

6-6-1994

1994 Commencement Program

New York Law School

Follow this and additional works at: https://digitalcommons.nyls.edu/commencement_progs

Recommended Citation

New York Law School, "1994 Commencement Program" (1994). *Commencement Programs*. 29.
https://digitalcommons.nyls.edu/commencement_progs/29

This Article is brought to you for free and open access by the NYLS Publications at DigitalCommons@NYLS. It has been accepted for inclusion in Commencement Programs by an authorized administrator of DigitalCommons@NYLS.



ONE HUNDRED SECOND COMMENCEMENT
AT LINCOLN CENTER
JUNE 6, 1994

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF NEW YORK LAW SCHOOL

OFFICERS

Lawrence S. Huntington '64, Chairman
Taylor R. Briggs, Vice Chairman
Hon. Ernst H. Rosenberger '58, Vice Chairman
Harry H. Wellington, President and Dean

TRUSTEES

Barbara A. Black	J. Bruce Llewellyn '60
Taylor R. Briggs	Bernard H. Mendik '58
Beverly C. Chell '67	Hon. Roger J. Miner '56
Arthur G. Cohen '54	John J. Navin, Jr.
Alvin Dworman '51	Edward V. Regan
Richard M. Flynn '57	Hon. Ernst H. Rosenberger '58
Alexander D. Forger	Stanley S. Shuman
Kathleen Grimm '80	Louisa C. Spencer '88
John J. P. Howley '89	Marianne C. Spraggins '76
Lawrence S. Huntington '64	Harry H. Wellington
Arnold G. Kopelson '59	Hon. Milton L. Williams '63

TRUSTEES EMERITI

J. William Campo	Bayless Manning
Jerry Finkelstein '38	Hon. Francis T. Murphy '52
Sylvia D. Garland '60	Harry Ostrov '25*
Maurice R. Greenberg '50	John M. Regan, Jr.
Samuel J. LeFrak	John V. Thornton

Rev. Sydney Woodd-Cahusac

HONORARY TRUSTEES

Calvin H. Plimpton	Joseph Solomon '27
--------------------	--------------------

*Deceased

ADMINISTRATION

Harry H. Wellington, *President and Dean*
 Jane P. Helm, *Associate Dean*
 Harriet Inselbuch, *Associate Dean*
 Ellen Ryerson, *Associate Dean*
 Matthew Wilkes, *Associate Dean*
 Joyce D. Saltalamachia, *Librarian*
 Joan R. Fishman, *Special Assistant to the Dean*

FULL-TIME FACULTY/INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF

Richard Beck	Annette Gordon-Reed	Alexandra Maravel	David S. Schoenbrod
Armando T. Belly	Keri A. Gould	Richard D. Marsico	Louis E. Schwarz*
Robert Blecker	Lawrence M. Grosberg	Park McGinty	E. Donald Shapiro
Michael Botein	Karen Gross	Carlin Meyer	Richard Sherwin
James Brook	Allen S. Hammond IV	Elaine P. Mills	Milton A. Silverman*
Camille Broussard	Quintin Johnstone	Williams R. Mills	Andrew Simak
Carol A. Buckler	Randolph N. Jonakait	William Natbony	James F. Simon
Eugene Cerruti	Faith Stevelman Kahn	Stephen A. Newman	Michael B.W. Sinclair
David Chang	Linda R. Keenan	Rudolph J. Peritz	Laura W. Stein
Lung-chu Chen	Joseph H. Koffler*	Michael L. Perlin	Nadine Strossen
Carlos J. Cuevas	Kim M. Lang	Edward A. Purcell, Jr.	Ruti G. Teitel
Stephen J. Ellmann	William P. LaPiana	Donald P. Rothschild	Harry H. Wellington
Aleta G. Estreicher	Joel S. Lee	Joyce Saltalamachia	Donald Zeigler
B. James George, Jr.*	Arthur S. Leonard	Edward Samuels	
I. Cathy Glaser	Jethro K. Lieberman	Ross Sandler	

ADJUNCT FACULTY

Clifford B. Aaron	Dan Drachler	Donald J. Kravet	Virginia Ramadan
Nancy B. Alisberg	Marc Z. Edell	Judith M. LaBelle	Alexandra Rebay
Beth Nancy Alson	Sherri Lee Eisenpress	Teresa E. LaBosco	Norman L. Reimer
Willem F. Korthals Altes	Ronald L. Ellis	Thomas M. Lahiff, Jr.	David M. Rice
Joseph T. Arenson	David Epstein	Andrew A. Lance	David B. Rigney
Sidney H. Asch	Lloyd Epstein	Craig A. Landy	Stephen Robinson
Anne Aycock	Paula L. Ettelbrick	Gerald Lebovits	Michael Roffer
Mark Barnes	Richard T. Farrell	Burton T. Lefkowitz	Elizabeth Rosen
Edwin H. Bennett	Seymour I. Feig	Margaret Sipser Leibowitz	Joseph I. Rosenbaum
Frederic S. Berman	Frank R. Fioramonti	Joan Greenberg Levenson	Ernst H. Rosenberger
Richard B. Bernstein	Margaret M. Flint	Judith Levin	Robert A. Ruescher
Dana Biberman	Paul Gardephe	Martin P. Levin	Kenneth Rutman
Douglas Blazey	Alain Gardrat	Amy Baldwin Littman	Michael Ryan
Gerald W. Blume	Eleanor E. Glanstein	Daniel L. Master	Sharon Sadow
Victor A. Bolden	David L. Glass	Andrew McCarthy	David G. Samuels
Jean Marie Brescia	Kristin Booth Glen	Paul McDonnell	Anne Marie Santangelo
Judith Bresler	Marshall Greene	Brian McNamara	Sanford J. Schlesinger
Albert K. Butzel	Grant Hanessian	James M. McQueeney	Stuart A. Schlesinger
Jay C. Carlisle	Stephen J. Harkavy	Michael Meyerson	Lewis Schnurr
Carol A. Casazza	Anne Haskell	Ira Mickenberg	Eileen Caulfield Schwab
Frank E. Catalina	Martin Hauptman	Thomas M. Mierswa, Jr.	Jay Shapiro
John Haven Chapman	Mary Hilgeman	Roger J. Miner	Stephen P. Shea
Kevin G. Chapman	Mariana Hogan	Martin Minkowitz	Richard Siegler
Stephen M. Chizmadia	Lee L. Holzman	Zuhayr A. Moghrabi	Gail P. Sinai
Margaret L. Clancy	Chris K. Iijima	William Mogulescu	Lawton W. Squires
Laura C. Cohen	Barbara Jaccoma	Avraham C. Moskowitz	Ernst C. Stiefel
Myron Cohen	Herbert P. Jacoby	Steven A. Neil	Peter J. Strauss
Stefanie L. Cooper	Sandra Krevitsky Janin	Nancy Nelson	Lynn Boepple Su
Frank J. Cuccio	Sarah Taft Jones	Kenneth P. Norwick	Jeremy Travis
Mark L. Davies	Albert Kalter	Deryck Ainsworthe Palmer	Francis J. Velentino
Mark F. DeWan	Delmar Karlen, Jr.	Martin B. Pavane	Edward C. Wallace
Mark D. Director	Diane Kiesel	Robert T. Perry	Otto L. Walter
Stephen Dobkin	Daniel C. Knickerbocker, Jr.	Dana R. Pisanelli	Patricia Anne Williams
Joseph W. Dolcimascolo	Simon S. Kogan	Elaine Price	Peter Zablotsky
Donna Dougherty	Daniel Kornstein	J. Scot Provan	

