inmates

Students enrolled in the Capital Punishment Clinic handled fifteen cases for clients at Ellis I in Huntsville, Texas, where the state's death-row population is housed. In Texas, death-row inmates are not eligible for state-mandated legal assistance in post-conviction proceedings. The Capital Punishment Clinic seeks to provide death-row inmates with legal assistance in raising meritorious constitutional claims.

Last year, students worked on petitions for writs of certiorari and habeas corpus petitions, and initiated other legal efforts on behalf of their clients. They investigated cases, wrote briefs, and drafted pleadings.

Associate Professor **Jeffrey J. Pokorak** is the founder and Director of the Capital Punishment Clinic, which was established in 1990 in collaboration with the Texas Resource Center. Students enrolled in the Clinic also are enrolled in the *Capital Punishment Seminar*, which is co-taught by Professor **John M. Schmolesky** and Adjunct Professor **Mark Stevens**.

Students Offer Legal Services to Needy at St. Jude's

A number of law students at St. Mary's gave up several evenings during the last academic year to provide free legal assistance to clients at St. Jude's Church on San Antonio's West Side. Parishioners lined up to get legal advice on matters ranging from social-security benefits to wills.

Ana M. Novoa, Supervising Attorney of the Poverty Law Clinic, coordinated and supervised the project. "It was very rewarding," said **Josefina Luera** (2L), one of the student-lawyers.

Texas Young Lawyers' Association Holds Seminar on *Pro Bono* Cancer Project at St. Mary's

In March 1993, the Texas Young Lawyers' Association (TYLA) held a one-day training seminar at St. Mary's for lawyers interested in providing free legal assistance to low-income persons who have cancer. The seminar was cosponsored by St. Mary's University School of Law and five other organizations. It was offered as part of the Texas Cancer Legal Project, which was established to provide people suffering from cancer with increased access to the legal system. The Project recruits and trains volunteer attorneys, and matches them with cancer victims.

Two professors at St. Mary's participated in the seminar. Professor **George L. Flint, Jr.**, lectured on *Employee Benefits and ERISA*; and **Sue T. Bentch**, Supervising Attorney of the Poverty Law Clinic, led a session on *Persons with Cancer and the Legal System*.



Law students volunteer to offer legal advice to clients at St. Jude's Church.

St. Mary's: What's In A Name?

Some of my colleagues have mentioned to me, from time to time, that they think that the very name of our school may retard our efforts to become a more open and progressive institution. What they mean, I suppose, is that *St. Mary's* University School of Law is named for a heavily romanticized biblical figure who, to some, symbolizes self-abnegation, sexual oppression, and submissiveness. I, of course, see the matter differently. After all, in the early part of the New Testament, Mary is presented to us as an unmarried, pregnant teenager. When last we hear of her, she is an old woman, at least by the standards of her times—a widow who looks to friends for sustenance and support. In between her major appearances, she has searched for shelter, fled from persecution, and watched the execution of her son. Somehow, I have to believe that such a woman, whom I view as a strong and courageous figure, would have approved of programs—instituted at the only law school bearing her name—that are designed to aid the poor and the homeless, immigrants and refugees, the young and the elderly, and inhabitants of Death Row.

-Excerpted from "The Transformation of a Law School," a keynote speech delivered by Dean **Barbara Bader Aldave** in May at the 1993 Annual Conference of the Society of American Law Teachers in New York City.

Faculty News

Barbara Bader Aldave Delivers Keynote Speech at 1993 SALT Conference

Dean Barbara Bader Aldave gave the keynote address at the 1993 Annual Conference of the Society of American Law Teachers, held at New York University School of Law in May. Her topic was "The Transformation of a Law School." She also gave the closing address at the 1993 New Teachers' Conference of the Association of American Law Schools in Washington, D.C., in July. Her topic was "Service Within and Outside the Law School."

During the past year, Dean Aldave has delivered speeches to the members of a number of local, national, and international organizations, including the Travis County Women Lawyers' Association, the North West San Antonio Rotary Club, the Catholic Working Women's Forum, the Alamo Area Professional Legal Assistants' Association, the Women and the Law Section of the State Bar of Texas, the Mexican-American Bar Association, the Texas Alliance for Human Needs, and the International Women's Forum. Her topics have ranged from "Insider Trading" to "Leadership During Troubled Times."

In 1993, Dean Aldave was elected a Fellow of the American Bar Foundation.

