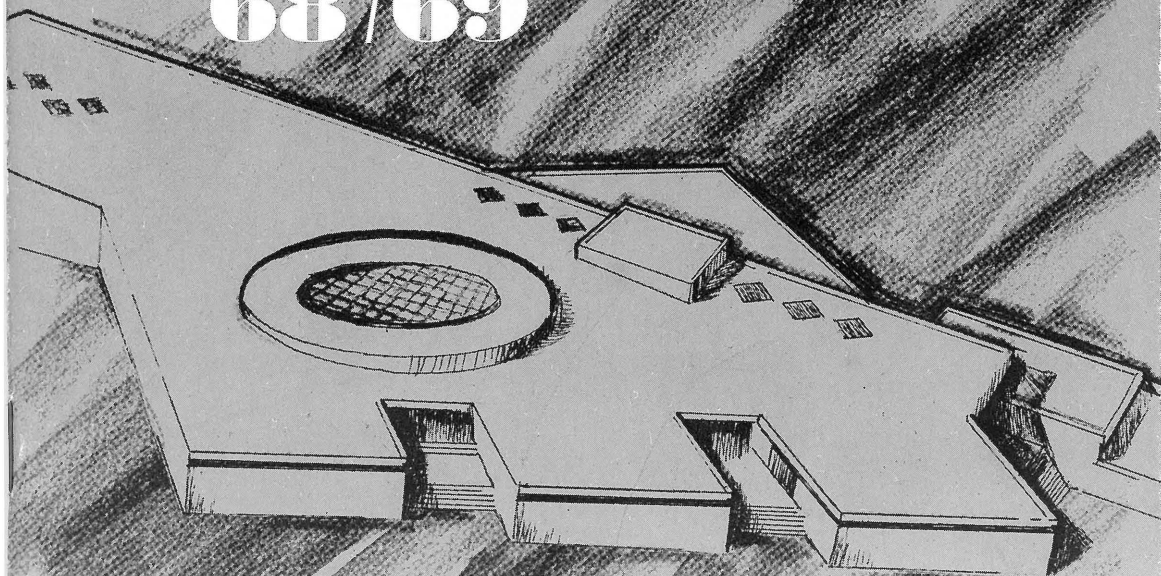


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Albuquerque, home of The University of New Mexico, is a modern, growing metropolis. Its 330,000 residents enjoy a unique cultural background which blends the antiquity of the Pueblo Indians with the heritage of the Spanish Conquistadores and the progressive spirit of the later-arriving Anglo-Americans.

Albuquerque is a mile-high (altitude 5,314 feet) city, seated in the rich Rio Grande Valley at the western edge of the picturesque Sandia Mountains. The dry, clean mountain air cools the area during the summer months and takes the sting out of the winter frost. Average maximum daytime summer temperature is 82.3 degrees. In winter the average is 55.6 degrees.

Albuquerque dates back to the 17th century, and its name is derived from the influential Spanish Duke of Albuquerque of that era.

It is the geographical, cultural, and commercial heart of New Mexico. Because Albuquerque is the hub of a fast-growing aerospace and nuclear industry, it has become one of the top scientific and educational centers in the Southwest.

Albuquerque has a large, creative artists' colony as do Santa Fe and Taos, both within easy driving distance. Civic theater and music groups in Albuquerque have attained national prominence, as has the outdoor Santa Fe Opera.

The high country of northern New Mexico where snow caps the tallest peaks the year around, the rugged mesas and grasslands of the east and central parts of the state, and the spectacular reaches of cactus-studded range provide a tremendous outdoor recreation potential, from skiing in the mountains to nature study in the desert.

One of the finest examples of The University of New Mexico's adaptation of the ancient Indian pueblo building style to its own architectural needs is the University's Administration Building.

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Front Cover—A sketch of the Law School's planned new Bratton Hall.

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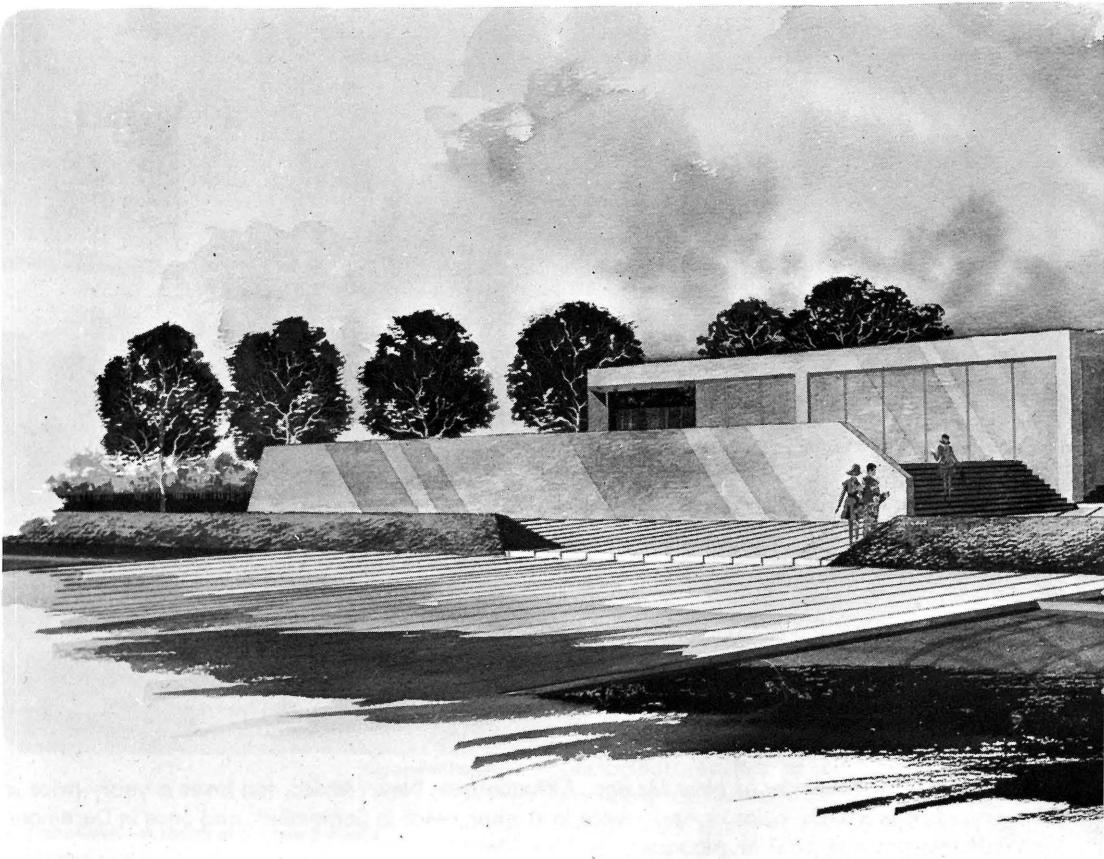
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An architect's conception of the southwest section of the School of Law's planned new Bratton Hall.



