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& MARY

*Marshall-Wythe School of Law*



## WILLIAM AND MARY AT A GLANCE

### GENERAL

State-supported, co-educational, residential university of moderate size. Approximately 7,500 students of whom 500 are law students and 5,400 are undergraduates.

### LOCATION

Historic Williamsburg, Virginia, 150 miles from Washington, D.C., 50 miles from Richmond, 25 miles from Newport News. Accessible by air, ground and rail transportation.

### COST

Law tuition and fees: \$3962 annually for state residents and \$9812 for non-residents.

### CAMPUS

Approximately 1,200 acres including Lake Matoaka and picturesque College Woods, 40 major buildings, including the Sir Christopher Wren Building, the nation's oldest classroom building in continuous use, where Presidents Jefferson, Monroe and Tyler studied.

### DEPARTMENTS OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

American Studies, Anthropology, Applied Science, Biology, Chemistry, Classical Studies, Computer Science, Economics, English Language and Literature, Fine Arts, Geology, Government, History, Mathematics, Military Science, Modern Languages and Literature, Music, Philosophy, Physical Education, Physics, Psychology, Religion, Sociology, and Theatre and Speech.

### SCHOOLS

Business Administration, Education, Law, Marine Science.

### DEGREES

A.B., B.S., B.B.A.

*Masters:* American Studies, Anthropology (Historical Archaeology), Applied Science, Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, English Language and Literature, Government, History, Mathematics, Physics, Psychology and Sociology. Also in Schools of Business Administration, Education, Law (I.L.M.) and Marine Science.

*Doctorate:* American Studies, Applied Science, Computer Science, Education, History, Law (J.D.), Marine Science, Physics and Psychology.

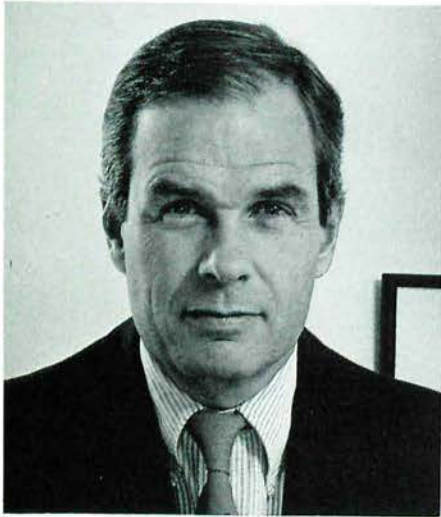
### HISTORY

Chartered February 8, 1693, by King William III and Queen Mary II as the second college in the American Colonies. Severed formal ties with Britain in 1776. Became state-supported in 1906 and co-educational in 1918. Achieved modern university status in 1967. Phi Beta Kappa, founded here in 1776, and the Honor System of conduct are among the College's contributions to higher education tradition.

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## FROM THE PRESIDENT



*Paul R. Verkuil  
President*

*"The Marshall-Wythe School of Law is not only one of the most historic but also one of the best places to learn the law in all its breadth and majesty."*

To those who rise to its challenges, the study of law is a highly satisfying educational experience. Students interact with faculty and are given a true voice in the learning process.

The Marshall-Wythe School of Law is not only one of the most historic but also one of the best places to learn the law in all its breadth and majesty. It is the law school of John Marshall, the "Great Chief Justice," whose portrait hangs alone in the Justices' conference room at the United States Supreme Court. It is also the school of recent graduates, too numerous to mention, who practice, teach and serve the judicial and political systems in ways that are worthy of the grand figures who formed it.

You are invited to submit an application and explore this institution in greater depth. The information that follows should answer your questions and pique your interest. The Law School Admissions Office and the College itself stand ready to provide any further service and assistance you may need. Should matters work out in a mutually satisfactory way, I look forward to welcoming you in the fall of 1991.

Sincerely,

Paul R. Verkuil  
President

## FROM THE DEAN

The essential questions for every prospective law student are: Why do I wish to become a lawyer? Will this law school meet my personal needs and help me fulfill my professional aspirations? Answers to these questions require honest and sustained reflection. No brochure, no faculty advisor, no friend can substitute for your own considered judgment—about yourself and about the kind of law school which is right for you.

I hope that what you find in these pages will help you begin the process of critical self-examination without which thoughtful career decisions are not really possible.

The greatest lawyers have always possessed disciplined minds, practical judgment and caring hearts. These virtues remain prerequisites to greatness despite the major changes which have altered the conduct of legal practice in recent years. Whether your ambition is to practice in a small town or a large city, whether you dream of counseling large businesses or advising individual clients of modest means, the ingredients for professional success are much the same. You must understand the law, understand your client, and use the full measure of your professional skills to secure your client's cause.

Legal education at William and Mary has been designed to help you acquire the habits of mind and the special skills required to be a great lawyer. You will discover that the educational experience here is rigorous but personal, comprehensive but coherent. We place more than ordinary emphasis on legal writing and advocacy skills. We expect a great deal of our students, and we are intensely proud of their considerable success. We believe that our high standards have helped us educate lawyers who are destined for leadership roles not only in the profession but also in the public life of our communities, our states and our nation.

No law school can change the character of its students or promise professional success. In the end, the person you are and the determination you bring to your work count most. We view our educational responsibility to you in the broadest terms. Our hope is that after three years here you will leave not only with sound basic professional skills but also with a sense of our profession's greatest traditions and a determination to use your talents in the service of mankind.

Cordially,



Timothy J. Sullivan  
Dean



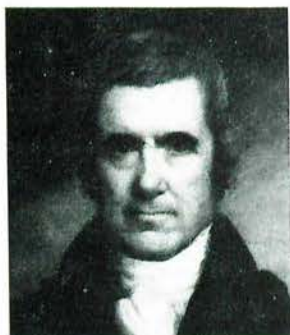
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# A UNIQUE HISTORY AND TRADITION

William and Mary has many things to offer its students—among them its unique place in American history. Chartered in 1693 by King William III and Queen Mary II of England, the College is the second oldest institution of higher learning in America. William and Mary has endured the ravages of two wars—the War of Independence and the Civil War—and played a substantial role in each. The Sir Christopher Wren Building, the oldest academic structure in America in continuous classroom use, was constructed in 1695. Partially destroyed by fire three times, occupied by invaders twice, it stands today as a lasting landmark to the enduring spirit of the College.



John Marshall

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George Wythe

members of the Continental Congress, four signers of the Declaration of Independence, four Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States, including John Marshall, more than thirty United States Senators, over sixty members of the House of Representatives, eight members of Presidential cabinets, eighteen ministers to foreign countries, and twenty-seven Governors of ten states.

Several of America's greatest early leaders studied in the Wren Building. They include three American presidents—Thomas Jefferson,

James Monroe and John Tyler. George Washington received his surveyor's license at William and Mary and returned after his presidency to serve as its Chancellor. The list of patriots who attended William and Mary is long and distinguished: sixteen members of the Continental Congress, four signers of the Declaration of Independence, four Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States, including John Marshall, more than thirty United States Senators, over sixty members of the House of Representatives, eight members of Presidential cabinets, eighteen ministers to foreign countries, and twenty-seven Governors of ten states.

Thomas Jefferson effected widespread changes at the College while serving as Governor of Virginia and as a member of the Board of Visitors. Thanks to Jefferson's reorganization, the College adopted America's first elective system of study and introduced the Honor System, which remains an integral part of the College today. In 1776, William and Mary established Phi Beta Kappa, the nation's first scholastic fraternity. And in 1781, it became America's first true university, uniting the faculties of law, medicine and the arts.

The Chair of Law at William and Mary, created in 1779 by the Board of Visitors at the urging of Thomas Jefferson, was the first established in the United States. The first occupant of the Chair was George Wythe, in whose offices studied Thomas Jefferson, John Marshall, James Monroe and Henry Clay. Wythe, a leader in the struggle for independence, was a signer of the Declaration of Independence and a member of the Federal Constitutional Convention. He became a powerful force in the development of American legal education. During the decade of his professorship, he developed a comprehensive course of law study which emphasized the acquisition of practical skills in such areas as legislative drafting and oral advocacy.

Wythe's successor was one of his pre-Revolutionary students, St. George Tucker, who proved to be a pioneer in legal education. Tucker drafted a formal description of the requirements for a law degree at the College, which included an exacting schedule of qualifying examinations in history, government and related pre-law subjects. Tucker's course material was soon published as the first American edition of Blackstone's *Commentaries on the Laws of England*. This work was the earliest treatise on the common law adapted to the needs of the legal profession in the United States. For a generation Tucker's volume was considered the leading authority on American law.

Tucker's successors as Professor of Law at William and Mary included the brothers William and Robert Nelson, James Semple and St. George Tucker's son, Nathaniel Beverley Tucker. The younger Tucker was the author of *Principles of Pleading*, which became a leading authority of its day. Beverley Tucker is perhaps best remembered as one of the ablest exponents of the



Sir Christopher Wren Building

states' rights school of Southern constitutional law.

The growth of the Law School at William and Mary was abruptly halted by the beginning of the Civil War. The commencement of military campaigns on the Virginia Peninsula compelled the College to close its doors. It would be another sixty years before the historical priority in law could be revived in a modern program that is now more than a half-century old.

Today, the College of William and Mary is a public university supported by the Commonwealth of Virginia and supervised by a Board of Visitors appointed by the Governor. It is nationally recognized for its rigorous curriculum and excellent faculty. The university currently has 7500 students, 24 instructional departments, and graduate schools in Business Administration, Education, Law and Marine Science. As a state-supported institution, the Law School maintains a two-thirds Virginian, one-third non-Virginian student body. Over 3200 applications were received last year for the 185 spaces available in the entering class. Marshall-Wythe attracts students from all regions of the nation; its alumni practice law throughout the United States, in Canada and in several foreign countries.

As William and Mary approaches its Tricentennial in 1993, its development from a small colonial college to a modern university is cause for celebration. Through times of trial and tragedy, William and Mary has not only endured, but has sustained its spirit of excellence in teaching and learning.

# THE COLLEGE CAMPUS AND ENVIRONMENT

The Virginia peninsula boasts three treasures of American heritage: "The Historic Triangle" of Jamestown, site of the first permanent English settlement in America; Yorktown, where American independence was won; and Williamsburg, the restored colonial capital of Virginia.

William and Mary's campus is a mixture of the ancient and the modern, reflecting the nearly 300 years of the College's past.

The Sir Christopher Wren Building, located at the west end of Duke of Gloucester Street, is the oldest educational building in continuous use in the United States. The Wren Building marks only the eastern tip of a campus that includes 1200 acres, approximately 40 major buildings, a large lake, extensive woods, and many playing fields and tennis courts.

Behind the Wren Building and stretching from the Sunken Gardens to Lake Matoaka is a beautiful wooded area known as the Jefferson Prospect. Surrounding Lake Matoaka is College Woods, an expanse of acreage which provides hiking trails and an exceptional natural laboratory for William and Mary students.

The Law School moved to its new building located adjacent to the headquarters of the National Center for State Courts in 1980. The facility includes ample space for faculty offices, the law library, classrooms and student organizations. One of the major features of the building is the technologically advanced McGlothlin Moot Courtroom, where innovative approaches to the conduct of judicial proceedings both at the trial and appellate levels occur.

William and Mary is a university small enough to provide for relationships that cultivate learning and community, and large enough to have the resources to achieve excellence. An important aspect of this community is its location in the historic city of Williamsburg, which offers, after a half-century of restoration and preservation, an unparalleled view of eighteenth century life. The educational, cultural and recreational opportunities afforded to all students by the College, the City and the Restoration add to the quality of life and education at William and Mary.



Marshall-Wythe School of Law Building



# THE FACULTY

The strength of a law school is determined by the talent and initiative of its students and the quality of its faculty. The research opportunities offered by William and Mary's small size and its tradition of excellence in teaching attracts a faculty dedicated to superior teaching and scholarly pursuits.

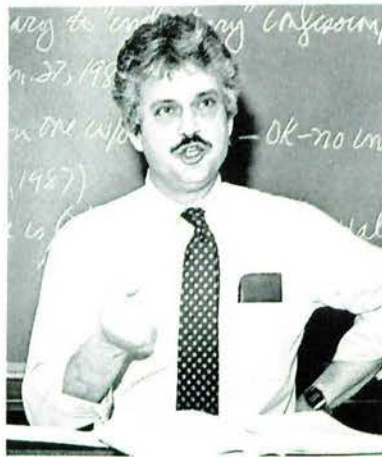
The relationship between faculty and students at the Law School is friendly. The student to faculty ratio is favorable and students find the faculty accessible and genuinely interested in them. Professors hold scheduled office hours and join students in extracurricular as well as social activities. The profiles that follow will give some idea of the pursuits and accomplishments of a faculty representing many backgrounds, talents, personalities and interests.

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Dean and John Stewart Bryan Professor  
Timothy J. Sullivan

**TIMOTHY J. SULLIVAN**, *Dean of the Law School, Executive Director of the Institute of Bill of Rights Law, and John Stewart Bryan Professor of Jurisprudence (Contracts I, II)*. Dean Sullivan received his A.B. from William and Mary and his J.D. from Harvard. Prior to joining the William and Mary faculty in 1972, he served as a legal advisor in the United States Army. Dean Sullivan is the author of numerous publications and papers, including articles in the *Georgetown Law Journal*, the *Minnesota Law Review* and the *Hastings Law Journal*. He was Chairman of the Virginia Bar Association Special Committee on



Vice Dean and Chancellor Professor  
Richard A. Williamson

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Professor Lynda L. Butler



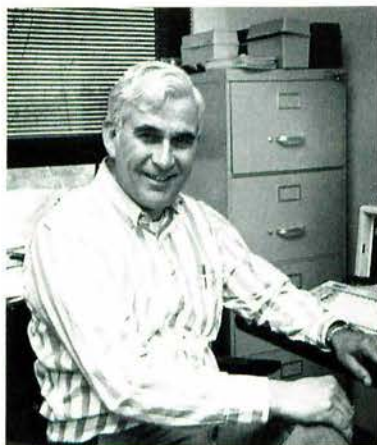
Tazwell Taylor Professor  
Glenn E. Coven

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Ball Professor John E. Donaldson

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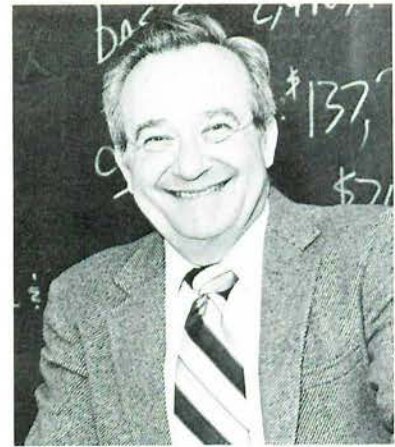
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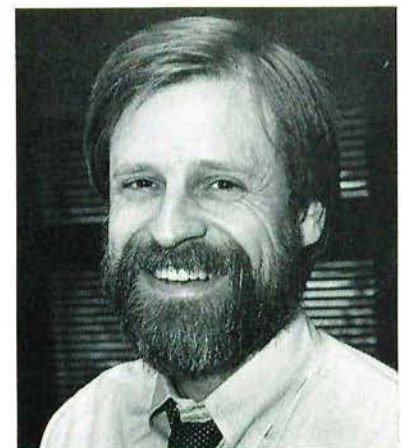
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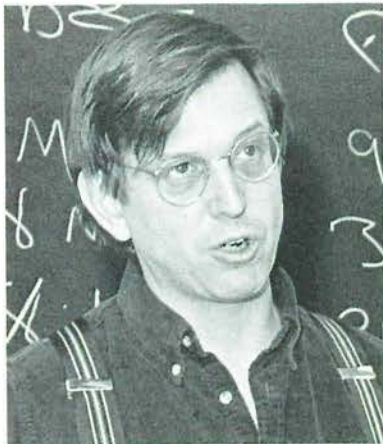
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**Rodney A. Smolla**

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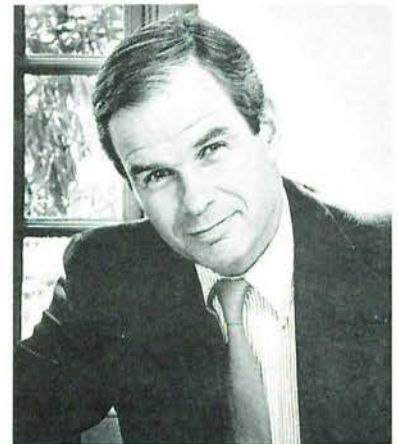
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## ENDOWED PROFESSORSHIPS

The Law School presently has eleven endowed professorships. These professorships have been funded by generous gifts from charitable foundations and private persons interested in the welfare of the Law School.

The Dudley Warner Woodbridge Professorship was created in 1975 by the gifts of alumni of the Law School in honor of the late Dudley Warner Woodbridge, a member of the law faculty and, for many years, Dean of the Law School.

The Cutler Professorship was made possible by a grant of funds from the estate of the late James Gould Cutler of Rochester, New York.

The Ball Professorship of Taxation was created by a grant from the Jessie Ball DuPont Foundation.

The Tazwell Taylor Professorship was endowed by a gift from the late Tazwell Taylor of Norfolk, in memory of his father and grandfather, nineteenth century alumni of the College of William and Mary.

The Mills E. Godwin, Jr. Professorship, created in 1980, was endowed by gifts from friends of Mills E. Godwin, Jr., Governor of Virginia from 1966-70 and from 1974-78.

The John Stewart Bryan Professorship of Jurisprudence, created in 1980, was endowed by gifts from the Bryan family in honor of the late John Stewart Bryan, President of the College of William and Mary from 1934-42.

The designation of Chancellor Professor is traditionally made by the College Chancellor in recognition of faculty members who have distinguished themselves in teaching, scholarship and governance. The Chancellor Professor of Law was named by Warren E. Burger, former Chief Justice of the United States, who was installed as Chancellor of the College in February, 1987.

The R. Hugh and Nolie A. Haynes Professorship was created in 1987 by a testamentary gift of Nolie Haynes in remembrance of her husband, R. Hugh Haynes.

The Lee Professorship was established in 1982 as a part of the Institute of Bill of Rights Law by a gift from the Lee Memorial Trust Fund, created by Laura Lee in memory of her parents, Alfred Wilson Lee and Mary I. W. Lee.

The Arthur B. Hanson Professorship was established in 1989 to honor the late Arthur B. Hanson '39 of Washington, D.C. The Hanson Professorship was established by a gift from the Lee Memorial Trust, created by Laura Lee in memory of her parents, Alfred Wilson Lee and Mary I. W. Lee.

The Marshall-Wythe School of Law Foundation Professorship of Law was established in 1990 by gifts and commitments from Trustees of the Marshall-Wythe School of Law Foundation.

# ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

## EDUCATIONAL PHILOSOPHY

It would be inaccurate to suggest that a single point of view animates the work and teaching of every member of the faculty of the Marshall-Wythe School of Law. Law professors are intensely individualistic. Yet there are certain core values which are shared by the faculty as a whole. These shared values impart a cohesiveness and an intellectual unity to the educational experience at Marshall-Wythe that we believe is unusual in contemporary legal education.

Intellectual distinction is a fundamental attribute of a good lawyer. Our admission process is sufficiently stringent to ensure that each of our students possesses the intellectual potential for success at the bar. Once enrolled, particularly in their first courses, every effort is made to ensure that the intellectual capacity of our students is tested rigorously and directed along professionally productive lines. In addition, early emphasis is placed upon the acquisition of essential practical skills.

While none can doubt the primacy of intellectual rigor in the training of a lawyer, our faculty firmly believes that the education of a complete lawyer must be more than training in the life of the mind. Most lawyers perform many functions in their professional careers. They are often advocates, counselors and community leaders. In the discharge of these functions, more is required than an able intellect. Traditional traits of character are equally important. Of course, no law school can create character, compassion or sensitivity to human needs. A law school can, however, make it clear to its students that these qualities, in common with intellectual ability, are important in the education of a lawyer who aspires to genuine professional excellence.

At the Marshall-Wythe School of Law, we have tried to emphasize the human side of the practice of law. Members of our faculty consistently strive to provide this perspective in the teaching of their courses. We have also developed educational programs designed to show the student by example how very important sensitivity to the personal needs and problems of clients can be.

The law is a learned profession; its mastery, if attainable at all, requires a lifetime of diligent study and practice. No law school, however distinguished, would presume to claim that its students, immediately upon graduation, are competent to contend on an equal basis with lawyers of long standing and substantial experience. It is, however, the highest aim of this school to prepare each of its graduates for a life in law which, if pursued with persistence and integrity, will be marked by significant legal achievement and unflinching adherence to the highest ideals of the profession.

The study of law at William and Mary is structured to prepare graduates to meet the manifold needs of our society, whether in the practice of law or in allied endeavors such as business, politics or public service. In order to attain this goal, the Law

School curriculum offers a variety of courses in many fields of legal specialization.

Classes are normally conducted by the "case method," which requires critical study and analysis of judicial decisions, statutes and other legal materials. The curriculum also offers selected courses conducted by the "problem method" and a number of clinical courses and programs such as the Post-Conviction Assistance Project for inmates of the Federal Reformatory in Petersburg, Virginia.

The combination of these approaches to instruction affords the student maximum exposure to the varied methodologies utilized in solving legal controversies. In addition, students are offered the opportunity to develop their creative abilities and interests in specific areas of the law through intensive research and writing either in conjunction with a seminar or under the supervision of a member of the faculty.

## JURIS DOCTOR

### DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Students holding an academic baccalaureate degree from an institution of approved standing, who have been in residence in the Law School for at least ninety weeks, who have completed satisfactorily at least ninety semester credits in law with an overall cumulative quality point average of at least 2.0 and cumulative grade point averages of at least 1.8 in the first year and 2.0 in each of the second and third years of law school, and who have demonstrated their ethical fitness will receive the degree of Juris Doctor (see also academic regulations, p. 29).

All students must satisfactorily complete those courses which meet the writing requirements established by the faculty as a condition for graduation. Students must successfully complete Law 111-112 Legal Skills I-II in their first year and Law 113-114 Legal Skills III-IV and Law 115 Legal Skills Ethics in their second year. By the end of their third year, all students must satisfy the major research paper requirement. This can be done by successfully completing a seminar or class which requires a major research paper, or by successfully completing Law 610 Independent Legal Writing. *William and Mary Law Review* staff members who earn both semesters of *William and Mary Law Review* credit during their third year will be exempt from the major research paper requirement.

No more than four credit hours may be applied to the degree requirements from the combination of Law 601 Legal Clerkship and Law 613 Post-Conviction Assistance Project.

Each student must successfully complete the enrichment requirement by taking Comparative Law, Jurisprudence, Economic Analysis of the Law, or any other course or seminar designated in this catalog as fulfilling the requirement.

All students are required to successfully complete Law 203 Criminal Law.

# LEGAL SKILLS PROGRAM

What does it really mean to be a lawyer? Beyond knowledge of the law, what skills are required to represent a client effectively? How do lawyers relate to one another as adversaries or as partners? How do good lawyers apply ethical principles in the practical world of everyday lawyering? These are important questions for both legal education and the profession; they also are questions that remain a mystery for most law



students. At William and Mary, a new and innovative skills program helps provide answers in the most direct fashion: with due allowance for their neophyte status, our students assume the role of counselors at law. From the very first day, they begin to learn the real meaning of the phrase "a life in law."

Legal Skills at William and Mary is a nine credit, two year program of study that is required of all students. The Program covers the following topics: History and Structure of the Legal Profession, Professional Ethics, Legal Research, Legal Writing, Legal Drafting, Interviewing, Negotiating, Counseling, Alternative Dispute Resolution, Introduction to Trial Practice and Introduction to Appellate Practice.

At most law schools these topics are treated in a varied mix of separate and unrelated courses. At William and Mary, using a wide range of original materials and teaching methods, they are unified in a realistic setting that helps students master essential lawyering skills and ethical concepts.