Faye M. Bracey Receives Recognition for Service on Disciplinary Appeals Board

Assistant Professor Faye M. Bracey received a "Special Recognition" certificate from Harriet Miers, the President of the State Bar of Texas, for her service as a member of the Board of Disciplinary Appeals of the State Bar.



Gerry W. Beyer

Gerry W. Beyer Appointed Column Editor for *Probate and Property*

During the past academic year, Professor Gerry W. Beyer was appointed the editor of the column entitled "Keeping Current- Probate and Trust" in *Probate and Property*, a bimonthly publication of the American Bar Association's Section of Real Property, Probate, and Trust Law. He also was elected an Academic Fellow of the American College of Trust and Estate Counsel and a Fellow of the American Bar Foundation.

An article appearing in *The New York Times* on July 16, 1993, cited Professor Beyer's recent study of self-help legal products for estate planning. Professor Beyer was quoted as saying that self-help computer programs "can lower costs, save time, expand access to the legal system and educate the public."



Laura H. Burney

Laura H. Burney Chairs Two Committees on Juveniles

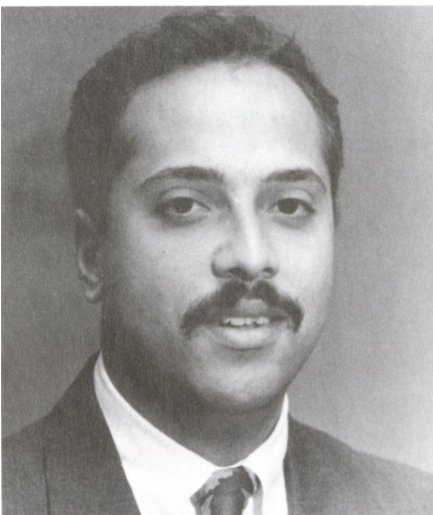
Associate Professor Laura H. Burney was appointed Chair of the Citizens' Advisory Council to the Juvenile Board, a legislatively mandated body which advises Bexar County District Judges on juvenile issues. She also was appointed Chair of the Subcommittee on Juvenile Facilities for the Bexar County Commissioners' Court Advisory Group. The group's recommendations on the projected needs during the next fifteen years of the Bexar County Juvenile Justice Center were approved by area citizens in the November State and County bond elections.

Loftus C. Carson Serves as Casseb Visiting Professor

Professor Loftus C. Carson of the University of Texas at Austin served as the Paul E. Casseb Distinguished Visiting Professor of Law at St. Mary's during the summer of 1993. Professor Carson specializes in Business Associations and Creditors' Rights and Bankruptcy.

Jon C. Dubin Receives 1993 Distinguished Faculty Award

Associate Professor Jon C. Dubin was one of six members of the faculty of St. Mary's University to receive a 1993 Distinguished Faculty Award for Excellence in Teaching from the St. Mary's University Alumni Association. Professor Dubin is the founder and Director of the Poverty Law Clinic. An expert in poverty law and civil rights, he has taught at St. Mary's since 1990.



Jon C. Dubin



Victoria M. Mather

Victoria M. Mather Serves as Visiting Professor at UT/Austin

Professor Victoria M. Mather taught *Family Law* as a Visiting Professor at the University of Texas at Austin during the summer of 1993. She also taught *Population Law and Policy* at the St. Mary's Institute on World Legal Problems in Innsbruck, Austria.

Jeffrey J. Pokorak Has Two Cases Heard by U.S. Supreme Court

Associate Professor Jeffrey J. Pokorak, Director of the Capital Punishment Clinic at St. Mary's, coauthored the briefs in two cases heard in the Supreme Court of the United States last year. Both cases, *Graham v. Collins* and *Johnson v. Texas*, involved death-row inmates at Ellis I in Huntsville, Texas.

Also, Professor Pokorak obtained from the Court orders vacating the death sentences in *Earhart v. Texas*, *Mines v. Texas*, and *Zimmerman v. Texas*. These cases were remanded to the lower courts.

St. Mary's Faculty Members Commute to Mexico!