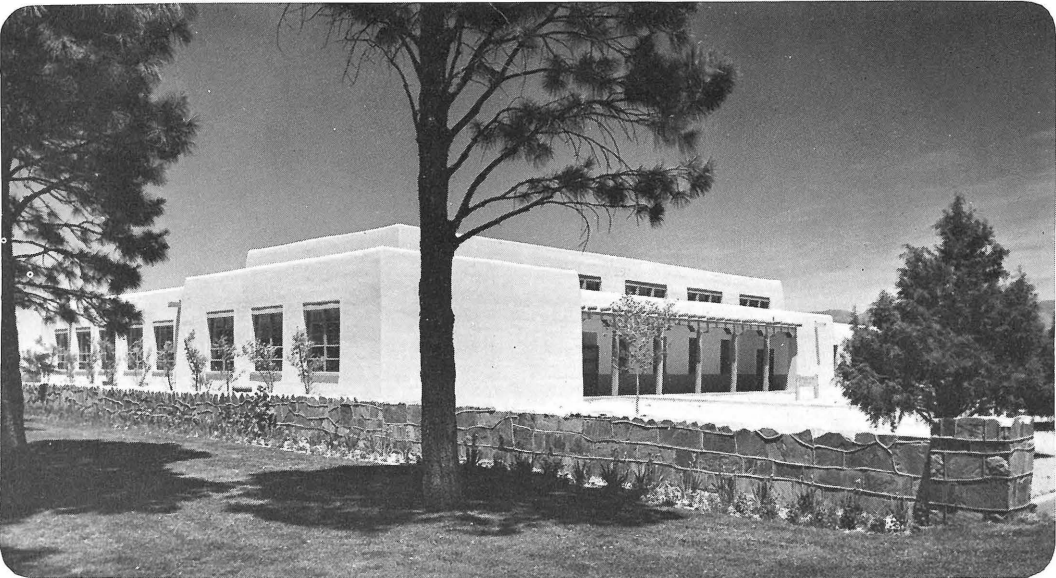
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The present School of Law Building.

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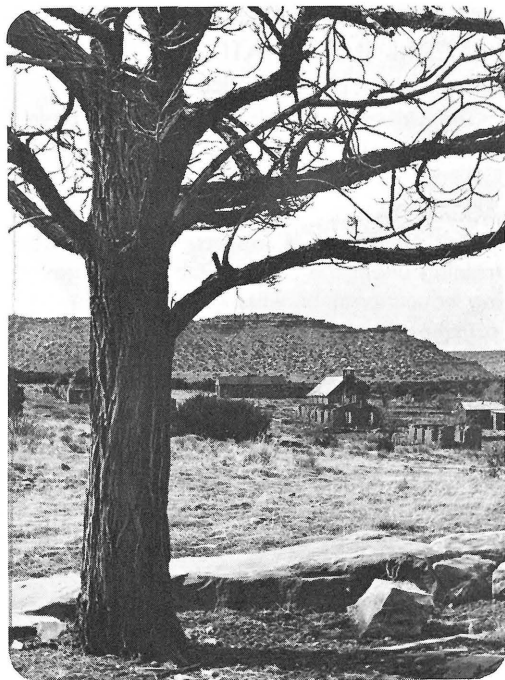
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The past is never far away in New Mexico. This ghost town, Trementina, was once a thriving settlement of Spanish-speaking farmers.



GENERAL INFORMATION: University of New Mexico

The University of New Mexico has been a member of the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools since 1922.

ACCREDITATION

The University is approved for veterans' training under the several Public Laws governing educational benefits.

HISTORY

The University of New Mexico was created by an act of the Territorial Legislature in 1889, opened as summer normal school on June 15, 1892, and began full-time instruction on September 21 of the same year. Its development since that time has been extraordinary. The 20 acres allotted by the Territorial Legislature for a campus have become more than 500; buildings have increased from a single structure to 94 permanent structures.

The University has 51 instructional departments; work leading to the master's degree is offered in 43 fields, and toward the doctor's degree in 20.

University administrators have for many years realized that the situation of The Univer-

sity of New Mexico provides it with a wealth of source material in the historical and archaeological background of the nation, and that its proximity to the Indian, Spanish, and Mexican cultures makes it a natural place for the study and appreciation of those cultures. They have, therefore, encouraged the development of Southwestern and Latin-American studies and research. Some tangible evidences of this interest are found in the uniform architectural style (a modification of the Indian pueblo), which has been described as "the outstanding example of the effective use of regional architecture in the United States," the offering of a major in Latin-American studies, the annual Field Session in Anthropology, the presence on the faculty of outstanding Latin-American artists and scholars, and the various examples of Indian, Mexican, and Spanish-American painting, carving, and weaving to be found throughout the campus buildings.

GOVERNMENT AND SUPPORT

The government of the University is vested in the Regents and the Faculty. Five Regents are appointed by the Governor of the State for a term of six years; the Governor and the Superintendent of Public Instruction are ex officio members of the Regents.



A scene in the School of Law Moot Court Room.

The University is supported chiefly by appropriations made by the State Legislature, by income from the rental of lands granted to it by the Federal Government, by the income from royalties on the oil taken from these lands, and by student fees.

CAMPUS AND BUILDINGS

The campus of The University of New Mexico is in the eastern section of the city of Albuquerque and comprises over 500 acres, landscaped with grass, giant cottonwoods, elms, and mountain evergreens. The 94 permanent buildings exemplify the University's distinctive architectural style, contemporary in treatment but with strong influence from the Spanish and Pueblo Indian cultures. The architecture is characterized by rectangular, terraced masses, protruding vigas, patios, balconies, portals, and earth-color walls slightly inclined to recall ancient adobe houses. Within easy walking distance of the instructional and administrative center of the campus are the dormitories, a 9-hole golf course, a swimming pool, tennis courts, campus theater, faculty residences, and sorority and fraternity houses. Also available is an 18-hole golf course.

SCHOOL OF LAW

ACCREDITATION

The School of Law was established in 1947, and it is fully accredited. It was approved by the American Bar Association on February 24, 1948. Membership in the Association of American Law Schools was granted in December, 1948.

AIMS AND METHODS

The lawyer who functions in his profession, whether as private practitioner or as public servant, is an integral part of the system by which a democratic society governs itself. If he is properly to discharge the responsibilities of this role, his education for the profession must be both broad and intensive. In its breadth it must encompass a full understanding of and belief in the democratic respect for the individual personality and the democratic processes designed to allow the individual to develop and participate in a free, self-governing society. In its intensification it must impart a high degree of competence in the craftsmanship of the law—in those skills and insights essential to an adequate performance of the lawyer's function as advocate, counselor, judge, legislator, teacher, administrator, or civic leader.

Such education neither begins nor ends in the law school, and the School of Law is con-

tinually concerned not only with its own curriculum but also with the quality of prelegal education and with the continuing self-education which should be pursued by all members of the profession. In consequence, it is urged that students enter the school with as broad a cultural and educational background as it is possible for them to obtain. The student will spend the equivalent of six semesters of study in the law school in courses designed both to bring the teachings of history, philosophy, and the social sciences to bear upon the solution of legal problems and to develop the skills and insights essential to research, analysis, criticism, drafting, counseling, and exposition. Due to the low ratio of students to teacher, substantial individual and small group work is possible in the school, especially in the senior year.

FACILITIES

Law Building

The law school has its own building, with classrooms, faculty offices, moot court room, student bar and law review offices, and law library. A new building is being planned to take care of a larger enrollment.

The Library

The law library is housed in the law building and contains approximately 72,000 volumes. It contains an excellent collection for study and research, and is kept current. The size of the book collection is being rapidly increased.

Courts and the Bar

State and municipal courts and the United States District Court are convenient to the law school. The students may not only visit them but are brought into contact with them through their work with the Legal Aid Society. Members of the bench and bar are generous in giving their time to speak to the students and in serving as lecturers. The law school conducts a regular program in continuing legal education.

NATURAL RESOURCES JOURNAL

The School of Law publishes the **Natural Resources Journal**, a periodical designed to provide a forum for the interchange of ideas relating to resources development and conservation among lawyers, economists, scientists, engineers, planners, and public administrators. The **Journal** also contains a New Mexico Section devoted to developments in state law and legal institutions whether or not related to natural resources.

One member of the faculty serves as editor of the **Journal**. Selected students of superior ability make up a student editorial board to aid in the editing and publishing of the **Journal** and to contribute to the New Mexico Section.

ADMISSION

Tests

All applicants for admission to the School of Law are required to take the Educational

Testing Service's Law School Admission Test (LSAT).

The LSAT is administered at this University and at numerous other places throughout the United States in February, April, August, and November of each year. To avoid delay in processing applications, this test should be taken no later than February preceding the fall semester for which application is made. An application to take the test must be filed with the Educational Testing Service, Box 944, Princeton, New Jersey 08540, at least three weeks in advance of the scheduled testing date. Application blanks and information as to precise testing dates can be obtained from the Educational Testing Service.

