



SUPREME COURT DAY PROBLEM

State of Iowa v. Iowa District Court

Wilson B. Streeterman was convicted in Iowa District Court in 1997 on three counts of lascivious acts with a child and is currently serving three consecutive five-year sentences in the Mount Pleasant Correctional Facility.

Participation in a sex offender treatment program was not a specific element of his sentence nor was it required under correctional statutes or prison rules at the time that Streeterman began serving his sentence. However, in 2001, pursuant to a new state statute, Iowa Code § 903A.2, the Iowa Department of Corrections issued a new disciplinary rule mandating that sex offenders participate in a treatment program during their incarceration.

Streeterman declined to participate and accordingly was disciplined by the correctional facility. As a sanction for his purported misconduct, Streeterman lost 90 days of time previously earned for good conduct, that is, time that would have been applied to reduce his overall prison sentence. Moreover, unless Streeterman participates in the treatment program, he will not continue to accumulate good-time credit as he did previously.

Streeterman filed an application for post-conviction relief in Iowa District Court. He alleged that revised Iowa Code § 903A.2 and the prison rule violated the Ex Post Facto Clause of the United States Constitution, Art. I, § 9, cl.3, by imposing a punishment retroactively for conduct that was not improper (refusing to participate in a treatment program) when he was initially sentenced.

Streeterman contends the new rule, by effectively increasing the length of his sentence, is an unconstitutional ex post facto law. By depriving him of earned good conduct time and denying him future credit on the same terms—thereby delaying the date upon which the prisoner will be released from custody—the rule changes the quantum of punishment from what the law attached at the time of Streeterman's criminal conduct and sentence. Thus, Streeterman says, the new rule is both retroactive and imposes a substantive disadvantage upon a prisoner.

Streeterman argues that this case is similar to Weaver v. Graham, 450 U.S. 24 (1981), in which the Supreme Court invalidated a state statute revising the calculation of good time credit for state prisoners. In Weaver, the Court held that retroactive application of the new good time rule to diminish

the opportunity to obtain early release violated the Ex Post Facto Clause because the statute made "more onerous the punishment for crimes committed before its enactment."

"By definition," the Court said, the "reduction in [good]-time accumulation lengthens the period that someone in [the prisoner's] position must spend in prison."

The State of Iowa responds that the rule change does not increase the penalty for any crime but merely is a modest change in prison disciplinary standards. Requiring treatment does not constitute punishment, the State says, even if refusal to comply with the rule has consequences. Under the Supreme Court's decision in Dobbert v. Florida, 432 U.S. 282 (1977), a procedural change in the rules that does not change the actual quantum of punishment attached to a crime does not constitute an impermissible ex post facto law. The State contends that the provision of early release by earning good conduct time is a privilege and one that is extended only to those prisoners who comply with the rules in effect during incarceration. Accordingly, while good conduct time may be forfeited or withheld for failure to participate in a treatment program, Streeterman's actual sentence is not extended.

Moreover, the State claims that the rule change was not retrospective in effect. Streeterman was not disciplined for his failure to participate in a treatment program in the past. Rather, it was his conduct after adoption of the new rule and his refusal to comply with disciplinary standards after that date that resulted in the discipline and the loss of good conduct time. Given the urgent needs of prison administration, the State says it must have authority to revise the standards of behavior that will be expected of prisoners to promote "legitimate penological interests." Turner v. Safley, 482 U.S. 78 (1987). According to the State, ensuring treatment and rehabilitation of offenders, making prisoners productive and not idle, and undertaking necessary reforms are legitimate penological measures, not imposition of aggravated punishment for past crimes.

The Iowa District Court ruled that the statute and prison rule did impose an unconstitutional ex post facto punishment and ordered both that all previously earned good conduct time be reinstated to Streeterman and that good conduct time should continue to be credited to Streeterman under the prior prison rule.

The State of Iowa has filed a petition for a writ of certiorari with the Supreme Court of Iowa seeking to overturn the District Court's ruling.