The Program begins with a challenging and intensive week of instruction designed to introduce the new student to both the legal system and law study. Following the introductory week, the Program begins in earnest and on two concurrent tracks: classroom instruction and simulated client representation. These tracks are designed to provide both instruction in skills and ethics and the actual use of those skills in realistic settings that require the resolution of tough ethical issues.

The essential organizational unit of the Program is the law office. Each first year student becomes one of a small group of approximately fifteen associates in an office and remains a part of that office for his or her first two years. A faculty

member and a carefully selected third year student are partners in the firm and provide guidance to the new associates. To ensure realism, each office is located in and uses the law of an actual jurisdiction, currently Virginia, New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Illinois and California.

During the Program's two year life, students are introduced to the whole range of required lawyering skills: interviewing and counseling, negotiating, researching and writing memoranda, drafting documents, opinion letters and briefs and arguing cases at trial and on appeal. All of these skills are learned through "hands on" experience representing simulated clients.

Two special features of the Program combine to make it a unique experience in American legal education. First, students deal with a client's legal problems from beginning to end. From the initial client interview through each step required by the representation, the student "lawyer" pursues the client's problem to a logical conclusion. Sometimes this conclusion is a negotiated settlement; other times it may mean a trial and appeal. Whatever the outcome, the Program provides extraordinary, in-depth exposure to the skills being taught. Students, for example, who are engaged in a negotiation learn not only about negotiation but about client interviewing and counseling because they have in fact interviewed and counseled the client to prepare for negotiation. Second, the Legal Skills Program is the Law School's course in legal profession and legal ethics. The Program emphasizes the value and importance of the lawyer's duties to client, the justice system and the public. Ethical issues are treated in the context of actual client service, changing the character of the students' experience from mere competitive games to a much truer, better textured learning experience.

A law school's skills program is the beginning student's first window on the legal profession. If well done, it provides a critical perspective on the study of law and what it really means to be a lawyer. In this respect, William and Mary's skills program is unique. It affords every student an opportunity to truly live a lawyer's life while attempting to master the basic skills required for an ethical and successful career at the bar.





# 1990-1991 CURRICULUM

## FIRST YEAR COURSES

All students are required to complete the following courses during their first year of study.

**101-102 Civil Procedure I, II.** Fall (3), Spring (3), Ms. Spencer and Ms. Grover.

A study of the strategic options available to persons attempting to resolve disputes by means of a lawsuit. This course introduces basic concepts of the civil adversary system, jurisdiction, choice of law and finality. It explores in detail the policies governing and the mechanics of pleading, discovery, joinder, disposition without trial, trial and appeal.

**103-104 Contracts I, II.** Fall (3), Spring (3), Mr. Sullivan and Mr. Selassie.

A study of the fundamental concepts of the law of contracts.

**109-110 Constitutional Law I, II.** Fall (3), Spring (3), Mr. Devins and Mr. Gerhardt.

A study of the structure of government, from the role of the courts and the concept of judicial review, through the distribution of power in the federal system and the allocation of power among the three branches of the government, including examination of the commerce, taxing, spending, war and foreign relations powers, followed by a study of individual rights protected by the Constitution, with principal emphasis on the fourteenth and first amendment guarantees of equal protection, due process and freedom of expression.

**111-112 Legal Skills I, II.** Fall (2), Spring (2), Staff.

Legal Skills I and II compose the first year of a two year course required of all students. Taught primarily via small student "law firms," the course's coverage includes professional responsibility, the nature of the legal profession, legal research and writing and numerous legal skills including drafting, interviewing, negotiation, and oral advocacy. The course will be graded on an honors/pass/fail basis.

**105-106 Property I, II.** Fall (3), Spring (3), Mr. Rosenberg and Ms. Butler.

A study of the fundamental principles of law governing real and personal property. Aspects of real property covered are the system of possessory estates, including the rights, duties, and liabilities arising from the landlord-tenant relationship; nonpossessory interests in realty; features of modern land conveyances, including the rights and liabilities of vendors and vendees under contracts of sale, deeds, and recording statutes; and private and public land use controls. Aspects of personal property covered are the concepts of possession and title; acquisition of property rights other than by sale, including the law of finders, bailments, gifts, and adverse possession; and the rights of bona fide purchasers.

**107-108 Torts I, II.** Fall (3), Mr. LeBel and Mr. Harris, Spring (2), Mr. Smolla.

A survey of the legal system's responses to problems arising from personal injury and property damage. Concentration on the legal doctrines relating to liability for harm resulting from fault and strict liability. Analysis of the goals and techniques of accident prevention and compensation for loss.

## SECOND YEAR COURSES

These are required courses.

**203 Criminal Law.** Fall (3), Mr. Felton, Spring (3), Ms. Malone. An intensive study of the basic doctrines underlying the criminal law, including *actus reus* and *mens rea*; the principal substantive and inchoate crimes; the accountability for the criminal acts of others; and the general defenses to criminal liability.

**113-114 Legal Skills, III, IV.** Fall (2), Spring (2), Staff.

Legal Skills III and IV compose the second year of a two year course required of all students. Taught primarily via small student "law firms," the course's coverage includes professional responsibility, the nature of the legal profession, legal research and writing and numerous legal skills including drafting, interviewing, negotiation, introduction to trial and appellate practice, and alternative dispute resolution. The course will be graded on an honors/pass/fail basis.

**115 Legal Skills Ethics.** Spring (1), Staff.

The final examination on legal profession/ethics issues for the Legal Skills Program. Operates in conjunction with Legal Skills IV.

## ELECTIVES

The elective curriculum is broad and diverse and in a typical academic session embraces seventy to eighty courses and seminars. It is designed to afford opportunities for study of many different subject matters for the student desiring a balanced and extensive legal education. The curriculum also affords opportunities for the student whose academic or professional goals are well-defined to undertake intensive study of particular fields of law with a view of specialization upon graduation. With the breadth and diversity of the elective curriculum, students are often understandably overwhelmed by the task of designing the program of study most suitable to individual interests, needs and academic or career goals. To help in that task, each student is assigned a faculty advisor. Each student should consult the assigned faculty advisor and may also consult other faculty members for advice as to course selection.

For most students, the second year of law study is best utilized in courses broadly covering major fields of law. Such courses serve a number of important purposes. They build on first year courses, contribute to a balanced legal education, are often foundational to more intensive study in the third year, and enable the better formulation of career goals and objectives. Among such courses are Corporations, Trusts and Estates, Evidence, Federal Income Tax, and Administrative Law. Also appropriate for study in the second year are Labor Law, Remedies, and one or more of the Commercial Law and Criminal Law courses. None of these courses should be regarded as indispensable, nor should any one be selected solely because it may be the subject of bar examination coverage. Many courses which are not foundational or prerequisite to courses planned for the third year may appropriately be taken in that year of study.

In the third year of law study, students must be careful to ensure that course selections will satisfy degree requirements. For most students, the additional "writing" requirement can be satisfied by completion of a seminar or course which requires a major research paper or by completing independent legal writing. The "jurisprudential" or enrichment requirement can be satisfied by taking Comparative Law, Jurisprudence, Economic Analysis of the Law or a legal history course; or by a faculty-approved seminar or a faculty-approved undergraduate or graduate course. Satisfac-

tion of the writing and jurisprudential requirements can also be accomplished by appropriate course selection in the second year.

For many students, the third year of law study is best utilized in broadening their legal education through courses in new subject matter fields and in pursuing individual interests through seminars and courses offering more intensive study of selected areas of the law. For others, the third year is viewed as an opportunity to specialize in areas in which a student intends to pursue his career goals. A decision to specialize should not be made lightly. Experience indicates that many students who do select courses with a view to specialization do not, on graduation, concentrate their professional activities in the intended field. Specialization also entails the disadvantage of forgoing a more balanced course selection and a broader legal education. For a student with strong interests in a particular field, moderate rather than intensive specialization may be an appropriate compromise. However, for students with well-defined career or academic objectives, more intensive specialization may be entirely appropriate.

Notwithstanding that most of our tax courses are offered in the Graduate Tax Program, students should be aware that many of these courses are cross listed in the J.D. curriculum and are appropriate for and open to second and third year students who have completed Law 311 Federal Income Tax.

**453 Administrative Law.** Spring (3), Mr. Koch.

A study of practice in the administrative process, examining the procedures for administrative adjudication and rulemaking; legislative and judicial control of administrative action; and public access to governmental processes and information.

**441 Admiralty.** Fall (3), Mr. Williams.

A survey of the key features of the law of the sea based primarily on the judicial rules and statutes of the United States and other maritime nations. Considered are maritime liens and mortgages, salvage, rules governing liability for maritime collision, rights and duties arising from personal injury and death of seamen, maritime jurisdiction, limitations of liability of ship owners and their insurers, and special problems caused by involvement of governments as parties to maritime transactions and litigation. *This course is a prerequisite for 542 Admiralty Seminar.*

**421 Agriculture Law.** Not offered 1990-91 (3).

An examination of agricultural land ownership, land operation and financing, and farm tenancies; federal and state credit assistance programs; price and income adjustment programs; regulatory programs affecting farms and ranches, including agricultural labor laws, water pollution controls, and pesticide laws; international aspects of U.S. food production; soil conservation; farmland preservation, including preservation of wetlands and erosive land; and agricultural cooperatives.

**411 Antitrust.** Fall (3), Mr. Schaefer.

A study of the law governing monopolies, horizontal restrictions, vertical restrictions, and mergers.

**457 The Bill of Rights and Constitutional Interpretation.** Not offered 1990-91 (3).

An explanation of the philosophical influences on the Constitution and Bill of Rights, leading to a study of contemporary conflicts in constitutional law. Readings will include excerpts from such thinkers as Aristotle, Aquinas, Locke, Hobbes, Rousseau, Montesquieu, Hamilton, Madison, Adams, Jefferson, Austin, Holmes, and others, as well as selected cases and contemporary writers. Class assignments will be integrated, whenever possible, with activities of the Institute of Bill of Rights Law. Satisfies enrichment requirement and major research paper option may be chosen.

**432 Business Planning.** Not offered 1990-91 (3).

A study of advanced corporate law, securities regulation and some treatment of corporate tax. Discussion of specific transactions that face business lawyers: formation and financing business organizations; restructuring ownership interests; financing distributions; share repurchases; sale and purchase of businesses; business combinations; reorganizations; and dissolutions. *Prerequisite: 303 Corporations; 311 Federal Income Tax.*

**480 Capital Transactions.** Fall (3), Mr. Lee.

Problem oriented analysis of computational capital gains rules; dealer issue and planning techniques; capital vs. ordinary expenditures; common law of capital gains; deferred payment techniques (installment sales and wrap around mortgages, and open transaction and cash equivalency doctrines); non-recognition sales, exchanges and involuntary conversions; tax preference and alternative tax limitations.

**478 Civil Rights Law.** Not offered 1990-91 (3).

A study of statutory and constitutional protection of individual rights. Specific issues to be explored may include housing, education, tax, employment, affirmative action, reconstruction-era civil rights legislation, and state interference in the familial structure. Attention may also be paid to the role of the federal government and the private bar in enforcing civil rights protections as well as procedural and justiciability questions raised by reform litigation in this area.

**431 Comparative Law.** Spring (3), Mr. Williams.

A general introduction to the methods and structures of contemporary legal systems that received the system of the Roman law. The principal aim of the course is to give the student insight into the thinking and institutional characteristics of civil law type systems throughout the world. Additionally, there will be a brief inquiry into the operation of Islamic and of Soviet and Chinese socialist legal systems. Satisfies enrichment requirement.

**410 Conflict of Laws.** Fall (3), Mr. Collins.

Multi-state legal problems: domicile, choice of law, jurisdiction, and enforcing judgments.

**437 Corporate Finance.** Spring (3), Mr. Schaefer.

A study of economic and legal issues in financing decisions of publicly held corporations, including valuation of the enterprise and its securities, determination of the securities structure, dividend and investment policy, and mergers.

**438 Corporate Taxation.** Spring (3), Mr. Lee.

A general introduction to the taxation of business organizations with emphasis on corporations and their shareholders. This course is designed both for students intending to pursue a general practice and those intending to obtain a graduate degree in tax law. Topics covered will include incorporation and capital structure, dividend and non-dividend distributions, liquidations, taxable and tax-free corporate combinations, personal holding companies, partnerships, and Subchapter S. *Prerequisite: 311 Federal Income Tax. Recommended: 303 Corporations.*

**303 Corporations.** Fall (3), Ms. Barnard, Spring (3), Mr. Schaefer.

An examination of the law applicable to corporations—both publicly and closely held. This course explores issues relating to corporate formation, capitalization, limited shareholder liability, officers' and directors' fiduciary obligations, and business combinations.

**401 Criminal Procedure I.** Fall (3), Mr. Williamson.

An in-depth study of the fourth, fifth and sixth amendments to the Constitution including criminal procedure. Considered are gen-

eral due process concepts; the right to counsel and other aids; arrest, search and seizure; wire-tapping; electronic eavesdropping; the use of secret agents; entrapment; police interrogation and confessions; identification procedures; and the scope and administration of the exclusionary rules.

**402 Criminal Procedure II.** Spring (3), Mr. Williamson.

A study of the basic constitutional and non-constitutional procedural components of the criminal process. Included are discretionary aspects of the decision to charge, the preliminary hearing, pre-trial release, and grand jury proceedings, venue, jury selection, trial procedures, judgments, sentencing, double jeopardy appeal, and post-conviction proceedings. *Criminal Procedure I is not a prerequisite.*

**403 Criminal Procedure Survey.** Not offered 1990-1991 (3).

A survey of all of the major elements of the trial of a criminal case including search and seizure, interrogation, identification procedures, the right to counsel, arrest and prosecution, preliminary hearings, grand juries, jury selection, trial procedure and sentencing. The course will address all of the major issues covered by Criminal Procedure I and II but will do so in less depth. *Students who take Criminal Procedure Survey may not take either Criminal Procedure I or Criminal Procedure II for credit.*

**406 Debtor-Creditor.** Spring (3), Mr. Alces.

This course will focus on the Bankruptcy Reform Act of 1978. Bankruptcy issues include property of the estate, the automatic stay, exemptions, priorities, and discharges. We will briefly cover wage earners' plans under Chapter 13, family farmer bankruptcy under Chapter 12, and corporate reorganizations under Chapter 11. There will be some treatment of state debtor-creditor law, particularly U.C.C. Article 6 ("Bulk Sales") and state fraudulent disposition law (i.e., U.F.C.A. and U.F.T.A.).

**454-01 Economic Analysis of the Law.** Fall (3), Mr. Schaefer.

A study of the many applications of economic reasoning to legal problems including economic regulation of business; antitrust enforcement; and more basic areas such as property rights, tort and contract damages, and civil or criminal procedures. Designed to acquaint those having no economics background with basic economic principles by approaching relevant economic concepts through these legal problems; hence enrollment in this course will be closed to those with more than nine semester hours of economics courses. Satisfies enrichment requirement.

**454-02 Economic Analysis of the Law.** Fall (3), Mr. Zelder.

A variety of prevailing legal rules in property, contracts, torts, family law, and constitutional law are examined in the context of a simple model of rational behavior. This analysis allows consideration of the purpose and consequences of these legal rules; in particular, laws are evaluated on the basis of the benefits and costs they imply. Readings are drawn from economics and law texts, journals, and casebooks. Optional, ungraded problem sets will be assigned, and a final exam will be administered. Open only to students who have completed an intermediate level microeconomics course or with permission of the instructor. Satisfies enrichment requirement.

**452 Employment Discrimination.** Spring (3), Ms. Grover.

A study of federal laws prohibiting discrimination in employment on account of race, national origin, gender, religion and handicapping condition, with emphasis on Title VII of the 1964 Civil Rights Act, the Age Discrimination in Employment Act and the Equal Pay Act.

**424 Environmental Law.** Fall (3), Ms. Malone.

A study of the nature and causes of environmental pollution and of the main legal techniques for its control. The course will

consider the common law, the environmental impact assessment process (e.g., the National Environmental Policy Act), and the basic regulatory framework for air, water and solid and hazardous waste control (the Federal Clean Air Act, Clean Water Act and Resource Conservation and Recovery Act), with attention given under each statute to the basic regulatory framework and the main policy issues presented by it. Other topics will include the role of the federal courts in reviewing agency action, new developments in federal administrative law (including current efforts at administrative law reform), natural resource management and allocation issues involved in the division of scarce resources (e.g., air and water) among competing users, toxic and hazardous substance regulation, and enforcement of environmental laws.

**482 Estate Planning.** Spring (2), Ms. Thompson.

Selected problems and techniques in estate planning with clinical type exercises involving closely held businesses, generation skipping trusts, and problems in formulating integrated dispositive arrangements involving insurance, pension benefits, trusts and other devices. *Prerequisite: 703 Federal Taxation of Estates, Gifts and Trusts or consent of instructor.*

**309 Evidence.** Fall (3), Mr. Moliterno and Mr. Douglas.

An intensive study of the law of evidence primarily utilizing the Federal Rules of Evidence. Topics addressed by the course include relevance, authentication, real evidence, competence, hearsay, impeachment of witnesses, and privileges.

**417 The Family and the State.** Not offered 1990-91 (2/3 variable).

An exploration of family law topics through the integration of case materials with materials from such disciplines as history, economics, psychology, sociology, government, and jurisprudence. Topics to be covered include the social and economic consequences of divorce; pregnancy in the workplace and competing visions of gender equality; a historical review of state efforts to define and control the marital relationship; parent-state conflicts over child-rearing and the dilemma of constitutional rights of children; and the uses of psychological evidence in child custody determinations. The class will meet for two hours each week; students who write a paper will receive three academic credits. Satisfies enrichment requirement and major research paper option may be chosen.

**416 Family Law.** Fall (3), Mr. Powell.

A study of the legal consequences of marital status and marital dissolution. Principal emphasis will be placed on the dissolution of marriage—jurisdiction, fault and no-fault divorce, property support, court orders and separation agreements and their enforcement, and post-decretal modifications.

**415 The Federal Courts and the Federal System.** Fall (3), Mr. Koch.

An examination of the federal judicial system encompassing such topics as allocation of federal judicial power; original jurisdiction of the Supreme Court; the Eleventh Amendment; suits in federal court against state officials; restrictions on federal judicial power including the various abstention, equitable restraint, and anti-injunction doctrines; Supreme Court review of state court decisions; habeas corpus; removal; federal adjudication of state-created rights; federal question jurisdiction and federal common law.

**311 Federal Income Tax.** Fall (4), Mr. Donaldson, Spring (4), Mr. Coven.

A study of the basic laws relating to federal income taxation of the individual. Included are problems relating to computing gross income, the reduction of gross income to taxable income, and the recognition and character of gains and losses from disposition of property.



**481 Federal Taxation of Estates, Gifts and Trusts.** Fall (3), Ms. Thompson.

Estate, gift and income taxation of gratuitous transfers including taxation of grantor, simple and complex trusts and a consideration of basic planning techniques. *Prerequisite or corequisite: 311 Federal Income Tax and 305 Trusts and Estates.*

**458 Health Law.** Fall (3), Mr. Gerhardt.

This course introduces students to bioethics (ethical and legal problems raised by advancements in the administration and allocation of health care) and to antitrust and regulatory problems encountered in contemporary health care administration. Students may substitute for an examination a paper, which will satisfy the major research paper requirement. *Students who have taken 518 Law and Medicine Seminar in the Spring 1990 term may not register for this class.*

**610 Independent Legal Writing.** Fall (2), Spring (2), Staff.

This course requires the completion of a significant scholarly paper on a topic selected by the student, under the supervision of a faculty member. Students may enroll in this course for credit twice; however, the second independent writing project must be approved in advance by a committee of three faculty members selected by and including the faculty supervisor of the project. Satisfies the major research paper requirement.

**408 Insurance.** Fall (3), Mr. Fischer.

Consideration of the nature of the insurance contract. Included are the nature and requirement of insurable interest, selection and control of risks, marketing of insurance and adjustment of claims, all as applied to casualty, property, liability and life insurance.

**448 Intellectual Property.** Fall (3), Mr. Collins.

A review of the legal protection of artistic, technical and business creativity through the law of copyrights, patents, trademarks and trade secrets.

**442 International Business Operations.** Not offered 1990-91 (3).

An inter-disciplinary, team-taught, joint course of the Law School and the School of Business Administration. Introduction to the business and legal considerations involved in the planning and conduct of international business operations. Topics include the development and operation of the multinational firm; special business and legal problems associated with establishing and managing foreign operations and participating in international trade; selected aspects of business enterprises; and the means of resolving business difficulties created by the application of national and international regulatory regimes developed to control such matters as economic development and the transnational flow of currency, goods and services, to protect investors and consumers, and to locate fiscal and other resources. This is not an annually repeated class. *Not a prerequisite but recommended: 409 International Law, 510 International Law Seminar.* Satisfies the major research paper requirement.

**409 International Law.** Fall (3), Ms. Malone.

An examination of the nature and sources of international law and municipal law; the law of treaties; principles of jurisdiction; statehood and recognition of states and governments; sovereign immunity; rights of aliens; human rights; environmental issues; and regulation of international coercion.

**483 International Tax.** Spring, (3) Mr. Ortolani.

A study of United States taxation of multi-national business operations. The topics covered include a comparison of branch and subsidiary operations, the source of income rules, controlled foreign corporations, foreign tax credits, tax treaties, transfer pricing, and the taxation of nonresident aliens and foreign corporations deriving income from investments in the United States.

**450 Jurisprudence.** Not offered 1990-91 (3).

A study of the philosophy of law, emphasizing contemporary analytic jurisprudence. The course will focus on the nature of law and of legal systems, and the process of adjudication. Critiques of "mainstream" jurisprudential thought from leftist and feminist perspectives will also be considered. Satisfies enrichment requirement.

**407 Labor Law.** Fall (3), Mr. Douglas.

A study of employee-union-management relations as regulated by the National Labor Relations Act, as amended. Issues considered include the organizational process, representation elections, collective bargaining, and strikes and picketing activities.

**313 Land Use Control.** Fall (3), Mr. Rosenberg.

An analysis of legal doctrines governing use of land in modern society. Primary attention will be devoted to zoning, land planning, sub-division regulations, rezoning, variances, conditional uses, and mandatory dedications. While focusing upon government regulation of land use, the course will also examine common law doctrines and private law methods which affect the way that land is used. After considering these areas, the course will concentrate upon historic preservation as a specialized land use problem.

**439 Law, Policy and Environment.** Spring (3), Ms. Butler.

A study of the environmental policy-making process, with particular emphasis on how the different branches of government develop substantive environmental law. The course will begin with an overview of the ecological and economic foundations of environmentalism, as well as traditional institutional responses. It then will address the policy-making process both in the general context of our legal system and in the more specific context of particular environmental problems. Among other topics, the course will consider constitutional questions raised by judicial and agency involvement in environmental policy-making, as well as economic, political and ethical concerns raised by different theories of environmental decision-making.

**422 Legal Accounting.** Fall (3), Mr. Fischer.

A study of the basic principles of accounting as related to law. Topics which will be covered include the accrual and deferral of income, asset reevaluation as a source of dividends, and accounting for business combinations. *Prerequisite: 303 Corporations. Enrollment limited to students with no previous accounting courses in college or law school.*

**428 Legal History.** Spring (3), Mr. Douglas.

Selected topics in the development of American legal history. Satisfies enrichment requirement.

**609 Legal Research.** Fall (1), Spring (1), Staff.

This course requires the completion of a scholarly paper on a subject selected by the student, under the supervision of a faculty member. Does not satisfy the major research paper requirement.

**412 Legislation.** Spring (3), Mr. Collins.

Various aspects of the legislative process are considered, including: structure and function of national, state, and local legislative bodies; state constitutional limitations on legislative activities; and principles of statutory construction.