*Emeritus

DEGREES WITH HONORS

GRADUATING CLASS OF FEBRUARY, 1994

Magna Cum Laude

John Edward Daly

Cum Laude

Leo Wassner Desmond

Steven Nelson Kirkpatrick

Ilysa Marlene Magnus

Daryl Gail Weinman

GRADUATING CLASS OF JUNE, 1994

Summa Cum Laude

Debra Todres

Eric Michael O'Meara

Madge Ruth Kanter

Robert J. Raymond

Emily Maura Conant

Gail Elizabeth Johnston

Magna Cum Laude

Richard M. Newman

Robert Michael Marino II

Susan Elizabeth Howsmon

Deborah Duseau

Steven M. Simpson

Carl G. Wistreich

Ian Scott Marx

Zachary David Rosenbaum

Albert M. Myers III

Ruth Zelda Plave

Patricia Ann Unz

Lisa Michelle Potter

David Alan Raskin

Jeanne Marie Weisneck

Lejdin Fazlibegu

Shari Lisa Rosenberg

Randy I. Monkarsh

David A. Strauss

Rosemary DiBenedetto

Stefanie Jill Martin

Cum Laude

Donald Sullivan

Jacklyn Kay Bartlett

Richard Rowen Kiernan

Angela Debra Lurie

Joel David McHugh

Mark R. Grewe

Hal M. Friedman

Steven Thomas Senior

Michael Zhu

Stacy Ilene Oberman

Amianna Pytel

Patricia Ann Mollica

Donald Stuart Sowder

Adam David Finkelstein

Christopher Arvin Erd

Karyn B. Zeldman

Robert M. Boder

Robbyn S. Reichman

Alyssa Joy Held

Suzanne Pence Ferguson

Michael Patrick Kelly

Scarlett Marie Margetanski

Emilio Fernandez

Lori Bukoff

Kimberly Elizabeth Robertson

Stacey Lynn Levinson

Susan Allison Schumer

James E. Orr, Jr.

Laura M. Colatrella

Steven Philip Krasner

Scott Michael Saletta

Shannon Patricia Carney

Marie-Ann Inguanti

Brian Wade Lynn

Daniel Neil Jocelyn

Michelle Sara Myers

Clay R. Serenbetz

Janine Renee Gravinese

Janet Elizabeth MacGillivray

Donna Lynn Thompson

Maura Elizabeth Kelly

Kenneth B. Fromson

John Patrick Sheahan

Eric Alan Coles

Warren Samuel Green

Glenn Stuart Fisher

Michael Gerald Freel

Genevieve Ann Felix

Lyn Alison Niswander Handel

Wendy Morgan

Richard Mario Ballerini

David Brian Goldman

Barbara Sisskind Amtzis

Douglas Uri Rosenthal

Jeff Warren Silver

Thomas Michael Majewski

ORDER OF EXERCISE

Dean Harry H. Wellington, Presiding

PROCESSIONAL*
Jubilate Deo

Gregor Aichinger
J. S. Bach

Contrapuntus IV
Quintet #1

Victor Ewald

Pomp and Circumstance No. 1, op. 39
Triumphal March — Aida

Sir Edward Elgar
Giuseppe Verdi

Old Guard
Alumni Parents
Trustees, Honorees & Deans
Full-Time Faculty
Adjunct Faculty

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM

Kathleen Mahan

GREETINGS

Harry H. Wellington
Dean

REMARKS

Lawrence S. Huntington '64
Chairman, Board of Trustees

AWARDING OF PRIZES

JEFFORDS DISTINGUISHED WRITING AWARD

Ellen Ryerson
Associate Dean

Full-Time Faculty Award

Adjunct Faculty Award

Student Award

THE TRUSTEES' PRIZE FOR THE HIGHEST AVERAGE

Harriet Inselbuch
Associate Dean

THE ALFRED L. ROSE AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE

Matthew Wilkes
Associate Dean

STUDENT REMARKS

Lori Bukoff

CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREES

Bernard H. Mendik '58
Chairman, The Mendik Company

The Honorable Rudolph W. Giuliani
Mayor of the City of New York

Remarks

CONFERRING OF STUDENT DEGREES

Introduction of Candidates by
Professor Eugene Cerruti
Professor Aleta G. Estreicher
Professor William P. LaPiana
Professor Michael L. Perlin
Professor Nadine Strossen
Professor Donald Zeigler

Presentation of Candidates by
Harry H. Wellington
Dean

Conferring of Degrees by
Lawrence S. Huntington '64
Chairman, Board of Trustees

CLOSING REMARKS

Harry H. Wellington
Dean

RECESSIONAL*
Two Voluntaries

Henry Purcell

The audience is invited to a reception on the promenade level immediately following commencement.

