57th Annual Supreme Court Day Banquet
DRAKE UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL
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  and Director of Clinical Programs
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Marsha Skoman, Acquisitions Librarian and Instructor, Law Library
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  Law Library
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  Alumni and Development Director
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**AWARDS AND RECOGNITION OF ACHIEVEMENT**

**STUDENT BAR ASSOCIATION AWARDS AND RECOGNITION OF ACHIEVEMENT**

**Student Bar Association (SBA) Officers 1993-1994**
- Gregory M. Gantz, President
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**Third Year Representatives**
- Jeffrey J. Barnett
- James R. Moody
- Mary M. Sigmann
- Kenneth J. Weiland

**Second Year Representatives**
- Charles P. Pritchard
- Scott E. Schroeder
- Teresa L. Vercande
- Kathleen M. Werner

**First Year Representatives**
- Steve Knudson
- David Law
- Amy L. Peters
- Joseph L. Walsh

**Fall Ball**
- Ronja E. Butler, Chair

**Supreme Court Day Chairpersons**
- Tracie R. Nelson and Ronja E. Butler

**American Bar Association Law Student Division**
- Stacie A. Vest, Lieutenant Governor of Communications, 8th Circuit Law, Student Division
- Tracie R. Nelson, Liaison to the Section of Urban, State & Local Government, Law and Lieutenant Governor of Development, 8th Circuit Law, Student Division

**STUDENT BAR ASSOCIATION PRESIDENT’S AWARDS**

Persons who have made an extraordinary contribution to the success of the program of the Student Bar Association or to the life of the student body as a whole.

**Third Years**
- Jeffrey J. Barnett
- Larry M. Gille
- James R. Moody
- Tracie R. Nelson
- Sannon L. Reineccius
- Amy Seefeld
- Mary M. Sigmann
- Ken Weiland

**Second Years**
- Romonda D. Belcher
- Ronja E. Butler
- Gregory F. Greiner
- Charles P. Pritchard
- Scott E. Schroeder
- Marci Tooman
- Teresa L. Vercande

**First Years**
- Steve Knudson
- David Law
- Amy L. Peters
- Joseph L. Walsh

**DEAN’S SERVICE AWARDS**

These awards are presented to students who have provided outstanding service to the Law School during the 1993-94 school year.

- Shannon Reineccius, ABA/LSD Representative
- Robert Fry, President, Agricultural Law Association
- Marilyn Moon, President, Asian-American Law Students Organization
- Tracie R. Nelson, President, Black Law Students Association, and Co-Chair, Supreme Court Day Banquet
- Steven Westercamp, President, Christian Legal Society
- John Lander, President, Delta Theta Phi
- Mark Greiner, President, Drake Environmental Law Society
- Christine Bakeis, Editor-In-Chief, Drake Law Review, and Member of the Law School Task Force
- Sue Albaugh, President, Drake Law Women
- Christine Donahue, Managing Editor, Drake Legal Research Service
- Marci Tooman, President, The Federalist Society
- Craig Schoenfeld, Editor, The Gavel
- Mark Newman, Chief Justice, Honor Board
- Greg M. Gantz, President, Student Bar Association, Intellectual Property Society
- Kimberly Taylor, President, International Law Society
- Christine Branstad, President, Iowa Trial Lawyers Association
- Leeanne Gruev, President, Labor Law Society
- Barbara Montoya, President, Latino Law Society
- Tobin Britt, President, Moot Court Board
- Jill Valcarce, President, National Lawyers Guild
Jeff Barnett, Justice, Phi Alpha Delta
Jill Hauser, President, Student Development Committee
Ronja E. Butler, Co-Chair, Supreme Court Day Banquet, and Chair, Fall Ball
Joe Strantz, Chair, Volunteer Income Tax Assistance Program (VITA)
Elizabeth A. Delagardelle, Law School Task Force
Cynthia Letsch, Law School Task Force
Michael Norton, Law School Task Force
Cindy Smith, Law School Task Force

THE DRAKE LAW REVIEW AWARDS AND RECOGNITION OF ACHIEVEMENT

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.

