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# CAVEAT

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## PROFILE - ENTERING CLASS OF 1975

With Special Admits Included:

		LSAT			GPA			INDEX		(predicted first year G.P.A.)
		Mean	Median		Mean	Median		Mean	Median	
All Stdnts	(264)	601.4	611	(255)	2.90	2.88	(254)	2.49	2.55	
Day Stdnts	(169)	601.4	611	(164)	2.95	2.95	(163)	2.51	2.56	
Eve Stdnts	(95)	601.5	610	(91)	2.81	2.76	(91)	2.45	2.54	
Male Stdnts	(162)	610.6	621	(157)	2.86	2.80	(156)	2.51	2.57	
Female Stdnts	(102)	586.8	598	(98)	2.96	2.96	(98)	2.46	2.53	
Ranges:		365 to 775			2.01 to 3.93			1.38 to 3.14		

### HELP WANTED BY ALUMNI PUBLICATION

Two associate editors for the new alumni publication are needed. The job will involve analytical writing and provide contact with the professional community. Please submit writing samples (published samples preferred) to the "alumni affairs" box in the faculty center by November 7, 1975.

### CORRECTION

The newly elected first year night representative to the SBA is Amalia Attruia. Sorry, Amalia, for the goof.

### NOTE OF THANKS FROM GRATEFUL STUDENT

Randy Berning would like to thank the special friends who were so considerate and helpful after he fractured his ankle at the recent SBA Picnic: Rene Feinstein, Steve Nessler, Meredith Lenell and Ray Olmstead.

### FOREST SERVICE WATCH DOG PROJECT REPORT

The Sierra Club Regional Wilderness co-ordinator has suggested that a group of interested students from our school take responsibility for watching the planning for the southern section of Trinity National Forest. At our meeting Oct. 29th several people agreed to take a few days during the first two weeks of January to go to the forest headquarters in Redding to look through their files for interesting material. The proposed long range plan and the accompanying Environmental Impact Statement for that area are supposed to come out in draft form in Feb., we wanted to become familiar with what has gone into the planning and the EIS before it was published. We will also take a trip into this part of the Trinity forest at that time, weather permitting. Anyone interested leave a note in the CAVEAT box or call Peter Smith at 665-5721.

### SURVEY : PLEASE NOTE THERE IS ANOTHER SURVEY ON REVERSE, FILL OUT BOTH, CLIP AND RETURN

The Women's Association is planning two seminars on Pleadings and Practice for women students. The first session is tentatively planned for Wed. Nov.12 at 6 p.m., and the second for Wed. Nov. 19 at 6 p.m. Karen Kadushin will give an overview of P & P and there will be a brief objective test on the 12th. On the 19th Dena Thaler will talk on exam-writing and there will be an essay question. If you are interested in participating, please return this slip to the box in the Women's Lounge by Thursday, November 6.

Yes, interested

Comments \_\_\_\_\_

UFW BOYCOTT MUST CONTINUE - SPEAD THE WORD

There is a current misunderstanding among UFW supporters which we would like to set straight. Many people thought that the passage of California's Agricultural Labor Relations Act (ALRA) last summer signaled the end of the boycott. The fact is that the farmworkers need the boycott more than ever.

Although we now have a good law establishing an Agricultural Labor Relations Board to supervise elections by which the farmworkers can choose the union of their choice, the growers still do not respect the law or the right of the farmworkers to select their own representatives. This is evidenced by the grower's commission of unfair labor practices around the elections such as their arbitrary firing of UFW sympathizers just before the elections, the hiring of new workers just before the elections to jack up the Teamster vote, refusing UFW organizers access to workers while stopping work to give Teamster organizers access to workers, etc.

While ALRA states that failure to bargain in good faith is an unfair labor practice the growers continue to undermine the fairness of the elections. The boycott is our most potent weapon to ensure that the growers deal in good faith because it hits them where they hurt, in the pocketbook! Farmworkers assume that Gallo and the other growers will put their lawyers to work to delay and frustrate the intent of ALRA. The continuing boycott will help persuade the growers to cooperate with the spirit and the letter of the new law.

Elections do not guarantee contracts and the ultimate aim of UFW is to secure strong contracts for the farmworkers. If the UFW loses an election then the boycott of the affected product will terminate immediately. If the UFW wins the election the boycott will continue until strong contracts are signed.

Sincerely,  
GGU Law School's United  
Farmworkers Support Group

Note: Current tally: UFW-118, Teamsters-82

WITH 16 elections pending

SCENIC ATTRACTIONS OF LOWER MARKET STREET

BY RANDY PADGETT

I'm sure that by this point the rush of beginning and/or returning to good old Golden Gate is wearing rather thin. The library, jammed with about twice as many bodies as it can reasonably hold, just doesn't seem all that attractive through the clouds of CO2. At times like this, I know that my feet start telling me it's time to get up and do a little walking in order to clear my head out. The question is where to go. If there was money to be made in urban parks, the bombed-out rubble that is to one day be that bottomless pit of taxpayers' dollars, Yerba Buena, would instead be grass and trees. But since that is never to be, we must look for other opportunities.