FORMER SUPREME COURT DAY FINALISTS

- 2002 Thomas Cope Rubina Kazi Anne Olson Jill Jensen-Welch
- 2001 Thomas Cope John Danos Jeff Link Brenda K. Ouade
- 2000 Anne E. Crocker Lisa R. Lemons Brenda K. Quade Donald Stanley, Jr.
- 1999 Stacie Barhorst Matt Haindfield Ryan Rohlfsen Donald Stanley, Jr.
- 1998 John Clendenin Christopher A. Kragnes Matt Haindfield Ryan Rohlfsen
- 1997 Matt J. Cole Christopher A. Kragnes Alan R. Ostergren Ivy Ross Rivello
- 1996 Jennifer V. Ballengee Jennifer R. Clark Marija Lisnich Alan R. Ostergren
- 1995 Michael Clark Michael Jones Jonathan S. Miles Matthew R. Scott

- 1994 Susan K. Hansen Matthew M. Johnson Matthew R. Scott Peter J. Thill
- 1993 Rhonda A. Hawkins Anthony S. Mendoza Robert Mihelich Mark A. Newman
- 1992 Venessa F. Kuhlmann Patricia L. Rensink-Vogel Gregory C. Schodde Diana M. Spahr
- 1991 John S. Courter
 Brian M. F. Kennedy
 Curtis O. Roggow
 Diana M. Spahr
- 1990 Timothy J. Casey John S. Courter Brian M. F. Kennedy W. Trent Van Haaften
- 1989 James A. Benzoni Gary R. Fischer Pamela W. Prager Jeffrey J. Wolf
- 1988 Andrew J. Bracken
 Carmen E. Eichmann
 Gregg M. Fishbein
 Dawn R. Siebert
- 1987 Gregory D. Brandt Teresa K. Hillary Steven E. Mauer Marcia L. Schober

- 1986 Beverly K. Caro Debra Chang Robert K. DuPuy Steven E. Mauer
- 1985 David S. Garms
 John T. Palter
 Anita Shodeen
 Parmeter
 Kelly Benson Radetic
- 1984 Martha A. Fagg Debra Egli James Peter H. Thrane Mark D. Welker
- 1983 Marlene Triggs Gresh Vincent E. Mauer Steven J. Roy Kristin K. Wright
- 1982 Elaine Marquardt Martha L. Mertz Rose Murphy Stephen P. Swinton
- 1981 Gregory L. Biehler
 Gerald L. Hammond
 David W. Hepplewhite
 Helen M. Stirling
- 1980 John F. Gelson Kent J. Lund Steven R. Parrish Patricia Rutherford
- 1979 Lance D. Ehmcke Hugh B. Hughes Kasey W. Kincaid Shari L. Ulery

- 1978 Diane M. Henson Thomas E. Stanberry Nancy Torrey Jack Whitley
- 1977 Gerald H. Grask Larry J. Handley Martin W. Kus Marilyn S. Warner
- 1976 James E. Ellefson Gregory M. Lederer John A. Michelich William S. Vernon
- 1975 Susan A. Abel Carter G. Bishop Fred L. Dorr Thomas E. McCurnin
- 1974 Iris E. Muchmore John M. Perkins Mark W. Schweibert Dennis R. Taylor
- 1973 Earl D. Bellamy II Marsha L. Johnson George H. Perry Tito W. Trevino
- 1972 Richard G. Blane II
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 Vernon L. Traster
 Terry N. Trieweiler
 Timothy W. Waldeck
- 1971 Arthur L. Buzzell
 Ben Thomas Cole
 Dennis B. O'Boyle
 Nile C. Williamson
- 1970 R. Larry Drake John R. Hearn Arvid D. Oliver Jack Williamson

- 1969 Edwin K. W. Ching Ronald R. Fletcher Albert L. Harvey Robert D. McLaren Richard A. Pundt John C. Wellman
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- 1967 William H. Huff III Harold A. Young Lawrence E. Pope
- 1966 Lyman L. Frick
 Thomas E. Leahy Jr.
 Gary D. Ordway
 Richard G. Pattison
 Jon R. Pearce
 Jack R. Schreiber
 Anna I. Shinkle
 Jo Ann G. Shirley
- 1965 John R. Baur
 G. Norman Coder
 Fred M. Dawson
 Tom George
 Thomas Killion
 John L. Rensink
 Wayne M. Sakai
 Gary L. Wiegel
- 1964 Yale H. Iverson
 Lyle D. Middleton
 Edward J. Reasor
 Stephen R. Smith
 Ronald L. Sorenson
 Gary H. Swanson
 William N. Twohey
 John T. Ward