**429 Local Government Law.** Not offered 1990-91 (3).

Scope and nature of local government powers and their relation to state and federal authority. Particular emphasis is placed on state and federal statutory and constitutional restraints on the operation of local government entities. Topics include: Dillon's Rule, home rule, preemption, annexation, personnel matters, public contracts, borrowing and taxation, and public entity tort liability and immunity.

**460 Mass Media Law.** Spring (3), Mr. Smolla.

A survey of issues common to both print and electronic media, including first amendment theory, prior restraints, state-supported media, restraints on news gathering, courtroom coverage problems, defamation and invasion of privacy, and commercial speech.

**420 Modern Land Finance.** Spring (2), Staff.

The course will deal primarily with the practical aspects of negotiating and drafting commercial development and finance documents with land owners, builders, and finance institutions.

**405 Payment Systems.** Spring (3), Mr. Alces.

This course will study the uses of different payment mechanisms (negotiable and non-negotiable instruments, credit cards and electronic funds transfer and wire transfer systems) in both credit and cash transactions. The course will consider allocation of risks for fraud, countermands, defenses on the underlying contract, mistake, timeliness and unauthorized payments. In each case the allocation of risks in connection with different payment mechanisms will be considered, along with whether those allocations should be the same or different for each mechanism. The course will focus on Articles 3 and 4 of the Uniform Commercial Code and, as time permits, consider letters of credit under U.C.C. Article 5 and the International Chamber of Commerce Uniform Customs and Practice. Special emphasis will be given to techniques of statutory analysis, commercial counseling and a rethinking of present rules, especially in light of the proposed new drafting of Articles 3 and 4, and the creation of new Article 4A. The impact of federal legislation on the state payments law (U.C.C. Articles 3, 4, and 4A) will also be treated.

**451 Products Liability.** Fall (3), Mr. Harris.

A study of the problems of product-related injuries to person and property. The major concentration will be on liability for injuries caused by defective and dangerous products, with additional consideration of product safety legislation and regulatory alternatives to litigation.

**433 Regulation of Financial Institutions.** Fall (2), Mr. Heilig.

The class will explore the dual system of financial regulations, state and federal, that affect banks, credit unions, savings and loan associations, and other institutions, whether chartered under state or federal law. The course will focus on Virginia institutions for illustrative purposes.

**413 Remedies.** Spring (3), Mr. Collins.

A study of tort remedies, unjust enrichment, equitable doctrines, damages, and restitution.

**435 Sales.** Spring (3), Mr. Alces.

This course deals with the sales aspect of commercial transactions governed by Article 2 of the Uniform Commercial Code. Coverage includes: contract formation and readjustment; general obligations of the buyer and seller; contract performance; risk of loss; warranties; breach, repudiation and excuse; remedies; and federal legislation affecting these issues. While the focus of the course is on sales law under Article 2, reference will also be made to analogous provisions of U.C.C. Article 2A, "Leases."

**404 Secured Transactions.** Fall (3), Mr. Selassie.

A study of Article 9 of the Uniform Commercial Code governing security interests in personal property and fixtures.

**423 Securities Regulation.** Fall (3), Ms. Barnard.

An examination of the federal law and policies governing the issuance and trading of securities. This course explores the obligations and liabilities of corporations, their officers and directors,

underwriters, financial advisors and lawyers in the initial public offering of a securities issue. It also explores the legal principles applicable to trading in the secondary markets, including day-to-day trading, insider trading, tender offers and contests for control. *Prerequisite: 303 Corporations.*

**491 Separation of Powers and the Fourth Branch.** Spring (2), Mr. Fisher.

A study of the doctrine of separation of powers in American constitutionalism. By analyzing specific confrontations over domestic and foreign policy issues, the student will gain a deeper understanding of the manner in which judicial, executive, and legislative forces interact to shape constitutional law. Includes philosophical, historical, political, and administrative dimensions. Occasional class visits by government officials are planned.

**484 Tax Accounting.** Spring (3), Mr. Fischer.

Treatment of traditional tax methods of accounting (cash, accrual, hybrid, and inventories) and limitations on their use; change of accounting methods; deferred payments; tax accounting for interest paid and received including time value of money principles; cost recovery and recapture of tax benefits; and clear reflection of income including assignment of income.

**486 Taxation of Conduit Business Entities.** Spring (3) Mr. Magette.

A study of the tax problems encountered in the use of partnerships and S corporations including the formation, operation and dissolution of these entities and the specialized uses for which conduit entities are used.

**305 Trusts and Estates.** Fall (4), Mr. Donaldson, Spring (4), Mr. Fischer .

A study of the law governing inter vivos and testamentary gratuitous transfers of property. Aspects covered by the course include transfers under intestate succession statutes; the law of wills, including the formalities of execution, testamentary capacity, undue influence and fraud, and revocation; will substitutes such as gifts and joint tenancies; the law of trusts, including methods of creation and termination, rights and interests of the beneficiary, and special problems relating to resulting, constructive and charitable trusts; and fiduciary administration, including an introduction to probate and administration proceedings and problems of trust administration.

**418 Unfair Trade Practices.** Not offered 1990-91 (3).

An examination of overreaching business practices and barriers to entry; deceptive and disparaging advertising at common law, under the Federal Trade Commission Act and the Lanham Act; trademarks; interference with contractual relationships; passing off and other state doctrine; introduction to federal preemption; contractual alternatives to copyright.

**419 Virginia Procedure.** Spring (3), Mr. Zepkin.

Emphasis on the procedures for actions at law and suits in equity in Virginia including the development of the rules, statutes and interpretations of courts. Appellate procedure in Virginia is also covered.

**440 White Collar Crime.** Not offered 1990-91 (3).

Topics covered include the bases for federal criminal jurisdiction, judicial and administrative techniques for limiting federal criminal authority, RICO, mail fraud, tax fraud, bank secrecy and currency reporting offenses, false statements, forfeiture statutes, and selected procedural problems in the prosecution of white collar crimes, including privilege against self-incrimination issues, attorney/client privilege issues, and double jeopardy issues arising from duplicative state and federal prosecution.

## SEMINARS

**548 Administration of Social Programs Seminar.** Spring (3), Mr. Koch.

This course will examine the law relating to various major benefits programs, such as social security, medicare/medicaid, unemployment, employee rehabilitation, Aid to Families with Dependent Children, and Food Stamps. It will discuss the decision-making processes used in the governance of these entitlement programs and it will examine the basic substantive law created for and by these programs. Satisfies major research paper requirement.

**542 Admiralty Seminar.** Spring (3), Mr. Gunn.

An intensive analysis of selected aspects of admiralty and maritime law of particular importance to the practitioner. Emphasis is placed on current developments of the law. Students engage in extensive role-playing in adversarial and other settings. Each student is required to research and write two papers used in class presentations. *Prerequisite:* 441 Admiralty. Does not satisfy major research paper requirement.

**544 Business Planning Seminar.** Not offered 1990-91 (3).

This course is based on a series of problems involving business planning and counseling. Topics will include entity choice and formation, allocation of control, issuance of securities and capital structure, valuation, securities act problems, dividends, reduction of capital, buy-outs, acquisitions, redemptions, liquidations, and other tax and business problems. *Prerequisite:* 311 Federal Income Tax and 303 Corporations.

**578 Civil Rights Seminar.** Not offered 1990-91 (3).

A study of statutory guarantees of constitutional rights and constitutional and statutory guarantees of equal treatment. Although there will be some treatment of constitutional topics, a principal objective of the course is to acquaint students with Supreme Court approaches to the interpretation of Federal statutes. Specific issues to be explored may include 42 U.S.C. 1983 (damage action for state violations of constitutional rights), housing, education, tax, gender, affirmative action, religion, injunctions, attorney fees, and state interference in the familial structure.

**568 Computers and the Law Seminar.** Not offered 1990-91 (3).

A study of the relationship of computers, law and the legal profession. Students will be briefly exposed to the working of computers. The rest of the seminar will focus on particular problems involving liability for computer errors and misuse, computer crime, the protection of computer programs under intellectual property law, computers and rights to privacy, and the regulation of computers and communications technology. No computer background is necessary. No prerequisites.

**520 Constitution, Law, and Politics in the Age of Chief Justice Marshall Seminar.** Fall (3), Mr. Hobson.

This seminar will examine a major theme of early American constitutional history: the emergence of the Supreme Court as an institution charged with expounding the Constitution and preserving the federal system. This development was in large part the achievement of the long and creative tenure of John Marshall as chief justice of the United States (1801-35). Participants in the seminar will examine the major cases decided by the Marshall Court and read and discuss books and articles dealing with the court in its general and particular aspects. Although the inquiry undertaken in this seminar is "historical" rather than "legal," readings include not only works of history but also works by scholars in the fields of law and politics. Satisfies major research paper requirement.

**506 Constitutional Decision Making Seminar.** Spring (3), Mr. Gerhardt.

This seminar will focus on the constitutional decision-making process. It will be limited to twenty students divided into four groups of five. Each group will operate as a mock Supreme Court deciding three cases every 2 to 3 weeks under either the Fourteenth or the First Amendment. In writing their opinions, students are confined only to the relevant constitutional text, their own precedents, and, if the students choose, the history of the amendment under which they are operating.

**503 Cross Currents in Constitutional Law Seminar.** Fall (2/3 variable), Mr. Devins and Mr. Fisher.

An exploration of the dialogue that takes place between elected branches of government (state and federal), and the courts in the shaping of constitutional values. Students may select either a two or three credit option for this course. Those selecting the three credit option are expected to prepare a substantial case study/paper (at least 30 pages). Students electing the two credit option will be expected to prepare two descriptive memoranda (10-15 pages each). Topics for both the paper and the descriptive memoranda will be developed with the assistance of the instructor. They will include subjects concerning free speech, religion, foreign affairs, federalism, separation of powers, equal protection, and privacy. Further course information may be obtained from Professor Devins. Students must decide by the end of the add/drop period whether they will enroll in the course for two credits or three credits.

**524 Environmental Law Seminar.** Spring (3), Mr. Rosenberg.

An exploration of selected subjects of current interest in the field of environmental law. Students will be expected to prepare at least two written assignments, select a research topic and prepare a seminar paper. Satisfies major research paper requirement.

**556 Federal Tax Policy Seminar.** Fall (2), Mr. Coven.

Study of basic policies underlying the evolution and present structure of modern U.S. income taxation, with emphasis on current policy problems and legislative proposals. Coverage includes such areas as the policy considerations and legislative mechanics of tax reform and simplification, proposals for modifications of the corporate income tax structure, and the use of tax systems in promotion of social and economic goals. Production of a significant written work on a tax policy subject of student's choice is a major requirement of this course. Students who are not degree candidates may take this course only with the permission of the instructor. Satisfies the major research paper requirement.

**546 Government Contracts Seminar.** Fall (3), Mr. Tieder.

A team taught seminar focusing on the development of theory and practice skills in connection with federal procurement and public works construction contracts. After four introductory lectures on theory, the course will involve student problem-solving exercises in the areas of bidding, performance, negotiation termination, and post-performance evaluations by the Government. Does not satisfy major research paper requirement.

**574 Intellectual Property Seminar.** Not offered 1990-91 (3).

Students will select a topic for study from current issues in intellectual property (primarily copyrights and trademarks) such as the scope of the fair use defense, federal preemption of state law, the viability of moral rights, the problem of trademarks becoming generic, and other topics. *Recommended prerequisites:* 448 Intellectual Property or 418 Unfair Trade Practice.

**511 International Environmental Law Seminar.** Spring (3), Ms. Malone.

The seminar focuses on bilateral, regional and international agreements and principles governing ocean pollution, air pollu-

tion, hazardous and nuclear waste, deforestation, and other environmental problems with a global impact. The seminar will also address population control and food shortages under international law, especially in developing countries, and how these problems relate to international peace and security. *The basic courses in public International Law and Environmental Law are not prerequisites, but are recommended.* The seminar grade will be based on class participation and a paper satisfying the requirement for a major research paper. This is not an annually repeated seminar.

**516 International Organizations Seminar.** Not offered 1990-91 (3).

The course focuses on selected legal problems related to the structure and process of decision in the United Nations and other international organizations. The materials emphasize the role of the United Nations and regional arrangements in the maintenance of international order, organizational protection of human rights, and the impact of the International Court of Justice on the development of international law. Among other current issues, the course focuses on the history and evolution of the conflicts in South Africa, Vietnam, the Koreas, and the Middle East. *The public International Law course is recommended as a prerequisite but not required.* Satisfies major research paper requirement.

**501 Juvenile Law Seminar.** Not offered 1990-91 (3).

This seminar will examine various issues concerning the interaction between the legal system and children, especially in light of knowledge developed within other disciplines. There will be an initial focus on the role of child psychology and child development in informing the law about the development of rules concerning decision-making by and about children, followed by a general survey of constitutional and private law principles applicable to children and youth. The seminar will also look at some selected specific areas of law applicable to children, such as juvenile delinquency, noncriminal misbehavior, medical decision-making by and about children, child custody, abuse and neglect, and educational issues.

**551 Land Use Control Seminar.** Not offered 1990-91 (3).

An analysis of legal doctrines governing use of land in modern society. Primary attention will be devoted to zoning, land planning, subdivision regulations, rezoning, variances, conditional uses, and mandatory dedications. While focusing upon government regulation of land use, the seminar will also examine common law doctrines and private law methods which affect the way that land is used.

**554 Law and Economics Seminar.** Not offered 1990-91 (3).

Selected topics in the economic analysis of law. This course is designed for those who have some familiarity with economic reasoning, either through 404 Secured Transactions or through courses in economics. Satisfies major research paper requirement.

**509 Law and American Literature.** Fall (3), Mr. LeBel.

This seminar is cross listed in the Law School and in the graduate program in American Studies. The primary focus of the seminar will be the reflection in American literature of attitudes about law and lawyers. Readings will consist of novels and stories, and secondary material that will help to put the literary treatments into context. Some attention will be devoted as well to a comparison of literary interpretation and legal interpretation. The seminar will meet one evening a week, with a series of short papers required over the course of the semester. The seminar will satisfy the law school enrichment requirement but will not satisfy the major research paper requirement.

**517 Law and Development.** Spring (3), Mr. Selassie.

A study of the use of law in the process of development in developing countries with particular focus on Africa and China. The seminar undertakes to develop a theory concerning the appropriate use of law and state power to bring about social, political and economic change in developing countries.

**518 Law and Medicine Seminar.** Spring (3), Mr. Hubbard.

A study of medical jurisprudence and hospital law focusing on medical malpractice and tort law reform and contemporary problems including the regulation of health care delivery systems, access to health care, and antitrust challenges. Satisfies the major research paper requirement.

**576 Legal History Seminar.** Spring (3), Mr. Pole.

An historical analysis of the changes in lawyers' perceptions of the nature of law in the Anglo-American tradition.

**529 Local Government Law Seminar.** Not offered 1990-91 (3).

This seminar will consider a variety of problems confronting local communities and their governments. After a brief overview of the major legal doctrines relating to the conduct of counties and municipalities, the seminar will address itself to a number of specific local government issues involving questions of municipal finance, annexation, tort liability, and the control of land development. During the remainder of the semester students will prepare a research paper on the local government law topic of their choice.

**560 Mental Health Law Seminar.** Spring (3), Mr. Keilitz and Mr. Hafemeister.

This seminar seeks to develop an appreciation and practical understanding of mental health law, an area that has received increasing attention in recent years both from the U.S. Supreme Court and various state courts. It will focus on the responses of the legal system to individuals with mental disabilities. Among those topics that will be addressed are: 1) involuntary civil commitment (i.e., the process whereby persons, without being convicted of a crime, are required to undergo treatment against their will after being found mentally ill and dangerous to themselves or others); 2) criminal commitment (i.e., the criminal justice system's response to mentally disturbed persons who have been charged with or convicted of crimes); 3) legal aspects of providing mental health treatment (i.e., the regulation and potential liability of mental health professionals, including medical malpractice and liability to third parties harmed by a patient); 4) legal protection of the mentally disabled (i.e., their liberty and property interests, including their right to refuse treatment, and benefits provided for their well-being, including special education, prohibitions against employment discrimination, and access to housing); and 5) special issues directly relevant to the mentally disabled, including the right-to-die and the homeless. The seminar will explore not only the law on the books but also the law in practice, and introduce students to problems that arise when the two diverge. Does not satisfy the major research paper requirement.

**523 Property and the Constitution Seminar.** Fall (3), Ms. Butler.

An examination of the relationship between property rights and the Constitution. The course will begin with a discussion of the philosophical foundations of property, focusing in particular on the role of property rights in a democratic government. The course also will study the interaction between property rights and various constitutionally protected liberties. Provisions of the Constitution that will be covered include the due process, just compensation, equal protection, free speech, and religion clauses. Satisfies major research paper requirement, and enrichment requirement.



# WILLIAM & MARY

## Marshall-Wythe School of Law

### APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION JURIS DOCTOR PROGRAM 1991

OFFICE OF ADMISSIONS  
COLLEGE OF WILLIAM AND MARY  
MARSHALL-WYTHE SCHOOL OF LAW  
WILLIAMSBURG, VIRGINIA 23185

A NON-REFUNDABLE PROCESSING FEE OF \$30 MUST ACCOMPANY THIS APPLICATION.

**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT IN INK**

1. Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Sex:\* Male  M  
Last First Middle Female  F

3. Date of Birth:\* \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Social Security Number:\* \_\_\_\_\_  
Month Day Year

5. Racial/Ethnic Category:\*(Check one)  A Asian or Pacific Islander American Indian or  
 B Black, not of Hispanic Origin Alaskan Native  I  
 H Hispanic White, not of Hispanic Origin  W

6. Country of Citizenship: \_\_\_\_\_ 7. Type of Visa (if any): \_\_\_\_\_

\* Note: This information is needed by the school for statistical purposes. It will not be used in an unlawfully discriminatory manner. You are assured both by school policy and by the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act that the information will be confidential and accessible only to school officials, government agencies and others with a legitimate educational interest in the information.

8. Present Mailing Address: (where you wish admissions correspondence sent) 9. Permanent Home Address: (through which you can be reached at any time)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Street or Box  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City State/County  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Zip Code Area Code and Telephone Number

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10. After what date should correspondence be sent to your permanent address? \_\_\_\_\_  
Month Day Year

11. Do you claim Virginia domiciliary status for tuition purposes? Yes  y No  n

12. What type of admission do you seek? First Year  1 Advanced Standing  2  
[See instructions]

13. Have you previously made application to this Law School? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, year(s): \_\_\_\_\_

14. Identify the undergraduate college from which you received (or expect to receive) a degree:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_  
Attended: from (mo/yr) \_\_\_\_\_ to (mo/yr) \_\_\_\_\_ Degree: \_\_\_\_\_  
Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Rank in Class: \_\_\_\_\_ out of \_\_\_\_\_

15. List in chronological order all *other* colleges and universities attended including law school(s):

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Attended: from (mo/yr) \_\_\_\_\_ to (mo/yr) \_\_\_\_\_ Degree: \_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Rank in Class: \_\_\_\_\_ out of \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Attended: from (mo/yr) \_\_\_\_\_ to (mo/yr) \_\_\_\_\_ Degree: \_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Rank in Class: \_\_\_\_\_ out of \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Attended: from (mo/yr) \_\_\_\_\_ to (mo/yr) \_\_\_\_\_ Degree: \_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Rank in Class: \_\_\_\_\_ out of \_\_\_\_\_

16. List all scholastic or academic honors you have received after secondary school including scholarships, fellowships, prizes, honor societies, and so forth:

17. List the extracurricular and community activities that have been important to you:

18. Were you employed during any academic year while an undergraduate? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, describe positions held:

Hours per week: 1st Year \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd Year \_\_\_\_\_ 3rd Year \_\_\_\_\_ 4th Year \_\_\_\_\_

19. State your last four positions of full-time employment, including summer employment. Do not list military service or part-time employment. Submit a supplementary sheet of all additional employment.

Dates	Employer	Position	Reason for Leaving
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20. Have you served or are you now serving on full-time military active duty? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, complete the following:

Branch of Service: U.S.A. [ ]; U.S.A.F. [ ]; U.S.N. [ ]; U.S.M.C. [ ]; U.S.C.G. [ ]; Other [ ]

Tour of Duty: From (mo/yr) \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

Rank or Rate (Current or at time of discharge/separation): \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Discharge/Separation: \_\_\_\_\_ Reserve Status: (current) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Will you be eligible for veteran's educational benefits while at William and Mary? \_\_\_\_\_



**IF THE ANSWER TO ANY OF QUESTIONS 22-28 IS YES, EXPLAIN FULLY ON A SUPPLEMENTARY SHEET**

22. Were there any personal, cultural, or economic factors which, in your opinion, adversely affected your academic performance? \_\_\_\_\_

23. Has your college, university, graduate or professional school attendance been interrupted for one or more terms while you were enrolled in a degree program for any reason? \_\_\_\_\_

24. Have you ever been separated from a branch of the Armed Services of the United States under conditions other than honorable? \_\_\_\_\_

25. Have you ever been subject to disciplinary action for scholastic or other reasons in any of the colleges, universities, graduate or professional schools you have attended? \_\_\_\_\_

26. Are there any disciplinary charges pending or expected to be brought against you? \_\_\_\_\_

27. Have you ever been convicted of a crime other than minor traffic violations? \_\_\_\_\_

28. Are there any criminal charges pending or expected to be brought against you? \_\_\_\_\_

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29. List the two individuals from whom you have requested letters of recommendation to complete your application:

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

30. List all dates on which you have taken (or expect to take) the LSAT: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

31. Indicate the date by which you will have registered with the Law School Data Assembly Service (LSDAS), paid the LSDAS fee, and requested transcripts to be sent to the LSDAS: \_\_\_\_\_. All materials *must* be sent to LSDAS by February 1, 1991, in order to be processed by March 1, 1991.

32. Are you interested in obtaining the joint J.D.-M.B.A. degree? \_\_\_\_\_

### Summary for Mailing

I have enclosed:

1. The completed and signed application form and my personal statement.
2. The \$30 non-refundable application fee made payable to the College of William and Mary.
3. The permanent file card and self-addressed postcards.
4. The Law School Application Matching Form.
5. Explanations to yes answers for questions 22-28.
6. Two sealed envelopes with letters of recommendation.

7. Application(s) for Virginia In-State Tuition Rate (send directly to the Office of the Registrar only if you claimed Virginia domicile for tuition purposes in question 11).

I certify that the answers to the above are truthful and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. Any omission or misstatement of a material fact on the application may be the basis for denial of admission, or if admitted, dismissal from the Law School.

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Your application will be considered complete when two recommendations and the LSAT/LSDAS Report are received.



Use this space (and separate sheets of paper if necessary) to bring to our attention any additional information which you believe should be considered in evaluating your application. Sometimes an applicant's "paper record" fails to present a true picture of his or her capacity for the study and practice of law. In addition, the reasons motivating an applicant's desire to study law are important. Please refer to the admission policy statement printed in the admission section of this publication, think carefully about your credentials and experiences, and prepare and submit a brief personal statement to support your application to this law school.



# Marshall-Wythe School of Law

## Student Application for Virginia In-State Tuition Rate

This form should be completed if you are claiming entitlement to Virginia in-state tuition rates pursuant to Section 23-7.4 Code of Virginia. All questions must be answered. Section A must be completed by the applicant. Section B of this form must be completed by the parent or legal guardian if the applicant is under the age of 19 and is not married or if the applicant is a dependent. Supporting documents and additional information may be requested.