Perhaps the closest place in the out-of-doors where one can escape the fumes of the 11 Hoffman is the BART ventilation pier at the foot of Market Street (behind the Ferry Building). There are always a few people fishing or trapping crabs off it, and, of course, you can always watch the container ships heading into the Port of Oakland. In the Ferry Building itself are the offices of the California Division of Mines and Geology, which has a library and publications which will tell you far more than you ever wanted to know about the formation of Pt. Reyes, the susceptibility of various parts of San Francisco to earthquake damage, and the mining of semi-precious gems in San Diego County. There is also a very nice museum, with all sorts of nuggets, gems, semi-precious stones, ores and just plain rocks. All in all, it's a very nice place to kill an hour.

A little closer to home is the Rincon Annex Post Office at Mission and Steuart Streets (about 3 blocks toward the Bay from GGU). The Post Office itself is pretty grim, but the murals which decorate the main floor are fantastic. The murals were painted by a French-born artist, Anton Refregier, between the years 1946 and 1948. In essence, the murals tell the story of the development and history of the Bay Area from before the Spanish penetration until the founding (con't)

IN FORMULATING WAYS TO INCREASE JOB OPPORTUNITIES FOR WOMEN LAW STUDENTS WE NEED YOUR HELP.  
PLEASE FILL OUT AND RETURN TO THE BOX IN THE 2ND FLOOR WOMEN'S LOUNGE

THANK YOU

CIRCLE ONE:

\_\_\_\_\_  
WOMAN'S NAME

1st      2nd      3rd      4th year

PLEASE CHECK THOSE ITEMS WHICH EXPRESS YOUR INTEREST:

I'm interested in working for an attorney:

\_\_\_\_\_ Summer Only  
\_\_\_\_\_ Throughout the Year  
\_\_\_\_\_ Full-time  
\_\_\_\_\_ Part-time \_\_\_\_\_ hrs/wk

\_\_\_\_\_ Salaried Only  
\_\_\_\_\_ For Clinic credit  
\_\_\_\_\_ Volunteer (No credit)

CURRICULUM COMMITTEE QUESTIONNAIRE

(See Article on Page 3)

This is a questionnaire on changing the length of first year courses from year long to semester long, possibly also incorporating a reduction of credit value for some of the courses.

(YOU DO NOT HAVE TO BE A FIRST YEAR STUDENT TO ANSWER THIS)

1. I like \_\_\_ do not like \_\_\_ the idea of making some or all of the first year courses semester-long.

2. My reason for liking the proposal is \_\_\_\_\_

My reason for not liking the proposal is \_\_\_\_\_

3. I have these suggestions about any such proposal (e.g. which courses should be involved; whether it would also work in second year, in night school, etc.)

I am a day/night student

I am in 1st 2nd 3rd 4th year.

SCENIC ATTRACTIONS OF LOWER MARKET STREET, CON'T

of the United Nations. The political content of the way Refregier expressed this story was so gh that it prompted a Congressional investigation, which almost succeeded in having them destroyed. Among the more controversial of the panels are the following:

Panel 14 (Torchlight Procession): celebrating the beginnings of the struggle for the 8 hour day. Originally the signs stated that theme, but the postal authorities forced Refegier to omit the content. That's why the bases of the signs are now so high. Panel 19 (Chinese Riots) : Actually should be Anfi-Chinese Riots. These riots took place in 1877 as the result of demogogic attempts to blame the economic depression of that year on the presence of Chinese labor. Panel 23 (The Mooney Case): Again mistitled, this should actually be the Mooney-Billings case, after two labor organizers and radicals who were convicted

the flimsiest of evidence of having planted a bomb which killed 10 people at a "Preparedness Day" parade on July 22, 1916. After an international campaign for their release, they were both freed in 1938 after 22 years in prison. Panel 24

(The Waterfront 1934): This panel deals with the great maritime strike of 1934. In response to the hated shape-up of longshoreworkers, and in order to win a union hiring hall, the dock workers struck.

National Guard was called out to break the strike, and in the violence that ensued, 2 longshoreworkers were killed. As a result of this, 130,000 workers in San Francisco joined the strike, completely shutting the city down for 4 days. The strike also spread to waterfronts from Seattle to San Diego. Due to the armed strength of the Chamber of Commerce in the form of the National Guard and also due to misleadership on the part of the SF Central Labor Council, not all the demands of the strikers were won. However, the hiring hall did become a reality.