Beginning and transfer students may also be required to take speech, hearing, interest, and other tests before or after their entrance into the school.

Beginning Students

A baccalaureate degree from an accredited college or university is required for admission to the law school. The minimum qualitative requirement is a cumulative average of C on all previous college work. At least three years of work allowed for the baccalaureate degree must have been done in residence.

Final selection of applicants will be made on the basis of the scholastic record in all college or university work attempted, scores in the re-

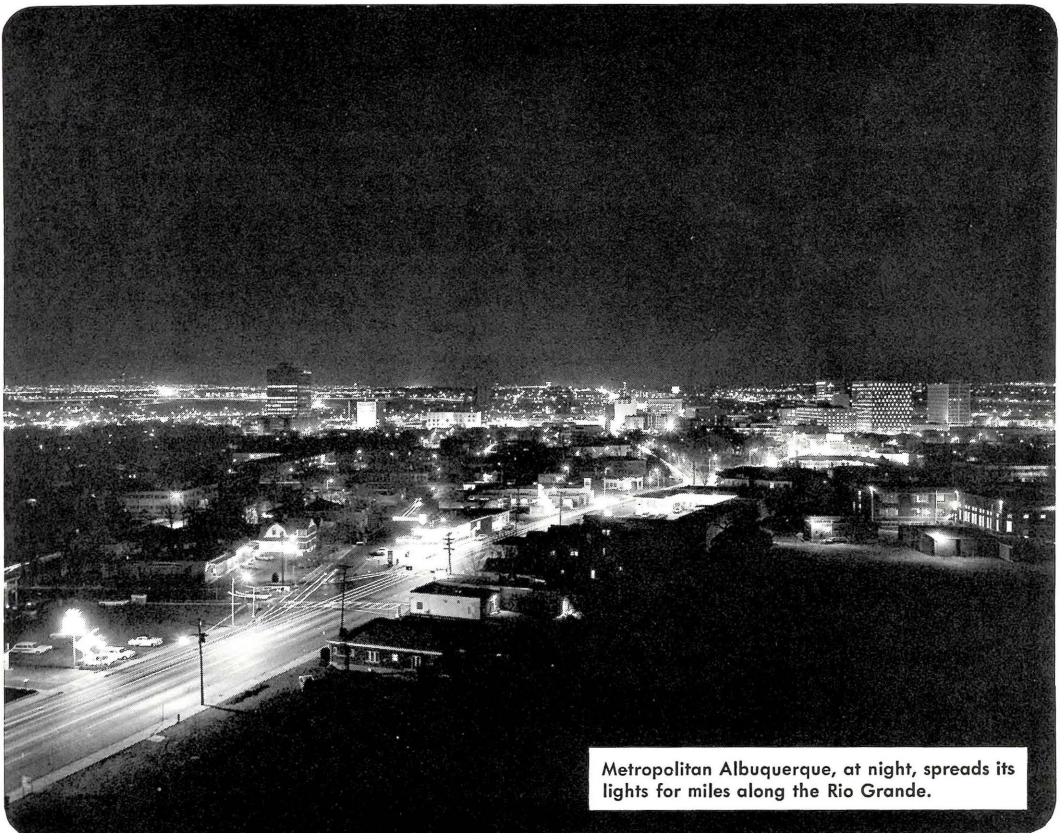
quired aptitude test, and such other information as the law school may require.

Beginning law students will be admitted at the opening of the fall semester only.

Combined Course.—Students of exceptional qualifications who are eligible to enter The University of New Mexico College of Arts and Sciences may be permitted to enter upon a combined course of college and law school study leading to the acquisition of a B.A. or B.S. degree in Arts and Sciences and the J.D. degree. A total of 6 years will normally be required to complete the combined course. Students with more than 35 semester hours' credit are not encouraged to apply for admission to the combined course, and students who have completed more than 65 semester hours are not eligible to enter the combined program. Applicants for permission to take the combined course should arrange to take, and to have the School of Law advised of their scores in, the

Law School Admission Test. Permission to pursue the combined course will be based upon the student's total scholastic record in all college work attempted, upon his scores in the LSAT, and upon such other information as the School of Law may require. Students planning to apply for the combined course should take the test and file their requests for permission with the School of Law no later than July 15 of the calendar year in which they wish to begin the combined course.

All students pursuing the combined course will be required to take a B.A. or B.S. degree in Arts and Sciences prior to or simultaneously with the receipt of the J.D. degree. For this purpose, they may credit against the B.A. or B.S. degree a minor in Law. In all other respects, they must meet normal degree requirements of the College of Arts and Sciences. Such students will take, during their sophomore and junior years in the College, three or



Metropolitan Albuquerque, at night, spreads its lights for miles along the Rio Grande.

four introductory courses in the law school. After the third year, the student enters the law school as a regular student and normally takes ten or more hours of law per semester.

Applications.—All correspondence regarding law work and entrance, all applications for admission, and all transcripts (**two** copies of each transcript are required) should be addressed to the School of Law, The University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico, 87106. An application for admission may be obtained from the School of Law. A \$10 application fee is required with the application. Applications will be processed upon the receipt of scores on the required test and two official transcripts from each institution attended, showing courses and grades for all academic work. The transcripts should be forwarded to the School of Law directly by the institution certifying them.

Transfer Students

A student may transfer from an accredited law school if he is in good standing at that school (i.e. not on probation or under suspension) and if his scholastic record is such that, had it been made at this school, he would be in good standing here. The transferring student must have sent to the School of Law:

1. **Two** official transcripts of his prelegal course of study from each college or university attended. The School of Law will not accept transfer law credit unless it was preceded by such prelaw study as was then required by this school for beginning law students.
2. **Two** official transcripts of his law study from each school attended.
3. A letter from the dean of the law school from which he transfers to the effect that he is presently not on probation or under suspension and is eligible to reregister and advance in that law school.

Credits earned at other law schools with a grade of D are not acceptable for subject credit, but grades of D and F will be included in determining whether the transfer student has the over-all C average necessary to enter this school in good standing. A transfer student may be required to retake some or all courses passed with a grade of D.

After admission under the above requirements for transfer with advanced standing, a student's standing in this school is based entirely upon work done here.

A student transferring to the School of Law will not be given credit toward the law degree for work done at a school not a member of the Association of American Law Schools or provisionally approved by the American Bar Association, except that credit earned within 3 calendar years of provisional approval by the American Bar Association may be accepted. Time during which a person was in active military service will be disregarded in computing the 3-year limitation.

Credit earned at law schools located in other countries may be accepted with certain limitations.

Transferring students who have not previously taken the Educational Testing Service's Law School Admission Test may be required to do so.

All correspondence regarding admission as a transfer student with advanced standing, all applications for such admission, and all transcripts should be addressed to the School of Law, The University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico, 87106. An application for admission may be obtained from the School of Law. A \$10 application fee is required with the application.

Applications will be processed upon receipt of required test scores, required official transcripts, and required letter from the dean of the law school from which the student is transferring. The transcripts should be forwarded to the School of Law directly by the institution certifying them.

Transfer students may be admitted in either the fall or the spring semester.

THE DEGREE

To be graduated with the Juris Doctor degree from The University of New Mexico, a candidate must:

- 1. Have met fully all prelegal requirements.
- 2. Have spent at least 3 full academic years in resident study of law in accredited law schools. Resident study means that a student has been enrolled in a schedule of work represented by a minimum of 10 class hours a week and has passed a minimum of 9 such class

hours. In case a student fails to pass work equal to 9 class hours a week, he will not receive residence credit in excess of the ratio that the hours passed bear to 9. A student enrolled in a schedule of less than 10 class hours a week will receive residence credit in the ratio that the hours passed bear to 10. **Both academic credit requirements and residence requirements must be met. A student cannot satisfy the residence requirements merely by earning extra academic credit.** At least one year (normally the last year) of resident study must be done at The University of New Mexico, and if but one year is done here, it must comprise not less than 12 semester hours of law credit each semester.