Editorial Board 1993-1994:
Christine Bakeis, Editor-In-Chief
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Peter Thill
Kathleen Werner
Steven Westercamp

Faculty Advisor
Keith C. Miller

H.G. CARTWRIGHT LAW REVIEW AWARD
This is an annual award of $200 to the student who submits the best Note during the year to the Drake Law Review. The award is named in honor of the late Harold G. Cartwright (L’25), who participated actively in founding the Law Review and who was a loyal supporter of the Law School.

Award presented to Jeffrey Thomas Mains

THE JEFF GILBERT MEMORIAL WRITING AWARD
This is an annual award of $200 to the student who submits the best Case Note during the year to the Drake Law Review. The 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.

Award presented to Paige Fiedler
Moot Court Awards and Recognition of Achievement

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.

Officers 1993-1994
Tobin L. Britt, President
Kimberly L. Taylor, Vice-President
Jeffrey B. Redick, Secretary

Members:
Rory Calloway
Steve Durick
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Jeff Ireland
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Trevor Nelson
Chip Pritchard
Dawn Rogers
Deanne Rymarowicz
Scott Schroeder
Jill Stevenson
Kari Thompson

Gregory C. Sisk, Faculty Advisor
Mark Godwin, L'85, President, Friends of Moot Court
Trevor Nelson, Supreme Court Day Coordinator-Competition

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

Award presented at the Moot Court Board Luncheon

Order of the Barristers
The Order is a national society whose purpose is to recognize special effort 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.

Award presented at the Moot Court Board Luncheon

Appellate Competitions

National Moot Court Competition
The National Moot Court Competition is an inter-law school appellate advocacy 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, in November. The two teams placed first and second in the 1993 regional competition in Sioux Falls, SD. Joel Yates won overall best oralist. Sarah Hennery won best oralist in the final rounds. The first place Petitioner national moot court team competed in New York City for the fourth year in a row, reaching the quarterfinals and tying for ninth place overall, out of 225 teams from 158 accredited law schools that entered the competition.

Petitioner
Sarah E. Hennery
Michael E. Norton
Jill M. Stevenson

Respondent
Jennifer Bucknese
Elizabeth A. Flansburg
Joel D. Yates

Gregory C. Sisk, Faculty Advisor
Sheryl A. Soich, L'87, Alumni Coach
Jeff Redick, Chip Pritchard and Jeff Ireland, Student Coaches

The Rodney L. Hudson Senior Advocacy Award
Each year this award is presented to one 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 from a fund established in honor of Rodney L. Hudson (L'66), whose career exemplified excellence in advocacy.

Award presented at the Moot Court Board Luncheon

The M. Gene Blackburn Award
This annual award of $100, funded by the law firm of Moyer & Bergman, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, 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, which communicate an issue position based upon an innovative, creative, and concise approach. The award is named for M. Gene Blackburn, L'55, in recognition of his dedication to the development of appellate advocacy while a professor at Drake University Law School.

Award presented at the Moot Court Board Luncheon
NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL LAW COMPETITION
The National Environmental Law Competition is sponsored by the Environmental Law Institute at Pace University. The competition was held in White Plains, NY, in February, 1994.

Barbara D. Montoya
James R. Moody
Tracie R. Nelson

Jerry Anderson, Faculty Advisor
Kimberly Taylor, Student Coach

INSURANCE LAW COMPETITION
The Insurance Law Team competed in the William F. Starr Insurance Law Competition in Hartford, CT, in November, 1993. The team placed fifth overall in the competition. The Drake team was sponsored in this competition by the Des Moines Insurance Firm of Kirke-Van Orsdel, Inc.

