

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,

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 shiple@uga.edu to make arrangements.

Take advantage of this opportunity to
nominate someone worthy of recognition!

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

NOMINATION FORM

Nominee's Name: _____ Class Year: _____

Nominee's Business Address: _____

Briefly summarize the reasons you believe your nominee should be considered for the Law School Association's Distinguished Service Scroll Award:

Nominator's Name: _____ 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.