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INTRODUCTION TO LAW SCHOOL
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Introduction To Law School

*Designed
for those
considering a
legal career*

*July 6-July 23,
1992
San Francisco,
California*

GOLDEN GATE

UNIVERSITY

SCHOOL OF LAW

1992 INTRODUCTION TO LAW SCHOOL

A three-week program designed to give participants a taste of law school.

This program affords people who are considering a legal career information about what it would be like to attend law school. In addition, the program serves as a head start for those already admitted to law school by providing them with an early introduction to the process of legal analysis and the world of law school.

Law School faculty members teach the program using the Socratic method of questioning students and challenging hypotheses. Classes therefore are quite lively and involve a high level of student participation. Participants read actual judicial opinions and advocate positions on behalf of "clients." In addition, participants learn and practice lawyering skills, including interviewing, counseling, negotiation, and dispute resolution. During the program, participants have an opportunity to take a typical law school examination, which is critiqued and returned to the student.

Students also learn about the law school admissions process, financial aid options, employment opportunities, and the personal and social concerns of law students. Participants may meet informally with students, faculty, and attorneys working in a wide variety of legal fields. At the end of the program, students receive a Certificate of Completion. Both a day and an evening program are offered to students.

"A great investment
and a lot of fun."

—1990 participant
Kathleen McGinn

THE CURRICULUM

WEEK I

Monday-Thursday, July 6-9

An Overview of the American Legal System

- Lectures and readings on the structure of the American judicial system
- Analysis of torts or contracts cases
- Introduction to the techniques of law study and legal analysis; using the law library
- Reading and "briefing" cases
- Welcoming reception

Friday, July 10, 6:15-9:00 p.m.

Small Group Workshops

- All about law school admissions, the L.S.A.T., financial aid
- Students talk about study techniques, extra-curricular activities, law school life

WEEK II

Monday-Thursday, July 13-16

Criminal Law

- In-depth discussion of some of the fundamental rules of criminal law
- Dilemmas of criminal law practice. Some of the topics to be discussed: "What are the qualities of a competent lawyer?"; "Is it ethical to represent the guilty?"

The Exam Process

- How to study for and write a law school exam

Friday, July 17, 6:15-9:00 p.m.

The Practice of Law

- Presentations on working while in law school; job options upon graduation; the daily life of a lawyer

FACULTY

- Meet and speak with distinguished practitioners about the kinds of work that lawyers do; includes attorneys engaged in such areas as Immigration Law, Corporate Practice, Family Law, Labor Law, Real Estate Law, Criminal Law, Environmental Law, and Space Law

WEEK III

Monday-Thursday, July 20-23

Litigation Techniques

- An examination of the process of litigation from the filing of a complaint through trial

Developing Lawyering Skills

- Proceeding from a given fact situation, participants will interview a potential client in a privacy action, negotiate or argue a case, and observe mock court proceeding
- Award of Certificate and reception

"A most fascinating educational experience—great instructors."

—1991 participant
Madeleine Plumer



This course is conducted by Golden Gate University School of Law,* and all professors are experienced, full-time law faculty. Faculty who have participated in the program include:

Associate Dean Elaine Andersson, J.D., U.C. Berkeley. After graduation she practiced with the firm of Pillsbury, Madison and Sutro. She is the Director of Golden Gate's Academic Assistance Program and also teaches Property and the Real Estate Clinic.

Assistant Dean Sally M. Dickson, J.D., Rutgers University. Currently at Stanford Law School, she was Assistant Dean and Director of the Academic Assistance Program at Golden Gate from 1982 to 1988. She teaches Administrative Law and Criminal Procedure.

Professor Janice Kosel, J.D., U.C. Berkeley. A professor of Contracts, Commercial Law, and Community Property at Golden Gate University Law School, who is the author of several books. She has also taught at Santa Clara Law School.

Professor Myron Moskowitz, J.D., U.C. Berkeley. Professor Moskowitz teaches Criminal Law, Criminal Procedure, Appellate Advocacy, and Landlord-Tenant Clinic at Golden Gate University Law School. He has written extensively in these areas.

Dean Anthony Pagano, J.D., University of Michigan. A specialist in Estate Planning and Federal Tax, Dean Pagano has been at Golden Gate University Law School for 20 years. He has also taught at the University of San Diego Law School.

Professor Bernard Segal, J.D., University of Pennsylvania. A nationally renowned criminal defense specialist and trial advocacy instructor, Professor Segal is also the coach of Golden Gate University's mock trial teams.

Professor Marc Stickgold, J.D., Northwestern University. He taught at Wayne State University Law School before joining the Golden Gate faculty. He has written on free speech, police surveillance, and clinical legal education. Professor Stickgold teaches Constitutional Law, Civil Procedure, Trial Advocacy, and Legal Counseling.

**Accredited by the American Bar Association; Member of Association of American Law Schools.*

REGISTRATION FORM: 1992 INTRODUCTION TO LAW SCHOOL

Name _____ first _____ middle _____ last _____
Mailing Address _____ street & no. _____
Telephone (_____) _____ Social Security No. _____
I wish to enroll in the day evening program (check one) Check here if you need housing information:
College or University _____
Major Field of Study _____
Highest Degree Earned _____ Year of Graduation _____
If currently employed, please indicate your occupation or profession: _____
Have you taken the Law School Admissions Test? Yes No
Have you applied to law school for 1992? Yes No

Signature _____ Date _____
Return this form with payment to: Introduction to Law School Program, Golden Gate University School of Law, 536 Mission Street, San Francisco, CA 94105-2968.
Application must be received by June 12, 1992.

WHEN AND WHERE

July 6-23, 1992

Offered *either* as a morning program or as an evening program.

Monday through Thursday 9:45 a.m.-12:30 p.m. (Day)
7/6-9, 7/13-16, 7/20-23 or 6:15-9:00 p.m. (Evening)

Both day and evening programs will also meet on Friday, 7/10, and on Friday, 7/17, from 6:15-9:00 p.m. Classes are held on Golden Gate University's main campus in the financial/legal/cultural center of San Francisco.

COST AND HOUSING

\$485.00 (includes books and materials). The cost of housing is not included. However, we can assist in obtaining housing in the area.

REGISTRATION

To register for the program, fill in and mail the attached registration form, with a check for \$485 (payable to Golden Gate University) to:

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San Francisco, CA 94105-2968.*

Registration forms and payment must be received by June 12, 1992, after which date payment is non-refundable. Enrollment is limited. Late registration will be accepted only if openings remain.

*For further information, call Robyn Gray,
Coordinator, at (415) 904-6807.*

"An exciting opportunity to get a sneak preview of law school."

**—1990 participant
Harlan Woodring**