**The audience is requested to remain seated during the Processional and Recessional.*

PRIZES AWARDED AT COMMENCEMENT

JEFFORDS DISTINGUISHED WRITING AWARD

In Memory of Walter M. Jeffords

FULL-TIME FACULTY AWARD

William P. LaPiana
David S. Schoenbrod

ADJUNCT FACULTY AWARD

Richard B. Bernstein

STUDENT AWARD

Gail Elizabeth Johnston (Day Division)
Donald Stuart Sowder (Evening Division)

THE TRUSTEES' PRIZE

For the Highest Average

Debra Todres (Day Division for Three Years)
Eric Michael O'Meara (Evening Division for Four Years)

ALFRED L. ROSE AWARD

For Excellence

Richard M. Newman (Day Division)
Robert J. Raymond (Evening Division)

OTHER AWARD WINNERS

PROFESSOR JOSEPH T. ARENSON AWARD

For Excellence in Wills and Decedents Estates'

Debra Todres (Day Division)
Ruth Zelda Plave (Evening Division)

PROFESSOR LUNG-CHU CHEN AWARD

For Excellence in the Field of Human Rights

Susan B. Henner

DEAN'S AWARD

For Student Leadership

Deborah Duseau

HELEN & ANDREW DOKAS MEMORIAL AWARD

For Excellent Achievement

Rodella Elizabeth Crawford Berry

ELSBERG PRIZE

For Proficiency in the Law of Contracts

Randy I. Monkarsh (Evening Division)

FACULTY AWARD

To Editor-in-Chief, New York Law School Law Review

Gail Elizabeth Johnston

ALEXANDER D. FORGER AWARD

For Distinguished Service to the Profession

Rosemary DiBenedetto

SYLVIA D. GARLAND AWARD

For Excellence in Subjects Relating to Civil Litigation

Madge Ruth Kanter

HARRY A. GOTIMER III ADMIRALTY AWARD
For Outstanding Work in the Field of Admiralty Law
Tara A. Byrne

MILTON S. GOULD AWARD
For Proficiency in the Law of Contracts
Steven M. Simpson

LOUIS AND SYLVIA JACKSON AWARD
For Outstanding Performance in Labor Relations Law
Zoë Panarites

PROFESSOR ALBERT KALTER AWARD
For Excellence in Tax Law
Leo Wassner Desmond
Ruth Zelda Plave

PROFESSOR JAMES P. KIBBEY MEMORIAL AWARD
For Excellence in Commercial Law
John Alexander Porges (Day Division)
Randy I. Monkarsh (Evening Division)

D. GEORGE LEVINE MEMORIAL AWARD
For the Highest Grade in the Law of Real Property
Richard M. Newman (Day Division)
Eric Michael O'Meara (Evening Division)

NEW YORK LAW SCHOOL JOURNAL OF HUMAN RIGHTS AWARD
For Outstanding Editorial Contribution
Leonardo A. D'Alessandro Angela Debra Lurie Zoë Panarites

NEW YORK LAW SCHOOL
JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL AND COMPARATIVE LAW AWARD
For Outstanding Editorial Contribution
Joseph Thomas Kennedy David A. Strauss Jaime Tan Patricia Ann Mollica

NEW YORK LAW SCHOOL LAW REVIEW AWARD
For Outstanding Editorial Contribution
Gail Elizabeth Johnston Stephen M. Simpson Rosemary DiBenedetto Carolyn Diane Richmond

NATIONAL TEAM MOOT COURT AWARD
For Outstanding Contribution
Lori Ann Alarimo Genevieve Ann Felix Kenneth B. Fromson Carol Toby Taffet

NEW YORK LAW SCHOOL MOOT COURT AWARD
For Serving With Distinction
Lori Ann Alarimo Gardenia P. Cucci Genevieve Ann Felix Kenneth B. Fromson

PROFESSOR ROBERT R. ROSENTHAL AWARD
For Excellence in New York Practice
Madge Ruth Kanter
Jeanne Marie Weisneck

PROFESSOR HENRY B. ROTHBLATT
CRIMINAL ADVOCACY WRITING AWARD
Genevieve Ann Felix

JOSEPH SOLOMON AWARD
For Excellent Character and Fitness
Ian Scott Marx

ERNST C. STIEFEL AWARD

For Excellence in Comparative, Common and Civil Law
Stacy Ilene Oberman

MURRAY STOCKMAN MEMORIAL AWARD

For the Highest Average in the Law of Evidence
Debra Todres (Day Division)
Steven Nelson Kirkpatrick (Evening Division)

LOUIS SUSMAN MEMORIAL AWARD

For Excellence in the Study of the Law of Evidence
Robert J. Raymond (Evening Division)

WOODROW WILSON AWARD

For Proficiency in Constitutional Law
Emily Maura Conant (Day Division)
Hal M. Friedman (Evening Division)

HENRY J. WOLFF AWARD

For Proficiency during a Full Course of Study
Eric Michael O'Meara (Evening Division)

NEW YORK LAW SCHOOL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION AWARD WINNERS

DR. MAX REICH AWARD

For Excellence in Civil Trial Advocacy
Robert Michael Marino II

PROFESSOR VINCENT LO LORDO AWARD

For Excellence in Administration of Criminal Justice
Susan Allison Schumer

PROFESSOR IVAN SOUBBOTITCH AWARD

For Excellence in Poverty Law and Civil Rights
Susan Jill Greenberg

CERTIFICATES OF MERIT

ADJUNCT FACULTY CERTIFICATES

*In Recognition of Distinguished Service
to the
Scholastic Excellence of the Law School and the Profession*