3. Have met all requirements for graduation, and have secured during such three or more years of resident study not less than 86 semester hours of credit in prescribed courses of law study with a C average on all work attempted for law credit. The 86-hour requirement applies to all students entering this law school (including transfers) in and after the fall semester, 1966. Students enrolled in this law school prior to that date are required to have 83 hours. (For specific grade requirements on certain required courses, see p. 22, *infra*.)

THE DEGREE WITH HONORS

The J.D. degree may, in the discretion of the faculty, be awarded with the honors indicated to graduating students who have successfully completed the requirements prescribed by the faculty and who have achieved the following over-all grade point averages in their law school work:

	(B = 3)
cum laude	3.4
magna cum laude	3.6
summa cum laude	3.8

PART-TIME STUDENTS AND OUTSIDE WORK

It is the general policy of the School of Law that students shall enroll in a full-time program of instruction. In the case of students engaged in their first year of law study, a full-time program consists of the entire prescribed first-year program. In the case of all other students (except those who will complete the requirements

for graduation at the close of the current semester), a full-time program consists of not fewer than twelve semester hours.

Students are required to secure written permission of the dean before engaging in outside work. Normally not more than 15 hours a week of outside work are permitted.

BAR EXAMINATIONS

The degree in law from this University will not confer the privilege of practicing law in New Mexico or elsewhere. The degree will satisfy the requirement of graduation from a law school which is a member of the Association of American Law Schools or which is ap-

proved by the American Bar Association, as a prerequisite to completing other requirements for bar admission. The School of Law has been approved by the Board of Regents of the State of New York. Information concerning the New Mexico bar examination can be obtained from the Secretary, State Board of Bar Examiners, Supreme Court Building, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

STUDENT AID Scholarships

All applications for scholarships should be filed with the dean's office by June 15.

Sam and Frances Joy Dazzo Scholarship Fund. The income from a trust fund of \$5,000,



Each autumn Santa Fe—New Mexico's capital 60 miles north of Albuquerque—celebrates its 17th century reconquest by Don Diego de Vargas with a three-day Fiesta, replete with dances, tableaux, processions, and parades.

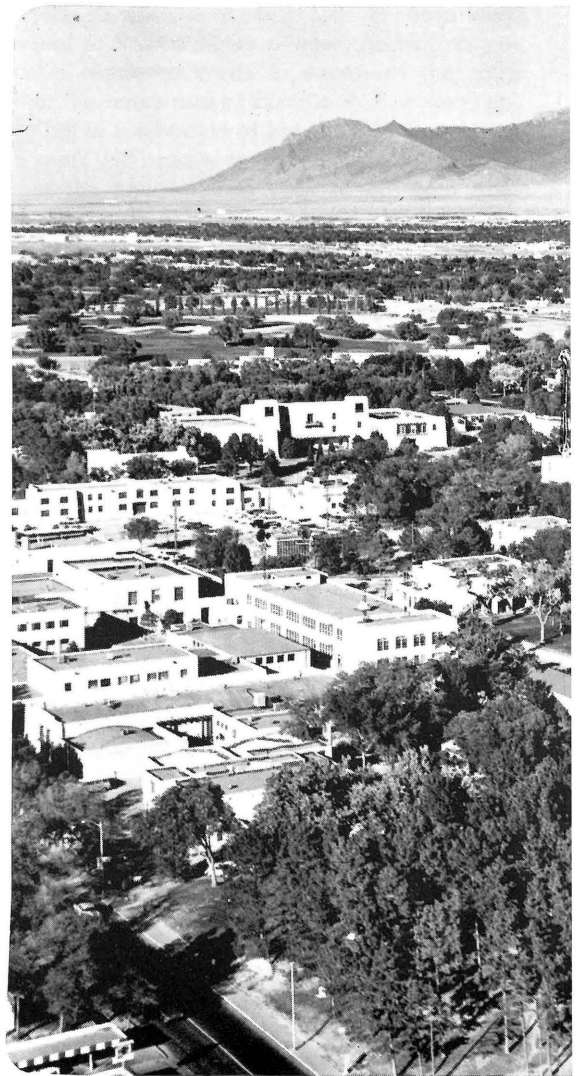
established by Sam and Frances Joy Dazzo in recognition of the splendid service given to The University of New Mexico School of Law by Dean A. L. Gausewitz. Awarded annually to a student in the School of Law who is in need of financial assistance and meets the academic requirements of the School of Law. The award is open to a student whose parents or legal guardians are residents of the State of New Mexico.

Dona Ana County Bar Association Law Scholarship. A scholarship to be awarded primarily on the basis of financial need to a student in the School of Law who has been a resident of the state of New Mexico for five years, and who enters the school with or thereafter achieves in the school a C average. First priority will be given to students from Dona Ana County, second priority to students who did their undergraduate work at New Mexico State University, and third priority to other students in the School of Law. Applicants who are not from Dona Ana County or from New Mexico State University must have successfully completed the first year at this or some other law school approved by the New Mexico State Board of Bar Examiners.

Dean Alfred L. Gausewitz Scholarship. A scholarship established by the Albuquerque Bar Association and other friends and admirers of Alfred L. Gausewitz, first Dean of the School of Law, who died May 31, 1960. Awarded annually on the basis of merit and need to a deserving second- or third-year law student selected by the faculty of the School of Law.

Alfred and Miriam N. Grunsfeld Scholarships. Scholarships ranging in amount from \$500 to \$1,000 from the income of a \$50,000 fund established by a bequest of Mrs. Reina G. Rothgerber, in memory of her parents, awarded primarily on merit with consideration, however, of need, to first year students.

Hoshour Memorial Scholarship Fund. One or more scholarships of about \$50 each are awarded each year from the income from a fund established in memory of Harvey Sheely Hoshour, distinguished lawyer and scholar, courageous humanitarian, and professor of law at The University of New Mexico, who died October 9, 1951. These scholarships are



awarded on the basis of scholarship and interest in law school affairs, with some consideration of need.

Law School Alumni Fund Scholarship. The income from a trust fund of \$2,500, contributed by the alumni of the law school. Awarded annually on the basis of merit and need.

Thomas J. Mabry, Sr. Scholarship. The income from a memorial fund established by Clara B. Mabry, Kathryn M. Egan, Thomas J. Mabry, Jr., Scott M. Mabry, and friends and admirers of Thomas J. Mabry, Sr., former Governor and Supreme Court Justice and dis-



tinguished leader of the New Mexico bar. Awarded on the basis of ability and need.

The Abraham Lincoln Mitchell Scholarship. Miss Dorothy Coulter of Albuquerque has established a trust fund in the amount of \$4,000 in honor of Abraham Lincoln Mitchell. The income from this fund is to be awarded to a student of The University of New Mexico who has completed the freshman year of college. First consideration will be given second- or third-year students in the School of Law. Students interested in the field of race relations will be given special consideration.

An aerial view of the University of New Mexico campus.

Anna K. Reisiger Scholarship. A fund established by Mrs. Anna K. Reisiger to aid deserving students who show promise of making a substantial contribution to society. Awarded annually to the student selected by the faculty of the School of Law.

Rocky Mountain Mineral Law Foundation Research Scholarship. The sum of \$100.00 is made available annually by the Rocky Mountain Mineral Law Foundation to be awarded to a student of above average scholastic standing who has taken or is taking at least one course in oil and gas or solid mineral law, who has demonstrated superior ability, and who has written a casenote or a research paper upon some topic of mineral law. The winner will be eligible to compete for a \$1000 prize.

The Pearce C. Rodey Memorial Scholarships. One or more scholarships awarded annually in memory of Pearce C. Rodey, distinguished leader of the New Mexico bar, from a fund created by his daughter, Mrs. William Calhoun Witte.