Other places you might be interested in checking out include the Old Mint at 5th and Mission, which was one of the very few buildings in that area to survive the fire which followed the 1906 earthquake, and which now is a museum containing a great deal of history on the quake, and the U.S. Post Office/9th Circuit Court of Appeals Building at 7th and Mission, which has the most gorgeously tasteless use of dark wood and marble which I have ever seen.

And, of course, if you want to stretch your feet a little more, Chinatown, Telegraph Hill and North Beach aren't all that far away. So, if your mind needs to be cleared out, and if you don't feel you can wait for the promised building and its small courtyard with trees and a fountain, why not check out some of these suggestions.

CURRICULUM COMMITTEE QUESTIONNAIRE

The curriculum committee is considering various proposals which would convert some or most of the first year day courses from year-long to semester long, possibly also incorporating a reduction of credit value for some of the courses. For instance, one proposal envisions Contracts as a year-long six-unit course (as it is now), but would compress Torts and Civil Procedure (i.e. our present Pleading and Jurisdiction courses) into five-unit courses each, offered in first semester, and then Crimes and Property would be taught as five-unit courses in second semester.

Claimed advantages for this sort of rearrangement are: 1) in addition to writing and research students would cover only three substantive courses at any one time, rather than five, thereby reducing confusion; 2) there will be fewer exams to prepare for in any one semester; 3) second semester courses can 'build' on first semester courses; 4) the increased pace of the courses will permit more efficient teaching and greater coverage.

Claimed disadvantages are: a) fewer role models (I.E. exposure to three rather than five faculty members in one semester); b) increased faculty-student friction in some cases due to more frequent contact; c) less interaction between the basic courses.

The curriculum committee desires to obtain students' views on the principle of converting courses from year-long to semester-long, and not on the merits of any particular version of this. There is included in the CAVEAT a short questionnaire to that effect. The Committee would be grateful if you would take a minute and fill it out and leave it at the Dean's office.

CAVEAT is published weekly by students of Golden Gate University School of Law. Views expressed in CAVEAT are not necessarily those of the University, the law school, or of the Student Bar Association. Opinions articles, and drawings are welcome. Submit to the CAVEAT office by Thursday noon for publication in the following Monday's edition.

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FIRST YEAR STUDENTS: HERE'S HOW TO RECEIVE A \$50 B.A.R. COURSE DEDUCTION

The Bay Area Review Course announces that 1st Year students enrolling in the first year program will receive a \$50 tuition rebate which will be deducted from his or her Senior B.A.R. Review. So, if you pay the \$150 first year program tuition for the course beginning in S.F. on March 1st, the senior B.A.R course cost after graduation from law school will be \$50 less for you.

Your B.A.R. student representative will make this same announcement in class and will have brochures and contracts available.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS, WEEK OF NOVEMBER 3 - NOVEMBER 10

TUESDAY, November 4

WORLD AFFAIRS COUNCIL OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA:

Israel's position vis-a-vis the Third World will be assessed by Dr. Susan A. Gitelson, Research Associate at the Middle East Institute at Columbia University on Tues. Nov.4, at 5:45. For more information and reservations call 982-2541

Wednesday, November 5

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL AND VOLLEYBALL:

S.F.'s Women's Center sponsors a Women's night for basketball and volleyball every Wednesday at 7 p.m. at the Upper Noe Valley Recreation Center at Day St. For more information call 431-1414 or 431-1180.

UFW SUPPORT COMMITTEE

The United Farmworkers Support Committee will meet at noon on Wed. November 5 on the second floor of the law school. Legal Research projects in S.F. and legal work in the valley on the challenges to the recent Farmworker elections will be discussed as well as boycott activities. ALL ARE WELCOME.

Thursday, November 6

WORLD AFFAIRS COUNCIL OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA:

Former White House Aide Thomas J. Peters will discuss problems of international narcotics control and what policies should be adopted by the U.S. government at World Affairs Council Forum on Thursday, Nov.6 at 5:45 p.m. 406 Sutter St. S.F. Phone 982-2541 for more information or reservations.

PLACEMENT CENTER ACTIVITIES FOR ALL STUDENTS

Come listen, ask questions and learn about employment opportunities now and in the future. On Thursday, Nov. 6 there will be a session with Glenn Carr, Executive director of the Reginald Heber Smith Community Lawyer Fellowship Program, 9:45 to 10:45 AM, Room 209.

On Tuesday, November 11, a 6-attorney panel discussing all aspects of setting up and conducting a private practice will be at GGU, 4:00 to 6:00 PM, Room 207.

On Thursday, November 20, the State of California Attorney General's Office will hold a session about graduate and summer opportunities, with Special Assistant Herb Ellingwood, 12 to 1:15 PM, Room 205.

REMEMBER!

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 27th and FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 28th are school holidays. However, both the Business and Law Libraries will be open their regular weekend hours.

December 1, 2 and 3 are make-up days for holidays.  
December 1 - Monday's classes will be held  
December 2 - Thursday's classes will be held  
December 3 - Friday's classes