- 1963 Joseph S. Bertroche
 Thomas Bolton
 H. Randolph Duncan
 Loren J. Duensing
 J. Robert Hand
 Ronald M. Frykberg
 Peter A. Keller
 Robert R.
 Montgomery
- 1962 Marvin F.Heidman
 Jack D. Levin
 Louis A. Lavorato
 R. Dale Peddicord
 Stanton Sornson
 Paul H. Tatz
 Brian P. Williams
 Thomas A. Renda
- 1961 Phillip R. Collett
 Charles M. Ferguson
 James E. Houser
 Frank E. Kennedy
 James E. Knox
 Richard E. Ramsay
 Andrew H. Schill
- 1960 R. Don Bertell
 Roderick C.
 Dickinson
 George A. Goebel
 Randall Handley
 George F. Milligan
 George R. Sackett
 James B. West
 Iames W. Yoder
- 1959 Mark DeRuyter
 Philip C. Armknecht
 Harlan Max Hockett
 James W. Brown
 Thomas Hylan
 A. Hughes
 Robert R. Snyder
 Clarence J. May

FORMER SUPREME COURT DAY FINALISTS (continued)

1958	Sheldon L. Balman
	Lee H. Gaudineer Jr.
	Clarence A. Glotfelty
	Leo E. Gross
	John H. Reuber
	Dan Stamatelos
	George W. Sullivan
	William J. Yost

- 1957 Raymond A. Fenton J. Hawey Jerry A. Kasner John R. McGlynn Carl F. Nielsen Leo E. Oxberger Elwood L. Thomas Paul O. Strand
- 1956 Robert W. Callies Robert E. Drey Donald L. Kramer Walter F. Maley Lawrence E. Myers Gordon Nesbit Rex V. Roupe Harley Whitfield
- 1955 Robert G. Allbee Anthony M. Critelli Harry W. Dahl Durwood W. Dircks Dwight I. Martin Richard F. Mitchell Robert L. Walters Dirk C. Van Zante
- 1954 John D. Culbertson Richard G. Davidson Clyde R. Fickes Joseph C. Piper Donald Running James L. Tyler Robert A. Wright Donald H. Zarley

- 1953 Melvern E. Anderson Brian Connell Mervin I. Flander Daniel L. Griffen Ir. Harold I. Lincoln, Sr. James Van Ginkel Robert Rydell Alvin E. Witwer
- 1952 Audrea M. Bride G. Arthur Cady Ir. John W. Carty Albert G. Dunkleberg Hessel Dvkstra Rogert L. Kaas William M. Parker Gerold O. Patterson
- 1951 Robert K. Clark Walter E. Stradley John Tow lack C. Wallace
- 1950 Theodore L. Duffield James D. McKeon John G. Martin William R. Rosecrans
- 1949 Horace G. Booth Charles Cardamon Paul J. Cooksey Bill E. Davenport John D. Galvin Peter B. Larson
- 1947 Robert Daufenbaugh Theodore H. Miller Louis W. Nitchals Bernard Rodholm John K. Watson

Dale L. Porter

1941 Norman K. Blatchford Charles C. Browning, Sr. John Connolly III Russell B. Decker Joy Fitzgerald Hix Galen Hesalroad Joe W. Kridelbaugh Jr. John H. Neiman Robert G. Riley Lorna L. Williams Don Wilson Robert I. Wessells

- 1940 John Gannon Arnold Joseph Roy W. Meadow George Rice Virgil L. Siepel Robert Southworth Ir. Florence Wallace Eldon A. Woltz
- 1939 Allor B. Crouch John T. Donahoe Theodore W. Doran A. E. Jensen Edward F. McCartan Donald F. Klein Cecil L. Utterback

ALUMNI OF THE YEAR WINNERS

Clark Mollenhoff

Alfred Sulmonetti

1985 George G. Fagg

Don Zarley

1984 M. Gene Blackburn

Patrick D. Kelly

C. Edwin Moore

2002 1	Michael Huston	1986	Jake More
2001 I	17 C		Clark Moll
2001 Edmund J. Sease	amuna J. Sease		Alfred Sulr