Senior Class Scholarship. An annual award of \$250 established by the law firm of Modrall, Seymour, Sperling, Roehl & Harris to the senior law student with the highest average on work done at The University of New Mexico School of Law at the end of his fifth semester of law study.

The Ilda B. Sganzini Memorial Fund. Established by Altrusa Club of Albuquerque in honor of Ilda B. Sganzini, Altrusan, whose life was devoted to service and to the aid of women seeking an education, especially in the field of law. The sum of \$200 will be made available each semester by Altrusa Club to be awarded by the law faculty on the basis of academic achievement to a full-time woman student who is in the 4th, 5th, or 6th semester of study and whose character evidences potential for success in the field of law.

John Field Simms Memorial Scholarship. This scholarship is supported by the income of a gift to the University of \$25,000 by Albert Gallatin Simms, in memory of his brother, John Field Simms, a Regent of the University, Justice of the Supreme Court of New Mexico, creative thinker, diligent worker on various state and local public boards and commissions, eminent

trial lawyer and counselor, and beloved citizen of Albuquerque, who died in 1954.

Soroptimist's Law Scholarship for Women. A \$200 scholarship, payable \$100 each semester, to a woman law student who gives promise of completing her legal education and of becoming

a basis of scholarship, character, and professional achievement during the first two years of study in the School of Law.

Prizes and Awards

American Jurisprudence Prizes. These prizes, joint gifts of the Bancroft-Whitney Company of



One of the nation's distinguished jurists, U.S. District Judge Charles E. Wyzanski, Jr., addresses a UNM School of Law audience

ing a respected and useful citizen who will contribute to the civic life of her community and her state, preferably New Mexico, in some field of law or public service.

Tuition Scholarships. Several scholarships will be awarded each semester on the basis of ability.

The Alexander Verner Wasson Scholarship in Law. Established by The First National Bank of Santa Fe in honor of Alexander Verner Wasson, President of that institution, 1952-1962. The scholarship of \$750 is awarded by the law faculty to a third-year student on the

San Francisco and The Lawyers Co-Operative Publishing Company of Rochester, New York, consist of specially-bound titles from American Jurisprudence and are awarded to the students receiving the highest grades in various law courses.

Bureau of National Affairs Award. A year's subscription to the **United States Law Week** in recognition of the most satisfactory scholastic progress in the field of law made during the final school year.

Nathan Burkan Memorial Competition. Prizes of \$250 and \$100 provided by the American



The mountains of northern New Mexico are where the action is for skiers during fall and winter months. Several modern ski runs are but a short drive from the UNM campus.

Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers are awarded annually for papers in copyright law.

Corpus Juris Secundum Award. One selected title of this legal encyclopedia, a gift of the publisher, American Law Book Company, awarded to the students in the first, second, and third year classes making the most significant contribution to legal scholarship.

Margaret Keiper Dailey Memorial Award in Law. The income from a fund established in memory of Margaret Keiper Dailey, a member of the class of 1951, General Counsel of the Legal Aid Society of Albuquerque for eight years, and Director of Legal Aid on the law faculty, who died June 17, 1959, provides book awards for one or more students in the School of Law. These awards will be made on the basis of satisfactory scholarship, character, and those qualities of heart and mind that distinguished Mrs. Dailey's personal and professional life: awareness of social problems, concern for people in trouble, and dedication to the professional responsibility to provide equal justice for all.

Federal Bar Association Prize. A book prize presented by the New Mexico Chapter of the Federal Bar Association to the student with the highest grade average in courses relating to federal practice.

Joseph W. Meek Prize in Taxation and Commercial Law. An award in a form to be selected by the faculty to a senior student for superior work in the fields of taxation and commercial law.

Joseph W. Meek Memorial Plaque. A plaque upon which is inscribed each year the name of the Honor Graduate in the School of Law.

Moot Court Prizes. Prizes for moot court competition winners are given by the law firm of Rodey, Dickason, Sloan, Akin & Robb.

New Mexico Fellows of the American College of Trial Lawyers Moot Court Award. An award of \$100 presented to the winning team in the annual UNM Moot Court Competition by the New Mexico Fellows of the American College of Trial Lawyers.

Prentice-Hall Prize in Taxation. Copy of **Federal Tax Guide** will be awarded to students making the highest grade in each tax course.

Pearce C. Rodey Memorial Prize in Law. An annual prize of \$75 established by Mrs. William Calhoun Witte in memory of Pearce C. Rodey, divided between two students for excellence in legal writing.

Allen Smith Company Awards. Certificates for the purchase of law books awarded to the three senior students with the best cumulative scholastic averages.

West Publishing Company. Selected Hornbook titles awarded to the first-, second-, and third-year law student who achieves the highest scholastic average in his class.

Loan Funds

A. T. Seymour Loan Fund. This loan fund was established in memory of Judge A. T. Seymour, who died in 1965. Judge Seymour served on the State Supreme Court during 1953 and 1954, and was a much beloved member of the New Mexico Bar.

Other loans are available for law students. These are made available by the State Bar of New Mexico, the American Bar Association, and by others. Applicants should inquire at the dean's office.

In addition to the above scholarship and loan funds administered by the School of Law, law students may be eligible for general University scholarships and loan funds administered by the Student Aids Office. Students with financial problems are encouraged to consult the dean.

STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS AND ACTIVITIES

All students registered in the school become members of The University of New Mexico Student Bar Association. Through this organization they perform their part in the work and life of the school. The students not only manage their social affairs, but have a responsibility for the maintenance of a school with high standards and one which recognizes the need for both technical and nontechnical training and information. They, therefore, have a share in ar-

range institutes, forums, lectures, and arguments and trial of practice cases and are encouraged through committees to take an interest in improvement of the school. Members of the bar and bench are invited to speak at the Student Bar Association luncheons.

An Honor Code administered by the students has been in operation since the establishment of the school. The Honor Code assumes that a student in the School of Law has entered upon a professional career in which he must take responsibility for his own conduct as well as for keeping his profession pure. The Code covers all phases of law school life, including the taking of examinations without proctors, conforming to law school and law library rules and regulations, professional conduct in all matters, and correctness of applications, forms and other papers submitted to the law school and University.

STUDENT EXPENSES

Fees are payable in advance. Fees are charged according to the number of semester hours carried by a student; auditors (those enrolled in a course for no credit) pay the same fees as students enrolled for credit.

REGISTRATION FEES

All tuition and fee charges, as well as fees for special services, are subjects to change without notice.

	N. M. residents	Non-residents
Students carrying 12 or more hours per semester:		
Tuition and fees	\$210.00	\$525.00
(tuition includes fees for major athletic events)		
Student Group Health and Accident Fee Optional ..	8.50	8.50
Students carrying 11 hours or fewer per semester:		
Tuition and fees, per semester hour	17.50	43.75
Student Bar Association dues (payable at the law school at registration) per year	10.00	10.00

Other fees are listed in the general catalog of the University.

**NATURAL RESOURCES
JOURNAL SUBSCRIPTION**

All students enrolled in the law school in degree status are encouraged to subscribe to the **Natural Resources Journal**.

HOUSING

The University of New Mexico normally does not offer housing, married or single, for law students; however, the University Director of Housing has listings of rental units which are currently available.

STUDENT RESPONSIBILITY

Students must take responsibility for meeting

the requirements for the degree and for complying with the regulations of the University and of this school. Additional regulations and requirements are posted on a bulletin board in the Law Building.

GRADES

	Grade points per credit hour
A, Excellent	4
B, Good	3
C, Average	2
D, Barely Passed	1
F, Failed	0

F is also given in any course which the

student drops after the eighth week of a semester without the dean's permission.

I, Incomplete. The grade of I is given only when circumstances beyond the student's control have prevented his completing the work of a course within the official dates of a semester. The I automatically becomes F if not removed: (1) within the first twelve weeks of the next semester unless extension of time is permitted at the discretion of the dean, or (2) within the next four semesters, if the student does not re-enroll in residence, subject to the discretion of the dean. The student may change the I to a passing grade by satisfactorily performing the work prescribed by the instructor. The student obtains from the office of the dean a permit to remove the I, pays a \$2.00 fee, and takes the card to the instructor, who completes it and returns it to the office of the dean. The dean forwards this permit to the Office of Admission and Records, where official entry on the student's record is made.