A number of St. Mary's law professors increased their teaching loads during the 1992-93 academic year by serving as members of the faculty of the *Joint Venture* program. The peripatetic St. Mary's professors who flew to Monterey to teach the Mexican participants in the *Joint Venture* included Professors **Robert R. Barton, Gerry W. Beyer, Diana K. Borden, Laura H. Burney, Charles E. Cantu, Richard E. Flint, Marsha Cope Huie, Jose Roberto Juarez, Jr., Robert L. Summers, Jr., John W. Teeter, Jr., and Lee J. Teran.**

Linda L. Schlueter Honored by International Biographical Centre

Professor Linda L. Schlueter received both the International Biographical Centre's "Twentieth Century Award for Achievement" in the field of law and its 1992 "International Woman of the Year" award. Professor Schlueter is the Associate Editor of the *Modern Legal Systems Cyclopaedia*, published by William S. Hein Co. She is listed in the International Biographical Centre's *Who's Who* publications, as well as in seven *Who's Who* books published by Marquis.

"Legally Speaking" St. Mary's Law Professors Take to the Airwaves

Each Monday last year, a St. Mary's law professor broadcast tips and information about the law over the San Antonio affiliate of Texas Public Radio. Through the "Legally Speaking" program, San Antonio listeners learned about the limits on their right to carry a gun, how to hold manufacturers accountable for damaged goods, the new law protecting the rights of the disabled, "equal custody" in suits for divorce, a worker's right to strike, and many other subjects.

The following St. Mary's professors were on the air: Dean and Professor **Barbara Bader Aldave**, Supervising Attorney **Sue T. Bentsch**, Assistant Professor **Faye M. Bracey**, Professor **Charles E. Cantu**, Associate Professor **Laura H. Burney**, Professor **David Dittfurth**, Associate Professor **Jon C. Dubin**, then-Associate Dean **Josefina Jaramillo**, Associate Professor **Jose Roberto Juarez, Jr.**, Professor **Victoria M. Mather**, Supervising Attorney **Ana M. Novoa**, Associate Dean **Gerald S. Reamey**, Professor **Bonita K. Roberts**, Professor **John W. Teeter, Jr.**, and Immigration Clinic Director **Lee J. Teran**.



John M. Schmolesky

John M. Schmolesky Appointed Editor of *Texas Criminal Practice Guide*

Professor John M. Schmolesky was appointed Editor of the *Texas Criminal Practice Guide*, a six-volume set published by Matthew Bender. He wrote all of the supplements and revisions in the six volumes, as well as a chapter entitled *Federal Habeas Corpus*. He also is Editor of the *Texas Lawyer's "Criminal Digest,"* which contains summaries of the criminal-law decisions of the United States Supreme Court, the Court of Criminal Appeals, and the fourteen Texas Courts of Appeal.

L. Wayne Scott Semi-Retires as Editor of "Civil Digest"

On September 1, 1993, Professor L. Wayne Scott stepped down as Editor of the *Texas Lawyer's "Civil Digest,"* after producing some 1,100 issues during more than two decades. Professor Scott became Editor of the *Texas Lawyer's "Weekly Letter,"* a publication of the State Bar of Texas, in August 1971, when he joined the faculty at St. Mary's University School of Law. He was responsible for summarizing the decisions of all Texas Courts of Appeal and the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals.

In 1982, the "Weekly Letter" was divided into the "Civil Digest" and the "Criminal Digest." Professor Scott remained as Editor of the former, and St. Mary's Professor John Schmolesky became Editor of the latter. Professor Scott is only semi-retiring; as Senior Editor of the "Civil Digest," he will provide readers with summaries of the opinions of the Texas Supreme Court.

During the summer of 1993, Professor Scott taught *International Mediation* at the St. Mary's Institute on World Legal Problems in Innsbruck, Austria. He also attended the *Advanced Mediation Course* presented by the Center for Dispute Settlement in Washington, D.C., and participated in the *Advanced Negotiation Course* offered by Harvard University.

Faculty Publications 1992--1993

Continuing in the tradition of scholarship, professors at St. Mary's published numerous books and articles on subjects ranging from poverty law to miUtary criminal justice.

Professor Robert R. Barton

Texas Search & Seizure (Shepard's/McGraw-Hill, 1993).

Professor Gerry W. Beyer

Coauthor, *Modern Dictionary for the Legal Profession* (William S. Hein, Co., 1993) (with Kenneth R. Redden).

"Pre-Mortem Probate," *Probate & Property*, July/August 1993, at 1.

Coauthor of five sets of pocket parts, four with Aloysius A. Leopold:

17 & 18 *Probate and Decedents' Estates* (1992);

9 & 10 *Texas Law of Wills* (1993);

12 & 12A West's *Texas Forms-Probate and Administration of Estates* (West, 1992);

19 through 23 West's *Legal Forms-Real Estate Transactions* (West, 1992); and

Texas Will Manual Service (1993 Supplement) (with Charles O. Galvin).