### SECTION A

1. Name of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

2. Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_  
(requested)

Degree Program: Doctor of Jurisprudence Date of Enrollment: 1991

3. Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

4. Citizenship: U.S. \_\_\_\_\_ Non U.S. \_\_\_\_\_ Visa Type \_\_\_\_\_

Home Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

5. How long have you lived in Virginia? \_\_\_\_\_

6. Where have you lived for the past two years? List current address first:

From (mo/yr)	To (mo/yr)	Street	City	State	Zip
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

7. List employment for the past two years.

Employer	City	Number of hrs/wk	From (mo/yr)	To (mo/yr)
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

8. Do your parents or legal guardian provide over half of your financial support or claim you as a tax dependent? (If yes, Section B must also be completed by parent or legal guardian.) Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

9. Will you have filed a tax return or paid income taxes to any state other than Virginia during the past year? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

10. For at least one year prior to the term in which you will enroll, will you have

a) filed a tax return or paid income taxes to Virginia on all earned income? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
had Virginia taxes withheld from your wages or salary? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

b) been a registered voter in Virginia? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
If yes, date of last voter registration \_\_\_\_\_

c) held a valid Virginia driver's license? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of current Virginia license \_\_\_\_\_

11. Do you own or operate a motor vehicle? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Virginia registration \_\_\_\_\_

12. Are you or any member of your immediate family presently in the military?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

IF NO, GO TO QUESTION 13

(a) If yes, check: self \_\_\_\_\_ spouse \_\_\_\_\_ parent/legal guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Will Virginia income taxes have been paid on all military income for one year prior to the term in which you will enroll?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Date Virginia withholding began \_\_\_\_\_

(b) If your spouse is in the military, will you have resided in Virginia, been employed, earned at least \$7,600, and paid income taxes to Virginia for at least one year prior to the term in which you will enroll?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Employer

Dates of Employment

13. Answer this question only if you live outside Virginia but work in Virginia:

Will you have lived outside Virginia, worked in Virginia, earned at least \$7,600, and paid Virginia income taxes on all taxable income earned in this Commonwealth for at least one year prior to the term in which you will enroll?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that all the information provided is true.

Signature

Date

**DUE DATES:**

First Year Students: As soon as possible, but no later than March 1, 1991

Transfer Students: July 1, 1991

**RETURN BY SEPARATE MAIL TO:**

**OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR  
COLLEGE OF WILLIAM AND MARY  
WILLIAMSBURG, VA 23185**



# WILLIAM & MARY

## Marshall-Wythe School of Law

### Parent/Legal Guardian Application for Virginia In-State Tuition Rate

#### SECTION B

1. Name of parent/legal guardian \_\_\_\_\_

2. Relationship to student \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Student \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

Student's Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_  
(requested)

3. Your Citizenship: U.S. \_\_\_\_\_ Non U.S. \_\_\_\_\_ Visa Type \_\_\_\_\_

Your Home Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Your Business Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

4. How long have you lived in Virginia? \_\_\_\_\_

5. Where have you lived for the past two years? List current address first:

From (mo/yr)	To (mo/yr)	Street	City	State	Zip
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

6. List employment for the past two years:

Employer	City	Number of hrs/wk	From (mo/yr)	To (mo/yr)
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

7. Will you have filed a tax return or paid income taxes to any state other than Virginia during the past year? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

8. Will you have claimed the student as a dependent on your federal and Virginia income tax returns for the tax year prior to the term in which the applicant will enroll? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

9. Will you have provided over half of the student's financial support for at least one year prior to the term in which the applicant will enroll? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

10. For at least one year prior to the term in which the student will enroll, will you have

a) filed a tax return or paid income taxes to Virginia on all earned income? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

had Virginia taxes withheld from your wages or salary? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

b) been a registered voter in Virginia? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Date of current Virginia Voter Registration \_\_\_\_\_

c) held a valid Virginia driver's license? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

11. Do you own or operate a motor vehicle? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, has it been registered in any state other than Virginia during the past year? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Virginia registration \_\_\_\_\_

12. Are you or your spouse in the military?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

IF NO, GO TO QUESTION 13

If yes, check: Self \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse \_\_\_\_\_

- a) Will Virginia income taxes have been paid on all military income for one year prior to the term in which the student will enroll? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
- b) If the answer to (a) is NO, will the student's non-military parent/legal guardian have resided in Virginia, been employed and earned at least \$7,600, paid Virginia income taxes and claimed the applicant as a dependent for federal and Virginia income tax purposes for at least one year prior to the term in which the applicant will enroll? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If the answer to (b) is YES, please forward with this application photocopies of your most recent federal and Virginia income tax returns, the most recent military orders of your spouse and a letter from your present employer.

13. Answer this question only if you or your spouse live outside Virginia but work in Virginia:

- a) Will you or your spouse have lived outside Virginia, been employed in Virginia, earned at least \$7,600, and paid Virginia income taxes on all taxable income earned in this Commonwealth for at least one year prior to the term in which the applicant will enroll? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
- b) If the answer to (a) is YES, will the parent employed in Virginia have claimed the applicant as a dependent for federal and Virginia income tax purposes for at least one year prior to the term in which the applicant will enroll? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that all the information provided is true.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of parent/legal guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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**RETURN BY SEPARATE MAIL TO:**

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TO BE COMPLETED AND RETURNED TO THE CANDIDATE  
FOR SUBMISSION TO THE LAW SCHOOL PRIOR TO MARCH 1, 1991  
RECOMMENDATION FORM  
MARSHALL-WYTHE SCHOOL OF LAW

Name of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ (print) Undergraduate School \_\_\_\_\_ (print)

**TO THE APPLICANT:**

Recommendations in support of your application for admission must be submitted on, or accompanied by, this form. You must complete either section A or B below prior to giving the form to the person asked to submit the recommendation. In the event your school uses a composite form, be sure this form, with A or B signed by you, accompanies the composite recommendation. Deliver or mail this form to the person who will write your recommendation. Ask your recommender to enclose the letter he/she has written on your behalf in their own envelope, seal the envelope, sign across the seal, and return it to you. **DO NOT OPEN** the envelope or break the seal. Submit the sealed envelope with your application. If your recommender prefers, the letter may be mailed directly to the Law School.

A. I authorize release of a candid evaluation to assist in the admission selection process and, should I enroll, for counseling or other educational purposes of the Marshall-Wythe School of Law. I understand that the material will be kept confidential both from me and the public and I waive any right of access that I might have by law. I further understand that the Marshall-Wythe School of Law does not require me to execute this waiver and is willing to review my application without such a waiver.

DATE \_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_  
[OR]

B. I authorize the release of a candid evaluation but I choose not to waive my right to examine this letter of recommendation should I enroll as a student at the Marshall-Wythe School of Law.

DATE \_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

**TO THOSE ASKED TO SUBMIT RECOMMENDATIONS:**

It is important that recommendations be frank and detailed. Brief letters in general terms are of little value. The letters should state the extent of the writer's acquaintance with the applicant and the writer's opinion of the applicant's aptitude for the study and practice of law. Any specific knowledge concerning the applicant's intellectual ability, character, or personality should be discussed.

Provided this applicant has signed the above waiver, you may be assured that your letter will be kept confidential from both the applicant and the public. If the applicant has chosen not to waive his or her right of access, please be advised that following enrollment as a student at this law school, he or she, upon request, may have access to your letter.

Your recommendation may be written directly on this form using the reverse side or additional sheets if necessary. Should you choose to write a letter, this form must be attached when the letter is mailed to us.

Please place this form with your recommendation in an envelope, seal the envelope and sign the back flap of the envelope. Return directly to the applicant or notify the applicant that you will send it directly to: Office of Admissions, Marshall-Wythe School of Law, College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, VA 23185. Recommendations are due to the Office of Admissions by March 1.

**NO ACTION CAN BE TAKEN ON THIS STUDENT'S APPLICATION UNTIL THIS FORM IS RETURNED.**

Office of Admissions  
Marshall-Wythe School of Law  
COLLEGE OF WILLIAM AND MARY  
Williamsburg, Virginia 23185

Recommender:  
If you would like  
confirmation of the  
receipt of this letter  
by the Law School  
Admissions Office,  
please record your  
name and address.  
Do not detach.

Recommender's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name \_\_\_\_\_ College \_\_\_\_\_

Thank you for your recommendation of

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Faye F. Shealy  
Associate Dean  
Marshall-Wythe School of Law

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Marshall-Wythe School of Law  
COLLEGE OF WILLIAM AND MARY  
Williamsburg, Virginia 23185

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Recommender's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_



Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name \_\_\_\_\_ College \_\_\_\_\_

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Undergraduate School:

Your application to attend the Marshall-Wythe School of Law, College of William and Mary, is complete. Every effort will be made to notify you of the action taken on your application by **April 15**.

Please Type or Print

Although the application volume may cause a delay in this scheduling, be assured that you will be notified promptly once a decision has been reached.

For Office Use Only  
Permanent File Card

We have received your application for admission to the Marshall-Wythe School of Law. This card will indicate the *current* status of your file.

Missing LSDAS evaluation report. (If you sent your matching form and your file at LSAS is complete, we should receive your LSDAS report shortly.)

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Missing letter of good standing.

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**526 Regulated Industries Seminar.** Fall (3), Mr. Christman.

This seminar will examine government regulation of business enterprises, not only traditional economic regulation of natural monopolies but also regulation to serve public goals not adequately served by the marketplace, such as protection of the environment and the public health and safety. The seminar will study public utilities (electric, gas, and telecommunications companies) and explore such issues as conflicts between state and federal regulation, the interplay between regulation and competition, regulation in the midst of deregulation of newly competitive industries, proposals for regulatory reform, and the economic impact of safety regulations (for example, in nuclear power plant licensing). Procedural and substantive issues arising from parallel litigation and administrative proceedings will be considered. Emphasis will be on solving sophisticated real-world legal problems that confront businesses subject to government regulation. Satisfies major research paper requirement.

**505 Selected Constitutional Problems Seminar.** Spring (3), Mr. Blasi.

An advanced treatment of particular topics in constitutional theory and doctrine. The theme of the seminars, which will be designated by the instructors, will vary from year to year, but the focus will be on problems arising in application and interpretation of the Bill of Rights and the Fourteenth Amendment.

**527 Special Problems in Corporate Governance Seminar.** Not offered 1990-91 (3).

This course will explore a variety of situations in which lawyers and their corporate clients must confront ethical issues, including decisions regarding executive compensation, shareholders' rights and responses to hostile takeovers. Students will be required to submit a major research paper and to give an oral presentation to the group concerning their work in progress. Satisfies major research paper requirement.

**507 Tort Law Seminar.** Not offered 1990-91 (3).

A detailed analysis of selected topics in the litigation of tort claims. Each student will research, write a paper, and give a class presentation on a topic that demonstrates the scope of, and the problems associated with, contemporary tort law. Satisfies major research paper requirement.

**510 Transnational Business Litigation Seminar.** Spring (3), Mr. Williams.

An examination of selected aspects of litigation in international business disputes, considering litigations occurring both in the U.S. and in foreign countries, and litigation both by judicial and arbitral tribunals. Matters examined will include: jurisdiction over subject matter and the person of the defendant; service of process; pleading and proof of foreign law; securing of evidence; enforcement of judgments; choice of forum, choice of law, arbitration and other dispute-settling provisions of commercial agreements and international choice of law standards. Substantial class participation is required. Guest speakers will give presentations. Seminar grade will be based on class participation and a substantial written seminar paper on a pertinent topic agreed to by students and teacher. This is not an annually repeated seminar. Registration is limited, with first priority to third year students. *The courses in International Law or International Business Operations are not prerequisites, but (especially the latter) are recommended.*

## SKILLS & CLINICAL COURSES

**605 Administrative Law Review.** Fall, Spring (1/2 variable), Mr. Koch.

Editing of professional articles and participation in an intensive research project. Enrollment limited to members of the *Administrative Law Review*.

**625 Attorney General Practice Clinic.** Fall (3), Spring (3), Mr. Levy.

Students work in the office of the Attorney General of Virginia in Richmond. Students will be expected to spend one full day per week in Richmond and be eligible for Virginia Third Year Practice. Students in this course must arrange their schedules so that they have no classes one day a week. They will not be excused from other classes to participate in this course.

**617 Clinical Practice.** Summer Session (3), Mr. Levy.

This course provides an opportunity for students to gain practical experience by working in a government agency or non-profit organization under the supervision of a lawyer. Each individual program must be approved in advance by the Director of Clinical Education. Students must work at least five weeks on a volunteer basis. Participants must present a detailed written report on their experience and the agency will be requested to provide an evaluation of the student's work. This course is available only during summer session.

**616 Employee Relations Clinic.** Fall (3), Spring (3), Mr. Levy.

This course requires students to work one day a week in Richmond in the Department of Employee Relations Counselors, an agency which counsels state employees on work-related complaints, aspects of the grievance procedure, etc. Students will have opportunities to investigate the facts of the case, work with the language of the grievance procedure, do some statutory analysis, and draft the ruling. They may also be involved in the analysis of court decisions or other special projects as determined by the agency. The students selected should have a special interest in labor and employment law. Enrollment limited to two students.

**621 Federal Litigation Clinic.** Fall (3), Ms. Bland.

The clinic will consist of a classroom and a trial component. In the classroom, students will learn substantive law on prisoner's rights using actual inmate cases. Students will develop trial skills through simulation and will try or argue an actual case in the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia if the case matures during the semester. The clinic will be limited to eight third year students. *Prerequisite: Law 309 Evidence.*

**643 Legal Aid Clinic.** Fall (3), Spring (3), Mr. Levy.

Students work in the Legal Aid Center, Inc., offices providing legal service to poor people under the supervision of the Center's staff attorneys. The actual legal work done by the students provides the basis for an examination of the various skills and roles of the lawyer. There is one classroom session per week. Virginia Third Year Practice required.

**601 Legal Clerking.** Fall (1), Spring (1), Mr. Levy.

Provides an opportunity for students to gain practical experience by working in a variety of legal and law-related settings. Professor Levy has a wide variety of placements for students who have not made their own arrangements. At least 40 hours must be spent working at the job. No pay may be received for the work, nor may credit be given for work when pay has or will be received from the same firm. If the work is with a non-lawyer, legislator or government official a written statement, signed by the student and legislator or official, of what the student will be doing must be approved by the Director of Clinical Education prior to registration. A short written report on the type of experience the student had is required at the end of the semester from all participants. If the work is not finished during the semester, it must be completed by the end of the next semester.

**613 Post-Conviction Assistance Project.** Fall (1) Ms. Bland, Spring (1), Mr. Levy.

Students provide legal assistance to inmates at the Federal Correctional Institution, Petersburg, Virginia, and other state and fed-

eral facilities under the supervision of a member of the Virginia State Bar. The work done ranges from interviewing inmates and researching their legal questions, to providing representation under the Third Year Practice rule for their post-conviction remedies. If the work is not finished during the semester, it must be completed by the end of the next semester.

**626 Trial Advocacy.** Fall (0), Spring (3), Mr. Felton.

A litigation course intended to develop the student's skill as a trial lawyer for both civil and criminal cases. A one year course, Trial Advocacy will deal with trial strategy, pretrial discovery, including deposition practice, jury selection, opening statements, presentation of evidence, including the examination of witnesses, closing arguments, and preparation of jury instructions. Among other matters, students are required to try a bench trial and a jury trial, and serve as litigation advisors and appellate judges in the Legal Skills Program. *Prerequisite: 309 Evidence.*

**615 U.S. Attorney Practice Clinic.** Fall (3), Mr. Levy.

Students work in the U.S. Attorney's Office in Norfolk with an Assistant U.S. Attorney representing the U.S. in both criminal and civil matters. The students, who must be in their third year, must arrange to work one full day a week. The U.S. Attorney's Office will attempt to have the students handle an arraignment, prepare and argue a motion, assist in a trial and present a witness, do an opening statement, write an appellate brief, and possibly argue the appeal in the U.S. Court of Appeals.

**603 William and Mary Law Review.** Fall, Spring (1/2/3 variable credit), Mr. Hardy.

Preparation and editing of comments and notes for the *William and Mary Law Review*; editing of professional articles. Limited to the board and staff members of the *Review*.

## TAX COURSES

**710 Business Tax Problems.** Not offered 1990-91 (3).

A problem analysis of frequent transactions in business practice including choice of entity (partnership, S corporation or C corporation) for domestic and foreign ventures, including professional practice; problems arising upon incorporation, including taxable sales, and holding back of assets and capital structure; cost basis and carryover basis corporate acquisitions; buy/sell agreements; and pitfalls in related party transactions. *Prerequisite: 438 Corporate Tax or 709 Corporate and Shareholder Tax.*

**721 Capital Transactions.** Fall (3), Mr. Lee.

Problem oriented analysis of computational capital gains rules; dealer issue and planning techniques; capital vs. ordinary expenditures; common law of capital gains; deferred payment techniques (installment sales and wrap around mortgages, and open transaction and cash equivalency doctrines); non-recognition sales, exchanges and involuntary conversions; tax preference and alternative tax limitations.

**723 Civil and Criminal Tax Procedure.** Fall (3), Mr. Kelly.

A study of the procedural problems encountered in the administration of the Internal Revenue laws in both civil and criminal proceedings. The topics covered will include audit and collection procedures, refund and deficiency procedures and litigation, the elements of fraud and tax crimes, internal revenue summonses, privileged communications and policy considerations.

**709 Corporate and Shareholder Tax.** Fall (3), Mr. Coven.

The taxation of corporations and their shareholders including the organization of corporations, the tax attributes of corporate

securities, dividends, redemptions, corporate divisions, the accumulated earnings tax, personal holding companies, collapsible corporations, and the problems of multiple corporate structures. *Prerequisite: 311 Federal Income Tax or the equivalent.*

**704 Estate Planning.** Spring (2), Ms. Thompson.

Selected problems and techniques in estate planning with clinical type exercises involving closely held businesses, generation skipping trusts, and problems in formulating integrated dispositive arrangements involving insurance, pension benefits, trusts and other devices. *Prerequisite: 703 Federal Taxation of Estates, Gifts and Trusts or consent of the instructor.*

**703 Federal Taxation of Estates, Gifts and Trusts.** Fall (3), Ms. Thompson.

Estate, gift and income taxation of gratuitous transfers including taxation of grantor, simple and complex trusts and a consideration of basic planning techniques. *Prerequisite or corequisite: 311 Federal Income Tax and 305 Trusts and Estates.*

**716 Federal Tax Policy Seminar.** Fall (2), Mr. Coven.

Study of basic policies underlying the evolution and present structure of modern U.S. income taxation, with emphasis on current policy problems and legislative proposals. Coverage includes such areas as the policy considerations and legislative mechanics of tax reform and simplification, proposals for modifications of the corporate income tax structure, and the use of tax systems in promotion of social and economic goals. Production of a significant written work on a tax policy subject of student's choice is a major requirement of the course. Students who are not degree candidates may take this course only with the permission of the instructor.

**726 Independent Legal Writing.** Fall (2), Spring (2), Staff.

Research and writing of a significant scholarly paper. In order to enroll, the student must have the approval of a member of the tax faculty, who will supervise the work. The course may be taken only once for credit toward the degree of Master of Laws in Taxation.

**725 International Tax.** Spring, (3) Mr. Ortolani.

A study of United States taxation of multi-national business operations. The topics covered include a comparison of branch and subsidiary operations, the source of income rules, controlled foreign corporations, foreign tax credits, tax treaties, transfer pricing, and the taxation of nonresident aliens and foreign corporations deriving income from investments in the United States.

**719 Professional Responsibility in Tax Practice.** Spring (1), Mr. Coven.

An examination of the rules of conduct and ethical practice that are of particular importance to tax professionals. Through discussion of hypothetical situations, this course is designed to produce a sensitivity to the ethical problems that may arise in a tax practice.

**702 Qualified Retirement Plans.** Fall (3), Mr. Peterson.

A study of pension, profit sharing, 401(k), IRA and ESOP plans. Qualification requirements with respect to discrimination, participation, vesting, funding, joint annuities and limitations on contributions and benefits. Integration with Social Security. Taxation of benefits. Determination procedure, reporting and disclosure requirements and fiduciary responsibility. Group insurance and other fringe benefit programs. *Prerequisite: 311 Federal Income Tax.*

**714 State and Local Taxation.** Not offered 1990-91 (2).

Limitations under the commerce, due-process and equal protection clauses of the Federal Constitution, state and local franchise, income, sales and property taxes are considered.

**708 Tax Accounting.** Spring (3), Mr. Fischer.

Treatment of traditional tax methods of accounting (cash, accrual, hybrid, and inventories) and limitations on their use; change of accounting methods; deferred payments; tax accounting for interest paid and received including time value of money principles; cost recovery and recapture of tax benefits; and clear reflection of income including assignment of income.

**705 Taxation of Conduit Business Entities.** Spring (3), Mr. Magette. A study of the tax problems encountered in the use of partnerships and S corporations including the formation, operation and dissolution of these entities and the specialized uses for which conduit entities are used.

**712 Taxation of Corporate Realignments.** Spring (3), Mr. Lee. An analysis of taxable and tax free acquisitive techniques, including limitations on the carryover on tax attributes, and corporate divisions. Some consideration will be given to the special problems involved in restructuring foreign branches and subsidiaries and to the effect of the consolidated return regulations. *Prerequisite:* 709 *Corporate & Shareholder Tax.*

**715 Tax Research Methods.** Fall (2), Mr. Lee.

Advanced instruction in federal income tax research materials and methodology, with emphasis on problem analysis, the interpretative uses of legislative, administrative, judicial and technical source materials, and the preparation of legal memoranda, opinion letters, and other written forms of presenting the research product.

## ACADEMIC REGULATIONS

### I. FULL-TIME STUDY

#### A. REQUIREMENTS

The academic program at the Marshall-Wythe School of Law is designed for students who will engage in the "full-time study of law" while enrolled. The purpose of the regulations set forth below is to define the term "full-time study of law." The regulations apply to all students who are degree candidates and exceptions may be granted only when approved in advance by the Dean or the Academic Status Committee of the Faculty.

1. First year students may commence their studies in the summer session or the fall term.
2. Students will complete all degree requirements not later than the end of the third consecutive spring term following commencement of study.
3. During the fall and spring terms, students will complete not less than 10 hours of academic credit in each term.
4. During any one academic year, students will complete not less than 26 hours of academic credit.
5. Students will not be permitted to register for more than 18 academic credit hours in any one term.

#### B. GENERAL

Students who fail to complete degree requirements within the time period set forth above may be permitted, upon petition to and approval of both the Dean and the Academic Status Committee, to complete degree requirements thereafter under such

terms and conditions as may be imposed by both the Dean and the Academic Status Committee of the Faculty.

### C. DEFINITIONS

Throughout the regulations set forth above, there are requirements that students will complete not less than a certain number of academic credit hours during a given period. As used herein, the word "complete" means that the student is properly registered for the required number of academic credit hours and that the student has received a grade, including a failing grade. Credit hours involved when a student withdraws from a course prior to the completion thereof shall not be counted.

Except for VIII. B. *infra*, the term "academic" year as used herein means the period beginning with the summer session and ending with the next succeeding spring term.

## II. CREDIT FOR NON-LAW SCHOOL COURSES

Law students may take a maximum of six hours in other College departments for law school credit. A determination by the Dean or his designate must be made that the course is related to the student's professional interest and sufficiently advanced to warrant credit. A grade of "P" will be given upon the receipt of a grade not lower than "B" in an undergraduate course, and a grade of "P" will be given upon receipt of a passing grade in a graduate level course.

## III. ATTENDANCE POLICY

Regular attendance in all courses is required. A student who is compelled by the instructor to withdraw from a course because of unsatisfactory attendance will receive a grade of "F" for the course.

## IV. EXAMINATION POLICY

Examinations take precedence over all activities outside the Law School. Changes in the posted examination schedule at the request of an individual student or a group of students other than those provided for in C, below, will be made only in the most compelling circumstances. The following regulations bear upon administrative disposition of student requests for changes in the examination schedule:

- A. An unexcused absence from a final examination will result in the student receiving a final grade of "F" in that course.
- B. Approval of a request for a change in an examination date must be in writing. The student who has secured such written approval must arrange with his professor or with the Associate Dean for Administration to take a rescheduled examination (at the earliest practicable time) not later than the end of the fifth week following the date of the regularly scheduled examination of the course concerned. If the disabling condition continues past the fifth week, the student shall take the exam as soon as is reasonably practicable following the termination of the disability, but in no event later than the end of the examination period for the next succeeding fall or spring semester, and if the disability continues beyond that period the student shall receive a "WP" for all courses for which an examination was not taken. If, however, the student is otherwise able to take the exam but fails to do so within the aforementioned periods, the missed examination shall become unexcused, and the student shall receive the grade of "F" in the pertinent course(s). The Law School does not authorize re-examinations.

