## **Alumni Activities**



2002-03 Law School Association Council members are: (back, l. to r.) Henry C. Tharpe Jr., At-Large State Representative; J. Thomas Morgan III, District 4; Paul W. Painter Jr., President; Robert O. Freeman, Treasurer; Dana B. Miles, Immediate Past President; Gregory C. Sowell, District 2; (front, l. to r.) Robert W. Chasteen Jr., District 8; James B. Ellington, District 10; Julia Willcox Lumpkin, President-Elect; Frank L. Butler III, At-Large State Representative; Kathleen Horne, District 1 and Melisa J. Anderson, Younger Law Alumni Council Representative. Not present are: Eleanor Banister, Secretary; John L. Carr Jr., At-Large Out-of-State Representative; Verner F. Chaffin, Secretary Emeritus; Elizabeth B. Chandler, At-Large State Representative; W. Heath Garrett, District 7; Steven P. Gilliam, District 9; Kenneth M. Henson Jr., District 3; Shelley D. Rucker, At-Large Out-of-State Representative; Robert L. Shannon Jr., District 5; Michael E. Sumner, District 6 and Charles A. Thomas Jr., At-Large State Representative.

A Letter to Alumni from the Law School Association Council

### **Two Points of Service**

I have the honor of serving as president of the Law School Association this year. In that capacity, I call on you for help with two important matters.

First, the School of Law needs your financial assistance more than ever before. Due to Georgia's economic downturn, the legislature has already reduced the law school's budget 8.0 percent since last fall and additional cuts are on the horizon. Moreover, the bear market for stocks has reduced the rate of return on funds that make up the law school's endowment. The combination of these two factors can be offset only by an increase in your generosity to the law school.

You have been generous to Georgia Law in the past. This year, approximately 70 percent of your gifts were used to fund student scholarships and student programs. Applications for admission to our law school and many others in the country have increased over the past two years. To compete against other leading legal institutions for the best and brightest students, our school needs your financial support for the scholarship funding necessary to bring the most highly qualified students to Georgia Law.

I especially appeal to those graduates of the law school who received scholarship assistance themselves while they were students. As a former scholarship recipient, you can appreciate more fully how important this assistance is for many students. For ease, a donor card can be found on the "postcard" page at the back of this issue of the *Advocate*.

Secondly, we are asking your help this year with the Distinguished Service Scroll Award. The association's most prestigious award is presented annually in June to one or more persons whose contributions to the law school and achievements in professional and community life warrant this very special honor. This year, we are inviting all of our alumni to nominate people who are deserving of the award. You may nominate someone by using the form contained in this issue of the *Advocate*. (Please see the facing page.)

Thank you for the wonderful support you have given to the School of Law in past years. And thank you for helping your alma mater to continue to advance during these challenging economic times.

Sincerely yours,

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Paul W. Painter Ir. (L.D. '74)

Paul W. Painter Jr. (J.D.'74) Law School Association President



At the firm of Hawkins & Parnell, LLP, the Dean talks with alumni about the progress of the school.

#### Dean Meets with Alumni

Annually, the Dean makes trips to various cities to visit alumni and update them on the successes and challenges facing the law school. This fall, the Dean made out of state visits to Washington, D.C., and Jacksonville, FL. In addition, upon request, he visited individual firms to give a much more personal update.

If you would like for the Dean to visit your firm, please contact the Dean's Office at (706) 542-7140 or *shipley@uga.edu* to make arrangements.

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## University of Georgia School of Law **Nomination Form**

for the Law School Association's

# 2003 Distinguished Service Scroll Award

Since 1955, the Law School Association has recognized a few graduates of the law school each year who meet one or more of the following standards: 1) distinguished reputation in his or her field, 2) exemplary record of service to the legal profession, 3) outstanding record of public service, or 4) record of outstanding service to the Law School Association. The awards are presented during the annual breakfast meeting of the association which is held in conjunction with the State Bar of Georgia Annual Meeting in June. Past recipients include:

1955	1964	1973	1981	1988	1996
Frank D. Foley	Virlyn B. Moore	Hamilton Lokey	Charles A. Kimbrell	Marion T. Pope Jr.	Robert Benham
Hatton Lovejoy	Henry D. Russell	Oscar Smith	Robert B. Struble	Frank W. Seiler	John B. Rees Jr.
1956	1965	Daniel H. Redfearn	1982	1989	1997
Hughes Spalding	Herman E. Talmadge	1974	Kirk M. McAlpin	Verner F. Chaffin	Melburne D. McLendon
Charles J. Bloch	1966	Lewis R. Morgan	Robert H. Jordan	Edward W. Killorin	Norman L. Underwood
1957	Phillip H. Alston Jr.	Daniel B. Hodgson	1983	Virginia Ware Killorin	1998
Abit Nix	1967	1975	Upshaw C. Bentley Jr.	Gwen Y. Wood	Julie E. Carnes
Robert B. Troutman Sr.	Carl E. Sanders	Charles L. Gowen	Thomas F. Green Jr.	1990	Paul V. Kilpatrick Jr.
1958	James A. Dunlap	Arthur K. Bolton	1984	Thomas O. Marshall	1999
John B. Harris	Harry S. Baxter	1976	Sigmund A. Cohn	Alexander W. Smith	Roy E. Barnes
Harrison Jones	1968	James Barrow	Robert M. Heard	1991	Aaron Cohn
1959	S. Ernest Vandiver	McCarthy Crenshaw	G. Robert Reinhardt	George H. Carley	2000
John A. Sibley	Roy V. Harris	1977	1985	George T. Smith	Walter Ray Phillips
Thomas S. Candler	1969	M. Cook Barwick	Thomas Murphy	1992	Jesse G. Bowles Jr.
1960	Howell C. Erwin Jr.	A. G. Cleveland Jr.	Harold Clarke	L. Clifford Adams Jr.	2001
Pope F. Brock	1970	1978	1986	Lawrence C. Walker Jr.	Bruce W. Kirbo
1961	Robert G. Stephens Jr.	James W. Curtis	E. Roy Lambert	1993	John S. Noell Jr.
Harmon W. Caldwell	Pope B. McIntire	Kenneth M. Henson	Barry Phillips	Harold L. Murphy	2002
A.O.B. Sparks Sr.		Charles H. Kirbo	Samuel J. Zusmann Jr.	Robert C. Norman	Frank S. Cheatham
1962	<b>1971</b> Omer W. Franklin Jr.	1979	1987	1994	
Paul W. Broun	Howell Hollis	William B. Gunter	Jule W. Felton Jr.	Julius M. Hulsey	
William K. Meadow		Sidney O. Smith	Charles H. Hyatt	C. Ronald Ellington	
	1972	1980	J. Ralph Beaird	1995	
1963	Alexander A. Lawrence	Alex P. Gaines		Norman S. Fletcher	
Richard B. Russell Francis M. Bird	Edward S. Sell Jr.	Newell Edenfield		R. Perry Sentell Jr.	
		NOMINAT	ION FORM		

Nominee's Name:	Class Year:	
Nominee's Business Address:		
Briefly summarize the reasons you believe your	ominee should be considered for the Law School Association's Distinguished Service Scroll	l Award
	Nominator's e-mail address:	
Nominator's daytime phone number:		

Please use this form to submit your nomination. Additional pages may be attached in support of the nomination. Please return completed form and attachments by February 7, 2003, to: UGA Law School, 120 Herty Dr., Rm. 215, Athens, GA 30602-6012 or fax to (706) 542-4399 or submit form online at www.law.uga.edu/alumni.

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