Three contributions to *Estate Planning Development for Texas Professionals* and one contribution to *Estate Planning Studies*.

Two sets of CLE materials for the State Bar of Texas.

Professor Charles E. Cantu

"A New Look at an Old Conundrum: The Determinative Test for the Hybrid Sales/Service Transaction Under Section 402A of the Restatement (Second) of Torts," 44 *Arkansas Law Review* 915 (1993).

Associate Professor Jon C. Dubin

"From Ju nkyards to Gentrification: Explicating a Right to Protective Zoning in Low- Income Communities of Color," 77 *Minnesota Law Review* 739 (1993).

Associate Dean Yvonne Cherena Pacheco

"Latino Surnames: Formal and Informal Forces in the United States Affecting the Retention and Use of the Maternal Surname," 18 *Thurgood Marshall Law Review* 1 (1993).

Professor Douglas R. Haddock

"Private Property and Russia's Leap of Faith," 24 *St. Mary's Law Journal* 495 (1993).

Professor Marsha Cope Huie

Coauthor, "Bigness, Junk, and Bust-Ups: End of the Fourth Merger Wave?" 37 *Antitrust Bulletin* 881 (1992) (with Dr. Stephen D. Hogan).

"The EEC and Antitrust in 1992," *Journal of Reprints for Antitrust Law and Economics* 1 (1992).

Professor Henry F. Johnson

Coauthor, "Is A Fistful of Dollars the Answer? A Critical Look at Dissenters' Rights Under the Revised Model Business Corporation Act," 12 *University of Pittsburgh Journal of Law and Commerce* 211 (1993) (with Paul N. Bartlett).

Professor Vincent R. Johnson

"Environmental Literacy and International Law," 17 *Vermont Law Review* 801 (1993).

"The Moderate Rehnquist," 17 *Vermont Law Review* 267 (1992).

Professor Victoria M. Mather

"No Harm, No Foul: Pornography Violent and Otherwise," 14 *University of Arkansas at Little Rock Law Journal* 455 (1992).

Associate Dean and Professor Gerald S. Reamey

Coauthor, *Texas Criminal Procedure* (3d edition) (Academia Press, 1993) (with Steele).

Criminal Offenses and Defenses in Texas (2d edition) (Harrison, 1993).

A Peace Officer's Guide to Texas Law (5th edition) (Texas Police Association, 1993).

"Should America Consider Criminal Procedure Reform Based on the European Model?" published with papers of the *Rechtvergleichendes Strafprozessrechtsseminar* held in Irsee, Germany (1993).

Professor David A. Schlueter

Coauthor, *Texas Evidentiary Foundations* (Michie Co., 1992) (with Onion, Barrow, and Imwinkelried).

Professor Linda L. Schlueter

1992 Supplement to *Punitive Damages* (2d edition) (Michie Co.).

"Practice Note-Asserting Claim for Punitive Damages After Haslip," *Texas Torts and Remedies*, pages 85.35 through 85.47 (Matthew Bender, 1992).

Professor L. Wayne Scott

Contributing author, *2 Texas Appellate Practice Manual* (2d edition) (State Bar of Texas, 1993).

"The Mediation of Cases on Appeal (After Decision or Verdict)," *Appellate Advocacy: HandUng the Referred Appeal* (Southern Methodist University, 1993).

Two sets of CLE materials: "Mediator Liability" and "Settlement Tools."

Student Activities

In increasing numbers, students at St. Mary's University School of Law are participating in the governance of the School and enriching their legal education with extracurricular activities.



Top: To the delight of SBA President Pat Kramer, right, and other law students at St. Mary's, Brother Cletus Behlmann, S.M., left, painted a beautiful mural in the SBA office.

Bottom: SBA Officers, 1992-93, from left: S. L. Hanlock, Secretary; Elizabeth Sutherland, Vice President; Pat Kramer, President; Kelly Brown, Treasurer.

Student Bar Association Launches New Programs

Under the enthusiastic leadership of President **Pat Kramer** ('93) and its other elected officers, the Student Bar Association (SBA) launched a number of new programs last year.

Early in the fall semester, the SBA invited candidates for the Texas Supreme Court to participate in a *Supreme Court Forum*. All but one of the six candidates (or their representatives) accepted the invitation. A panel of law students and Professor **L. Wayne Scott** asked questions at the forum. The students "did themselves and St. Mary's proud with the insightfulness of their questions," said Ms. Kramer.