Except as provided in C, below, requests for individual changes in the examination schedule must be made to the instructor of the course concerned. In addition to the instructor's consent, the endorsement of the Dean or the Associate Dean for Administration is also required. Such requests must be based on sufficient documentation and will be approved only upon the following grounds:

1. The student is suffering from a serious illness or other major physical disability which has effectively disabled the student from sitting for an examination at the regularly scheduled time.
2. The existence of an unforeseen emergency of a grave nature requiring the student's absence from the Law School on the date of a scheduled examination.

C. A student shall not be required to take two examinations back-to-back, i.e., on the morning and afternoon of the same day or on the afternoon of one day and the morning of the next day. In the event of a conflict in scheduled exams, the exam schedule shall be modified by the Associate Dean for Administration so as to avoid the conflict. All examinations in conflict shall be rescheduled on one or more of the make-up periods or, in the event such is impracticable, shall be rescheduled by the Associate Dean for Administration in consultation with the faculty member(s) involved, to some other day within the exam period that does not require the student to have two exams within a 24-hour period before or after the rescheduling.

## V. WITHDRAWAL POLICY

Students who desire to withdraw from the Law School following the commencement of classes during any term, or students who fail to register for classes for the fall or spring terms, shall apply in writing to the Dean or designate for permission to withdraw. Any student who withdraws without having obtained the Dean's or designate's permission shall have his or her permanent record noted as having withdrawn unofficially and shall have no right to readmission except from petition, for good cause shown, to the Academic Status Committee. Readmission will be granted only with the approval of the Committee and the concurrence of the Dean. Students withdrawing with permission shall have their permanent record noted as having withdrawn officially and shall have the right to be readmitted within one school year commencing from the end of the semester for which the request was made.

## VI. DROPPING COURSES

A student may not drop a course or courses subsequent to the add/drop period and prior to the end of classes except in exceptional circumstances, and then only for good cause shown to the Dean or designate.

## VII. GRADING POLICY

- A. With the exception of Legal Skills, first year grades are wholly based on the results of written examinations.
- B. In calculating a final grade for a student in any second or third year course, except for seminars and courses which are included in the LL.M. in Taxation curriculum, classroom participation may be included in the grade. One of the following applies:
  1. The instructor may grade classroom participation but need not do so. When participation is to be graded in a given

course, the faculty member must advise the students in the course during the first week of class of that fact and of the details of the system to be employed. Any one of the following three systems may be used: classroom participation may be used only to raise students' final grades, or only to lower students' final grades, or classroom participation may be used either to raise or lower students' final grades. If one of these systems is selected, it must be applied to all students in the class.

2. Faculty members grading classroom participation may determine the student's participation grade by grading each participation in class individually; by grading the student's participation in a given class after that class; by grading the student's overall performance at the close of the semester; or via any other similar system within the discretion of the individual faculty member.
3. At the close of the semester, faculty members who grade classroom participation shall notify the Registrar of those students who will receive classroom participation grades. Such notification shall be made not later than the day before the day on which the course examination takes place and shall consist of the students' names accompanied with a notation of "raise" or "lower." As a result of such notice, the students' course grades as determined by the grade on the final examination shall be raised or lowered one grade level by the Registrar. For example, if the directive from the faculty member is to raise a grade and the final examination grade is a B, the Registrar will raise the final grade to a B+. Likewise if the directive is to lower it, the Registrar will lower it to a B-. If the directive is to raise a grade and the examination grade is a D, the final grade will be a C-. If the directive is to lower a grade and the examination grade is a D, the final grade will be an F.

- C. Grading policies in seminars and courses which are included in the LL.M. in Taxation curriculum are determined by the instructors concerned. Grading policies in these courses, however, must be announced prior to the end of the add/drop period.
- D. Examination papers are identified only by number and not by the name of the student. Grades earned are A (12 quality points), A- (11 quality points), B+ (10 quality points), B (9 quality points), B- (8 quality points), C+ (7 quality points), C (6 quality points), C- (5 quality points), D (3 quality point) and F (0 quality points and no credit).

## VIII. ELIGIBILITY TO CONTINUE IN RESIDENCE

- A. Eligibility is determined by grade point average. A first year student who at the end of the first fall term has not achieved a cumulative average of at least 2.00 will be placed on academic probation. Regardless of whether he has been placed on probation, a first year student who at the end of the first spring term has not achieved a cumulative average of at least 1.80 will be dismissed automatically for academic deficiency. In order to continue in residence a student must in the second and third years maintain a cumulative average for all work of at least 2.00. Additionally, no student will be permitted to continue in residence unless the yearly average in each of the second and third years is at least 2.00. A student who fails to qualify for a degree solely by reason of failing to maintain a 2.00 average in work undertaken during the third year may be permitted to continue in the Law School for an additional session. If, after the completion of the additional session, the student's average for that session combined with the average for the third aca-

demical year is 2.00 or higher, the student will be granted the degree.

**B.** For grading purposes only, the end of the first academic year means the end of that session during which a student carries credit hours which, when added to previous credit hours carried, total 30 or more credit hours carried and do not exceed 59 credit hours carried. The end of the second academic year means the end of that session during which a student carries credit hours which, when added to previous credit hours carried, total 60 or more credit hours carried and do not exceed 89 credit hours carried. The end of the third academic year means the end of that session during which a student carries credit hours which, when added to previous credit hours carried, total 90 or more credit hours carried.

**C.** A student who is dismissed for academic deficiency may petition the Academic Status Committee for reinstatement. The Committee, in its discretion, may grant such a petition for good cause shown and may impose such conditions as it deems appropriate in approving the reinstatement.

## IX. CONDUCT REGULATIONS

While wishing to keep to a minimum the number of narrowly defined regulations and thereby to encourage a sense of responsibility on the part of each student and a general atmosphere of freedom on the campus, the Law School believes that it has an obligation to require that degree of order and satisfactory conduct which will permit the fulfillment of the educational purposes with which it is charged by law.

Considered as particularly serious are those acts which infringe upon the rights of others or which violate the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia or regulations contained in the College's Student Handbook. The Virginia Code contains specific provisions relating to colleges and universities that prohibit hazing, malicious burning or destruction by explosives of any college building or any other malicious destruction of college property; threats to bomb, burn, or destroy any school building; and bribery of any amateur sport participant. Students are, in addition, subject to the more general provisions of the criminal code, applicable to all persons, among them laws prohibiting drunkenness or the consumption of alcoholic beverages in unlicensed public areas; the possession, sale, or use of drugs; and violations of fire regulations in public buildings. In addition, the Law School may establish local regulations, which are distributed to enrolled students.

Concerted group action or individual action to violate College or Law School regulations, or interfere with or disrupt College or Law School classes, or other normal functions of the College or Law School, is prohibited.

Where violations of the law or of stated College or Law School regulations occur, the Law School will take disciplinary action. In the discharge of his authority and responsibility for internal order and discipline, the President of the College will take such steps as he deems appropriate, and may call upon representatives of the administration, the Law School faculty, and students for assistance.

At all levels of its disciplinary authority the Law School will respect the rights of accused students and follow fair procedures, including the right of appeal. Materials containing a statement of these procedures will be made available to students after enrollment.

## X. THE HONOR SYSTEM

The Honor System was first established at William and Mary in 1779 and is one of the most cherished traditions of the Law School. It assumes that principles of honorable conduct are familiar and dear to all students and hence dishonorable acts will not be tolerated. The Honor System is administered by the students with the advice of the faculty and the highest administrative officers of the College, all of whom share a deep interest in the maintenance of high standards of honor. Students found guilty of cheating, stealing, or lying are subject to dismissal.

## XI. STUDENT EMPLOYMENT REGULATIONS

A variety of positions are available to students in the Williamsburg area. The College and other private employers hire a number of seasonal and permanent part-time employees.

American Bar Association rules mandate that full-time students devote "substantially all working hours to the study of law." In conformity with interpretations of that rule, students at the Marshall-Wythe School of Law may not exceed 15 hours per week employment except with the permission of the Dean. In no case will permission be granted to work more than 20 hours per week.

## GRADUATE TAX PROGRAM

Recognizing that the increasing scope and complexity of the taxing system precluded mastery of its provisions during an undergraduate law school career, in 1954 William and Mary instituted one of the first graduate programs in taxation. The program leading to the degree of Master of Laws in Taxation is designed and viewed as a specialized extension of the academic inquiry begun in law school. To that end, the program predominantly consists of small classes taught by both full and part-time faculty using various instructional methods. The curriculum of the program is revised continually to reflect the changing emphasis within the taxing system. The objective of the program is to enhance the competency of attorneys in the field of taxation whether their professional pursuits are in private, corporate or governmental practice or in teaching. In addition to exposing students to the substantive law of taxation, the program develops the critical analytical skills required of any lawyer. Substantial components of the program address the complex ethical questions that tax representation raises and examine the tax and public policies that fashion and have fashioned the taxing system.

## ADMISSION INFORMATION

Full time students are admitted only in the fall of each year.

All candidates for admission to this program must have received a baccalaureate degree and a professional degree in law from approved colleges or universities. Admission is based upon a careful evaluation of the student's law school performance, LSAT scores, recommendations from law school instructors, employment experience and similar relevant factors. In general, admission is limited to students who rank in the upper 50% of their law school class. Candidates whose law degrees are from foreign countries may be asked to supply supplemental data before their applications are accepted for review.

*Application materials are available from the Admissions Office.*



## DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Candidates holding a Juris Doctor degree from an approved law school, who have successfully completed eighteen credit hours of tax law courses and six credit hours of either tax or tax-related law courses with a quality point average of at least 2.5 will receive the degree of Master of Laws in Taxation. Students may enroll as full-time or, through the Evening Tax Program, as part-time students.

Degree requirements must, however, be completed within three years of the beginning of the semester in which a student receives degree candidate status. Furthermore, candidates who have completed 24 hours of work in tax and tax-related courses and have failed to obtain an overall average of 2.5 will not be permitted to continue in the program. The courses numbered 709, 715, 716, 719 and 723 are required unless waived by reason of relevant professional experience or prior coursework. In the event of waiver, other tax and tax-related courses must be substituted.

## CURRICULUM

- 710 **Business Tax Problems.** Not offered 1990-91 (3).
- 721 **Capital Transactions.** Fall (3), Mr. Lee.
- 723 **Civil and Criminal Tax Procedure.** Fall (3), Mr. Kelly.
- 709 **Corporate and Shareholder Tax.** Fall (3), Mr. Coven.
- 704 **Estate Planning.** Spring (2), Ms. Thompson.
- 703 **Federal Taxation of Estates, Gifts and Trusts.** Fall (3), Ms. Thompson.
- 716 **Federal Tax Policy Seminar.** Fall (2), Mr. Coven.
- 726 **Independent Legal Writing.** Fall (2), Spring (2), Staff.
- 725 **International Tax.** Spring (3), Mr. Ortolani.
- 719 **Professional Responsibility in Tax Practice.** Spring (1), Mr. Coven.
- 702 **Qualified Retirement Plans.** Fall (3), Mr. Peterson.
- 714 **State and Local Taxation.** Not offered 1990-91 (2).
- 708 **Tax Accounting.** Spring (3), Mr. Fischer.
- 705 **Taxation of Conduit Business Entities.** Spring (3), Mr. Magette.
- 712 **Taxation of Corporate Realignments.** Spring (3), Mr. Lee.
- 715 **Tax Research Methods.** Fall (2), Mr. Lee.

See course descriptions in this publication or LL.M. catalog for detailed descriptions.

## LAW COURSES RELATED TO TAX PROGRAM

- 432 **Business Planning.** Not offered in 1990-91 (3).
- 437 **Corporate Finance.** Spring (3), Mr. Schaefer.
- 422 **Legal Accounting.** Fall (3), Mr. Fischer.
- 420 **Modern Land Finance.** Spring (2), Staff.
- 423 **Securities Regulation.** Fall (3), Ms. Barnard.

## EVENING TAX PROGRAM

The objective of the Evening Tax Program is to enable eligible members of the bar and the accounting profession to improve or refresh their tax knowledge. The Program is designed to help those who must work during the day in the legal and accounting professions to keep pace with rapidly changing tax laws. It is expected that two courses from the Graduate Tax Curriculum will be offered in the evening in each semester. Courses will be rotated each year; approximately ten credit hours of different tax courses will be offered each year. Continuation of evening offerings in the tax program is, however, dependent upon satisfactory enrollment levels.

## ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Admission to the Evening Tax Program is open to attorneys having degrees from approved law schools or certified public accountants having degrees from approved undergraduate institutions. Classes may be taken either for graded credit or audited. Students enrolling as auditors will not take final examinations and will not receive grades. Attorneys who complete more than eight credit hours of graded work with an overall average of 3.0 for all courses taken are eligible to apply for admission to the degree program as part-time students. Courses taken through the Evening Tax Program during the four semesters preceeding the application for degree candidacy will be applied towards the degree. However, no more than the five most recently completed courses may be so applied.

Students taking courses in the evening program with a view towards applying to the degree program should obtain a complete description of eligibility and degree requirements from the Admissions Office.

## THE WILLIAM AND MARY TAX CONFERENCE

The annual William and Mary Tax Conference was begun in 1955. The proceedings of the first conference, devoted to the History and Philosophy of Taxation, have been reprinted several times and still attract wide readership. After three decades of successive conferences, the annual proceedings have become a regular publishing event and now are distributed to several hundred law and accounting firms, law libraries and other interested individuals. The Tax Conference makes available to law students and lawyers timely and important information on current developments in state and federal tax law, regulations and procedures. The Tax Conference is usually held on the first weekend in December.

## GRADUATE PROGRAM IN THE AMERICAN LEGAL SYSTEM

The graduate program in the American Legal System provides advanced training for foreign students interested in careers in legal education or who wish to increase their familiarity with the American legal system.

Williamsburg and the College of William and Mary are ideal venues for graduate education in American legal studies. The College has exceptional strengths in American constitutional law and human rights through the Institute of Bill of Rights Law, and in the historical foundations of the American republic under the auspices of the Institute of Early American History and Culture as well as the Commonwealth Center for the Study of American Culture. These programs are strongly reinforced by the unique setting of Colonial Williamsburg. There is no place in the nation better equipped to provide law students with specialized training in the American legal system. The establishment of the Reeves Center for International Studies has stimulated courses available to graduate students throughout the university, allowing for interdisciplinary study in African Studies, East Asian Studies, International Relations, Latin American Studies, and Russian/Soviet Studies, to name only a few areas. A substantial number of courses are also available in environmental studies in the Law School and throughout the College, as well as through the Virginia Institute of Marine Science.

The graduate program is designed to provide students with a range of opportunities, from obtaining a basic knowledge of the legal system of the United States to undertaking original research on a particular aspect of law. The individual programs of study of graduate students are drawn from the courses and seminars in the Law School curriculum, as well as other courses in the College, subject to approval by the program director and course instructor.

One objective of the graduate program is to integrate American and foreign students at various levels of study. Therefore no separate or special courses specifically for graduate students are offered. The Law School does not prescribe study programs for particular legal specializations or offer degrees which specify an area of concentration.

## ADMISSION INFORMATION

Applicants for admission to the LL.M. program must have completed (1) at least six years of resident study at accredited colleges and law schools and must hold a professional degree from a law school approved by the American Bar Association, or (2) they must present satisfactory evidence of substantially equivalent academic training at foreign educational institutions. LL.M. students commence their study only in the fall semester. Applicants will not be considered for admission who already hold an LL.M. degree from an American law school.

All students must satisfy the United States governmental requirements for admission into the United States and for permission to remain in the United States for the necessary duration of study for the LL.M. degree. All students whose primary language is not English must provide Official Score Reports of the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) under the circumstances specified in the application for admission.

*Application materials are available from the Admissions Office.*

## FINANCIAL AID

Law School financial aid funds are severely limited. No full fellowships are available. In exceptional circumstances, partial awards (in the form of grants or tuition waivers) may be available. Students must be prepared to pay necessary travel, living and educational expenses from outside sources.

## DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Degree candidates must be in residence for two semesters while earning a minimum of 30 credit hours with a quality point average of at least 2.5. At least 15 credit hours must be earned in law school courses; nine credit hours, if approved by the program director and the course instructor, may be taken in other schools and departments. From three to six credit hours can be earned for graduate legal research and writing projects supervised by a member of the law faculty.

A series of classes on the American legal system in the week prior to the start of the fall semester classes is required of all degree candidates. LL.M. candidates must also complete a major research paper in a seminar or class which requires a major research paper or by successfully completing Law 610, Independent Legal Writing.

Degree requirements must be completed within three years of the beginning of the semester in which a student receives degree candidate status.

## J.D. - M.B.A. DEGREE PROGRAM

The Law School offers a combined program with the Graduate School of Business Administration in which the student may obtain both the M.B.A. degree and J.D. degree in four years, instead of the five that would be required if each degree were pursued sequentially. The program requires application to and acceptance by both the Law School and the School of Business Administration. Inquiries regarding the application procedure to the Business School should be addressed to: School of Business Administration, College of William and Mary, Tyler Hall, Williamsburg, Virginia 23185 (804) 221-2900.

## J.D. - M.P.P. DEGREE PROGRAM

A combined program will be offered (pending final approval by the State Council of Higher Education for Virginia) in which the student may obtain both the Master in Public Policy degree and J.D. degree in four years, instead of the five years that would be required if each degree were pursued separately. Candidates interested in this joint degree program must apply to and gain acceptance by both the Law School and the Thomas Jefferson Program in Public Policy. Inquiries regarding the application procedure for the Public Policy degree should be addressed to: The Thomas Jefferson Program in Public Policy, College of William and Mary, Morton Hall, Room 139, Williamsburg, Virginia 23185 (804) 221-2368.

## SUMMER SESSIONS

### WILLIAMSBURG

The summer session at Marshall-Wythe runs for a six week period, beginning the first week of June. Each summer a limited number of substantive courses are offered. In addition, clinical opportunities are available through the summer session, including Legal Clerking, Legal Aid Clinic and Clinical Practice.

Information concerning the summer session in Williamsburg may be obtained from the Associate Dean's Office, Marshall-Wythe School of Law, College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, Virginia 23185.

### LONDON/EXETER AND MADRID PROGRAMS

Each year the Marshall-Wythe School of Law offers a six-week Summer School of Law in England in London and at the University of Exeter in Devonshire. One of the goals of the program, taught by American and British faculty, is to provide an understanding of the common law system in the country of its origin. In addition to basic course work in English legal history and the legal system, many of the American law courses in the same curriculum emphasize comparisons with English law. Lectures by members of the British bench and bar augment these courses. Similarly, a five-week summer school of law is offered in Madrid, Spain, where American and Spanish faculty emphasize the contrast between the continental civil law system, with special reference to Spanish law, and the common law.

These programs are open to students who are in good standing at any law school approved by the American Bar Association and to graduates of ABA-approved law schools. Additionally, entering students accepted for admission to the Marshall-Wythe School of

Law and who enroll in this Law School may attend these programs. Applications to these summer programs are processed on a first-come, first-serve basis and should be submitted by February 15.

Class meetings and duration of classes are in accordance with the requirements of the American Bar Association and the Association of American Law Schools. Residence credit is given commensurate with the number of semester hours credit carried. Law schools having students at previous sessions have approved the transfer of credits for courses taken by their students.

For additional details, write Director, Summer School of Law in Europe, Marshall-Wythe School of Law, College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, Virginia 23185.

## SKILLS TRAINING AND CLINICAL PROGRAMS

The Law School offers a variety of courses specifically designed to help students develop and refine essential lawyering skills. These courses fall into two categories: the skills courses, in which students work with simulated problems, and the clinical courses, in which students both learn skills and apply them to real situations.

### SKILLS COURSES

The Legal Skills Program, required of all students, is a two year course taught primarily through small student "law firms." The Program covers professional responsibility, ethics, the nature of the legal profession, legal research and writing, and numerous legal skills including drafting, interviewing, negotiating and advocacy. These varied topics are covered primarily by being integrated into comprehensive simulated client representation undertaken by the students in the role of associates in the law firms and supervised by faculty in the role of partners in the law firms. In their third year, students may further refine their trial skills by electing Trial Advocacy. This course provides the opportunity for students to improve their oral skills and their knowledge of substantive law, evidence and ethics.

### CLINICAL COURSES

Students enrolled in Legal Aid Clinic provide legal services to poor clients under faculty supervision. This clinical program operates through the local legal services office.

In addition, the Law School offers clinical courses in which students work under the supervision of practicing attorneys. A limited number of students each semester are placed in the United States Attorney Practice Clinic in Norfolk, the Virginia Attorney General Practice Clinic in Richmond, and the Employee Relations Clinic in Richmond. Students may elect to work with the Post-Conviction Assistance Project, a federally-funded program, which provides legal assistance to inmates at the Federal Corrections Institution in Petersburg, or with a practicing attorney.

### EXTRACURRICULAR PROGRAMS

Students may also gain practical experiences by participating in a variety of extracurricular programs. The Law School currently sponsors ten moot court teams involving a total of thirty-two students, three trial advocacy teams involving nine or ten students, a client counseling team and a negotiation team. Intra-school competition is used to select these teams from among interested

second year students for tournaments during their second and third years.

The Law School's Moot Court teams have distinguished themselves in recent competitions. Within the past three years our teams have won or placed second in the following tournaments: National Moot Court Competition, regional and national level; National Appellate Advocacy Competition, Mid-Atlantic Region; Kaufman Securities Law Moot Court Competition; and the Benton Information Law Moot Court Competition. Our teams have won Best Brief at the National Moot Court Competition, Kaufman, Benton, and the Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition. Members of our teams have been awarded Best Oral Advocate at the National Moot Court Competition and the Kaufman Securities Law Competition. In recent years our client counseling teams have advanced to the national final competition.

## INSTITUTE OF BILL OF RIGHTS LAW

The mission of the Institute of Bill of Rights Law is to offer student, public, and professional education, legal scholarship, interdisciplinary studies, and journalism in a unique combination that places it at the forefront of national efforts to enhance public understanding of the Constitution and allows it to play a prominent role in the pursuit of innovative solutions to emerging issues of law and policy. One of the guiding philosophies of the Institute is the conviction that our collective understanding of constitutional issues is enhanced significantly when experts from diverse disciplines — lawyers, journalists, historians, religious leaders, sociologists, political scientists, politicians, economists — are brought together for serious discussion and debate. Following this interdisciplinary approach, the Institute functions as a forum for airing and debating matters of law and policy, as a vehicle for education on constitutional topics, as a device for generating innovative approaches to legal questions, and as a catalyst for creative legal thought.

To stimulate dialogue and promote research on constitutional issues among Marshall-Wythe students, the Institute sponsors the Student Division of the Institute of Bill of Rights Law which conducts programs throughout the year to enhance the educational opportunities of students. The activities of the Student Division culminate in a yearly symposium conceptualized, organized and conducted by students. The February 1990 program, "The War on Drugs and Its Constitutional Implications," debated the controversies surrounding the war on drugs. A student publication, *The Bill of Rights Law and Policy Journal*, is devoted to student research and analysis of contemporary Bill of Rights issues.

Each year the Institute brings to the Law School a major scholar as the Distinguished Lee Professor. Since the initiation of the program, the Lee Professors have included such prominent constitutional scholars as David Anderson of the University of Texas, Robert Kamenshine of Vanderbilt University, Kent Greenawalt of Columbia University, Yale Kamisar of the University of Michigan, G. Edward White of the University of Virginia, Robert F. Nagel of the University of Colorado and David Rabban of the University of Texas. The Lee Professor for 1990 is Vincent Blasi of Columbia University. The Institute also brings to the Law School Visiting Fellows, including Fellows affiliated with the Commonwealth Center for the Study of American Culture. The contributions of these scholars have provided stimulating interaction with faculty and students.