FIVE YEARS OF SERVICE

Lloyd Epstein
David L. Glass
Thomas M. Lahiff, Jr.
Ira Mickenberg
Stuart A. Schlesinger

TEN YEARS OF SERVICE

Andrew A. Lance

TWENTY YEARS OF SERVICE

Myron Cohen

J.D. GRADUATES — SEPTEMBER 1, 1993

David De Jesus
B.A. City College of New York
Heidi Dawn Kaufman
B.A. Bucknell University

Alexander M. Lee
B.A. University of San Francisco

J.D. GRADUATES — FEBRUARY 1, 1994

Janet Beth Abisch
B.A. Hofstra University
Monica H. Ashton
B.A. Manhattanville College
Brent William Barton
B.A. Drew University
Carmen Deyanira Contreras
A.B. Harvard University
John William Cook
M.C.P. University of Pennsylvania
B.A. Vassar College

John Edward Daly
B.S. Hofstra University

Anthony S. Danna
M.B.A. New York University
B.S. University of Florida

Leo Wassner Desmond
M.B.A. Fordham University
B.A. Rollins College

Bernadette E. Dono
B.A. City University of New York/Queens College
A.A.S. Fashion Institute of Technology

Elizabeth Edwards-Macedonio
B.A. New York University

Robert J. Epstein
B.A. City University of New York/Hunter College

Jacqueline Anne Esquirol
B.A. University of Rhode Island

Samuel Gen
M.B.A. New York University
M.A. New York University
B.S. New York University

Gina Daniele Gerdes
B.S. Cornell University

Lisa Glauber
B.S. University of Maryland

Jason M. Glickman
B.A. University of California at Santa Barbara

John Joseph Goldsmith
B.S. Kean College of New Jersey

Michael John Keane
B.S. Rutgers College

Steven Nelson Kirkpatrick
B.B.A. Pace University

Alisa R. Lebensohn
B.A. State University of New York/Stony Brook

Ilysa Marlene Magnus
M.A. City University of New York/City College
B.A. City University of New York/Hunter College

*Robert Michael Mangeruga
B.A. Stockton State College

Jeffrey Evan Phillips
B.B.A. Pace University

Whitney Staples Quillen
M.B.A. Pace University
B.A. Skidmore College

Robert Ian Rubenstein
B.S. Boston University

Benjamin Eric Setareh
B.A. University of Massachusetts/Amherst

William Theodore Shepard
B.A. Fordham University

Thomas Alphonsus Smith
B.S. The University of the State of New York

Suzanne Catherine Spink
B.A. Tulane University/Newcomb College

Robert Vincent Stothard
M.A. Columbia University
B.A. City University of New York/City College

Daryl Gail Weinman
B.A. Colgate University

*JD/MBA — City University of New York/Bernard Baruch College

J.D. GRADUATES — JUNE 6, 1994

Matthew Mark Adams B.A. Rutgers University	Jorge Antonio Batista B.S. St. John's University
Susan Elizabeth Adams B.S.B.A. Villanova University	*Charles Thomas Beall B.S. Northeastern University
Mark Ian Adelman B.A. Hofstra University	Richard C. Becker B.A. State University of New York/Albany
Oliver A. Agha B.S. New York University	Eric J. Bender B.A. George Washington University
Lori Ann Alarimo B.A. State University of New York/Binghamton	Jeffrey Stuart Berger M.A. New York University B.A. American University
Robert W. Allen B.S. Rutgers University, Livingston College	Meredith Lynn Berman B.B.A. University of Massachusetts/Amherst
Alexander M. Amanatides B.A. New York University	Steven Jeffrey Berman B.A. State University of New York/Albany
Tehuti Ambak M.B.A. Long Island University B.S. Medgar Evers College	Rodella Elizabeth Crawford Berry M.P.H. Johns Hopkins School of Hygiene and Public Health M.S.W. Howard University B.A. Howard University
Barbara Sisskind Amtzis B.S. State University of New York/Albany	Frank A. Blandino B.A. Lafayette College
Emmanuel Archer B.S. City University of New York/Hunter College	Robert M. Boder B.S. State University of New York/Binghamton
Bradley David Asness B.A. Brandeis University	Adam W. Braunschweiger B.S. University of Maryland/College Park
Janine Robin Azriliant B.A. Lehigh University	Scott Frederick Brown B.A. University of Rochester
Ira A. Bader Ph.D. Fordham University M.A. Fordham University M.S. Yeshiva University B.A. Yeshiva University	Heather Elizabeth Gordon Brownlie B.A. Columbia College
Rupinderjit Singh Badwal B.A. University of Toronto	John Joseph Bruno B.A. New York University
Jennifer L. Bailine B.A. Clark University	Melissa Jill Buda B.A. University of Massachusetts/Amherst
John R. Bainlardi B.S. State University of New York/Albany	Mary Clare Buetow B.A. Hamilton College
Richard Joseph Baker B.A. Muhlenberg College	Lori Bukoff B.A. City University of New York/Queens College
Roberta Maria Baldini B.A. Bard College	Alicia Staci Bursky B.S. New York University
Richard Mario Ballerini M.B.A. University of Dayton B.A. State University of New York/Potsdam	Laurentina Suzanne McKeney Butler B.S. City University of New York/John Jay College of Criminal Justice
Debra Karen Bampton M.P.A. Seton Hall University B.A. Seton Hall University	Charles F. Butruch B.S. New York Institute of Technology A.A. Suffolk County Community College
Brendan Aloysius Barry B.A. Florida Atlantic University	Tara A. Byrne B.S.C.E. University of Vermont
Jacklyn Kay Bartlett B.A. Moravian College	Leo Gerard Callaghan B.S. St. John's University
David Mitchell Bass B.S.M. Tulane University	Kenneth Hardy Campbell B.A. Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University
Liane J. Bass B.A. State University of New York/Binghamton	Carlo Joseph Camporeale B.A. Fairfield University
Edwin F. Bassett B.A. State University of New York/Stony Brook	Bruce S. Cantin B.A. State University New York/Oneonta