"The Sober Chauffeur Service" had its debut on the night of the annual Halloween Party. With the help of local funders, the SBA arranged to have taxis on call for students who requested a ride home.

The SBA also worked to improve communications with the University Student Government Association. The presidents of the two organizations met on a regular basis and "shared ideas, problems, and solutions," said Ms. Kramer. "This helped to increase the understanding between the Law School and 'the Hill,'" she added.

In addition, the SBA helped to bring about changes in procedures and poli-

cies at the Law School. Through weekly meetings between Dean Aldave and Ms. Kramer and discussions with other members of the administration or faculty, the SBA helped to update the faculty evaluation forms; improve campus security; change the way grades were posted; and obtain new laser printers, computers, and a change machine for the Law Library.

The SBA also organized several community-service activities, including "Boiling for Kids' Sake" to benefit the Big Brothers/Big Sisters program, and a "Habitat-for-Humanity" workday which engaged students in building a house for a low-income family. According to Ms. Kramer, the students "enjoyed themselves- using their hands and bodies instead of their heads!"

Students Create Three New Organizations

Last year, St. Mary's law students established three new organizations that enabled them to pursue shared interests and advancement goals.

The **Asian-Pacific American Law Students Association** provides opportunities for St. Mary's students to share experiences and discuss issues with members of the Asian-Pacific American legal community.

The **Public Interest Law Association** strives to instill community values in students and to give them a social consciousness that will encourage them to pursue public-service-oriented careers.

The **Sports, Entertainment, Art, and Law Society** assists students in gathering and disseminating information about art, entertainment, and sports law.

BALSA Hosts Symposium on Environmental Racism

In March 1993, the Black Allied Law Students Association sponsored a symposium on *Environmental Racism*, at which seven panelists explored the impact of racism on decisions regarding the environment. The seven panelists were **Patricia Finn**, Partner, Fulbright & Jaworski, Austin; **Henry Flores, Ph.D.**, Chair, Political Science Department, St. Mary's University; **Gabrielle K. McDonald**, Visiting Professor, St. Mary's University School of Law and former U.S. District Judge; **David Pasley**, Acting Director, Zoning and Planning Board, City of San Antonio; **Clyde Pikes**, member, Texas Air Control Board, and member, Statewide Task Force on Environmental Racism; **James Schermbeck**, Regional Director, North Texas Office of Texas Unlimited; **Ruben Solis**, organizer, Grass Roots Efforts, and member, Southwest Public Workers Union.

BALSA students sponsor an Environmental Racism Symposium.



Society of Legal Entrepreneurs Sponsors Mini-Courses and Seminar Series

The two-year-old Society of Legal Entrepreneurs (SOLE) "broke new ground" in achieving its mission of sharing information on how to start and grow a successful law practice, according to **Randal A. Mowery** ('93), President of the Society.

During the fall, St. Mary's alumnus **William A. Wilson** ('80), a successful general practitioner in San Antonio, taught an eight-week, tuition-free, non-credit course entitled *How To Start a Successful Law Practice*. Then, during the spring, **Robert E. Valdez** ('80), a prominent San Antonio litigator, taught a SOLE course entitled *Opening and Surviving a Solo Law Practice*. Over the course of the year, SOLE also sponsored five two-hour seminars on such topics as *Women in Solo Practice* and *Family Law and Solo Practice*.

In a letter to SOLE's Faculty Advisor, Professor **Aloysius Leopold**, Mr. Mowery noted that the "reports I hear from past SOLE members who have started practices are very encouraging. ... Several law students, myself included, were greatly helped."

St. Mary's Jessup Team Advances to National and International Competition in Washington, D.C.

The St. Mary's team was the first runner-up last year in the South Central Regional Philip C. Jessup International Moot Court Competition, and its briefs won second place in the region. The St. Mary's team then took part in the national and international competition, which was held in Washington, D.C., at the end of March. According to **Cynthia Kent Maragoudakis** ('93), the St. Mary's team was "one of only fourteen U.S. teams to advance to the national and international competition, from a field of more than 143 teams."

The members of the team were **Paul Abokhair** ('93), **Alex Mabry** (3L), **Leslie Orton** (JL), **Kelly Brown** (JL), and Ms. Maragoudakis. Remarking on the team's success, Faculty Advisor Professor **Robert L. Summers, Jr.**, noted that St. Mary's has been participating in Jessup competitions for only six years.

