

Redlich Leads Clinical Program

Twenty-six senior law students are participating this year in the recently established Clinical Internship Program, under the direction of Prof. Allen Redlich. Each is spending approximately 20 hours a week on volunteer assignments concerned with the law of the poor and the administration of criminal justice, for which he receives 5 credits each semester.

The Clinical Internship Program was established in the Summer of 1969 with a grant from the Council on Legal Education for Professional Responsibility, an organization which receives its funds from the Ford Foundation. It has as its precursor, the program in Police and Correctional Internships, which has gone on for several years and is still continuing, in close relationship to the new program.

During the summer, the participants of the new program had full-time assignments in a number of areas, for which they received stipends through the Program. Three of them worked as clerks for Juvenile Court Judges in Madison, Milwaukee and Washington, D.C. Two assisted the National Welfare Rights Organization in Washington D.C., and are continuing to work on a Welfare Law Manual. Having worked on a Health Law Project in Milwaukee, two other students are preparing a Manual on Medicare, Medicaid and other health programs during the 1969-70 school year. One student began in the summer and is continuing a codification of consumer laws and regulations for the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture.

Under the previously funded program, several students, with special interest in the administration of criminal justice, served during the summer of 1969 as interns in police departments and correctional institutions. Of these, two students were members of the Human Relations Section and one a member of the Youth Division in the Chicago Police Department. Two students worked in the Madison Police Department, and another served in

the Training Division of the New Haven, Connecticut, Police Department. One worked with the Wisconsin Division of Corrections, and another with the Multnomah County Sheriff in Portland, Oregon. All are now working in the Legal Services Center as part of a unit specializing in criminal matters, the Public Defender's office or in other clinical settings, and are receiving five credits a semester as members of the Clinical Program.



Prof. Allen Redlich

Twenty-five new second year students will be added to the program in February, 1970. During the spring semester, they will be enrolled in a seminar in poverty law. In addition, a number of students will be enrolled in a seminar in Criminal Justice Administration as in previous years. Full-time summer placement will be followed by part-time work in the fall of 1970. Applications for the program are now being accepted.

As Director, Prof. Redlich will teach the seminar and will place and help supervise the students in the program. Other faculty members will be involved, too.

Three assumptions underlie the Internship Program:

1. Exposure to real life situations enhances the learning process;
2. There is a serious need for added legal services in both areas (poverty and the administration of criminal justice);
3. Students are idealistic and are keenly interested in doing legal work in the public interest.

Prof. Redlich is formerly director of the Nassau County Law Services Committee, Mineola, New York, in which capacity he was responsible for directing the work of thirteen lawyers, three social workers, and others, working out of 4 full-time law offices and 5 part-time offices. He is a graduate of New York University and Harvard Law School (class of 1954). He served as a member of the Board of Education of Syosset, and as a member of the Board of Directors of the Nassau County Civil Liberties Union.

Katz Appointed to Haight Chair

Wilber Katz was named George I. Haight Professor of Law by the University of Wisconsin Board of Regents at its meeting in Green Bay on October 17, 1969.

Prof. Katz became a member of the Law Faculty in 1961, after many years association with the Law School at the University of Chicago, including eleven years as Dean. His teaching specialties are Corporations, Accounting and Law, and Securities Regulations. He is also considered a leading Christian layman, and an authority on Religion and the Law.

Prof. Katz received an honorary DCL degree at Kenyon College in 1960.

The George I. Haight Professorship was established in Mr. Haight's memory by a group of his friends and classmates. Mr. Haight of Chicago was for many years Wisconsin's "No. 1 Alumnus." He was one of the country's leading appellate advocates.