*JD/MBA City University of New York/Bernard Baruch College

Jude Roberto Cardenas
B.A. New York University

Shannon Patricia Carney
B.S. Cornell University

Lars Fredrik Cederqvist
B.A. Syracuse University

Clare J. Chapman
M.M. University of Arizona
B.A. University of Central Florida

Richard Chen
B.S. State University of New York/Bufalo

Stephen M. Chin
B.S. Columbia University

Jae D. Choi
B.B.A. University of Texas/Arlington

Mojgan Cohanin
B.A. City University of New York/Queens College

Christopher Heintz Colaneri
B.A. St. Lawrence University

Laura M. Colatrella
B.A. Upsala College

Eric Alan Coles
B.B.A. City University of New York/Bernard Baruch College

Emily Maura Conant
B.A. Middlebury College

James G. Conigliaro
B.A. The American University

Stephanie Alberta Cook
B.A. Long Island University
A.A. La Guardia Community College

Thomas Blase Coppola
B.S. Rutgers University

Paul Forrest Craig
M.A. New York University
B.A. University of Tennessee

Julio Cruz
B.A. Fordham University

Gardenia P. Cucci
B.A. Franklin and Marshall College

Ruth Constance Curtis
M.I.A. Columbia University
B.A. Wellesley College

Leonardo A. D'Alessandro
B.A. Bucknell University

Christopher D'Orta
B.A. Hofstra University

Sherilyn Renee Dandridge
B.B.A. Howard University

Philip Michael Danisi
B.A. University of Maryland/College Park

John Joo Darcy
B.A. Fordham University

Kathleen Pamela DeCelle
B.A. College of Mount Saint Vincent

Glenn Delgado
B.A. State University of New York/Albany

Maureen Elizabeth Delgado
B.A. City University of New York/Queens College

John William De Haan
B.A. State University of New York/Stony Brook

Theresa A. DeRoberts
B.A. University of Rhode Island

Rosemary DiBenedetto
B.A. University of Maryland

Peter Michael DiCecco
B.A. New York University

Maryanne Patricia Doherty
B.S. College of Mt. Saint Vincent
M.S. Columbia University

Kent B. Dolan
B.B.A. Washburn University

Mary Margaret Dorrian
B.S. New York University

William Howard Drumm
B.S. St. John Fisher College

Prumiys Dulger
B.A. Columbia University

Deborah Duseau
B.A. Drew University

Craig Casey Eastland
B.F.A. Rhode Island School of Design

Cenceria P. Edwards
B.B.A. City University of New York/Bernard Baruch College

Rachel Ehrlich
B.A. University of Massachusetts/Amherst

Steven W. Epstein
B.A. Brandeis University

Christopher Arvin Erd
B.S. Rutgers University/Cook College

Tamara A. Espinel
B.A. New York University

Lorraine S. Farahmand
B.A. Washington University

Joseph Fredrick Farelli
B.S. State University of New York/Bufalo

Alan L. Faulkner
M.A. City University of New York/
Herbert H. Lehman College
B.A. Hobart College

Lejdin Fazlibegu
M.B.A. Monmouth College
B.S.E.E. Polytechnic University

Genevieve Ann Felix
B.A. New York University

Suzanne Pence Ferguson
B.A. Dartmouth College

Emilio Fernandez
M.B.A. University of Miami
B.B.A. University of Miami

Alan Jonathan Field
B.M. James Madison University

William Figundio III
B.A. Villanova University

Adam David Finkelstein
B.A. State University of New York/Albany

Glenn Stuart Fisher
B.S. Rider College

Elise Lara Flamholtz
B.A. State University of New York/Binghamton

Shioban Marie Foley
B.A. State University of New York/Albany

Jeanne Ellen Forster
B.A. City University of New York/Hunter College

Stephanie Joy Fox
B.S. University of Maryland

Michael Gerald Freel
B.S. St. Thomas Aquinas College

Lori Ellen Friedland
B.B.A. Pace University

Robert Steven Friedlander
B.A. City University of New York/Queens College

Hal M. Friedman
B.A. Franklin and Marshall College

Kenneth B. Fromson
B.A. State University of New York/Albany

John Michael Gallagher
B.S. Long Island University/South Hampton

Rose Mary Gallagher
B.S.B.A. Boston University

Connie Joy Gargiulo
B.A. Hofstra University

Sharon Lynn Gasparo
B.A. State University of New York/Stony Brook

Charles Philip Gassler
B.S. New York Institute of Technology
A.S. Nassau Community College

John Andrew Gebauer
B.A. State University of New York/Buffalo

Jennine Adele Gerrard
B.A. Vassar College

Michael Robert Gierer
B.A. Iona College

Andrea S. Glenn
B.A. New York University

Marcia Beth Gold
B.A. Emory University

David Brian Goldman
B.A. State University of New York/Binghamton

Gary Alan Goldman
B.A. State University of New York/Albany

Laura Ann Goldsmith
B.A. State University of New York/Purchase

Scott Russell Goldstein
B.S. State University of New York/Albany

Steven Eric Goldstein
B.A. University of Hartford

Alexander Nicholas Golimbu
B.A. Boston College

Eric Jason Gottfried
B.A. Syracuse University

Steven F. Granville
B.A. State University of New York/Albany

Janine Renee Gravinese
B.S. Villanova University

Warren Samuel Green
B.A. State University of New York/Oneonta

Susan Jill Greenberg
B.A. City University of New York/Hunter College

Mark R. Grewe
A.B. Hamilton College

Robert M. Grossman
M.B.A. Columbia University
B.A. University of Maryland

Craig Michael Gruber
B.S. University of Wisconsin/Madison

Amy Melissa Haber
B.A. State University of New York/Buffalo

Robert Eric Hacker
B.A. State University of New York/Binghamton

Lyn Alison Niswander Handel
B.A. Youngstown State University
R.N. Youngstown State University