The Institute engages in extensive conference and publication activity. Its annual symposium brings together scholars of various disciplines, practicing lawyers, and journalists. Symposia proceed-



ings are published in the *William and Mary Law Review*. It sponsors a number of programs on topics related to newsgathering and dissemination including its annual Supreme Court Preview during which constitutional scholars and seasoned journalists explore the underlying issues of cases on the Court's docket for the upcoming term. A significant aspect of the Institute's activities is its sponsorship of an ongoing series of task forces designed to explore creative solutions to emerging questions of constitutional law and public policy. The task forces bring together leading thinkers, representing various ideological viewpoints, to tackle specific policy issues and propose reforms.

The Institute serves the academic, legal and journalism communities in a manner consistent with its ties to a professional school and an institution of higher education. It undertakes no lobbying and adopts no partisan political stance. Staff are Director: Rodney A. Smolla, Arthur B. Hanson Professor of Law and Deputy Director: Kay P. Kindred.

## LECTURE SERIES

### CUTLER LECTURES

The Cutler Lecture series was established in 1927 by James Goold Cutler, of Rochester, New York, to provide for an annual lecture at the College of William and Mary by "an outstanding authority on the Constitution of the United States." The original series of sixteen lectures ran from 1927 to 1944. After a period of dormancy, the Cutler Lectures were revived in the 1980-81 academic year under the auspices of the Marshall-Wythe School of Law, with each lecture published in the *William and Mary Law Review*. Previous Cutler lecturers include R. Kent Greenawalt, Cordozo Professor of Jurisprudence at the Columbia University School of Law; John Hart Ely, Dean of the Stanford Law School; Geoffrey R. Stone, Professor of Law at the University of Chicago School of Law;

Gerhard Casper, Dean of the University of Chicago School of Law; Louis Henkin, University Professor at the Columbia University School of Law; Michael Perry, Professor of Law at Northwestern University School of Law; Vincent Blasi, Corliss Lamont Professor of Civil Liberties at Columbia University School of Law; and Kenneth L. Karst, Professor of Law of the University of California at Los Angeles. The 1990 lecturer was Professor Jerry L. Mashaw of the Yale Law School.

### GEORGE WYTHE LECTURES

An annual George Wythe Lecture series was begun in 1976. The George Wythe Lecture is named in honor of the occupant of the first Chair of Law at William and Mary and in the United States. George Wythe was not only the law teacher of distinguished American patriots — Jefferson and Marshall among them — but was himself one of the most distinguished lawyers and judges of that late colonial and early national period. The Wythe Lecture for 1989-90 was delivered by Graham Zellick, Drapers' Professor of Law in Queen Mary College, the University of London. Professor Zellick's topic was "Spies, Subversives and Other Heresies."

### MENZIES LECTURES

The Menzies Lectures were established by the Sir Robert Menzies Memorial Trust in honor of the late Prime Minister of Australia. The Lectureship was created to provide an annual exchange of distinguished Australians and Americans. The lecture alternates each year between the University of Virginia School of Law and the Marshall-Wythe School of Law in this country and the Australian National University in Canberra. The 1989-90 Menzies Lecture was delivered by Sir Ninian Stephen, former Governor General of Australia and a former member of the Australian High Court.

## AWARDS

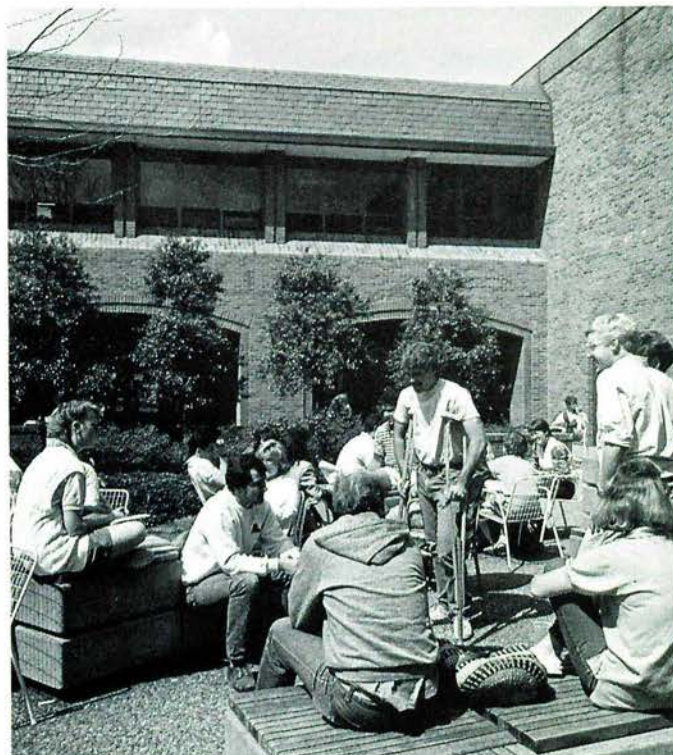
### DRAPERS' SCHOLARSHIP

The Drapers' Company of London provides a full tuition scholarship from Queen Mary College of the University of London for a year of post-graduate study. The Law School student selected for this award is known as the Drapers' Scholar. The student enrolls at Queen Mary College and may register for courses in any of the other four colleges of the University of London that offer law courses. These include King's College, the London School of Economics and Political Science, University College, and the School of Oriental and African Studies. In addition, the library of the Institute of Advanced Legal Studies is available for use by the Drapers' Scholar. The scholarship includes tuition, round-trip transportation, room and board and a stipend to defray other living expenses.

### MARSHALL-WYTHE MEDALLION

A bronze medallion bearing bas-relief profiles of John Marshall and George Wythe on the obverse and the coat of arms of the College on the reverse, was commissioned in 1966 for occasional presentation by the School of Law to selected leaders of the legal profession in the United States and abroad. The recipient is nominated by vote of the faculty of law and upon approval by the President of the College, and is invited to the campus for the presentation. Recipients to date include:

- 1967 — Norris Darrel, President, American Law Institute.
- 1968 — The late Roger J. Traynor, Chief Justice of California.
- 1969 — A. James Casner, Weld Professor of Law, Harvard University.
- 1970 — The late Arthur L. Goodhart, Editor, *Law Quarterly Review* and Master of University College, Oxford.
- 1971 — Bernard G. Segal, past President, American Bar Association.
- 1972 — Lewis F. Powell, Jr., Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court.
- 1973 — The late Whitney North Seymour, past President, American Bar Association.
- 1974 — The late Tom C. Clark, Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court.
- 1975 — The late Myres S. McDougal, Sterling Professor of Law, Yale University.
- 1976 — The late Leon Jaworski, Special Prosecutor for the United States, 1973-74.
- 1976 — The late Sir Norman Anderson, Director, Institute of Advanced Legal Studies, University of London.
- 1977 — The Honorable Shirley M. Hufstедler, former Judge, United States Court of Appeals; former Secretary of the United States Department of Education.
- 1978 — The late John P. Dawson, Fairchild Professor of Law, Emeritus, Harvard University.
- 1979 — Warren E. Burger, Chief Justice of the United States.
- 1980 — The late Sir Rupert Cross, Vinerian Professor of Law, Oxford University.
- 1981 — The late Edward Bennett Williams, Trial Lawyer.
- 1982 — John W. Wade, Dean Emeritus and Distinguished Professor of Law, Vanderbilt University School of Law.
- 1983 — The Honorable Spottswood W. Robinson, III, Chief Judge, United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit.
- 1984 — Earl W. Kintner, Attorney at Law.



- 1985 — Guido Calabresi, Sterling Professor of Law, Yale Law School.
- 1986 — William J. Brennan, Jr., Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court.
- 1987 — Joseph Rauh, Attorney at Law.
- 1988 — H.L.A. Hart, Professor of Jurisprudence, Oxford University.
- 1989 — Robert R. Merhige, Jr., United States District Judge.
- 1990 — Julius Chambers, General Counsel NAACP Legal Defense Fund.

### ORDER OF THE COIF

The Marshall-Wythe School of Law holds a charter from the Order of the Coif, a national fraternity which recognizes excellence in legal scholarship. Membership in the Order of the Coif, which is conferred on no more than 10% of the members of each graduating class, is the highest academic honor that may be attained by a law student.

### THE GEORGE WYTHE-JOHN MARSHALL PRIZES

Through the generosity of Robert Friend Boyd, Law '52 and his wife Sara Miller Boyd '55, an endowment has been established to support the annual award of a George Wythe Prize and a John Marshall Prize. The Wythe and Marshall Prizes are intended to recognize deep devotion and outstanding service to the Law School. Recipients are those persons whose lives embody the principles of George Wythe and John Marshall through traits of character, leadership, and a spirit of selfless service to the Law School community. The Marshall Prize is given to a member of the Law School faculty, administration or staff. The Wythe Prize is presented to a member of the graduating class.

## THE KAUFMAN & CANOLES PRIZES

The Norfolk based law firm of Kaufman & Canoles provides cash awards to recognize outstanding performance in the Legal Skills Program. Recipients of the Kaufman & Canoles prizes are chosen by faculty teaching in the Legal Skills Program.

## THE LAWRENCE W. I'ANSON AWARD

The Lawrence W. I'Anson Award is presented annually to a member of each graduating class who in the judgment of the Law School faculty has shown evidence of great promise through scholarship, character, and leadership. The award is made to honor Lawrence W. I'Anson of Portsmouth, Virginia, former Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Virginia and former President of the Board of Directors of the National Center for State Courts.

## THE CARTER O. LOWANCE FELLOWSHIP

The Carter O. Lowance Public Service Fellowship in the Institute of Bill of Rights Law was established in 1989 by friends of the late Carter Lowance as a tribute to his distinguished service to the people of Virginia. Mr. Lowance served as principal assistant to five Virginia governors and was universally regarded as a paragon of a public servant. The Lowance Fellowship is awarded each year to a person in public life whose achievements merit this special recognition. The Lowance Fellow will be in residence to deliver lectures, meet informally with students and participate generally in the life of the Law School and the College. William H. Rhenquist, Chief Justice of the United States, will be the 1990-91 Lowance Fellow.

## PUBLISHER'S BOOK AWARDS

Each year the Bureau of National Affairs awards a subscription to either *Law Week* or *The BNA Civil Trial Manual* to a graduating student who has achieved the most improved academic record in the third year of study. The West Publishing Company awards a selected title of *Corpus Juris Secundum* to a student in each law school class who made the most significant contribution to overall legal scholarship. Each year West Publishing Company also awards a selected title of the *Hornbook Series* to a first, second, and third year law student who achieves the highest scholastic average in the class.

## VIRGINIA TRIAL LAWYERS AWARD

The Virginia Trial Lawyers Association provides a cash award and a framed certificate to a student who has excelled in demonstrating the skills of trial advocacy and who best typifies the high standards and integrity of a trial lawyer.

## MARSHALL-WYTHE LAW LIBRARY

The law library occupies the south wing of the Law School building and offers an excellent setting for study and research. The collection of over 260,000 volumes and microforms provides a strong combination of primary and secondary material in Anglo-American law, including an extensive collection of reported decisions and statutes of federal and state courts as well as reports and statutory material for England, Australia, and Canada. The strengths of the collection are English language periodicals, and treatise collections in tax, environmental law, legal history, constitutional law, international law, and Roman law.

The extensive microform holdings include records and briefs of the United States Supreme Court, Congressional documents from the Congressional Information Service and the United States Government Printing Office, and state session laws. The law library is a selective United States government depository. The rare book room houses the Thomas Jefferson Law Collection and gifts from the Armistead family and other friends and alumni of the Law School.

Open stacks and free access to the collection remains possible under the governance of library policy and the Honor Code. The library contains over 400 seats including a combination of large carrels, tables, and lounge furniture. Equipment includes microform readers and reader-printers, audio and video players and recorders, and video cameras.

The law library houses a student computer lab with eighteen personal computers and six printers. Fourteen additional computers are available for accessing the LEXIS/NEXIS and WESTLAW databases. Access to the VU/TEXT and DIALOG databases also is available. A well-trained staff of service-oriented librarians provides reference and research assistance to law school faculty and students, members of the College community, the Virginia bench and bar, and other law library users.



# CAREER SERVICES

The Office of Career Planning and Placement (OCP) assists students in directing their energies toward an aggressive, creative, and thoughtful job search. To that end, we emphasize individualized career planning from the outset of one's law school experience. In their first semester students are oriented thoroughly to the office and its procedures. They are familiarized with the office's extensive resource library, resume and cover letter preparation, interview techniques, and overall strategies. Supplementing this orientation are individual appointments with the Associate Dean and the opportunity to participate in mock interviews so students may critically examine their interview skills.

Throughout their tenure at the Law School our students are offered a structured series of programs designed to enable them to make informed career choices. These sessions include panel presentations by practicing attorneys representing a broad range of locations and types of employers (law firms of varying size, government agencies, prosecutors, public interest organizations, corporate in-house), judicial clerks offering insights about the clerkship application and selection process, and practitioners offering tips for successful interviewing and productive summer clerkship experiences. Other topics include nontraditional careers, solo practice, and opportunities in law enforcement, the federal government, the military justice system, and substantive specializations.

## EMPLOYER ACTIVITY

Employers, recognizing the high caliber of both our student body and the career planning and placement office, are actively recruiting William and Mary students in record numbers. The number of employers visiting the Law School for on-campus recruiting in 1989 increased 76% over 1986. During 1989, 264 employers visited the Law School; they interviewed for offices in 35 states and the District of Columbia. These employers included law firms ranging in size from some of the nation's largest to solo practitioners, corporate law departments, accounting firms, courts, government agencies, legal publishers, and the military. Major urban areas and mid-size cities throughout the United States were represented, as were smaller towns in the mid-Atlantic region. OCP distributed to these employers over 11,600 student resumes and arranged nearly 3,700 on-campus interviews.

Employers who did not interview in Williamsburg but who actively recruited William and Mary students numbered 630 in 1989. Forty-three states and the District of Columbia were represented in this group, to whom OCP sent over 5,300 resumes. William and Mary students also participate in a number of off-campus interview programs which diversify even more their employment options. These programs include the Southeastern Law Placement Consortium, the Virginia Law Schools Public Interest Job Fair, the Virginia Law Schools Spring Recruitment Program, the Southeastern Minority Job Fair, the BLSA Mid-East Job Fair, and the National Public Interest Law Career Information Fair. Approximately 450 employers from all parts of the United States conducted interviews at these programs during the 1989-90 academic year.

The externship and legal clerking programs afford additional avenues for obtaining practical experience. Externs work for academic credit rather than wages and gain valuable exposure to

real world practice. Students may arrange summer externships with government agencies or nonprofit organizations nationwide. Legal clerking provides similar opportunities for academic credit in many types of law-related settings during the academic year or vacation periods.

## CLASS OF 1989 PROFILE

Of our 1989 J.D. graduates, 67% entered private practice, 8% government service, 2% corporate law departments and related business positions, 6% the military justice system, 2% in public interest organizations, and 1% in accounting firms. Approximately 13% accepted judicial clerkships with federal appellate and federal district courts, federal administrative agencies, and state appellate and trial courts.

The Class of 1989 reported employment in virtually all areas of the country. Forty percent remained in Virginia; the other 60% accepted positions in 24 states and the District of Columbia.

## THE WILLIAM AND MARY PUBLIC SERVICE FUND

The William and Mary Public Service Fund is a non-profit, student run organization with three primary objectives: to raise the consciousness of law students to the need for public interest attorneys and opportunities within the public interest sector, to allow students to gain experience with employers that historically can afford to pay little or nothing to their staffs, and to supplement the limited resources available in the public interest sector.

Since its founding in 1987, the Public Service Fund has provided summer fellowships for first and second year students with a variety of organizations, including Washington Lawyers Committee for Civil Rights Under Law, Williamsburg Task Force on Battered Women, Juvenile Section of the District of Columbia Corporation Counsel's Office, Legal Services of North Florida, Indochina Resource Action Center, Media Access Project, Youth Law Center in San Francisco, Peninsula Legal Aid, Virginia Attorney General, Public Defenders in Denver and Phoenix, Blue Ridge Legal Services, National Whistleblower Center, and Southern Environmental Law Center.

## THE VIRGINIA LAW FOUNDATION IOLTA PUBLIC SERVICE FELLOWSHIPS

Each year, the Virginia Law Foundation awards grants from its Interest on Lawyer Trust Accounts ("IOLTA") program "to provide financial assistance to programs and organizations that are expected to improve the administration of justice and further public understanding of the law in the Commonwealth of Virginia." In spring 1989, William and Mary spearheaded a joint grant proposal on behalf of law schools in Virginia, seeking IOLTA money for summer public interest fellowships with Virginia employers. In June 1989, the Foundation announced that it would fund three fellowships for William and Mary students during summer 1990, to be called the Virginia Law Foundation IOLTA Public Service Fellowships.

# STUDENT LIFE

## A DIVERSE AND TALENTED STUDENT COMMUNITY

The students who breathe life into the College are a diverse group of exceptionally able individuals, attracted by the academic curriculum, extracurricular programs and heritage of the College of William and Mary. The entering class of 1989 was selected from a total of 3084 applicants from 553 different colleges and universities. They represent 23 states and the District of Columbia. The undergraduate records of students in the entering class represent 46 different majors. Eighteen had earned graduate degrees. Over fifty percent of the entering class had full-time work experience and six had served in the military. This class had a median undergraduate grade point average of 3.3 and a median LSAT score of 41. Such statistics, however, reveal little of the character of the men and women who are our students. To fill this gap, we have included brief profiles of several students whose special accomplishments suggest their unique characteristics. While these men and women are clearly outstanding, it is our belief that they are not atypical of our student body, a group which has enjoyed continuing intellectual improvement over the past decade.



**Joel Ankney**

### JOEL ANKNEY

Joel received his B.S. in psychology from Brigham Young University. During his undergraduate career he had the opportunity to live in Europe and Africa where he developed his abilities in French. After returning, he worked as a French teacher and leadership trainer at B.Y.U. Before coming to Marshall-Wythe, Joel worked for his family's general contracting firm in Washington, D.C. He pursued a summer clerkship with the Richmond, Virginia firm of Hunton & Williams in 1990. "I came to Marshall-Wythe for several reasons. After coming from a large university, I felt that a smaller school would give me a better opportunity to interact with the faculty. I was also impressed by the new legal skills program. After my undergraduate career, I understood the importance of practical experience and felt that this program would provide me with a basic understanding of legal practice. Most important to me was the excellent reputation that Marshall-Wythe held in the legal community in Washington, D.C. and surrounding area. Lastly, I was attracted by the rich tradition and history surrounding the Law School and the community. Marshall-Wythe has provided me with a well-rounded legal education that will help me excel in the practice of law throughout my career."



**Venel Brown**

### VENEL BROWN

After graduating from Howard University in Washington, D.C., Venel attended the Medical College of Virginia where she obtained a Master of Health Administration degree. She worked for two years at a hospital in Fredericksburg, Virginia and decided to return to law school. "I chose Marshall-Wythe because I felt its size would allow for more personalized instruction, while its reputation would allow me the flexibility of practicing within or outside of Virginia. I plan to combine my experience and training in health administration with my legal training to pursue a career as a health lawyer, representing hospitals and other health care providers. Law school is a challenging experience. The best thing that any prospective student could do for themselves is to choose an environment that they will find to be comfortable and supportive. I have found that in Marshall-Wythe." Venel worked as a law clerk in Baltimore, Maryland at a firm which specializes in health law during the summer of 1989.





Joy Cummings

## JOY CUMMINGS

Joy is a graduate of Princeton University with an A.B. in politics. A two-time All-American in women's tennis, Joy was Princeton's number one singles player and captain of the women's varsity tennis team. Following graduation she competed throughout the United States, South America, Europe, and Asia as a professional on the women's international tennis circuit. Joy developed an interest in Asian antique furniture and decorative arts during her tennis travels. Soon after retiring from tennis, Joy decided to use her knowledge of the region and contacts developed through tennis to operate a small business specializing in the importation of antiques from China, Japan, Thailand, Burma, and Laos to the United States. "I decided to go to law school not so much because I was sure I wanted to practice law but because I felt a law degree would be a useful tool to have in almost any field. I chose William and Mary because I felt as a small school it would offer a more relaxed and friendly atmosphere in which to study law. I also thought that because Williamsburg is a small town and enjoys a temperate climate, the quality of life would be higher here than in a more urban setting. I have not been disappointed. Marshall-Wythe attracts well rounded students who have diverse interests. The professors here are genuinely concerned with each student's well-being and make every effort to be available if he or she has a problem. My experience here at Marshall-Wythe has been wonderful." Joy spent the summer of 1990 working as a summer associate with the law firm of Hunton & Williams in Richmond, Virginia.



Anne Edwards

## ANNE EDWARDS

Anne entered Marshall-Wythe after working as an agronomist in research, teaching and extension. She spent two years as a research agronomist in Pennsylvania, two years completing her Masters degree in crops at Virginia Tech, one year as an instructor on the faculty of the College of Agriculture at Virginia Tech, and the last four years before entering law school as an Extension Agent, Agriculture and Unit Director for the Virginia Cooperative Extension Service in King George, Virginia. "My greatest pleasure has been the opportunity to work directly with the farmers of Virginia as an Extension Agent. I have the greatest respect for farm families, and it was because of them that I decided to attend law school. The farm crisis of the last few years made me realize how little I could really do to help preserve the integrity of the farm and the quality of our food within my chosen career. I decided that coupling a degree in law with my background in agriculture would better prepare me to be of value to the people and environment of Virginia. As a native Virginian, there was no question in my mind that William and Mary was a prestigious institute of the highest quality. I worked as a legal skills teaching assistant during my second year and plan to continue as a teaching assistant during my final year at law school. In addition, I was a staff member of the *Administrative Law Review* during my second year and will be an editor during my third year. The Law School is everything I hoped it would be. The faculty members are concerned and helpful, the student body diverse and friendly. The work is challenging and very time consuming, but always relevant and rewarding. It is especially important to me that students at Marshall-Wythe work together to enhance their understanding of the material. I would not be happy in an atmosphere of cut throat competition. I am excited about becoming a lawyer, and feel privileged to be a student at Marshall-Wythe." Anne split the summer of 1990 and worked for two law firms.



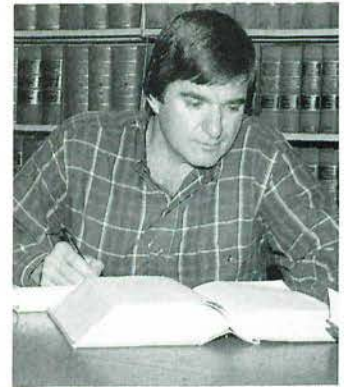
Ami Kim

## AMI KIM

Ami graduated from the University of Michigan with a degree in economics. After graduation Ami worked for the National Association of Securities Dealers investigating insider trading and other forms of stock market fraud on the NASDAQ stock exchange. "I enjoyed my job at the NASD. I was challenged intellectually and my interest in law was stimulated. After I interviewed witnesses and analyzed the aberrations in trading activity, the lawyers took my cases to trial. I decided to attend Marshall-Wythe because of its reputation in Virginia and in the Washington, D.C. area. I have enjoyed being here because Marshall-Wythe is a friendly law school. You can learn a lot here and still have time to pursue other interests." For Ami, a classical pianist, other interests include Student Bar Association activities, inner-tube waterpolo and golf. Ami spent the summer of 1990 working as a law clerk for a law firm in Richmond, Virginia.