W, Dropped without Discredit. W is given in any course which the student drops after the fourth week of the semester, or after the first eight weeks with approval of the dean, while doing passing work.

Change in Grade. No grade except I can be raised by a special examination. An I may be removed by taking the final examination the next time one is regularly given. This usually will be one year later; therefore, an extension of time for removal of the I must be obtained. This applies although the course content, instructor, or credit hours (with proper adjustment) are changed. No special examination will be given except in an exceptional case.

SCHOLARSHIP INDEX

A student's academic standing in the School of Law is referred to in terms of a grade point average computed by dividing the total number of grade points earned while enrolled in the school by the total number of hours attempted while enrolled in the school. For nonlaw courses taken after enrolling in the School of Law, no grades will be counted. Hours given a mark of W or I will be excluded in this computation, but hours of F will be

counted. All honors, scholarships, and prizes depending upon scholarship are determined by ranking students according to this index.

WITHDRAWAL FROM THE UNIVERSITY

When a student wishes to cancel his registration and withdraw from the University during the semester, he should secure a withdrawal card from the office of the Dean of Men or Women. Grades of W or F are shown on the student's record if he withdraws from the University after the first four weeks of the semester, except that no student may withdraw from the University with a grade of W after the eighth week of the semester without the approval of the Dean of the School of Law. When a student leaves the University during a semester and does not carry out his withdrawal according to this regulation, he becomes liable for a grade of F in all of his classes, even though he is passing his courses up to the time of leaving.

CHANGES IN REGISTRATION

Change in Program of Studies. The student who desires to add a course to, or drop a course from, his program of studies should obtain from the dean a petition for change in program of studies. The student obtains signatures called for on this form and returns it to the office of the dean. The dean sends the form to the Office of Admissions and Records where official entry is made on the student's record. When a student drops a course officially after the eighth week of the semester with the permission of the dean, he will receive a grade of W or F in the discretion of the dean.

A student is responsible for the completion of every course for which he has registered; if he drops a course at any time without filing the official change of program form, he will receive a grade of F in the course. A fee of \$1.00 is charged for any change made in the student's program of studies after the end of the second week of the semester.

Change of Address. Each student is expected to keep the University authorities informed as to his address. Any change in address should be reported immediately to the Office of Admissions and Records, and to the dean.

SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS

Scholarship Standing. The standing of all students (including those who withdraw from the University during the session) with respect to scholarship is checked at the end of each semester (or at the time of withdrawal). At such times, all students who are deficient in scholarship are placed on probation or suspended in accordance with the following regulations. A student placed on probation at any time will remain on probation until the next final examination period.

Probation and Suspension

A student enrolled in the School of Law is placed on probation or is suspended at the end of any semester in which his cumulative grade average on all law courses taken at the University falls below 2.0 (i.e., a C average), regardless of the number of credit hours for which he is currently enrolled. If at the end of his next semester in the law school he has not qualified for removal from probation status, he is subject to suspension. A student who has been suspended is not eligible to apply for readmission for a period of one calendar year from the date of suspension. The readmission of a suspended student after the expiration of the suspension period is contingent upon the approval of the faculty of the School of Law. Approval will be granted only if there is good reason to believe that his prior record was not the result of lack of capacity for law school work and that his prior record was occasioned by factors which would not be present on readmission.

The dean may require a student who is on probation at the time of registration to enroll for a minimum number of hours, and he may at any time require a student on probation to drop as many hours as seem to be in excess of the student's ability.

Regulations on probation and suspension as described above apply only at the end of a semester or at the time of withdrawal from the University. However, during the progress of any semester the dean may refer the case of a student to the faculty, and the faculty may

recommend to the dean probation or suspension for such student.

LEGAL AID

In addition to class work, the UNM law students have an opportunity to see law in the context of society, and to learn at first hand.

For more than ten years, for example, law students have participated in Legal Aid work in Albuquerque in providing legal services for the poor. Students participate in a bail-bond project in which indigent prisoners are released on their own recognizance. The Student Bar Association has an active program wherein students work in the office of the prosecutor and in a lawyer's office.

Seniors in the School of Law are required to serve in the office of the Legal Aid Society of Albuquerque 3 hours per week for one semester of the senior year.

CURRICULUM

Law School Courses

The course of study, casebooks and other study materials, class schedules, and the like will be determined by the faculty and may be changed at any time. Attendance at special lectures and the performance of special services may be required although not listed as courses.

Legal Writing and two seminars must be taken and passed. All first-year subjects offered must be taken, but a passing grade in each is not essential to graduation unless the dean so rules in a particular case. A satisfactory performance in Legal Aid is required, although no credit is given in this course. All other subjects are elective. The dean may refuse to permit or may require any course to be retaken if failed. Regular attendance at classes is required.

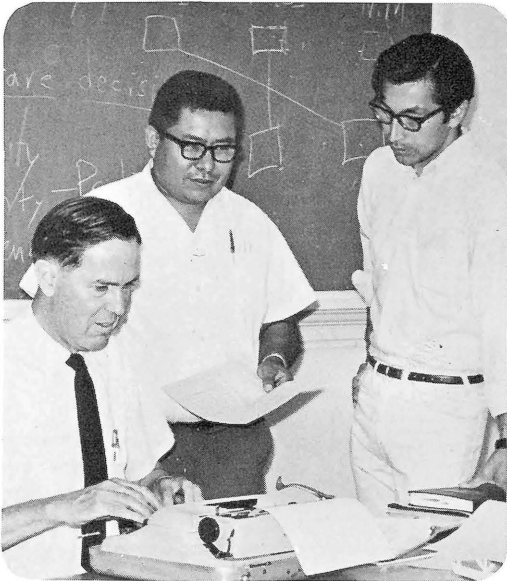
BAR EXAMINATION REVIEW

No instruction designed as a review course for bar examinations is offered under law school auspices. A privately sponsored course is available in Albuquerque.

ELECTIVES IN OTHER COLLEGES

No more than 6 credits in courses in other colleges of this University or other fully accredited institutions of higher learning may be taken after entry in the School of Law for elective law credit. Written permission of the dean must be secured. The grade on such courses is not included for purposes of class averages or in determining whether the student has the required C average—except that a grade of D or F may be counted at the discretion of the law faculty.

Permission of the instructor of any course taken for elective law credit is required, and the student must undertake the responsibility of resolving with such instructor any conflict of law school class meetings or examination schedules with his class meetings and examination schedules in such elective courses.



Several American Indian students, some of them tribal officials, are enrolled in a special program at the School of Law.

COURSES OF INSTRUCTION

Note: Some courses may not be offered in certain years. An offering sheet and class schedule for a particular year may be obtained from the law school.

1ST YEAR COURSES

#512 Civil Procedure I (3)

A brief survey and evaluation of the range of available methods for the resolution of civil disputes: self-help, private settlement, the administrative process, and litigation. A consideration of the fundamentals of procedure in litigation from the commencement of an action through appeal, with particular emphasis on procedural devices for raising issues of substantive law.

#501 Constitutional Law I (2)

Nature and scope of judicial review; the federal system; national legislative powers; limitations on governmental power for the protection of persons accused of crime.

#502 Contracts and Agency I (3)

Promises and consideration—the bargain; fairness, duress, and mistake.

#503 Contracts and Agency II (3)

Supervening events, default as an excuse, damages; an introduction to multiple-party transactions; express, implied, and apparent authority of agent.

#504 Criminal Law (3)

Criminal law viewed as a means for the prevention of criminal behavior.

#505 International Law I (3)

A study of the nature and sources of international law and its application to problems relating to international agreements, membership in the international community, nationality, jurisdiction, state responsibility, and force and war.