Judge Charles Baird Discusses Law with Criminal Law Association

On April 8, 1993, members of the Criminal Law Association attended oral arguments at the Court of Criminal Appeals in Austin, and then were invited into chambers by Judge Charles Baird for a discussion of the work of the court. The students later enjoyed a luncheon at the State Bar building with eight of the court's nine judges. Presiding Judge **Michael J. McCormick** ('70), recipient of the 1992 St. Mary's Distinguished Graduate Award, addressed the group.

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St. Mary's University School of Law is grateful to the graduates, friends, and grantors who provided the Law School with more than \$500,000 in gifts, bequests, and grants during the 1992-1993 academic year. The generosity of these and previous donors enabled the School of Law to make more than \$150,000 of scholarship awards to its students.



Hattie Elam Briscoe

Hattie Elam Briscoe Scholarship Established To Honor First African-American Woman To Graduate from St. Mary's Law School

On February 12, 1993, the School of Law held a reception to announce the establishment of the **Hattie Elam Briscoe Scholarship** and to honor Hattie Elam Briscoe, a 1956 graduate of the School of Law. In accordance with Ms. Briscoe's wishes, interest earned on the scholarship endowment will be used to provide awards to needy and worthy students of all races.

Born in Shreveport, Louisiana, in 1916, Ms. Briscoe was the first African-American woman to graduate from St. Mary's University School of Law. For twenty-seven years, she was the only African-American woman attorney in San Antonio and Bexar County. She was the first African-American woman to serve as the County's Special Prosecutor.

Ms. Briscoe's legal career and personal achievements have brought her many honors. She was inducted into the San Antonio Women's Hall of Fame in 1984, and her life story is preserved in the Museum of African-American Life and Culture. In 1992, St. Mary's University selected her to receive its prestigious Distinguished Alumna Award.

Ms. Briscoe earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in 1937 from Wiley College in Marshall, Texas, and a Master of Science degree in 1951 from Prairie View A&M College. She enrolled in the School of Law in 1952 and ranked first in the graduating class of January 1956. Ms. Briscoe continues to practice law at her office in downtown San Antonio.

St. Mary's Receives Nearly \$300,000 in Bequests from Two Estates

St. Mary's University School of Law was the beneficiary of a bequest of \$173,028 from the estate of Caroline L. Reynolds and a bequest of \$106,000 from the estate of Tim O'Connell Austin ('56).

The gift from Ms. Reynolds was used to establish the **Caroline L. Reynolds Scholarship**, which will provide awards to needy and worthy law students at St. Mary's. According to her friends, Ms. Reynolds was a "strong-willed" and "honest" person who appreciated the value of education. She died at the age of seventy-eight in January 1992, shortly after undergoing surgery. In addition to the endowment, the Law School received from the Reynolds estate three portraits, two engravings, and a framed shield and crest which belonged to Major General Joseph J. Reynolds, Ms. Reynolds' great-grandfather.

The \$106,000 gift from the estate of Tim O'Connell Austin was used to endow the **J.W. Austin, Sr., and Ellen O. Austin Scholarship**, which, in accordance with Mr. Austin's wishes, was established at the Law School in memory of his parents. Interest earned on the endowment will be used to provide scholarships to needy and worthy students. Mr. Austin died on July 1, 1990, at the age of sixty. He was the founder and President of Guardian Abstract and Title Company. Mr. Austin is remembered as someone who was dedicated to his family and friends, and "always there to lend a helping hand, financially or emotionally." He was an avid supporter of his alma mater, St. Mary's University School of Law.



Caroline L. Reynolds, right, with longtime friend, Sarah Peterson.

Endowment in Honor of Judge John H. Wood, Jr., Established at St. Mary's

The family of the late Judge John H. Wood, Jr., transferred to St. Mary's University School of Law the \$47,000 corpus of an endowment that had been established in his name in 1979. Interest earned on the **John H. Wood, Jr., Memorial Fellowship** will provide scholarships to third-year students "who exemplify the high ideals and principles of Judge Wood."

Matt García Foundation Awards \$2,500 Scholarship to St. Mary's Law Student

Last year, the Matt García Foundation gave a \$2,500 scholarship, which was matched by the School of Law, to **Mark E. Macias**. Each fall, the Foundation awards a number of scholarships to worthy Hispanic students.