Jacqueline Anne Harkin
B.A. City University of New York/Queens College

Jason S. Haselkorn
B.S. Nova University

Paul William Haug
B.S. New York University

Alyssa Joy Held
B.A. Columbia University

Susan Beth Henner
B.A. State University of New York/Albany

Roland Richard Hicks III
B.A. Providence College

Stephen Philip Hightower
B.A. Hofstra University

Philip Jay Hoffman
B.S. State University of New York/Oneonta

David Clifford Holland
B.A. Boston University

Christina Walsh Hope
B.A. Duke University

Frederick Charles Horwood
B.A. Colby College

Susan Elizabeth Howsmon
B.S.N. The Ohio State University

Theresa Ann Hughes
B.A. Rutgers University/Douglass College

Erin Kathleen Hurley
B.A. Arizona State University

Jonathan Philip Ibsen B.S. Fordham University	Kerry Cahill Kerin A.B. Lafayette College
Marie-Ann Inguanti B.A. State University of New York/Stony Brook	Richard Rowen Kiernan A.B. College of the Holy Cross
Linda Jacobs B.A. State University of New York/Stony Brook	Jay J. Kim B.E. The Cooper Union School of Engineering
David D. Jagger B.A. University of New Hampshire	Judith Nancy Klapper B.A. University of Rochester
Louis Edward Jakub, Jr. B.A. Rowan College of N.J.	Donald Adams Knight B.A. University of Massachusetts/Boston
Swati P. Jamindar B.S. City University of New York/John Jay College of Criminal Justice	Christopher Philip Kohn M.P.A. New York University B.A. Hobart College
Daniel Neil Jocelyn B.A. State University of New York/Albany	Shaban Koleci B.S. Fairleigh Dickinson University
Robert Henry Johnson B.A. City University of New York/Hunter College	Nancy M. Kominkiewicz M.B.A. Indiana University B.S. Purdue University
Gail Elizabeth Johnston B.A. Bates College	Marcelo A. Kopcow M.S. Northeastern University B.A. Northeastern University
Alan Michael Joseph B.S. Arizona State University	George Kotsopoulos M.B.A. Philadelphia College of Textiles & Science B.A. American University
Erran Kagan B.A. State University of New York/Stony Brook	Christina Elizabeth Kousi B.A. Smith College
Nicholas Anthony Kaiser B.S. State University of New York/Empire State College	Lori Robin Kranczer B.A. State University of New York/Binghamton
Steven Wilhelm Kaiser B.S. St. John's University	Steven Philip Krasner B.A. George Washington University
Thomas John Kalamoutousakis B.S. Adelphi University	Imran A. Kureshy B.S. City University of New York/College of Staten Island A.S. City University of New York/College of Staten Island
Robin Jill Kannel B.A. State University of New York/Binghamton	Anthony P. La Trace, Jr. B.A. City University of New York/Queens College
Stuart Adam Kanoff B.A. University of Michigan/Ann Arbor	Todd Vincent Lamb B.M. University of Michigan/Ann Arbor
Madge Ruth Kanter Ph.D. Cornell University B.A. University of California/Santa Cruz	John Patton Lasala B.A. University of North Carolina/Chapel Hill
Gail Susan Karan M.A. University of Baltimore B.A. University of Maryland	Terry Gushner Laufer B.A. University of Pennsylvania
Chad Laurence Karp B.A. Pennsylvania State University	Marc Scott Lawrence B.A. University of Michigan
Susan Ann Kassel B.A. State University of New York/Stony Brook	Jay Sung Lee B.S. Polytechnic University
Jason M. Kaufer B.A. Concordia University	Sylvia Lee B.A. State University of New York/Stony Brook
Elizabeth Anne Kaye B.A. University of Pennsylvania	David Jonathan Levine B.S. Cornell University
John James Kearney B.S. Providence College	Mark Jeffrey Levine B.A. Lehigh University
Robert Wilson Keddle III B.A. Millesville University	Stacey Lynn Levinson B.S. Rutgers University/Rutgers College
Maura Elizabeth Kelly B.A. Georgetown University	Michael G. Lewis B.A. University of Massachusetts/Boston
Michael Patrick Kelly B.A. Loyola College	Lamont Littlejohn B.A. City University of New York/City College
Joseph Thomas Kennedy B.A. Fairfield University	

Steven A. Llorens B.A. Emory University	Arthur Anthony Metzler B.S.M.E. Villanova University
Beverly E. Loew B.A. Wheaton College	Barry Alan Meyerson B.S. Skidmore College
Michael Vincent Luciano B.A. The College of William & Mary	Paula Lorraine Mobley B.A. Pace University
Angela Debra Lurie B.A. The American University	Patricia Ann Mollica B.A. St. John's University
Robert William Luzzi B.S. State University of New York/Oneonta	John B. Monahan B.A. Glassboro State College
Brian Wade Lynn B.A. George Washington University	Randy I. Monkarsch B.S. Drexel University
Scot Paul Mackoff B.S. University of Maryland/College Park	Wendy Morgan B.A. Ohio Wesleyan University
Janet Elizabeth MacGillivray B.A. Columbia University	Michael Anthony Morse B.A. St. John's University
Thomas Michael Majewski B.S. Rutgers University	Peter Moulinos B.B.A. Pace University
Heather Margaret Mapp B.S. Long Island University	William Charles Muller B.S. St. John's University
David Michael Marcus B.A. State University of New York/Oneonta	Courtney Ellen Murphy B.S. Fordham University A.A.S. Nassau Community College
Daniel Scott Margetanski B.A. Indiana University of Pennsylvania	Sheila Patricia Murphy B.S. Cornell University
Scarlett Marie Margetanski B.A. Indiana University of Pennsylvania	Marc James Musman B.A. State University of New York/Albany
Robert Michael Marino II B.A. Ursinus College	Michelle Sara Myers B.S. London School of Economics & Political Science C.Q.S.W. Glasgow University
Stefanie Jill Martin B.A. Brandeis University	Albert M. Myers III B.A. Yale University
Reynold John Martini B.A. St. John's University	Eric P. Nachimovsky B.B.A. City University of New York/Bernard Baruch College
Eric Andrew Marx B.A. George Washington University	Jae Hyun Nam B.A. Michigan State University
Ian Scott Marx M.A. Drew University B.A. Dickinson College	Edgar Joseph Navarrete B.S. Kean College of New Jersey
Bari Fran Maskell B.A. Washington University	Richard M. Newman B.A. City University of New York
Charles Lawrence Maslin B.B.A. Temple University	James Anthony Notaris B.S. State University of New York/Buffalo
Timothy Joseph McAuliffe, Jr. B.A. Rutgers University/Rutgers College	Teresa O'Leary B.S. New York Institute of Technology
James Harry McCutcheon B.S. City University of New York/John Jay College of Criminal Justice A.S. City University of New York/John Jay College of Criminal Justice	Eric Michael O'Meara B.S. Manhattan College
Craig Edward McElwee B.A. Hofstra University	Stacy Ilene Oberman B.A. State University of New York/Albany
Joel David McHugh B.A. University of Rochester	Brian Joel Odza B.A. State University of New York/Albany
Sylvia Patricia Meneses B.S. Rider College	A. Afolabi Olosunde B.A. Cornell University