Joseph L. Lindsay
Michelle L. Nelsen
Pete J. Thill

Gregory C. Sisk, Faculty Advisor
Scott Schroeder, Student Coach

FREDERICK DOUGLASS MOOT COURT COMPETITION
The Frederick Douglass Moot Court Competition is an annual appellate advocacy competition sponsored by the National Black Law Students Association (NBLSA). Each year the competition addresses contemporary legal issues which have a profound effect upon the lives of Blacks in America. The competition was held in Indianapolis, in February, 1994.

Romonda D. Belcher
Michael A. Jackson
Sheila Milsap, Alternate

Odell McGhee, L'77, Alumni Coach
Tracie R. Nelson, Student Coach

NATIONAL LATINO LAW STUDENTS ASSOCIATION MOOT COURT COMPETITION
The National Latino Law Students Association Moot Court Competition is sponsored by the National Latino Law Student Association and The Hispanic Federation of NYC. This is Drake's first year in this competition. The competition was held at Fordham University School of Law in New York, in February, 1994.

Reynaldo Martinez
Gabriel Santiago

Rose Vasquez, L'85, Alumni Coach
Tracie R. Nelson, Student Coach

TRIAL COMPETITIONS

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. This year's teams will compete in Minneapolis, in March 1994.

Christine Bakeis
Brian Beisenstein
Cristine Kuhn
Michael Norton
Jeff Redick
Brad Reich
Jill Stevenson
Joel Yates

Jeff Noble, L'90, and Dan Voogt, L'87, Alumni Coaches
Sarah E. Hennesey, Student Coach

NATIONAL MOCK TRIAL COMPETITION
The National Mock Trial Competition is an inter-law school trial advocacy competition sponsored by the Texas Young Lawyers' Association. The team competed in Omaha, NE, in February 11-12, 1994.

Jodi Hochman
Michael Jackelen
Chris Newkirk
Mark Newman
Dawn Rogers
Paul Slocomb
Luis Vargas, Alternate

Mark Godwin, L'85, and Angela Swanson, L'87, Alumni Coaches
Jeff Ireland, Student Coach
**THE JOHN MARSHALL NATIONAL CRIMINAL JUSTICE**

**TRIAL ADVOCACY COMPETITION**

William Bird
Jay Halter
Deborah V. Isdal
One member to be announced

Nan Horvat, L'81, Alumni Coach
Rory Calloway, Student Coach

**SKILL COMPETITIONS**

**CLIENT COUNSELING COMPETITION**
The Client Counseling Competition is sponsored by the American Bar Association. The team will compete in Omaha in March, 1994.

Bianca Bentzin
Dan Fretheim
Steve Westercamp, Alternate

Matt Doré, Faculty Advisor
Jeff Redick and Kari Thompson, Student Coaches

**NEGOTIATIONS COMPETITION**

Suzan J. Brooks
Laura Birkenholz
Jeff Garrison
Jason D. Neifert
Paul Carter, Alternate

Bart Goplerud, L'90, and Noel McKibben, L'90, Alumni Coaches
Dawn Rogers, Student Coach

**INTRAMURAL COMPETITIONS**

**C. EDWIN MOORE MOOT COURT INTRAMURAL COMPETITION**
The C. Edwin Moore Court Competition is an annual intramural appellate advocacy competition in which all students are eligible to participate.

Jason Neifert, First Place
Michael Clark, Second Place
Kristin Bohiken, Third Place

**LAW SCHOOL AWARDS AND RECOGNITION OF ACHIEVEMENT**

**THE ORDER OF THE COIF 1992-93**
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.

1992-93 Members
Bradley J. Abbas
Gwendolyn C Connolly
William M. Davison
Catherine C. Dietz-Kilen
Theodore A. Donahue, Jr.
Lori Geadelmann
Michele A. Gooding
Sharon K. Hall
Penny R. Heaberlin

Jennifer L. Kim
Mark D. Lowe
Rita H. McMillen
David S. Miller
Jeffrey T. Ramsey
Debra L. Scorpiniti
Jeffrey D. Stone
Terrence P. Sheehan
Sean P. Thompson

**WHO'S WHO AMONG STUDENTS IN AMERICAN UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES**
This national award is given to students who have been selected by the faculty as being among the country's most outstanding campus leaders. Selection is based on scholarship ability, participation and leadership in academic and extracurricular activities, citizenship and service to the school, and potential for further achievement.