First Robert Hobbs Scholarship Awarded

In 1992, **Nina Sánchez** ('93) received an award of \$2,500 from an endowment established a year earlier by Robert Hobbs, a former St. Mary's Law Professor. The Robert Hobbs Scholarship provides grants to law students at St. Mary's "on the basis of financial need, academic achievement, or both, and without regard to race, creed, color, sex, or ethnic origin."

Gardere & Wynne Endows "Outstanding Student Scholarship"

The Dallas law firm of Gardere & Wynne endowed the **Gardere & Wynne Outstanding Student Award** last year, and made its first grant of \$1,000 to **Jared R. Woodfill, V**. The Gardere & Wynne Award will be presented annually to a St. Mary's law student on the basis of his or her "academic achievement, leadership qualities, and involvement in Law School or community activities."

Members of Gardere & Wynn began building the fund in 1988, and the firm generously matched their contributions.

Sage Foundation Awards \$10,500 in Scholarships

For a third year, thanks to the generosity of **Melissa Sage Booth**, the Sage Foundation of Detroit, Michigan, provided a \$5,250 scholarship to each of two students at St. Mary's University School of Law.

Annie Frances Schroeder Scholarship Increased to \$8,000

A.A. "Jud" Schroeder ('61) and **George F. Schroeder** ('69) have increased the amount of the scholarship they fund each year from \$6,000 to \$8,000. The **Annie Frances Schroeder Scholarship**, established in honor of their mother, was created in the hope that it would "assist the recipients to achieve their goals and provide a reminder that even under the most trying of circumstances, anything can be accomplished if there is the will to succeed."

Matthews & Branscomb, P.C., Establishes Annual Scholarship for Minority Students

In September 1992, Matthews & Branscomb, P.C., awarded its first annual \$6,000 scholarship to a minority law student at St. Mary's. The recipient of the scholarship was **Susana López**, then a second-year law student. The firm, which was founded in San Antonio in 1874, established the scholarship in order to help minority students who are in financial need.

From left: Frank Ruttenberg, Matthews & Branscomb; Susana López (3L); Frank Baker, Matthews & Branscomb; and Associate Dean Mary Brennan Stich.



Robert C. Cowan, Jr., Awards \$10,000

Robert C. Cowan, Jr. ('73), for a third year, provided \$10,000 to fund the Robert C. Cowan, Jr., Scholarship Award. The Cowan Scholarship is given to a student "who is in financial need and who has a strong desire to study law and contribute to society as a member of the legal profession."

St. Mary's Law Alumni Association Contributes \$3,500 for Scholarships and Emergency--Loan Fund

The St. Mary's Law Alumni Association presented a gift of \$3,500 to the School of Law at the end of the 1992-1993 academic year. In a letter to the Dean, Association President **William R. Crow, Jr.**, indicated that \$2,500 of this amount was to be used as "an admissions scholarship to assist a needy incoming law student."

The balance of \$1,000 was to be used as an emergency fund for law students, "preferably to assist those students having medical emergencies." A portion of the \$1,000 contribution was donated "specifically in memory and honor of **Beverly Clay**, a 1979 graduate of the School of Law and a former member of our Board." Ms. Clay died of cancer earlier in the year.

Martin D. Beirne, Jr., Becomes Permanent Sponsor of Annual Staff Writers' Symposium

Martin D. Beirne, Jr. ('69), a partner in the Houston-based law firm of Beirne, Maynard & Parsons, has agreed to give \$2,500 each year to the *St. Mary's Law Journal* to sponsor the Annual Staff Writers' Symposium. Each August, during the weekend before classes begin at the Law School, the *Journal* holds a one-day symposium for the students who were chosen to write casenotes. The classes include lessons in research technique, writing, and citation.

Mr. Beirne was the first editor of the *St. Mary's Law Journal*.

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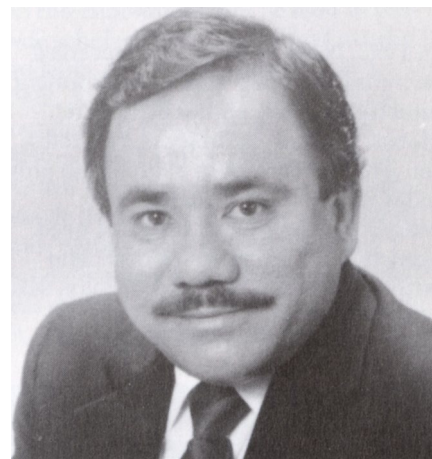
The following law firms and companies made financial contributions to the *St. Mary's Law Journal* during the 1992-1993 academic year: **Beirne, Maynard & Parsons; Davis, Adami & Cedillo, Inc.; Fulbright & Jaworski; Haynes and Boone, L.L.P.; Heard, Goggan, Blair & Williams; Jeffers, Brook, Kreager & Gragg, Inc.; Jenkins & Gilchrist; Law Offices of Pat Maloney, P.C.; Plunkett, Gibson & Allen, Inc.; San Antonio Light; and Mead Data Central, Inc.**