James E. Orr, Jr.
B.S. Eastern Washington University

Tiffany Anne Orsini
B.S. Boston University

Joseph A. Pacello
B.S. Seton Hall University

Jeffrey Wayne Padilla
B.A. University of Michigan

Zoe Panarites
B.A. Vassar College

Andrew Pappas
B.S. Seton Hall University

Philip Edward Parlante
B.A. University of Delaware

Vinit Parmar
B.A. State University of New York/Buffalo

Rick James Pasacreta
B.B.A. Pace University

Kristen Jay Patria
B.S. Fitchburg State College

Francis Stanley Pelkowski
B.E. State University of New York/Maritime College

Frances Katherine Pfeifer Pero
B.S. University of Virginia

Stephen Joseph Petrick
B.S. New York University

Nancy S. Pitkofsky
B.S. University of Maryland/College Park

Ruth Zelda Plave
B.F.A. Syracuse University

Reed Michael Podell
B.S. Brooklyn College

Rhonda A. Pohl
B.A. Boston University

Sheldon R. Pontaoe
B.S. University of Southern Indiana

John Alexander Porges
B.A. Franklin and Marshall College

Eva Maria Possavino
B.A. Fordham University

Lisa Michelle Potter
B.A. Rutgers University/Douglass College

Jamian Ross Probber
B.A. Hampshire College

Colin Punch
B.A. Rutgers University

Amianna Pytel
B.A. New York University

Franklin Gosnell Quow
B.A. University of Pittsburgh

Deborah Rebecca Raider
B.A. Brandeis University

Victor Rampertab
B.A. State University of New York/Stony Brook

Rhona Hope Ramsay
B.S. City University of New York/John Jay College of Criminal Justice

David Alan Raskin
B.A. Ithaca College

Robert J. Raymond
B.S. The University of the State of New York/Regents College

Robert Louis Reda
B.A. Allegheny College

Robbyn S. Reichman
B.A. Brandeis University

Joyce Ann Reinecke
B.A. Iona College

Wandy Reyes
B.A. New York University

Carolyn Diane Richmond
B.S. Cornell University

Edwin Rivera
B.A. City University of New York/Bernard Baruch College
A.A. Community College of the Air Force

Michelle Freda Patrica Roberts
B.A. State University of New York/Stony Brook

Kimberly Elizabeth Robertson
B.A. Skidmore College

Victoria Robles
B.A. Bucknell University

Steven E. Rosenbaum
B.A. University of Michigan/Ann Arbor

Zachary David Rosenbaum
B.S. University of Maryland

Shari Lisa Rosenberg
B.A. University of California/Irvine

Douglas Uri Rosenthal
B.A. Yeshiva University

Melissa Fay Rosenthal
B.A. State University of New York/Binghamton

Christopher Andrew Rossi
B.S. Lehigh University

Antonio JB Ruiz
M.B.A. Pace University
B.A. Inter American University

Stacy Robin Sabatini
B.A. Brandeis University

Evamarie Sabbath
B.S. University of Scranton

Scott Michael Saletta
B.A. Rutgers University/Rutgers College

Alfred J. Sargente
M.S. City University of New York/Hunter College
B.S. Syracuse University

Susan Allison Schumer
M.A. Montclair State College
B.A. Ramapo State College

Jeffrey Adam Segal
B.A. Rutgers University/New Brunswick

Steven Thomas Senior
B.A. Rutgers University/Newark

Clay R. Serenbetz
M.B.A. Dartmouth College
B.S.B.A. University of North Carolina/Chapel Hill

George Eustale Sermier
B.A. Lehigh University

Valerie B. Shannon
B.A. City University of New York/John Jay College of Criminal Justice

John Patrick Sheahan
M.S. Harriman College
B.A. State University of New York/Stony Brook

Alan Michael Sheckman
B.A. State University of New York/Binghamton

Karen Elizabeth Shelton
B.A. State University of New York/Plattsburgh

Michael John Sheridan
B.A. Montclair State College

Edward T. Sieban, Jr.
B.S. St. John's University

Jeff Warren Silver
M.B.A. Pace University
B.S. Cornell University

Ventura Armondo Simmons
B.A. City University at New York/City College

Meredith Jane Simpson
B.A. University of North Carolina/Chapel Hill

Steven M. Simpson
B.A. Drew University

Marc Jay Skobac
B.A. University of Maryland/College Park

Evan Smith
B.A. State University of New York/Buffalo

William J. Smith
B.A. State University of New York/Stony Brook

*William Roy Solli
B.B.A. City University of New York/Bernard Baruch College
B.A. City University of New York/City College