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Christine D. Bakeis
Jennifer Ann Bicknese
Tobin Lee Britt
Elizabeth A. Delagardelle
Michael Neil Dolich

Chris Hiley Donohue
Gregory Martin Gantz
Sarah E. Hennesy
Cristine Kuhn
Margarita V. Marmolejo
AMERICAN JURISPRUDENCE AWARD
American Jurisprudence Award Certificates are awarded to students attaining the highest grade for selected courses leading to a J.D. degree.

Spring Semester 1993
Jos G. Linn-Administrative Law
Jennifer Eggars Muenchrath-Business Associations
Jo Anne Hagen-Civil Procedure I (401)
Steven Westercamp-Civil Procedure I (402)
Amy A. Collins-Conflicts (401)
Danielle H. Riordan-Constitutional Law II (401)
Michael D. Clark-Constitutional Law II (402)
Robert J. O'Shea-Contracts II (401)
Pamela L. Weidler (Krueger)-Contracts II (402)
Jeffrey T. Ramsey-Criminal Practice & Procedure
Mark D. Lowe-Editor-in-Chief Law Review (403)
Eric P. Wilenzik-Ethics & Professional Responsibility (401)
Christine Kuhn-Ethics & Professional Responsibility (402)
Cynthia A. Smith-Evidence
Jill A. Stevenson-Legal Research & Writing
Candace Dunley-Property (401)
Michael D. Jackelen-Trial Advocacy (401)
Jeffrey B. Redick-Trial Advocacy (402)
Bradley M. Grothe-Trial Advocacy (403)
Debra V. Isdal-Trial Advocacy (404)
Jeffrey T. Mains-Trial Advocacy (405)

Summer 1993
Lisa Schaumberg-Agency/Partnership (201)
Sarah Matter-Agency/Partnership (202)
Heidi S. Wiskia-Remedies (201)
Mary McGee Light-Remedies (202)
Joseph S. Partain-Trial Advocacy (201)

Fall Semester 1993
Elizabeth Flansburg and Michelle Scott-Advanced Problems in Torts (301)
Michael Mock-Business Associations (301)
Ellen Kim-Civil Procedure I (301)
Judith Boes-Civil Procedure I (302)
Kara Gibney-Civil Procedure II (301)
Sara Juran-Civil Procedure II (302)
Carole Hunt-Contracts (301)
Christopher Arndt-Contracts (302)
Deidra Fleming-Criminal Law (301)
Troy Bozarth-Criminal Law (302)
Eric Wollens-Debtor/Creditor (301)
Michelle Scott-Ethics & Professional Responsibility (402)
Matthew Scott-Evidence (301)
Alex Galyon-Family Law (301)
Elizabeth Delagardelle-Federal Jurisdiction (301)
William Bird-Insurance Law (301)
Stacie Vest-Modern Real Estate Transactions (301)
Eric Hulett and Sarah Matter-Torts (301)
Von Hays-Torts (302)
Rachel Schoening-Wills & Trusts (301)
Michael Jones-Wills & Trusts (302)

DAVIS, HOCKENBERG, WINE, BROWN, KOEHN & SHORS
AWARDS FOR EXCELLENCE
These five awards, given annually by Davis, Hockenberg, Wine, Brown, Koehn & Shors, are presented to those students whose Law School activities have earned the respect of their professors and peers. Awards for the academic year ending May 1993:

Lori K. Geadelmann-Student graduating at the top of the class
Steven Westercamp-Student at the top of the first year class
Mark D. Lowe-Editor-in-Chief of the Drake Law Review
Lyttonia L. Cunningham-Outstanding first year oralist
Jennifer L. Hoche-Student with the most improved grade point average from the first year to graduation
INNS OF COURT
American Inns of Court have been formed throughout the United States for the purpose of promoting and improving trial and appellate advocacy skills, adherence to ethical ideals, and professionalism among members. Members, who are limited in number to 65, include judges, senior and new attorneys, and law students who meet regularly throughout the year to participate in demonstrations of forensic techniques, critiques and evaluations, and collegial discussion and dining. Two Inns of Court have been formed in Des Moines, and Drake law students and faculty are members of each.

Blackstone Inn of Court:
James A. Adams, Master of the Bench
Christine Bakeis
Bianca E. Bentzin
Barry J. Bolme
Gregory M. Gantz
Daniel J. Gonnerman
Debra V. Isdal
Michael D. Jackelen
Tracie R. Nelson
Joseph S. Partain
Elizabeth A. Raymond
Jeffrey B. Redick
J. Brad Reich
Richard R. Schmidt
Deborah J. Shelby
Cindy A. Smith
Mark E. Spellman

C. Edwin Moore Inn of Court:
Robert C. Hunter, Master of the Bench
Tobin Lee Britt
Elizabeth A. Delagardelle
Michael N. Dolich
Jodi L. Hochman
Jennifer Ann Burknesse
Rachel R. Watkins Schoenig
Dawn M. Stockton
Joel Yates

THE IOWA STATE BAR ASSOCIATION SENIOR AWARD
Each year the Association confers this award on the graduating senior who, by service, attitude, and ability, is expected to be the most successful member of the class in leadership in the Iowa Bar. The recipient is selected by the faculty.

Award presented to Lori K. Geadelmann

WEST PUBLISHING AWARDS 1992-93
West Publishing Company annually awards a selected title to the members of the first, second, and third year classes who achieve the highest scholastic average in their classes during that year.

Law I-Candace Dunley
Law I-Steven Westercamp
Law II-Rachel R. Watkins Schoenig
Law III-Rita Helmes McMillen

LAND USE LAW AND MUNICIPAL LAW AWARD
The American Bar Association, Section of Urban, State, and Local Government Law, annually awards a prize to the student who achieves the highest scholastic average in land use and municipal law.

Award presented to Brigid Sheller for 1992-93 academic year.

BUREAU OF NATIONAL AFFAIRS, INC., AWARD
This award is offered to a graduating student judged by the faculty to have made the most satisfactory progress during his or her law school program.

Award presented to Jennifer Lee Hochne for 1992-93 academic year.

DRAKE LEGAL RESEARCH SERVICE

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Theresa Gooley
Debi Shelby
John VanNote
Lee Wolf
Second Years
Robert Allen
Charles Borth
Elizabeth Ciesla
Christopher Duensing
Susan Hansen
Robert Hawk
David Herd
Wendy Jones
Joseph Kiple
Joseph Lindsay

Lana Luhring
Michael Mock
Beth Murano
Linda Myers
Laurie Nowakowski
Danielle Riordan
Dawn Rogers
Peter Thill
Steven Westercamp

Arthur Ryman, Faculty Advisor

THE DRAKE LEGAL RESEARCH AWARD
This award is presented to an outstanding staff researcher based upon performance.
The professionalism displayed by this student represents the type of individual effort
and quality work the Drake Legal Research Service seeks to provide.

Award presented to Joel Fenton.