2000 Robert E. Dreher 1999 Ruth Babcock Klotz

1998 H. Richard Smith

1997 Marvin Duckworth

1996 Justice Marsha Ternus

1995 Benjamin Ullem

Justice Louis A. Lavorato

Don Muvskens

1992 Robert D. Ray Elwood Thomas

1991 William H. Englebrecht Roscoe Riemenschneider Charles R. Wasker

1990 Robert G. Allbee Donald C. Byers Edwin E. Ferguson, Sr.

1989 Roxanne Conlin J. Rudolph (Steve) Hansen Iames L. Perkins

1988 Robert Helmick Joseph C. Howard Dwight D. Opperman

1987 Neal Smith Bea Smith

STUDENT BAR ASSOCIATION AWARDS AND RECOGNITION OF ACHIEVEMENT

Student Bar Association 2002-2003

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Kendric Olson

Arthur Krimsky

Jessica Reynolds

First-year Representatives

Nate Boulton

Mitch Kuhnert

Mark Bowman

Adam Parsons

Student Bar Association President's Awards

This award honors persons who have made an extraordinary contribution to the success of the programs of the Student Bar Association or to the life of the student body as a whole.

2001-2002 Recipients:

Professor Thomas Baker

William Miller

Jerry Herold

Anne Olson

Paul Love

LAW SCHOOL AWARDS AND RECOGNITION OF ACHIEVEMENT

The Ferguson Prize

The Ferguson Prize Gold Award is given to the student who best exemplifies the commitment of Drake Law School and the legal profession to public service, and who has rendered outstanding service, primarily legal assistance, to eligible individuals or groups in the Law School Clinic or to other public service projects integrated with the Law School. Also, a Silver Award shall be given to a second-place student. The Ferguson Prize was established by Edwin Earle Ferguson Sr., IW'34, and is accompanied by a \$1,000 cash gift and a commemorative plaque.

Winner to be announced at the Supreme Court Day Banquet

2001-2002 Recipients:

Gold Award: Tara Elcock

Silver Award: Michelle Saveraid

The Timothy N. Carlucci Award

This award was established in honor and memory of Timothy N. Carlucci, LW'87. The award is given to the law student who best exemplifies civility and professionalism in his or her dealings with fellow students and others in the profession. The Timothy N. Carlucci Award is accompanied by a \$200 cash gift and a commemorative plaque.

Winner to be announced at the Supreme Court Day Banquet

2001-2002 Recipients: John Danos and Paul Love

The Robert J. Kromminga Award

This award is given to an outstanding clinical student in client representation and advocacy in the Criminal Defense Program. This award is made possible by the Iowa Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers and is accompanied by a \$250 cash gift and a commemorative plaque.

Winner to be announced at the Supreme Court Day Banquet

2001-2002 Recipients: Kami Henke and Paul Love

American Bankruptcy Law Journal Prize

This award is given to a student, as selected by each accredited law school, who excels in bankruptcy studies. The American Bankruptcy Institute provides a certificate and a complimentary subscription to the American Bankruptcy Law Journal, which publishes a list of award winners in one of its issues.

2002-2003 Recipient: William Sims

The William and Ellen Cooney Hoye Award

This award honors Justice David Harris, who served on the Iowa Supreme Court from 1972 to 1999. It is presented each spring to the graduating senior who, in the opinion of the faculty, demonstrates the greatest promise as an advocate, a public servant and a practitioner. Like Justice Harris, the recipient of this award has demonstrated not only academic promise, but also leadership ability, the speaking and writing skills of an effective advocate, and a commitment to public service and Drake Law School. The William (IW'86) and Ellen Cooney (LW'87) Hoye Award is accompanied by a \$500 cash gift and a commemorative plaque.

Winner to be announced at the Supreme Court Day Banquet

2001-2002 Recipient: Gary Dickey, Jr.

International Academy of Trial Lawyers

Each year the academy awards a certificate to the student who best demonstrates the qualities of a good trial practitioner based on his or her excellence in legal clinic courses.

Winner to be announced at the Supreme Court Day Banquet

2001-2002 Recipient: William Schultz

Jeffrey and Elizabeth Goodman Distinguished Advocate Award

This award was established in 2003 by Jeffrey and Elizabeth Goodman, 1985 graduates of the Drake Law School. Its purpose is to recognize a Drake Law School student who demonstrates excellence and proficiency in client representation and advocacy. The recipient receives a \$1,000 cash award.

