

The Association of American Law School announces that **Prof. Jane E. Larson** will chair its Remedies Sections and **Prof. Peter C. Carstensen** the Antitrust and Economic Regulation section.

Former **Dean Daniel O. Bernstine** is completing his first year as President of Portland State University in Portland, Oregon. Bernstine finds the pace at the 15,000-student school to be even faster than at the Law School during construction!

Prof. R. Alta Charo has received a 1998 Romnes Award. These University-wide awards are given to new faculty who are making an immediate mark on their fields. Charo has a joint appointment in Law and Medicine and is a leading scholar of bioethics and public policy on biotechnology. In 1996 she was named to the President's National Bioethics Advisory Commission. Last July she was featured in a half-page, glowing article in the *New York Times*.

Prof. Howard Erlanger can now relax while Gov. Tommy Thompson has signed into law his 100-page rewrite of the Wisconsin Probate Code. The Code was recently passed by the Wisconsin legislature and approved by the governor. It is the first major change in probate law here since the early 1970's and is the culmination of five years of effort by Erlanger.



Former Dean Daniel Bernstine

Michele Cammers Goodwin has taken up residence as a Hastie Fellow at our School. She has a law degree from Boston University and will focus on the emerging problems of ethical and legal obligations in relation to the new managed health care systems. The Hastie Fellowship program is designed to increase the

number of minority law faculty and features a number of distinguished alumni including former dean Dan Bernstine.

Emeritus Prof. J. Willard Hurst passed away last June. He was 86 years old. Hurst joined the faculty here in 1937, after clerking on the U.S. Supreme Court. The most recent issue of the Wisconsin Law Review includes a tribute to the remarkable career of Prof. Hurst.

Prof. Neil Komesar is currently on a year-long research sabbatical funded by Quarles & Brady, Milwaukee.

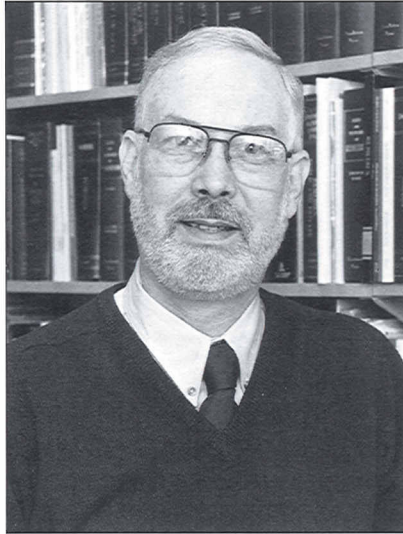
Clinical Faculty members **Katherine Kruse**, **Michelle LaVigne** and **Stephen Meili** all were invited participants in the recent *Conceptual Paradigms in Clinical Legal Education* conference sponsored jointly by the University of California-Los Angeles and the Institute of Advanced Legal Studies of the University of London. Kruse also recently presented a law and society paper at a conference at the University of Arizona Law School.



Prof. J. Willard Hurst



Prof. Jane Schacter



Prof. John Kidwell



Prof. Jane Larson

Prof. Jane Larson recently traveled back to her former school, Northwestern University Law School. The purpose of her trip: to pick up her second Teacher of the Year award from that school. She also recently gave a highly praised talk on sexual harassment at a conference hosted by Yale University Law School.

Klaus Lange, who has been a visiting faculty member at our School twice, has been elected President of the Constitutional Court of Hessen, Germany, similar to chief justice of a state.

Prof. Beverly I. Moran has become of counsel to Boardman, Suhr, Curry & Field, in Madison. She will practice taxation law.

Prof. Thomas Palay, who recently finished chairing the Law School's building committee, has now taken on the duties of Associate Dean for Academic Affairs.

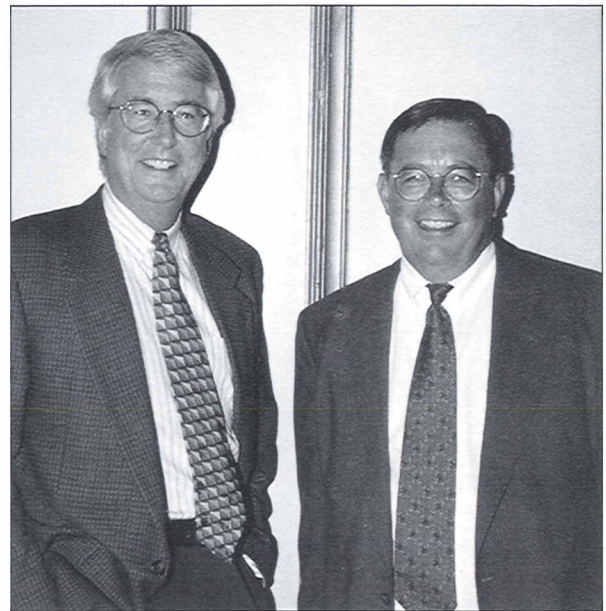
Prof. Jane Schacter has won the campus's Distinguished Teaching Award. An honor by itself, we are particularly proud that Schacter has been honored so early in her career.