HONOR BOARD 1993-1994
Mark Newman, Chief Justice
Vicki Clevenger, Senior Justice
Dan Gonnerman, Senior Justice
Dave Herd, Junior Justice
Matt Johnson, Junior Justice
Erika Leuffen, Freshman Justice
Tim Guyer, Preliminary Hearing Investigator
Pete Thill, Student Advocate
Joe Lindsay, Student Body Advocate

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OUTSTANDING JOURNALISTS OF THE YEAR AWARD 1993-1994
Presented to those writers whose journalistic skills and abilities reflect the level of
professionalism sought by The Gavel. The Staff is pleased to announce this year’s
award recipients:

1st Place-Craig R. Schoenfeld
2nd Place-Jeff Anderson
3rd Place-Ellen Kim
Agricultural Law Center Awards 1993-94

Friends of the Agricultural Law Center Award
Roscoc, L’35, and Lyna Riemenschneider

Agricultural Law Hall of Fame
Dale Cochran, Iowa Secretary of Agriculture and Land Stewardship

Iowa Association of Electric Cooperatives Scholarship
Steven Westercamp

Drake Agricultural Law Work Horse Award
Pak Changyon

CIT/MATRIC Research Fellowship in International Law
Kimberly Taylor

Student Development Committee
The members of the Student Development Committee work with the Law School
Development Officer on alumni and special fundraising projects.

Jill Hauser, Chairperson
Aaron Hamrock, Vice Chairperson
Mary Sigmann, Alumni Reunion Chair

Members:
Laura Amundson
Daryl Anderson
Marian Anwarzai
Matt Benda
Ted Biderman
Terri Billings
Ronja Butler
Tina Campbell
Eric Carlson
Chris Conner
Amy Cook
Steve Durick
Yolanda Giner
Greg Greiner
John Henry
Lynette Hornung
Michele Jutting
Justine Kelly
Cynthia Letsch
Julie Lierly
Joy Lindsay
Brad Mason
Trevor Nelson
Lauri Nowakowski
Ramona Palmer
Grant Sanders
Stephen Schwartz
Amy Strobusch
Kam Marie Strong
Kari Thompson
Marci Tooman
Cindy White
Jeff Zirgibel

Eleasalo Va’alele Al
Jeff Barnett
Ross Barnett
Romonda Belcher
Bianca Bentzin
Barry Boline
Tobin Britt
Ronja Butler
Ann Calhoun
Michael Cummins
Elizabeth Delagardelle
Steve Durick
Alex Galyon
Yolanda Giner
Dan Gonnerman
Greg Greiner
Leeann Gruwell
Aaron Hamrock
Dan Harris
Wendy Hartung
Stephanie Hassler
Jill Hauser
Kim Heidinger
Jodi Hochman
Jay Helton
David Herd
Jennifer Homer
Kevin Hull
Anne Hynds
Sara Juvan
Kimberly Kuehner
Cristine Kuhn
Michelle Lasswell
Jacque McMahon
Bradley Mason
Jennifer Muenchrath
Tracie R. Nelson
Mike Norton
Zack Norton
Lauri Nowakowski
Abel Ortiz
Joe Partain
Mary Pieper
Penny Potter
Chip Pritchard

Jeff Redick
Brad Reich
Shannon Reineccius
Dawn Rogers
Deanne Rynarowicz
Gabriel Santiago
Scott Schroeder
Michelle Scott
Amy Seefeld
Chris Sigler
Glen Stevens
Stephanie Stone
Brenda Taylor
Kim Taylor
Pete Thill
Kari Thompson
Marc Tooman
Glenn Tomillo
Angela Vanni
Bill Wade
Thomas Young
PREVIOUS SUPREME COURT DAY SPEAKERS