## NEAL ROBINSON

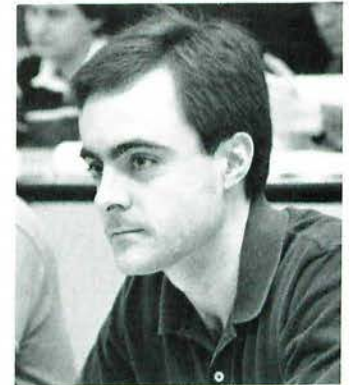
Neal comes to William and Mary from a lengthy business career in which he has held numerous U.S. and international senior executive positions. He serves on the boards of directors of a number of public corporations, and, until recently, was Chief Executive Officer of Voice Control Industries, Inc., a world leader in voice recognition technologies. Neal, a CPA who holds both bachelor's and master's degrees, has taught in the graduate schools of the University of Dallas and the University of Texas at Dallas. "Our nation is changing at a staggering pace placing a tremendous burden on our political institutions. A legal education provides excellent tools to meet the resulting increased obligations of citizenship. What attracted me most to William and Mary, in addition to its high academic standards, was its unique character. With outstanding facilities, it has a relatively small student body permitting excellent access to a knowledgeable and concerned faculty and staff. The entire law school community is thoroughly supportive though academically uncompromising."



Neal Robinson

## JEFF SCHLERF

Jeff is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, with a Master's degree in economics from the University of Delaware. Employed in the financial industry for five years, he reached the position of Assistant Vice President and Economist with a large southeastern bank. Jeff increased his appreciation of the practice of law while working on various corporate projects and while engaged in community activities. He made the decision to attend law school with the hope that his experience in business and finance would provide some unique opportunities in law after graduation. The summer following his second year he worked for a law firm outside of Washington. "During on-campus interviewing you realize the excellent reputation this school has in the outside world. That recognition is well deserved. William and Mary provides a first class education, in a friendly, supportive atmosphere that is very conducive to learning. I am quite pleased with my decision to attend this law school."



Jeff Schlerf

## LITTLETON TAZEWELL

Littleton did not come directly to law school once he completed his degree in Theatre Arts at Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University. Initially he worked as a production stage manager for a theatre in eastern Kentucky. After leaving the theatre, he worked in a variety of jobs before deciding to join the Peace Corps. Lit served for almost three years in the Himalayan kingdom of Nepal teaching high school English in a remote mountain village. During his last year he was able to organize a revolutionary new program introducing basic western medical practices to traditional healers. After returning to the United States he decided that a legal education would provide the greatest opportunity to continue his work in social development, whether domestically or abroad. Last summer he returned to Kathmandu for an internship with the U.S. Agency for International Development. Lit spent the summer of 1990 working at a law firm in New Haven, Connecticut.



Littleton Tazewell

## ERIC TURNER

During his junior year at Earlham, prior to deciding his eventual economics major, Eric interned with the Indiana House of Representatives. "Realizing that my undergraduate work would not encompass all that I desired to learn, I geared my studies toward eventual graduate studies. I included courses from all areas that interested me which also could work into my eventual major. When deciding what to study, law was a natural choice because it would allow me to utilize my undergraduate background, without restricting my eventual career choice. As a product of a small college, my intention was to find a law school well suited for studying. Marshall-Wythe has the same relaxed, intimate nature with the dedication to learning, without succumbing to the cut throat competition found in many law schools. Over the last two years, I have found Marshall-Wythe's location to be exceptional, exactly as I desired, a small community yet larger cities reachable within a matter of minutes." Eric spent the summer of 1990 working for the Maricopa Public Defender's Office in Phoenix, Arizona.



Eric Turner

## THE STUDENT HEALTH SERVICE

The David J. King Student Health Service is located south of Cary Field and is open 24 hours per day. Doctors' hours are 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday-Friday. One doctor is on call Saturday and Sunday and each night the Health Service is in operation for emergency care only. The Student Health Service provides a variety of services to students, most of which are covered by the Student Health Fee, a portion of the tuition and general fee. During the times that the Student Health Service is closed, the nearest health facility is the Emergency Room of the Williamsburg Community Hospital. The student may also elect to see a local private physician, but it is emphasized that either of these options is exercised at the student's expense.

## THE CENTER FOR PERSONAL LEARNING AND DEVELOPMENT

The Center for Personal Learning and Development offers professional assistance to students through personal counseling and psychotherapy, to facilitate an understanding of oneself and others, and through groups dealing with problems of social relationships, eating problems, and being an adult child of an alcoholic. Staff members are clinical and counseling psychologists trained and experienced in dealing with problems graduate and undergraduate students may confront.

Complete confidentiality is assured in relations with both the Student Health Service and the Center for Personal Learning and Development.

## ATHLETICS

William and Mary offers a well-balanced program in intramural, club, and intercollegiate athletics for men and women. Its aim is not only to be competitive intercollegiately, but also to provide all students at the College with the opportunity to compete in sports of their choice.

William and Mary fields 25 men's and women's intercollegiate athletic teams. The overall purpose of the intercollegiate program is to offer a wide selection of sports so that both men and women at William and Mary can find one that appeals to their skills and interests. The intramural and club sports program increases these opportunities; it is primarily designed for those students who desire competition but who do not possess the high skill level required to participate on the intercollegiate level. Some of the sports available through the intramural program, which students help supervise, are football, basketball, fencing, badminton, volleyball, softball, archery, tennis, track and field, and bowling.

Excellent facilities for all sports are available on campus. Tennis, handball and basketball courts, two swimming pools, a running track and athletic fields are available for student use.

## CULTURAL LIFE

Cultural life at William and Mary is rich and varied. Students have opportunities to participate in and enjoy a wide range of concerts, theatre, musical activities, and lectures.

The William and Mary Theatre produces four full-length plays each year. The Director's Workshop and Premier Theatre offer excellent opportunities for students to participate in theatre in an intimate setting.

Orchesis, a modern dance troupe, gives students the opportunity to choreograph and perform in dances for two concerts annually.

The William and Mary Concert Series brings well-known and outstanding performers and groups to the campus each year, and subscriptions are available to students at a reduced rate.

There are numerous groups on campus devoted to music. The William and Mary Choir, Chorus and Band are large groups that perform frequently, while the College-Community Orchestra is a small group that performs in chamber orchestra and small ensembles.

## HOUSING

The College offers apartment-style living on a limited basis to graduate students. Room rates for the 1990-91 academic year vary in price from \$953 to \$1,028 per semester depending on the size of the apartment. The forms necessary to request living space in university-owned-and-operated apartment facilities are mailed to admitted applicants in the spring. Many law students locate an apartment off campus; a list of commercial rental units is available in the Law School Admissions Office. The Office of Minority and Commuting Student Affairs maintains a list of private rentals in the university neighborhood, which includes the names of individuals seeking roommates.

## EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Students at William and Mary enjoy a rich and varied array of extracurricular activities. All students at the College are able to participate in the many cultural and social events held on campus and in Colonial Williamsburg. The Law School sponsors a number of organizations whose primary focus is law.

The Student Bar Association works to promote all worthwhile extracurricular activities. It is associated with the Law Student Division of the American Law Student Association which in turn is affiliated with the American Bar Association. The Student Bar Association is the official student government organization within the Law School. It coordinates student-run activities including social events and visiting speakers.

A representative listing of organizations at the Marshall-Wythe School of Law follows.

## LAW SCHOOL PUBLICATIONS

The *Administrative Law Review* is the quarterly journal of the American Bar Association Section of Administrative Law and Regulatory Practice. The *Administrative Law Review* is the leading journal on administrative law as well as having one of the largest circulations of any law review in the country. The *Review's* Editor-in-Chief is Professor Charles H. Koch, Jr., Dudley Warner Woodbridge Professor of Law. Professor Koch is assisted by an editorial board and staff consisting of approximately twelve students. Membership on the *Administrative Law Review* is attained through an application process which is conducted in the second year. Factors considered include, but are not limited to, academic achievement, proficiency in legal writing, and experience in administrative law. *Review* editors receive two credit hours per semester and staff members receive one credit hour per semester.

The *William and Mary Law Review* is a quarterly journal containing professional articles, student notes, and authoritative essays on recently published books useful to the profession. The *Review* also

publishes the annual symposium of the Institute of Bill of Rights Law. The *Review* is published by an editorial board and staff consisting of approximately sixty second and third year students. The *Review* extends membership invitations to fifteen percent of the first year class. Students become members of the *Review* by one of two processes, each yielding approximately one-half of the membership: first, top academic standing at the end of the first year of law school, exclusive of grades earned in summer courses; or second, proficiency in legal writing as demonstrated in an intensive writing competition conducted in the spring. All interested students must participate in the writing competition. Promotion to the editorial board is based upon proficiency in legal writing and editing, as well as dedication to the *Review*. *Law Review* membership fulfills the third year writing requirement, and members receive one credit hour for each semester served on the staff and two or three credit hours for each semester served on the editorial board.

*The Advocate* is the Law School's student-edited newspaper. Published bi-weekly, *The Advocate* offers news, sports and features articles on topics of interest to the law school community, as well as editorials and humorous and political commentary. The newspaper also provides a forum for continuing dialogue between individuals in the Law School who wish to express their opinions on issues of concern. *The Advocate* is written, edited, and published by a talented and diverse staff of law students and interested individuals are welcome to join.

*The Colonial Lawyer* is a student legal journal comprised of student editors and selected student staff writers. All students are invited to submit articles for consideration. Selected staff work closely with editors to coordinate articles concerning topics affecting law and public policy in Virginia and in the nation. *The Colonial Lawyer* is published in the fall and spring of each year. It is the intent of the journal to inform and apprise the Virginia Bar, General Assembly and the general public of the current status of the law in a selected field, and to detail the public policy implications of that law for the Commonwealth.

## LAW SCHOOL FRATERNITIES

Three professional legal fraternities, open to both male and female law students, have been established at the School—the George Wythe Chapter of Phi Alpha Delta, the Thomas Jefferson Inn of Phi Delta Phi, and the St. George Tucker Senate of Delta Theta Phi. The primary functions of the legal fraternities are to bring student members into contact with practitioners and to complement the academic program with informal forums on subjects of professional interest.

## ASSOCIATION OF TRIAL LAWYERS OF AMERICA

The William and Mary student chapter of the Association of Trial Lawyers of America is open to all students who have an interest in litigation. ATLA members receive subscriptions to various legal publications, such as *Trial*, the *ATLA Law Reporter* and the *Bar News*. The chapter sponsors seminars and other programs to enhance the practical trial techniques of those who attend.

## BLACK LAW STUDENTS ASSOCIATION

The Black Law Students Association (BLSA) is an organization dedicated to the articulation and promotion of the interests of minority students. The Law School chapter is affiliated with the regional and the national BLSA. The aims of the local chapter are to provide a responsive student organization to aid the individual black law student and to instill a greater awareness of and commitment to the needs of the black community.

## ENVIRONMENTAL LAW SOCIETY

The Environmental Law Society is an organization of students interested in protecting the quality of our environment through education and research. The Society sponsors speakers and films; provides research assistance and legal skills to organizations in Virginia; and publishes the *Environmental Practice News*, an informational newsletter for practicing lawyers in Virginia.

## FEDERALIST SOCIETY

The Marshall-Wythe School of Law Federalist Society is part of a national organization of conservative and libertarian law students. Its purpose is to promote principles of individual liberty, separation of powers, federalism, and judicial restraint both philosophically and as applied to current public policy. The Society fosters an awareness of these principles through debates, lectures, newsletters, and a national legal journal.

## INTERNATIONAL LAW SOCIETY

The International Law Society holds regular meetings at which invited speakers address various issues of current concern in international law. Presentations sponsored during a prior academic year addressed the United Nations, the Middle East crisis, and space law. The Society actively promotes the Marshall-Wythe summer program of studies in London and Exeter, England and Madrid, Spain.

## LAW AND MEDICINE CLUB

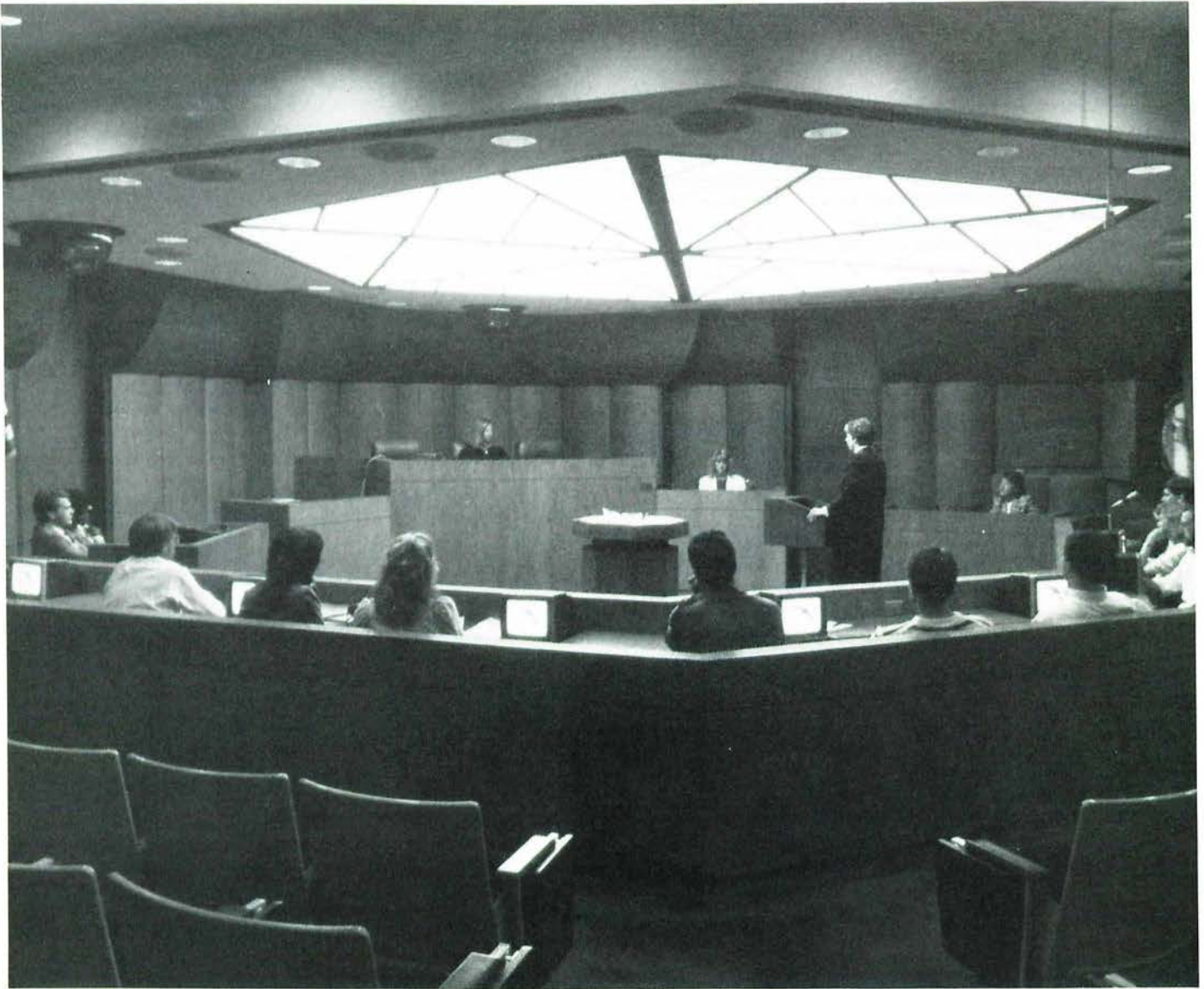
The Law and Medicine Club works to showcase controversy at the forefront of developing medical technology. The club arranges presentations, debates and films that reflect members' interests. Programs have included a panel discussion and film on the right to refuse medical treatment and a debate on the constitutionality of malpractice recovery caps. All students are invited to join this informal group.

## LAW PARTNERS CLUB

The Law Partners Club is a social and service organization founded by the spouses of law students. The Club sponsors monthly activities and holds monthly meetings for its members.

## MARY AND WILLIAM WOMEN'S LAW SOCIETY

The Mary and William Women's Law Society is composed of law students interested in advancing the status of women. The Society sponsors academic and social programs designed to aid, enlighten and entertain. Activities have included panel presentations on interviewing tips for women, an informal discussion with women faculty members about coping with the "Old Boy Network," and programs featuring guest speakers on subjects of concern to women working in the legal field. Mary and William sponsors the Law Student Program of the Williamsburg Task Force on Battered Women and Sexual Assault. This program provides training to interested law students enabling them to advise women about their legal options, and assist them if they choose to proceed with legal action.



McGlothlin Moot Courtroom of the Marshall-Wythe School of Law

## MOOT COURT

The Moot Court program at the Law School is one of the school's best opportunities for developing and improving one's oral advocacy skills. A Moot Court competition requires one to research and write an appellate brief and defend it before a panel of judges in an oral argument. Each year, approximately ten teams of three to five students represent William and Mary in interscholastic Moot Court tournaments. In the fall of their second year, students are eligible to compete in an intraschool competition conducted by the Moot Court Board. The purpose of this competition is to select those students who will represent Marshall-Wythe, generally during their third year, in the various tournaments the school participates in.

The Moot Court Board members are selected by the outgoing Board members in the spring of their second year. In addition to selecting the Moot Court teams, the Board assists and advises the teams in their preparation for competition and sponsors the William B. Spong, Jr. Invitational Moot Court Tournament each

spring. The Moot Court teams and Board are collectively referred to as the Moot Court Bar. Judith Ledbetter is the advisor for the 1990-91 academic year. Third year students may also participate in two national Trial level competitions, a Client Counseling competition and a Negotiation competition. These teams are assisted by the Moot Court Board in their preparation for competition but are funded separately and supervised by other faculty members. Professors Felton and Lederer oversee the Trial teams; and Professor Levy oversees the Client Counseling team and the Negotiation team.

## NATIONAL LAWYERS GUILD

The Marshall-Wythe School of Law chapter of the National Lawyers Guild provides a forum for the Law School community to explore the interaction of the legal system with political, social, and economic realities. To this end, the group presents films and speakers, and works on projects with other organizations in the college and community.

# ADMISSION POLICY AND PROCEDURES

## ADMISSION POLICY

During the past two decades, the Law School has received applications for admission that greatly exceed the number of places in the entering class. Based upon the academic record and LSAT score, a very high percentage of our applicant pool could be deemed qualified for admission. The Law School is thus placed in the position of having to choose its class from among an applicant population where the number of qualified applicants far exceeds the number of available spaces. While the Law School could choose its class solely on the basis of academic potential, the faculty has concluded that neither the public nor the profession would be best served by an admission process that was limited to selecting only those most likely to achieve academically. The faculty believes that the educational process at the Law School, as well as the profession the students will enter upon graduation, is best served by an admission process that will result in the selection of a diverse and talented student body and, to that end, has formulated an admission policy that takes into consideration individual skills and characteristics that might not necessarily be directly related to academic potential.

Therefore, admission to the Law School will be granted to those applicants who, in the opinion of the admission personnel, will make the most significant contribution to society as members of the legal profession. Factors used in making decisions regarding admission include: (1) the applicant's general academic ability based upon a careful examination of the undergraduate (and graduate, if any) transcript, including factors such as the grade-point average, the quality of the school attended, the difficulty of the major or department in which the degree was earned, the hours spent on outside employment or other time-consuming extracurricular activities, and the length of time elapsed since graduation; (2) the applicant's capacity for the academic study of law based largely upon the LSAT score and writing sample; and (3) other relevant personal qualities and characteristics of the applicant, including factors such as the location of the applicant's permanent residence, the applicant's career goals, cultural/ethnic and educational background and experiences, moral character, leadership qualities, commitment to community service, ability to undertake independent and creative research, and communication skills. The applicant should discuss his or her own characteristics and qualities in the personal statement which is required as part of the admission process, and should seek to have those persons writing letters of recommendation discuss such factors.

An offer of admission to the school is valid only for the year stated in the notice of admission. An admitted applicant who does not enroll in June or August of that year must reapply by filing the application for a subsequent year. An applicant who reapplies is considered with other students applying that year. Admission one year does not ensure admission for a subsequent year.

## USE OF THE LSAT

Because the LSAT is administered to all applicants under standard conditions and requires the same or equivalent tasks of everyone, LSAT scores provide a standard measure of abilities. This permits comparison of the Law School's applicants both with other applicants and with all applicants who have taken the test. However, while LSAT scores serve a useful purpose in the admission process, they do not measure all the elements important for success in the Law School. In addition, the LSAT scores should be viewed as approximate indicators rather than exact measures of an applicant's abilities. Therefore, the LSAT scores will be used as only one of several criteria for evaluation of an applicant.

Research indicates that when an applicant has taken the LSAT more than once, the average of the scores has more predictive validity than any one of the separate scores, unless special circumstances are present. Applicants who believe that circumstances existed which might have adversely affected their performance on one test should furnish the Law School with an explanation.

## THE LAW SCHOOL INDEX

The Law School Admission Service prepares a LSDAS report for each law school applicant. The LSDAS report gives statistical data about each applicant including an INDEX. This number results from combining the weighted LSAT score or average score with the weighted undergraduate grade point average for each applicant. The weighted figures are derived from the annual validity study, a statistical study of the relationship between the LSAT, UGPA and the first year grades.

The INDEX used by Marshall-Wythe is subject to regular review and change. Like the LSAT itself, the INDEX is used as only one of several evaluative criteria.

## FIRST YEAR APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Students who have received or who will have received a baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution prior to commencement of study in 1991 may apply for admission to the Marshall-Wythe School of Law. The application procedure for those wishing to begin studies in 1991 is as follows:

- (1) Complete the enclosed application form and information cards and return them with the non-refundable application fee (\$30 payable to the College of William and Mary) no later than March 1, 1991, to: Office of Admissions, Marshall-Wythe School of Law, College of William and Mary, Williamsburg,

Virginia 23185. A brief personal statement from the applicant which gives a description of personal qualities and characteristics should be included. (See Statement of Admission Policy.) Applications received after March 1 will be accepted and considered on a space-available basis.

- (2) Submit letters of recommendation from two faculty members at the last college attended using the correct forms. A composite recommendation may be submitted from the applicant's undergraduate institution provided it includes information from more than one recommender and is returned with one of the Law School's recommendation forms bearing the applicant's signature. Students who have been out of college for more than two years may replace one of the letters of faculty recommendation with one written by any individual capable of evaluating their abilities. Letters written by persons who are not well-acquainted with the applicant are of little use in the admission process. Letters of recommendation are to be returned to the applicant and submitted with your application materials. Submit the forms to the individuals or educational institution personnel who agree to support your application by submitting a recommendation. They are asked to enclose the form and recommendation in their own envelope, to seal the envelope, to sign across the envelope seal, and to return the envelope to the applicant. **DO NOT OPEN** the sealed envelopes. Include the sealed envelopes with recommendations in the envelope with your complete application. If the recommender prefers to return their materials directly to the Law School, they may do so by sending them to: Office of Admissions, Marshall-Wythe School of Law, College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, Virginia 23185.

If your college maintains a central file of letters of recommendation, that office may place copies of letters of recommendation in an envelope. The envelope flap should be countersigned by an authorized person in that office.

If you choose to submit more than the two required letters, photocopies of the forms included in this brochure may be used.

- (3) (a) Obtain a registration form from the Law School Data Assembly Service (LSDAS) and return prior to February 1, 1991 directly to:
- Law Services
  - Box 2000
  - Newtown, Pennsylvania 18940-0981

LSDAS registration prior to the 1990-91 processing year is invalid for 1991 admission and a new registration must be submitted.

(b) Upon receipt of the Transcript Request and Matching Form from LSDAS, request that transcripts of grades from each college or university attended be sent directly to LSDAS, **NOT TO THE LAW SCHOOL**. To ensure that this report reaches the Admissions Office prior to the March 1 deadline, transcripts should be sent to LSDAS before February 1, 1991.