Winner to be announced at the Supreme Court Day Banquet

Dean's Service Awards

These awards are presented to students who have provided outstanding service to the Law School during the 2002-2003 school year.

2002-2003 Dean's Service Award Winners

Matt Dekkers, Alternative Dispute Resolution Society
Erica Parkey, Black Law Students Association
Jeramy Kuhn, Christian Legal Society
Nathan Tucker, Christian Legal Society
Scott Kaspar, Delta Theta Phi
Wyatt Peterson, Drake Agricultural Law Society
Hollis Luzecky, Drake Environmental Law Society
Jason Giles, Drake Federalist Society
Jane Riessen, Drake Law Democrats
Scott Kaspar, Drake Law Republicans
Tye Klooster, Drake Law Review
Kristol Ginapp, Drake Law Women

DEAN'S SERVICE AWARDS (continued)

Nhyx-Selene Webb, Drake Outlaws
Andreas Commins, Federal Bar Society
Jeremy Feitelson, Intellectual Property Law Society
Brett Warcholak, International Law Society
Wyatt Peterson, Journal of Agricultural Law
Jessica McGill, Moot Court Board
Jason Dunn, National Lawyer's Guild
Mike Worrall, National Lawyer's Guild
Darin Mahlke, Student Bar Association

The Leland Forrest Outstanding Professor Award

The recipient of this award is selected each year by students of the graduating class. The award recognizes outstanding contribution to quality legal education both in and out of the classroom.

Winner to be announced at the Supreme Court Day Banquet

2001-2002: Professor Laurie K. Doré

The Martin Tollefson Award

The Student Bar Association created this award to recognize the student leader who best exemplifies the hopes and aspirations of the late Dean Tollefson. This award is the highest form of recognition for leadership and service contributions to Drake Law School. Selection for this \$200 cash award is by election of the graduating class.

Winner to be announced at the Supreme Court Day Banquet

2001-2002 Recipient: Gary Dickey, Jr.

LAW REVIEW AWARDS AND RECOGNITION OF ACHIEVEMENT

The Drake Law Review

The Drake Law Review is published four times each year. The Review is edited and prepared by student editors and staff. Students are chosen on the basis of high scholastic achievement and writing ability.

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DRAKE LAW REVIEW (continued)

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The H.G. Cartwright Law Review Award

This annual award of \$200 is presented to the student who submits the best Note to the Drake Law Review during the year. The award is named in honor of the late Harold G. Cartwright, LW'25, who participated actively in founding the Law Review and who was a loyal supporter of the Law School.

Award presented at the Law Review Dinner

2001-2002 Recipient: William Miller 2002-2003 Recipient: Carey Erhard

The Jeff Gilbert Memorial Writing Award

This award is named in honor of the late Jeffrey S. Gilbert, a member of the Class of 1986 who was named to the 1985-86 Editorial Board shortly before his untimely death in 1985. The award is presented to the junior staff member who has made the greatest contribution to the success of the Drake Law Review.

Award presented at the Law Review Dinner

2001-2002 Recipient: Tye Klooster 2002-2003 Recipient: Amanda Wachuta

The Morris A. Haft Award

This award was established by the family of Morris A. Haft, father of Howard Haft, LW'53. The award, named in recognition of Mr. Haft's quality and service to the Drake Law Review and the legal profession, is presented annually to a graduating member of the Law Review staff or Editorial Board who, through individual effort, service and leadership, has contributed most to the overall success and quality of the Drake Law Review.

Award presented at the Law Review Dinner

2001-2002 Recipient: Jessica Braeger **2002-2003 Recipient:** Barry Koopmann

The Drake Journal of Agricultural Law

The Drake Journal of Agricultural Law was initiated in the fall of 1994. The Journal's focus is to provide a quality publication to benefit the courts, practicing attorneys, professors, students and others in the community who are interested in researching international and domestic matters relating to agricultural and food law.

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Friend of the Journal

For the first time this award is presented to an individual who has offered their support and assistance to the Agricultural Law Journal. This individual is not a staff member of the Journal, but through their time and effort helped to make it a success.