#506 Legal Research (1)

Materials and methods of legal research.

#508 Property I (3)

Personal property; “original” ownership; the evolution of interests in real property, briefly treating feudalism and tenure, freehold estates, future interests, and concurrent ownership; leases.

#509 Property II (3)

Sales of land, including the real estate contract, the deed, the recording system, and methods of title assurance; the use of land, including easements and licenses, real covenants, and related public controls of land use.

#510 Torts and Master-Servant I (3)

Tort law examined as a means for compensating harms, discouraging substandard behavior, and allocating losses.

#511 Torts and Master-Servant II (3)

Continuation of Torts and Master-Servant I.

587 Introduction to Law (3)

Emphasis on the legislative process.

2ND AND 3RD YEAR COURSES

COMMERCIAL LAW

520 Business Associations I (3)¹

The fundamental course in the organization and operation of such businesses as partnerships, limited partnerships, business trusts, joint stock companies, other unincorporated associations, and business corporations. Choosing the business form; common law and statutory methods of creation; the duties, powers, and liabilities of management and owners; operational rules; and basic dissolution and merger problems. Major emphasis will be placed upon the closed corporation and partnerships.

521 Business Associations II (3)

Corporate finance; major problems of finance in other business associations; introduction to state and federal securities regulation; distributions; mergers; sales of assets; consolidation; and amendment of charters and other basic

agreements. Major emphasis will be placed upon publicly owned corporations and associations. (Prerequisite: Business Associations I.)

522 Commercial Transactions I (3)

Problems of sales, commercial paper, and security interests in personal property.

523 Commercial Transactions II (2)

Continuation of Commercial Transactions I.

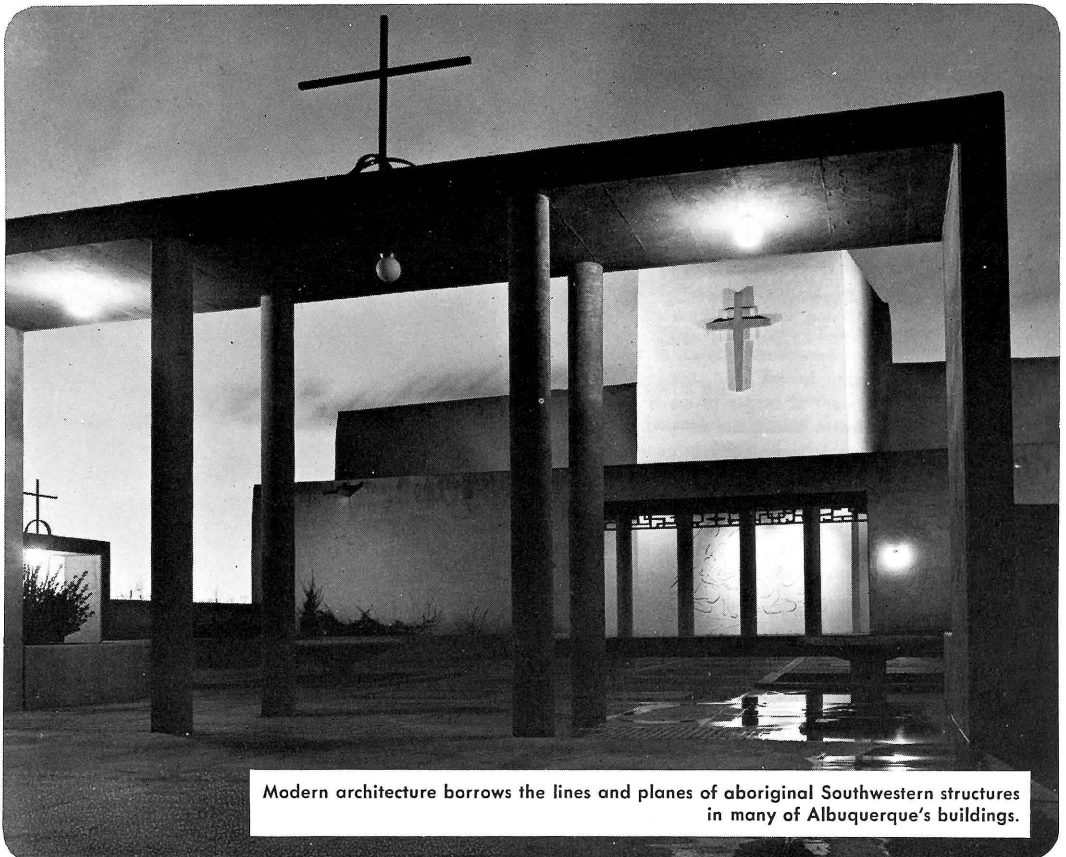
528 Creditors' Rights (3)²

Enforcement of judgments, fraudulent conveyances, general assignments, creditors' agreements, bankruptcy, and arrangements.

PROCEDURE

516 Civil Procedure II (3)¹

An examination of selected topics, including multi-party litigation, the right to a jury trial, former adjudication, and personal and subject matter jurisdiction. A brief survey of the development of legal and equitable remedies. The law governing actions in the federal courts.



Modern architecture borrows the lines and planes of aboriginal Southwestern structures in many of Albuquerque's buildings.

517 Trial Practice Workshop (1)

(Prerequisite: Evidence.)

531 Equitable Remedies (2)

Introduction to the forms of judicial remedies, principles governing their scope and availability, and consideration of grounds for choosing between alternative remedies; includes general principles of specific performance, and injunction.

532 Evidence (3)

Legal, logical and epistemological problems involved in the trial of contested issues of fact; judicial notice; real proof; testimonial proof, including competency of witnesses, privilege, impeachment, rehabilitation and form of examination; the hearsay rule and its exceptions; circumstantial proof; logical relevance, remoteness, prejudice, both generally and in connection with proof of character and habit; burden of proof and presumptions.

552 Federal Jurisdiction (3)²

Federal judicial power; applicable law in the federal courts; the original jurisdiction of the United States District Court; venue and process; jurisdiction and procedure of the United States Court of Appeals; jurisdiction of the Supreme Court.

589 Damages (2)

Measuring a substitutional relief for the compensation of an injured person.

PROPERTY

554 Wills and Future Interests (3)¹

Intestate succession and wills; probate and administration of decedents' estates. A detailed study of the legal devices used to provide for successive enjoyment of family property—future interests and powers of appointment—and their characteristic problems; special rules applicable to such devices, particularly the rule against perpetuities; illegal restraints on alienation. Special emphasis on construction of dispositive provisions in deeds and wills as a prelude to estate planning and drafting.

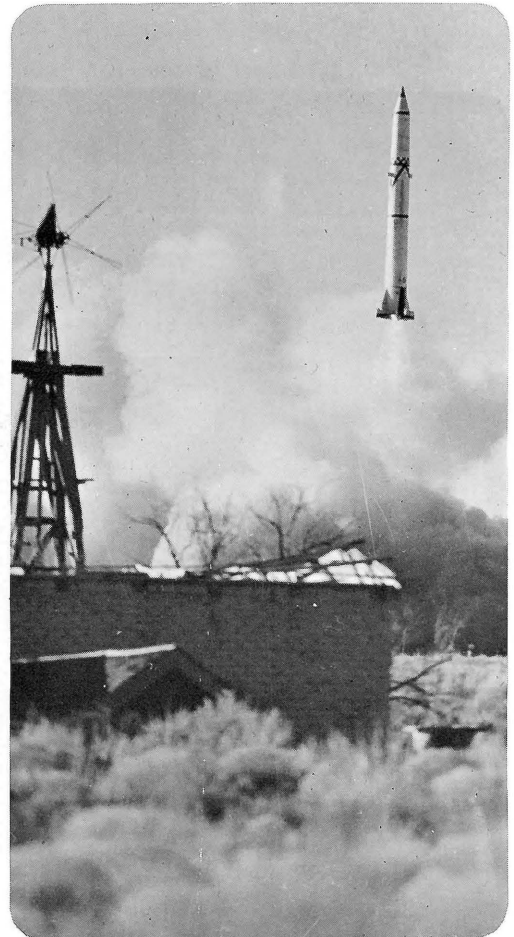
524 Community Property (1)¹

The New Mexico community property system, and its relationship to common law property rights.