(c) Send the Law School Application Matching Form to the Admissions Office along with the application to ensure that an official LSDAS report is issued to Marshall-Wythe. The Law School Application Matching Form can be found in the LSAT/LSDAS registration packet. The LSDAS code for the Marshall-Wythe School of Law is 5115. No application will be considered unless a transcript showing completion of all but the final two semesters of work prior to receipt of the baccalau-

reate degree has been provided to LSDAS. If the applicant is graduating in August, 1991, a transcript showing completion of all but the final three semesters will be accepted. Official transcripts of all academic work must be forwarded to the Law School by the Registrar of the degree-granting undergraduate institution prior to enrollment.

- (4) Make arrangements to take the Law School Admission Test (LSAT). All applicants are required to take the LSAT, which is given four times a year at various centers in the United States. The Law School will accept LSAT scores not more than five years old; scores from an LSAT taken prior to June of 1986 will not be considered current scores. Applicants for admission in 1991 are encouraged to take the LSAT no later than December of 1990. Applicants who plan to take the LSAT in February of 1991 must indicate this date in the appropriate space on the application and must realize that their admission decision will be delayed. A bulletin of information regarding this test may be obtained from Law Services, Box 2000, Newtown, Pennsylvania 18940-0981 (215) 968-1001.
- (5) The Marshall-Wythe School of Law is a participant in the College Scholarship Service (CSS). All applicants for financial aid must file a Financial Aid Form (FAF) for the 1991-92 academic year through CSS. The FAF may be obtained from financial aid offices at educational institutions or from College Scholarship Service, Box CN 6300, Princeton, New Jersey, 08541. The application should be filed no later than February 1, 1991, in order to ensure its receipt by the Marshall-Wythe School of Law in a timely manner. The FAF code number for the Marshall-Wythe School of Law is 5115. The College does not accept the GAPSFAS analysis.

**NO OTHER FINANCIAL AID APPLICATION IS REQUIRED BY THE MARSHALL-WYTHE SCHOOL OF LAW FOR SCHOLARSHIPS OR GRANTS.**

- (6) Applicants claiming entitlement to in-state educational privileges in accordance with Section 23-7.4 of the Code of Virginia must submit the Application for Virginia In-State Tuition Rate when initially applying for admission to the Law School.

## ADVANCED STANDING

Students who have successfully completed a minimum of 26 semester hours and are in good standing at law schools which are members of the American Association of Law Schools or which are approved by the American Bar Association may apply for admission to William and Mary as transfer students with advanced standing. All advanced credit awarded will be on the basis of an evaluation of previous law work in light of the curriculum at the Marshall-Wythe School of Law. Credit in excess of 45 semester hours is rarely granted, and in no event will a Juris Doctor degree be conferred when fewer than the final 30 semester hours were earned while in residence at the Marshall-Wythe School of Law. In general, students should rank in the upper third of their class to be considered for admission with advanced standing. Decisions on transfer applications are usually made in the late summer after the first year transcripts are received. It is the student's responsibility to see that these transcripts are sent directly to the Law School as soon as they are available.

The application procedure for those seeking advanced standing follows.

## ADVANCED STANDING APPLICATION PROCEDURE

- (1) Complete the application form and information cards and return them with the non-refundable application fee (\$30) no later than July 1, 1991, to: Office of Admissions, Marshall-Wythe School of Law, College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, Virginia 23185.
- (2) Submit two letters of recommendation on the forms provided. One letter should be from a faculty member of the law school in which the applicant is currently enrolled. The second should be from a faculty member at the last undergraduate institution attended. Applicants who have been out of school for more than two years between undergraduate graduation and the commencement of legal studies may replace the undergraduate recommendation with one from an individual capable of evaluating their abilities. Letters of recommendation are to be submitted with your application materials. Submit the forms to the individuals or educational institution personnel who agree to support your application by submitting a recommendation. They are asked to enclose the form and recommendation in their own envelope, to seal the envelope, to sign across the envelope seal, and to return the envelope to you. **DO NOT OPEN** the sealed envelopes. Include the sealed envelopes with recommendations in the envelope with your complete application. If the recommender prefers to return their materials directly to the Law School, they may do so by sending them to: Office of Admissions, Marshall-Wythe School of Law, College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, Virginia 23185.

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If you choose to submit more than the two required letters, photocopies of the forms included in this brochure may be used.

- (3) Submit a letter of good standing from the dean of the law school in which the applicant is currently enrolled indicating that the applicant is eligible to continue studies for the semester for which admission is sought.
- (4) Have official transcripts of all undergraduate and graduate work submitted directly to the Marshall-Wythe School of Law. Official transcripts (and class rank, if available) of all completed law work must be on file before an application will be considered complete.
- (5) Make arrangements to have an official copy of the LSAT score report sent to the Marshall-Wythe School of Law by the Law School Data Assembly Service.
- (6) Attach a statement to the application indicating reasons for seeking transfer to the Marshall-Wythe School of Law.
- (7) The Marshall-Wythe School of Law is a participant in the College Scholarship Service (CSS). All applicants for financial aid must file a FAF form for the academic year 1991-92. The FAF application may be obtained from financial aid offices at educational institutions or from College Scholarship Service, CN 6300, Princeton, New Jersey 08541. The application should be filed no later than February 1, 1991, in order to ensure its

receipt by the Marshall-Wythe School of Law in a timely manner. The FAF code number for the Marshall-Wythe School of Law is 5115. The College does not accept the GAPSEAS analysis. **NO OTHER FINANCIAL AID APPLICATION IS REQUIRED BY THE MARSHALL-WYTHE SCHOOL OF LAW.**

- (8) Applicants claiming entitlement to in-state educational privileges in accordance with Section 23-7.4 of the Code of Virginia must submit the Application for Virginia In-State Tuition Rate when initially applying for admission to the Law School.

## ELIGIBILITY FOR IN-STATE TUITION RATE

To be eligible for the in-state tuition rate, a student must meet the statutory test for domicile set forth in Section 23-7.4 of the Code of Virginia. Domicile is a technical legal concept, and a student's status is determined objectively through the impartial application of established rules. In general, to establish domicile students must be able to prove permanent residency in Virginia for at least one continuous year immediately preceding the first official day of classes, and intend to remain in Virginia indefinitely after graduation. Residence in Virginia primarily to attend college does not establish domicile and eligibility for the in-state tuition rate.

Applicants seeking in-state status must complete and return the Application for Virginia In-State Tuition Rate to the Office of the Registrar. The Office of the Registrar evaluates the application and notifies the student of its decision. A student re-enrolling in the College after an absence of one or more semesters must reapply for domiciliary status and is subject to the same requirements as an entering student. Any student may request in writing a review of an adverse decision. Reclassification must be requested prospectively and changes will be made only when justified by clear and convincing evidence.

In determining domicile the school will consider the following factors:

1. Residence during the year prior to the first official day of classes
2. State to which income taxes are filed or paid
3. Driver's license
4. Motor vehicle registration
5. Voter registration
6. Employment
7. Property ownership
8. Sources of financial support
9. Location of checking or passbook savings account
10. Other social or economic ties with Virginia and other states

The presence of any or all of these factors does not automatically result in Virginia domiciliary status.

As a minor, an individual has the same domicile as his or her parents. Once a person becomes 18 years old, separate domicile may be established. However, in most cases, if an individual is over 18 and financially dependent on parents, the parents must be domiciled in Virginia for the individual to be eligible for in-state tuition benefits.

All questions about eligibility for domiciliary status should be addressed to the Office of the Registrar, (804) 221-2800.

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*Notify the Marshall-Wythe School of Law of any changes with regard to the information given in answer to questions on the application.*



# TUITION AND FEES, FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE, SCHOLARSHIPS

## TUITION AND FEES

Tuition and fees for the 1990-91 academic year total \$3962 for Virginia residents and \$9812 for non-residents.

## FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Recognizing that many students are unable to pay the full cost of their education, the College administers a financial assistance program. The primary financial responsibility for legal education rests with the student and/or the student's family. However, to the extent that it can, the College attempts to bridge the gap between individual resources and the cost of legal education by assisting students financially.

Financial aid from the College is available in the form of scholarships, based on demonstrated financial need and/or merit; Perkins Loans; and College Work Study. The possibility of receiving such aid is based on the number of applicants with financial need, the availability of funds, and the extent of an individual's qualifications and need in comparison to others.

The Marshall-Wythe School of Law participates in the College Scholarship Service. To be considered for Perkins Loan funds and scholarships administered by the Law School, students must file the 1991-92 Financial Aid Form (FAF) by February 1, 1991. This is filed with the College Scholarship Service and is the only form necessary to apply for assistance administered by the Law School. Financial need is established through the analysis of this report. Calculated family contribution takes into account not only income but assets, dependency status and family size.

FAF's are available from most financial aid offices or by sending a request directly to: College Scholarship Service, Box CN 6300, Princeton, New Jersey 08541.

Additional assistance is available in the form of loans from outside lending agencies. Stafford Loans are available for up to \$7,500 per year with an interest rate that is eight percent for new borrowers. They are based on financial need and require the submission of an FAF. Supplemental Loans to Students (SLS)/Parent's Loans (PLUS) provide up to \$4,000 per year and are repaid at a variable rate starting within 60 days of disbursement. Both Stafford's and SLS/PLUS's can be obtained from a local bank. Two private loans, Law Access and LAWLOANS, are available. They provide loans up to \$12,500 and \$13,500, respectively, at a variable rate. Students can use Law Access or LAWLOANS as a lender for Stafford, SLS/PLUS, and the Law Access Loan or LAWLOANS programs. Applications are available from the Law School and the Financial Aid Office.

Standardized student budgets are distributed by the Office of Student Financial Aid. All expenses covered must be educationally related. Examples of estimated budgets for the 1990-91 academic year follow:

	VA Resident	Non-Resident
Tuition & Fees	\$3962	\$9812
Living Allowance	*\$8900	*\$8900
Books	\$600	\$600
Total	\$13,462	\$19,312

\*For purposes of determining loan eligibility, no distinction is made for living expenses (room, board, and personal items) between students living off-campus and those on-campus. However, the actual average institutional room and board charge for 1990-1991 is \$3746.

Many community and fraternal groups as well as local and state chapters of professional organizations have scholarship programs. Individuals are encouraged to consider these additional sources of financial aid and must follow the application procedures of the donor.

## SCHOLARSHIPS

### THE ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIPS

The Alumni Scholarships are awarded in varying amounts to candidates for the Juris Doctor degree. Awards are made on an annual basis and are not ordinarily renewable as a matter of right.

### THE ROBERT F. BOYD AND JAMES M. BOYD FELLOWSHIP

Through generous gifts to the Marshall-Wythe School of Law Foundation, Robert F. Boyd, Class of 1952, and James M. Boyd, Class of 1987, have established a fellowship to be presented annually to an outstanding student who is a Virginia resident intending to practice in the state, who is of high moral character, and possesses demonstrated attributes of leadership and service to the Law School and/or the community.

## THE GORDON E. CAMPBELL SCHOLARSHIP

The Gordon E. Campbell Scholarship was established in memory of Gordon E. Campbell of Norfolk, Virginia and the Class of 1929 by his wife and is to be given each year to a deserving law student.

## THE J. D. CARNEAL SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is awarded on an annual basis to a candidate for the degree of Master of Laws in Taxation who shows unusual promise in the practice of tax law. It has been made possible by the continuing generosity of Mrs. J.D. Carneal of Richmond, Virginia, who established the scholarship in memory of her husband, the late J.D. Carneal.

## THE CHRISTIAN, BARTON, EPPS, BRENT & CHAPPELL SCHOLARSHIP

An annual award of funds for a scholarship is made by the law firm of Christian, Barton, Epps, Brent & Chappell of Richmond, Virginia. This scholarship will be awarded on the basis of merit to a third year student who is either a resident of or intends to practice law in Virginia.

## THE T. C. CLARKE LAW FELLOWSHIP

The T. C. Clarke Law Fellowship was established by a gift from Mr. T. C. Clarke and his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Clarke, of Norfolk. The fellowship is awarded annually to a deserving student from the Commonwealth of Virginia who is in need of financial assistance while attending the Marshall-Wythe School of Law. T. C. Clarke is a William and Mary alumnus and a former Vice Rector of the Board of Visitors.

## THE RUSSELL M. COX SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship was established in 1945 in memory of Russell M. Cox of Portsmouth, Virginia, who was killed in action in World War II. It is awarded annually to a student in the third year of law study who has demonstrated significant improvement in academic performance during the first two years.

## THE MATTHEW GAULT EMERY LAW SCHOLARSHIP

The late Theodore Sullivan Cox, who was for many years Dean of the Law School, left the College funds to establish the Matthew Gault Emery Law Scholarship, to be awarded each year to "an intelligent, deserving and personable law student at William and Mary."

## THE WILLIAM A. R. GOODWIN MEMORIAL FUND SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS

These scholarships are awarded on a competitive basis to college graduates who are candidates for the law degree. They are based primarily on ability, character and leadership potential. Some scholarships are renewable for subsequent years, provided the recipients maintain a B average and comply with certain other conditions. The minimum requirements for consideration are academic standing in the upper one-fifth of one's class and a Law

School Admissions Test score ranking above the seventieth percentile.

## THE LEWIS ARLINGTON HALE FELLOWSHIP

Earle T. Hale, a 1970 graduate of the Marshall-Wythe School of Law, has established an endowment fund in memory of his father, Lewis Arlington Hale, to provide financial assistance to law students with preference given to students who are married and are veterans.

## THE ARTHUR B. HANSON FELLOWSHIP

The late Arthur B. Hanson, Class of 1940, through generous gifts to the Marshall-Wythe School of Law Foundation, established the Arthur B. Hanson Fellowship to be presented to an outstanding student.

## THE MARY SIEGRIST HINZ LEADERSHIP FELLOWS

The Mary Siegrist Hinz Leadership Fellows program was created in memory of Mary Siegrist Hinz, Class of 1985. The fellowship was established by generous contributions from her family, friends and classmates. The award equals a full tuition scholarship and will be presented to students who demonstrate academic excellence, compassion for others, and commitment to athletic achievement.

## THE GARY JOEL HIRSCH SCHOLARSHIP

The Gary Joel Hirsch Scholarship is presented to a male law student who has completed two years of study at the Law School, and whose character, personality, leadership abilities and activities in the affairs of the Law School are such that he should be accorded special recognition. This scholarship was established by gifts from the family and friends of Gary Joel Hirsch.

## THE R. M. HUGHES, SR. ENDOWMENT SCHOLARSHIPS

The R. M. Hughes, Sr. Scholarships are made possible by a bequest of R. M. Hughes, Sr., and are awarded annually to entering first year law students who have demonstrated academic promise but who need financial assistance to relieve them from the necessity of outside employment during their first year of law studies. Each scholarship is valued at \$1,000 per school year, payable at the rate of \$500 per semester, and is nonrenewable.

## THE HUNTON & WILLIAMS SCHOLARSHIP

An annual award of funds for a scholarship is made by the law firm of Hunton & Williams in Richmond, Virginia.

## THE HERBERT V. KELLY FELLOWSHIP

In 1984 the firm of Jones, Blechman, Woltz & Kelly created a fellowship to honor their partner, Herbert V. Kelly, a 1943 graduate of the Marshall-Wythe School of Law and former Rector of the College of William and Mary. His partners wished to recognize the considerable efforts of Mr. Kelly toward the development of his alma mater.



The 1989 National Moot Court team of Elizabeth Deininger, Michael McAuliffe and Joe Gerbasi are pictured with Dean Sullivan after the team captured the First Place, Best Brief, and Best Oral Argument awards at the 39th Annual National Moot Court Competition sponsored by the Association of the Bar of the City of New York, the profession's oldest and most prestigious moot court competition.

### THE DAVIS Y. PASCHALL LAW SCHOLARSHIP

Created in 1970 in honor of Davis Y. Paschall, President Emeritus of the College, this scholarship is awarded annually to a worthy third year law student.

### THE J. WILLIAM SIEGFRIED, JR. SCHOLARSHIPS

Eleanor O. Siegfried, in honor of her husband J. William Siegfried of Fork Union, Virginia, and a graduate of the College of William and Mary in 1931, has established a scholarship fund in the Marshall-Wythe School of Law Foundation to provide financial assistance to deserving law students.

### THE PAUL M. SHAPIRO MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The family and friends of the late Paul M. Shapiro, Class of 1963, have funded this scholarship in his memory for an annual award to a William and Mary law student who, upon completion of the

requirements for the Juris Doctor degree, intends to continue in residence in the Master of Laws in Taxation program.

### THE WILLIAM F. SWINDLER SCHOLARSHIP

The William F. Swindler Scholarship has been established through contributions made in memory of his devotion and dedication to the Law School. First a journalist, then a lawyer, Dr. Swindler served as resident historian and constitutional history expert at the Law School.

### THE COLONEL RICHARD E. WALCK SCHOLARSHIP

The Colonel Richard E. Walck Scholarship was established through gifts from faculty colleagues and friends of Richard E. Walck, Associate Dean and Professor of Law, on the occasion of his retirement in 1984 from the Marshall-Wythe School of Law.

**TOTAL APPLICANT GROUP FOR 1990**

In each box, the figure to the left of the slash represents admitted applicants, while the figure to the right of the slash represents applicants (e.g., 2/10 in a box means 2 of 10 applicants with that combination of LSAT and GPA were accepted).

Figures reflect admission decisions as of 5/1/90. These profiles reflect all applications including all applicant groups.

<b>LSAT SCORE or AVERAGE SCORE (10-48)</b>										
<b>GPA</b>	<b>No Reportable LSAT</b>	<b>10-15</b>	<b>16-20</b>	<b>21-25</b>	<b>26-30</b>	<b>31-35</b>	<b>36-40</b>	<b>41-45</b>	<b>46-48</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>3.75 &amp; Above</b>	0/0	0/0	0/1	0/5	1/12	4/30	33/70	51/53	8/8	97/179
<b>3.74-3.50</b>	0/0	0/0	0/1	0/9	1/24	2/87	56/191	85/88	13/13	157/413
<b>3.49-3.25</b>	0/0	0/1	0/3	0/11	0/54	5/146	42/284	146/168	27/28	220/695
<b>3.24-3.00</b>	0/0	0/0	0/6	0/34	4/71	6/156	8/286	70/172	13/17	101/742
<b>2.99-2.75</b>	0/0	0/1	0/7	0/38	5/69	9/123	3/181	9/119	7/19	33/557
<b>2.74-2.50</b>	0/0	0/2	0/7	0/36	0/74	2/79	6/108	1/52	2/11	11/369
<b>2.49-2.00</b>	0/0	0/3	0/10	0/21	0/43	2/47	2/48	1/31	0/5	5/208
<b>Below 2.00</b>	0/0	0/2	0/6	0/4	0/2	0/5	0/4	0/2	0/0	0/25
<b>No Summary GPA</b>	0/43	0/0	0/0	0/1	0/0	0/1	0/3	1/3	0/0	1/51
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0/43</b>	<b>0/9</b>	<b>0/41</b>	<b>0/159</b>	<b>11/349</b>	<b>30/674</b>	<b>150/1175</b>	<b>364/688</b>	<b>70/101</b>	<b>625/3239</b>

## ACADEMIC CALENDAR 1990-1991

### 1990 FALL SEMESTER

August 20-24	Legal Skills and Orientation
August 27	Classes Begin
November 21-23	Thanksgiving Holiday
December 5	Classes End
December 8-21	Examination Period
December 21	Beginning of Winter Holiday

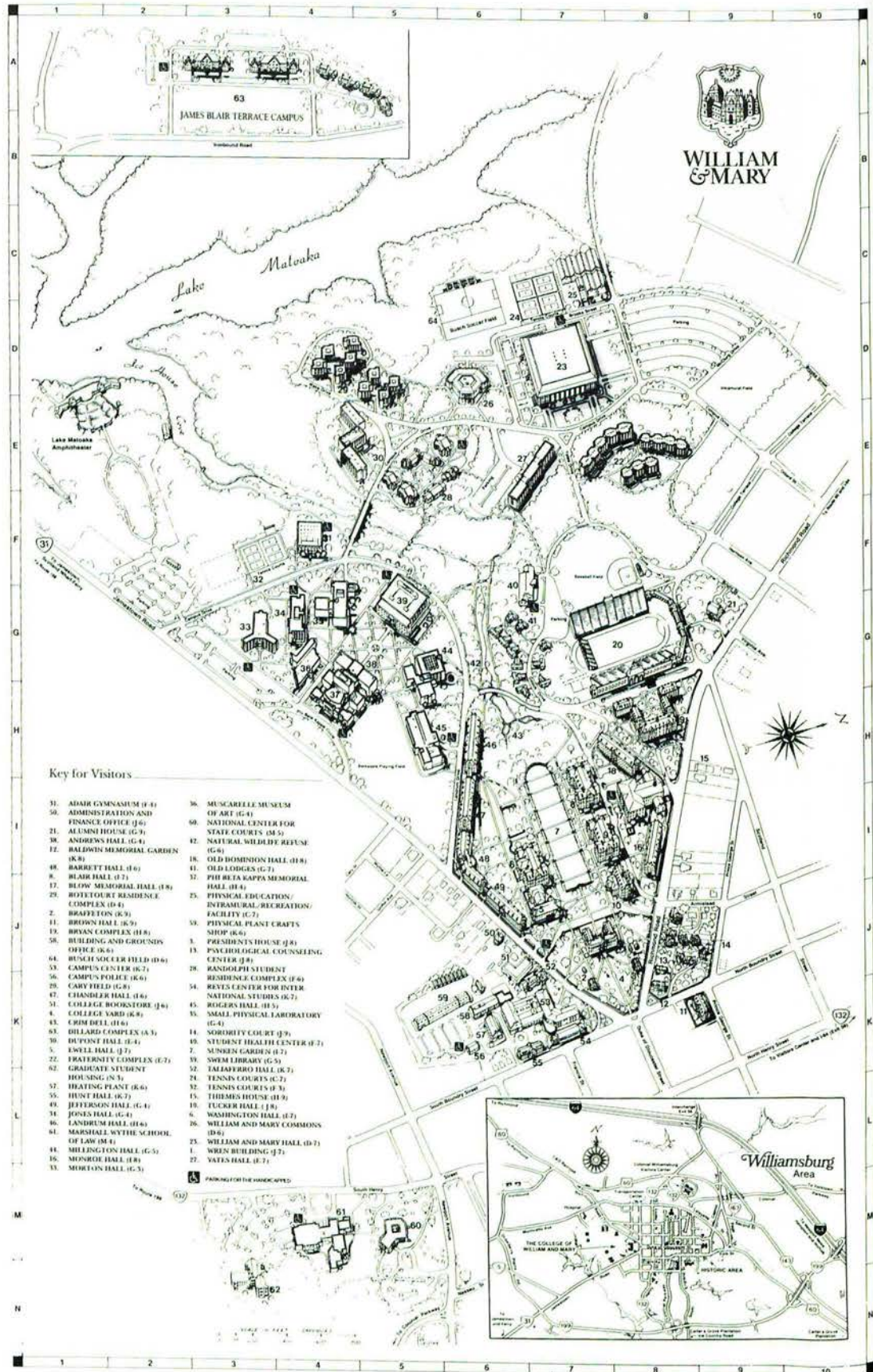
### 1991 SPRING SEMESTER

January 14	Classes Begin
March 4-8	Spring Holiday
April 26	Classes End
April 29-May 13	Examination Period
May 19	Commencement

# GENERAL STATEMENT OF POLICY

Within the limits of its facilities and its obligations as a state university, the College of William and Mary opens the possibility of admission and participation in its educational programs, educational policies, financial aid or other school-administered programs to all qualified persons without regard to sex, race, color, age, religion, national origin, sexual orientation, or handicap. The university will seek to provide reasonable accommodations to individuals with disabilities. This policy is enforced by federal law under Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973. Under a plan approved by the Board of Visitors and the Commonwealth of Virginia, the university has implemented activities to promote the recruitment and retention of black students. Inquiries regarding compliance with the College's equal opportunity and affirmative action programs and procedures may be directed to Mr. Dale B. Robinson, College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, Virginia 23185.

The College reserves the right to make changes in the regulations, charges, and curricula listed herein at any time.



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