2002-2003 Recipient: Sherry VonBehren

The Outstanding Board Member Award

This award is presented annually to a member of the Editorial Board to recognize outstanding commitment and dedication to the Drake Journal of Agricultural Law.

Award presented at the Journal Dinner

2001-2002 Recipient: Amy Nelson 2002-2003 Recipient: Wyatt Peterson

The Outstanding Third-year Staff Member Award

This award is presented annually to a member of the Journal staff who is a third-year law student. This award recognizes outstanding commitment and dedication to the Journal.

2002-2003 Recipient: Jeremy Reppy

The Outstanding Second-year Staff Member Award

This award is presented annually to a member of the Journal staff who is a second-year law student. The award recognizes outstanding commitment and dedication to the Journal.

Award presented at the Journal Dinner

2001-2002 Recipients: Sarah Kouri and Wyatt Peterson **2002-2003 Recipient:** Jennifer Williams

MOOT COURT AWARDS AND RECOGNITION OF ACHIEVEMENT

Moot Court Board

The Drake Law School Moot Court Program consists of six intramural competitions and ten inter-law-school competitions conducted at various times throughout the school year. The Moot Court Board members are responsible for organizing all aspects of each team's involvement in the moot court competitions. In addition, the members serve as student coaches to the competitors.

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MOOT COURT BOARD (continued)

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Nikki Miras

The Rodney L. Hudson Appellate Advocacy Award

This is an annual cash award from a fund established in honor of Rodney L. Hudson, LW'16, whose career exemplified the skills, dedication and character demanded of the complete advocate. The award, for outstanding student practitioners of the art of appellate advocacy, goes to the student who, in the opinion of the justices of the Iowa Supreme Court, makes the best argument before them on Supreme Court Day. This award is made possible by the Rodney L. Hudson Family Foundation.

Winner to be announced at the Supreme Court Celebration Banquet

2001-2002 Recipient: Jill Jensen-Welch

The Rodney L. Hudson Senior Advocacy Award

Each year this award is presented to a senior student who is judged by the moot court advisors to have given outstanding overall performance in moot court competitions throughout his/her law school career. The annual cash award is funded by the Rodney L. Hudson Family Foundation established in honor of Rodney L. Hudson, LW'16, whose career exemplified excellence in advocacy.

Award presented at the Moot Court Board Luncheon

2001-2002 Recipients: Jeff Link and William Schultz **2002-2003 Recipient:** Jill Jenson-Welch

The M. Gene Blackburn Award

This annual award of \$250, funded by the Cedar Rapids, Iowa, law firm of Moyer & Bergman, is presented to the student who submits the best brief for the Supreme Court Day Moot Court Competition. The recipient is chosen on the basis of superior writing skills that communicate an issue position based upon an innovative, creative and concise approach. The award is named for M. Gene Blackburn, LW'55, in recognition of his dedication to the development of appellate advocacy while a professor at Drake Law School.

Award presented at the Moot Court Board Luncheon

2001-2002 Recipient: Lindsey Moore 2002-2003 Recipient: Jill Alesch

Drake Law School Alumni Service Award

This award is given annually to an alumnus or alumna for his or her generosity and dedication to the Drake Law School Moot Court Program.

Award presented at the Moot Court Board Luncheon

2001-2002 Recipients: Jeff Noble, LW'90 and Mark Godwin, LW'85 2002-2003 Recipient: Donald Stanley, Jr., LW'00

Honorary Member of the Order of the Barristers

This award is given annually to an alumnus or friend of Drake in recognition of his or her contribution to the Moot Court Program and their example as an outstanding advocate in practice.

2001-2002 Recipient: Judge Artis Reis

2002-2003 Recipient: Judge Robert Blink and Judge Richard Blane

Order of the Barristers

The Order of the Barristers is a national society whose purpose is to recognize special efforts and contributions to moot court programs in American law schools. Membership is voted on the basis of outstanding participation in moot court competitions and service to the Drake Moot Court Board.