547 Water Law (2)

Western law of surface and ground water with emphasis on New Mexico administrative procedures; the problems of federalism as they affect water rights.

Jet age missiles and lonesome windmills dating back to a less complex era are common sights in New Mexico range country, where old and new blend gracefully.



544 Oil and Gas Law (3)²

Major emphasis on the oil and gas lease; selected additional materials, at the instructor's discretion, on conservation of natural resources, taxation of mineral interests, solid mineral mining, and the public domain.

557 Trusts (2)¹

The nature, creation and termination of trusts; the rights of the beneficiary; the duties and liabilities of the fiduciary; problems of trust administration, including charitable trusts.

PUBLIC LAW

526 Constitutional Law II (3)¹

State power to regulate and to tax; inter-governmental immunities; limitations on governmental power for the protection of economic and property interests; freedom of expression and association; freedom of religion; equal protection of law.

518 Administrative Law (3)

The system of legal control exercised by administering agencies other than the courts; definition and forms of administrative agencies; their functions; their constitutional limitations; their statutory powers and limitations; administrative procedures; agency hearings and decisions; judicial control of administrative agencies.

537 Labor Law (3)²

Historical introduction; the negotiation and administration of the collective bargaining agreement; the establishment of the collective bargaining relationship; recourse to economic weapons; the individual and the union.

542 Legal Process (3)

An examination of the main institutions and processes of the American legal system in the perspective of their everyday working inter-relationships. Particular attention is given to legislative jurisdiction and to problems of statutory interpretation.

525 Conflict of Laws (3)²

The concepts of domicile and jurisdiction of courts; the effect of foreign judgments; and the law applied to torts, contracts, and status.

535 Food and Drug Law (2)²

A study of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act, and of the work of the Federal Trade Commission in connection with false advertising of food, drugs, and cosmetics. The course includes discussion of the philosophy, history, and application by the courts and administrative tribunals of the laws involved; also the effect of and the need for these laws in modern society.

556 Local Government (3)

Municipal corporations, counties, special units of local government, and problems relating thereto such as organization, procedures in legislative and other functions, responsibility in tort and contract, finance, and relationships with the state and national government.

515 Employee's Rights (2)

Workmen's compensation and federal wage and hour legislation.

546 Antitrust Law (3)²

Restraints of trade and monopoly at common law and under the federal antitrust laws, including the Sherman Act, Federal Trade Commission Act, and Clayton Act.

TAXATION

534 Federal Income Taxation (3)¹

Income taxation of individual and business taxpayers including items of income, deductions, exemptions, credits; the splitting of income among taxpayers; capital gains and losses; tax practice and procedure; accounting and income taxation; and an introduction to partnership, trust, and corporate income taxation.

530 Estate, Gift, and Inheritance Taxation (2)

Federal taxation of inter vivos transfers, revocable and incomplete transfers, exclusions, exemptions, and correlation with income and estate taxation. Federal estate taxation of property owned at death, community property, jointly held property, gifts in contemplation of death, revocable transfers, retained life estates,

transfers taking effect at death, survivorship annuities, life insurance, and powers of appointment. Federal estate tax credits, deductions, exemptions, valuation problems, procedure, and correlation of estate tax with federal income and gift taxes and with state inheritance and estate taxes. (Prerequisite: Federal Income Taxation.)

527 Business Planning (3)²

A combination of advanced work in Business Associations and Federal Income Taxation in the context of business planning and counseling. The course will be based upon a series of problems involving common business transactions which present corporate and tax issues for analysis and resolution; topics include the formation of corporations, both closely held and publicly owned, stock redemption, the sale and purchase of businesses, mergers and other forms of acquisition, recapitalization, and division and dissolution of corporations. (Prerequisite: Business Associations II and Federal Income Taxation.)

545 Estate Planning (3)²

The criteria for selecting one or another of the available methods of disposition of property, with particular emphasis upon federal income, estate and gift tax consequences; inter vivos transfers such as revocable and irrevocable trusts; wills; the settlement of life insurance proceeds, social security and employee death benefits; and the disposal of a business interest; the preparation of estate plans and documents in light of tax considerations and the law of future interests and powers of appointment including an investigation of various restrictions upon the freedom of property disposition such as the rule against perpetuities. (Prerequisites: Wills and Future Interests; Trusts; Federal Income Taxation; and Estate, Gift, and Inheritance Taxation.)

551 Corporation Tax (2)

Federal income taxation of corporations and shareholders, including definition of corporation, organization of corporation, dividend distributions, redemptions, liquidations and Subchapter S corporations. (Prerequisite: Federal Income Taxation.)

FAMILY LAW

533 Family Law (2)

Marriage, separation and divorce; economic relations as between husband and wife, parent and child.

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS AND FUNCTIONS

538, 539 Law Journal (1, 1) (Second Year)

568, 569 Law Journal (1, 1) (Third Year)

Second-year students with superior academic records are selected to compete for positions as

student editors of the **Natural Resources Journal**. During the course of their second year they must perform assigned editorial tasks and write two case comments of publishable quality. Upon successful completion of this work, they are elected to the editorial board and receive 2 credit hours for their work. During their third year as student editors they are assigned greater editorial responsibility under the immediate supervision of the Faculty Editor, and are also required to write one Law Note of publishable quality. Upon successful completion of their editorial duties, they receive an additional 2 hours of ungraded credit.

540 Legal Accounting (2)

A critical examination of selected issues relating to generally accepted accounting principles and an introduction to corporate financial problems. After an introduction to financial statements and bookkeeping, consideration will be given to the principles governing recognition of income, the matching of costs against appropriate revenues, and accounting for such proprietary transactions as repurchase of stock, stock dividend, and quasi-reorganization. Emphasis throughout will be laid on the legal contexts in which the lawyer is likely to confront accounting problems.

#541 Legal Aid (0)

Service in the office of the Legal Aid Society of Albuquerque and its neighborhood centers three hours each week during one semester. Required of all senior students. No subject credit.

572 The Legal Profession (3)

The lawyer as counselor, advocate, citizen, and public servant, with emphasis on analysis of the nature of his professional responsibilities; contemporary problems of the organized bar.

#543 Legal Writing (2)¹

Exercises and drills in legal writing and methods to be done independently by each student. (Prerequisite: Legal Research, or equivalent.)

SEMINARS

- 549 Comparative Law (2)
- 555 Jurisprudence (2)
- 559 Research (1)
- 560 Women and the Law (2)
- 562 Special Research (3)
- 570 Law of the Poor (2)
- 571 Law and Psychiatry (2)
- 573 Logic and Evaluation in the Law (2)
- 574 Mining and Public Lands (2)
- 576 Current Legal Problems (2)
- 577 Legal Counseling (2)
- 578 Real Estate Transactions (2)²
- 580 Law and Control of the Urban Environment (2)
- 581 Insurance (3)
- 586 Contracts (2)
- 588 Contract in Public Law (2)
- 590 Commercial Law (2)

Required.

1 Second year only.

2 Third year only.

CALENDAR

1968-69 Academic Year

Semester I

1968

Registration	Sept. 12 and 13
Instruction begins; late registration fee applies	Sept. 16
Thanksgiving recess begins	Nov. 28
Classes resume	Dec. 2
Christmas recess begins	Dec. 23

1969

Classes resume	Jan. 6
Semester final examinations	Jan. 17
Semester ends	Jan. 25

Semester II

Registration	Feb. 4, 5
Instruction begins; late registration fee applies	Feb. 6
Spring recess begins	April 3
Classes resume	April 10
Semester final examinations	May 27
Semester ends	June 4, 10 p.m.
Commencement	June 6, 7:30 p.m.