Four Law Students Receive Scholarships from Univer-- sity Alumni Association

The Scholarship Committee of the St. Mary's Alumni Association awarded a \$1,250 scholarship to each of four students at the School of Law. The recipients of the scholarships - **Matthew D. Bradley** ('93), **David L. Cunningham** ('93), **Susana Lopez** (3L), and **Darin M. Lippoldt** (3L) - all hold undergraduate degrees from the University.

Friends of Frank Herrera, Jr., Honor Him with Gifts to Law School

When Law School graduate Frank Herrera, Jr., ('67), principal of the Law Offices of Frank Herrera, Jr., P.C., celebrated his fiftieth birthday last year, he asked his friends to make donations to his three favorite charities instead of giving him presents. St. Mary's University School of Law received more than \$1,000 of contributions in honor of Mr. Herrera.



Frank Herrera, Jr.

Law Clinics Boosted by \$200,000 in Grants

The clinical programs at St. Mary's University School of Law were given a significant boost last year by the receipt of three grants totaling \$195,858. The awards included \$96,948 from the U.S. Department of Education (DOE), \$63,910 from the Legal Services Corporation (LSC), and \$35,000 from the Texas Equal Access to Justice Foundation.

The DOE grant enabled the St. Mary's Poverty Law Clinic to continue its Homelessness Project, which was initiated in 1991 to provide targeted legal services to San Antonio's burgeoning homeless population.

The LSC grant—one of just twenty-two grants awarded in a nationwide competition—helped the Poverty Law Clinic to launch a project that offers legal assistance to women, children, and the elderly.

The School of Law used the grant from the Texas Equal Access to Justice Foundation, which administers the funds generated by Interest on Lawyers' Trust Accounts (IOLTA), to expand the scope of the Immigration Clinic and to hire **Lee J. Terán** as the Clinic's Director. Ms. Terán, a highly respected immigration lawyer, also serves as the Co-Director of the Immigrant and Refugee Rights Project of the Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights Under Law of Texas.

The three grants enabled St. Mary's "to provide our students with hands-on legal training and, at the same time, to provide critically needed legal services to indigent men, women, and children in San Antonio and the South Texas area," said then-Associate Dean **David Dittfurth**. Dean Dittfurth coordinated the successful grant-writing effort.

St. Mary's Law Student Receives One of Ten Scholarships Awarded by Hispanic National Bar Association

Diana Morales ('93) was one of ten students selected to receive a \$1,000 scholarship from the Hispanic National Bar Fund, Inc., of the Hispanic National Bar Association. The scholarships are given annually to ten "deserving" law students in the hope of "contributing to their future success."

Women's Auxiliary of San Antonio Bar Awards Olive Trueheart Scholarship to St. Mary's Law Student

The Women's Auxiliary of the San Antonio Bar Association awarded the 1992-93 Olive Trueheart Scholarship to **G. Scott Wallace** ('93). The \$2,000 award was presented to Mr. Wallace at a luncheon sponsored by the Women's Auxiliary.

Students Benefit From Endowments at St. Mary's

Each year, students at St. Mary's University School of Law are awarded scholarships from a number of named endowments, in addition to those cited elsewhere in this report. Among the major endowments are the **F.W. and Mary J. Baker Scholarship**, the **Brackenridge Foundation Law Scholarship**, the **Cox & Smith Scholarship**, the **James R. Dougherty Memorial Scholarship**, the **Brenda Jolene Kaufman Memorial Scholarship**, the **Maisel Law Scholarship**, the **George E. and Claudine Pletcher Scholarship**, the **Ernest A. Raba Scholarship**, the **Rutherford Memorial Scholarship**, the **Fred Semaan Scholarship**, the **Eric T. Spielhagen Scholarship**, the **Gerald and Eloise Stockard Scholarship**, the **Bert W. Thompson Award**, and the **Woodley Scholarship**.

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