Awards presented at the Moot Court Board Luncheon

Order of the Barristers 2002:

Amelia Nelson John Danos Gary Dickey, Jr. Michael Salvner Constance Grignon Holly Schaffter

leff Link Will Schultz

Alexandra Spalding Paul Love

Honorary Member: Judge Artis Reis

APPELLATE COMPETITIONS

National Moot Court Competition

The National Moot Court Competition is an inter-law-school appellate competition sponsored each year by the Young Lawyers' Committee of the Association of the Bar of the City of New York and the American College of Trial Lawyers. Both teams competed in regional competition in November in Iowa City. The team of Kazi, Porter and Rickert were semi-finalists at the regional competition. The team of Alesch, Jensen-Welch, and Hancock placed first in regional competition and competed in nationals in New York in January where they placed in the Top 16.

Blue Team	White Team	
Jill Alesch	Rubina Kazi	
Robert Hancock	David Porter	
Jill Jensen-Welch	Teresa Rickert	

Laurie K. Doré, Faculty Advisor

American Bar Association National Appellate Advocacy

The National Appellate Advocacy Competition is sponsored the American Bar Association. The teams traveled to San Francisco for regional competition in February.

Blue Team White Team Jonathan Garner Marc Elcock Mark Hudson Lindsey Moore Carrie Schoenebaum Jill Zwagerman

Gregory C. Sick, Faculty Coach

Donald Stanley Jr., LW'00, Alumni Coach

Marc Elcock, Student Coach

National Environmental Law Competition

The National Environmental Law Competition is sponsored by the Environmental Law Institute at Pace University. The team competed in the national competition in White Plains, New York in February.

Ron Bailey Scot Kreider Randall Goodwin

Jerry L. Anderson, Faculty Advisor

Jennifer Johnson LW'93, Alumni Coach

Scot Krieder, Student Coach

Intellectual Property Competition

The Giles Sutherland Rich Moot Court Competition is sponsored by the American Intellectual Property Law Association. The team travels for regional competition this month.

Blue Team

White Team

Adam Jones

Jeremy Feitelson

Jean Anne Zarn

David Mathias

Edmund J. Sease, LA'64, LW'67, Faculty Coach

Michelle Engler, Student Coach

TRIAL COMPETITIONS

The National Institute for Trial Advocacy Tournament of Champions

The NITA Tournament of Champions is an invitation-only competition for the sixteen best student trial advocacy training law schools in the nation. Schools are selected based on previous performances in open competitions. The team competed in Austin, Texas in November.

Jason Butler

Todd Chelf

Rubina Kazi

Julia Muedeking

Mark Godwin, LW'85 and Jeff Noble, LW'90, Alumni Coaches

The American Trial Lawyers Association Mock Trial Competition

The American Trial Lawyers Association Mock Trial Competition is an inter-law-school trial advocacy competition sponsored by the American Trial Lawyers Association. The team competed in Kansas City in February.

Jason Butler

E. Jacob Cummings

Amy Houston

James Nelson

David Porter

Teresa Rickert

Curt Stamp

Josh Tomschek

Chuck Kenville, LW'99 and Jeff Noble, LW'90, Alumni Coaches

Teresa Rickert, Student Coach

National Mock Trial Competition

The National Mock Trial Competition is an inter-law-school trial advocacy competition. The team traveled to Columbia, Missouri in February for regional competition.

Gail Barnett

Jessica Bonnett

Todd Chelf

Randal Goodwin

Julia Muedeking

Chad Ray

Steve Foritano and Mark Godwin, LW'85, Coaches

Kristina Stanger, Student Coach

SKILL COMPETITIONS

Negotiations Competition

The Negotiations Competition is sponsored by the American Bar Association. The team traveled to Omaha, Nebraska in November for regional competitions.

Cory Abbas

Matt Dekkers

Iill Eimmerman

Matt Schinzel

Mark Smith, LW'73, Alumni Coach

Cory Abbas, Student Coach

OTHER STUDENT AWARDS AND RECOGNITION OF SERVICE

The Order of the Coif

Drake Law School's chapter of the Order of the Coif, the national law school honor society, was chartered in 1951. Members are selected annually from students who rank in the top ten percent of the graduating class.

Members Elected in 2002

John Danos

Tara Moffit

Jessica Braeger

Kami Sinnard

Megan Peterson

Anne Nielsen Olson

Patrick White William Miller K. Dwayne Vande Krol William Schultz

CALI Excellence for the Future Awards

The CALI Excellence for the Future Awards are given to students attaining the highest grade for selected courses leading to a J.D. degree.

Spring 2002

Jill Alesch, Civil Procedure II

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