She is also the 1996 recipient of the Law School's Teacher of the Year Award.

Prof. John Kidwell is the winner of the 1997 Law School Teacher of the Year Award.

Gretchen Viney ('78) has joined the General Practice Skills Program as assistant director. She will assist **Ralph Cagle** ('75) in administering and teaching this popular and important course.

Many of you remember **Dean George Young** (1957-1967). Some will remember his widow, **Lillian Young** passed away in the spring of 1997. In the years after George's death, Lillian still faithfully attended Law School events, including the Benchers Society dinners. Lillian's estate has



Dean Davis and 1997 Convocation speaker Steve Glynn ('70)

made a major contribution to the School which will be used to endow a professorship and add to the George Young Scholarship fund.

The Board of Regents recently confirmed the following faculty appointments to named-professorships: **Gordon B. Baldwin** and

Walter J. Dickey, Evjue-Bascom Professors of Law; **Ann Althouse**, Robert W. and Irma M. Arthur-Bascom Professor of Law; **Richard B. Bilder**, Foley & Lardner-Bascom

Professor of Law; **Peter C. Carstensen**, George H. Young-Bascom Professor of Law; **Kenneth B. Davis**, James E. and Ruth B. Doyle-Bascom Professor of Law;

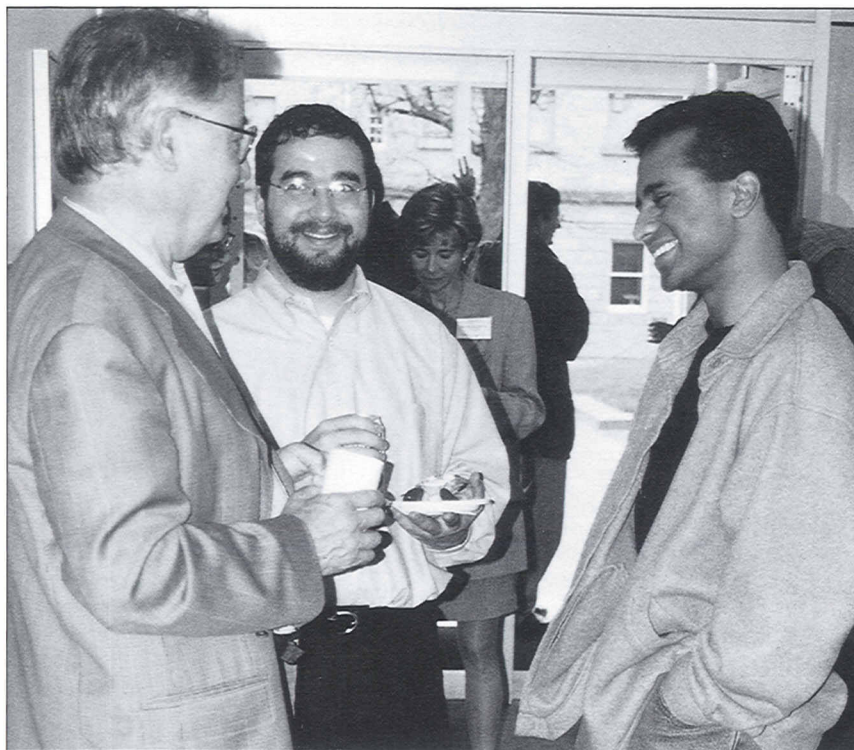
Marc Galanter, John and Rylla Bosshard Professor of Law; **Leonard V. Kaplan**, Jackson Professor of Law; **Neil K. Komesar**, Burrus-Bascom Professor of Law; and **Arthur F. McEvoy III**, J. Willard Hurst Professor.

UW Law School Class Reunions

Classes of:	When:
War-Year Classes (1942-48), 1958, 1968, 1973, 1978 and 1988	Friday and Saturday, September 25-26, 1998 Includes UW v. North western football game
1949, 1959, 1969, 1974, 1979, and 1989	<i>Tentative</i> Friday and Saturday, September 24-25, 1999 Includes UW v. Michigan football game
1950, 1960, 1970, 1975, 1980 and 1990	Fall 2000

Profs. **Walter J. Dickey** and **Michael Smith** are managing a grant from the National Institute of Justice. The project involves a partnership among the Law School's Remington Center, the Wisconsin Department of Corrections and the state judiciary, examining Wisconsin's criminal sentencing system.

Jessica Palmer and **John Horneck**, current law students here, recently won the Ruby R. Vale Corporate Moot Court Competition. To win the competition, they had to beat teams from NYU and Brooklyn.



Marc Galanter, John & Rylla Bosshard Professor of Law, and his son, Seth Galanter, speak with Jay Krishnan, Honorary Fellow of the Institute for Legal Studies, at a recent conference which assessed the scholarly impact of Galanter's article "Why the 'Haves' Come Out Ahead?," the most widely cited article ever published in the Law and Society field.