1916  Judge William H. McHenry
1940  Harley Stipp, President, The Iowa State Bar Association
1941  Justice Charles F. Wenerstrum, Supreme Court of Iowa
1947  United States Senator Wayne Morse, Oregon
1948  Justice and Professor Maynard E. Pirsing, Minnesota
       Supreme Court Justice and Professor of University of Minnesota
1949  Frank E. Homan of Seattle, Washington, President,
       The American Bar Association
1950  Luther Hill, Publisher, The Des Moines Register and Tribune
1951  Albert J. Harno, University of Illinois Law School
1952  Howard L. Barkdull, President, The American Bar Association
1958  William B. Lockhart, Dean, University of Minnesota
1960  Justice Thomas Clark, Former United States Attorney General and
       Supreme Court of the United States
1963  Sylvester C. Smith, President, The American Bar Association
1964  Bert H. Early, Executive Director, The American Bar Association
1965  Thomas S. Lambert, Jr., United States Trial Counsel at Nuremberg
1966  Percy Mossle, Houston Defense Attorney
1967  Emile T. Berman, Defense Attorney
1968  Judge Charles S. Desmond, Chief Judge,
       New York Court of Appeals
1972  United States Senator Mark Hatfield, Washington
1974  Elliott Richardson, Secretary of Defense and former Attorney
       General of the United States.
1975  Charles Kuralt, CBS News Correspondent
1976  Chesterfield H. Smith, President, The American Bar Association
1977  William Colby, Former CIA Director
1978  Gerald Gunther, William Nelson Cromwell Professor of Law
       at the University of Stanford Law School
1979  United States Senator William Proxmire, Wisconsin
1980  William Webster, Director, The FBI
1981  F. Lee Bailey, Nationally Renowned Trial Attorney
1982  United States Senator Charles Percy, Illinois
1983  Robert E. White, Former United States Ambassador, El Salvador
1984  Donald Kaul, Columnist, The Des Moines Tribune
1985  Justice Sandra Day O'Connor, Supreme Court of the United States
1986  Irving Younger, Marvin J. Sonosky Professor of Law,
       University of Minnesota Law School
1987  United States Senator Dale L. Bumpers, Arkansas
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SUPREME COURT DAY PROBLEM

Frank Ashe, the owner of the Blue Dolphin tavern, seeks to overturn the suspension of his liquor license. The suspension was ordered based upon the sale of beer to a minor by one of Ashe’s employees, who allegedly intended to harm Ashe to retaliate for the employee’s impending discharge. The question in the case is whether Ashe should be held responsible for the acts of this employee under the Iowa statutes regulating the sale of alcoholic beverages and, if the statute so provides, whether the application of the statute under these circumstances violates constitutional principles of due process.

On April 11, 1991, as part of a sting operation, the Des Moines Police Department sent a 16-year-old confidential informant into Frank Ashe’s establishment, the Blue Dolphin. Bartender Rick Winstock served the minor a beer without requesting any identification to confirm that the individual was of legal age. Subsequently, Winstock pled guilty to a charge of providing an alcoholic beverage to a minor in violation of Iowa Code § 123.49(2)(h).

To consider whether to suspend Ashe’s liquor license based upon this incident, a hearing was held before the Iowa Departmental Hearing Board of the Iowa Department of Commerce, Alcoholic Beverages Division. At the hearing, Ashe contended that Winstock intentionally sold alcohol to the minor to retaliate against him, because Winstock had learned that he was shortly to be discharged. However, because the Board concluded that Ashe was responsible for the illegal sale in his tavern regardless of employee motivation, the Board made no finding that Winstock acted with intent. The Board ordered that the liquor license for Ashe’s Blue Dolphin tavern be suspended for 30 days.

Frank Ashe filed a petition in Iowa District Court for judicial review of the license suspension. The district court interpreted the applicable statutes, Iowa Code §§ 123.49(h) and 123.50(3)(b), as requiring that an employer have control over the actions of his employees before being held responsible for their conduct. The court construed § 123.50(3) as not requiring “the employer to exert more care than what is reasonable to exact from one who assumed the responsibility of the licensee.” Because the court believed Winstock had acted with malicious intent and thus outside of his employer’s control, it ruled that it was not reasonable to expect Ashe to prevent the illegal sale. Moreover, the court stated, to hold otherwise would be a denial of the employer’s right to due process. Accordingly, the district court reversed the suspension ordered by the Hearing Board.

The Hearing Board has appealed the district court’s decision to the Supreme Court of the State of Iowa.