Casmir Steven Sondey
B.S. University of Scranton
A.A.S. Bergen Community College

Donald Stuart Sowder
B.S. Rutgers University

Robert John Spence
B.A. Hamilton College

Constantine A. Speres
B.A. Lafayette College

Robin L. Stein
B.S. State University of New York/Buffalo

Brenna Lynne Stewart
B.S.E. City University of New York/Hunter College

Phillip Steven Stillman
B.A. University of Maryland/College Park

T. Howard Stone
B.A. University of California Los Angeles

David A. Strauss
B.S. Syracuse University

Mark B. Stummer
B.A. State University of New York/Albany

Don Sullivan
M.S. City University of New York/Hunter College
B.A. State University of New York/Albany

Carol Toby Taffet
B.A. Lehigh University

Robert Tambini
B.A. Pace University

Jaime Tan
B.B.A. City University of New York/Bernard Baruch College

David Alan Taplitz
B.A. The University of Virginia

Joseph G. Taras
M.P.A. City University of New York/John Jay College of Criminal Justice
B.S. City University of New York/John Jay College of Criminal Justice

Dale Tarzia
B.B.A. City University of New York/Bernard Baruch College

Alan L. Tauber
B.B.A. George Washington University

Ernest Edward Theurer
M.A. Columbia University
B.A. Bates College

Marcia J. Thomas
B.A. State University of New York/Stony Brook

Donna Lynn Thompson
B.S. Georgian Court College

Lisa Chadwick Thompson
B.A. University of Rochester

Debra Todres
B.S. Georgetown University

Regina Renett Trammell
B.A. University of California/Santa Barbara

Eric Peter Tuchmann
B.S. University of Wisconsin/Madison

Ya Shan Tung
B.A. State University of New York/Stony Brook

Patricia Ann Unz
B.B.A. City University of New York/Bernard Baruch College

Sonia Kaur Uppal
B.A. State University of New York/Stony Brook

Todd Andrew Wallman
B.A. University of Michigan

Julie Ann Waterman
B.A. Dartmouth College

Jeanne Marie Weisneck
B.A. Grand Valley State University

Steven M. Werfel
B.A. Hofstra University

William Joseph Willard
B.S. University of Maryland

Devon Everett Williams
B.B.A. City University of New York/Bernard Baruch College

*JD/MBA — City University of New York/Bernard Baruch College

Carl G. Wistreich
A.B. Colgate University

Charles David Wood
B.A. Vassar College

Barry Howard Woolfson
B.S. University of Maryland/College Park

Scott Jordan Wortman
B.A. Tufts University

Harold Yuen
B.B.A. City University of New York/Bernard Baruch College

Karyn B. Zeldman
B.A. McGill University

Michael Zhu
B.A. New York University

Lisa Barbara Zimbalist
B.A. George Washington University

Stacey Ellen Ziskin
B.A. State University of New York/Binghamton

CANDIDATES FOR J.D. DEGREES — SEPTEMBER 1, 1994

Luis M. Galup
M.S. Rutgers University
B.S. Jersey City State College

Angela Teresa Heres
B.S. Cornell University

John Andrew MacLachlan
B.A. Syracuse University

Petro Bohdan Matiaszek
O.D. State University of New York
B.S. Seton Hall University

Lorna A. McGregor
B.A. Fordham University

Ilene P. Sacco
M.A. City University of New York/John Jay College of
Criminal Justice

B.A. City University of New York/John Jay College of
Criminal Justice

Eileen Joan Weber
M.B.A. Fordham University
B.B.A. Pace College
A.A.S. Pace College

Brian K. Wormley
B.B.A. University of Pennsylvania

BERNARD H. MENDIK



For more than a century, New York Law School has served women and men of outstanding dedication and energy who have chosen to build their futures from a background in law. Assuming great pride in providing entry into the profession for such individuals, the Law School takes as the measure of its own success the achievements of its graduates, whose accomplishments are proof not only of their own worth, but of the institution's as well.

Bernard H. Mendik is the paradigmatic example of such a graduate.

Scottish-born, he arrived in New York as an infant in the first full year of the Great Depression. His intelligence and industry subsequently saw him through the Bronx High School of Science and, interrupted by military service in the Korean War, the evening division of City College of New York.

While working full-time as a china and glassware wholesaler, Mr. Mendik attended the evening division of New York Law School, where he served as an editor of the Law Review, graduating in February, 1958.

During his last year as a student, the young Mendik began his career as a developer with the purchase of a single Manhattan loft building. Today his holdings comprise eleven million square feet of commercial office space in the New York metropolitan area, Westchester, and Connecticut.

A former Adjunct member of the faculty, long-time Trustee, and former Chair of the Board of Trustees of New York Law School during a dramatic period of evolution and renovation at the school, Mr. Mendik has been involved with numerous other organizations supporting a broad range of civic, educational, philanthropic and business goals. He is currently Chair of the Board of Governors of the Real Estate Board of New York and a Trustee of the Citizens Budget Commission, the Realty Advisory Board, the Realty Foundation and the Fifth Avenue Association. He is a former Co-Chair of the 34th Street Business Improvement District, a Director of the Downtown-Lower Manhattan Association, a partner of the New York City Partnership and a member of the Speaker's Legislative Advisory Commission on the Homeless.

His philanthropic associations have included service as Chair of the Board of Trustees of the Jewish Guild for the Blind, Trustee of the Jewish Guild's Nursing Home for the Aged Blind, the Montefiore Medical Center, the Bronx High School of Science Foundation, the City College Fund, Hobart and William Smith Colleges and the Real Estate Advisory Board of Baruch College. He is a member of the Board of Regents of the Cathedral Church of Saint John the Divine, and a member emeritus of the Character and Fitness Committee for Admission to the New York Bar Association. He is the 1993 recipient of the Ellis Island Medal of Honor.

Bernard H. Mendik, for your personal and professional achievement, for your innovative leadership of New York's business and civic community, for your long years of unstinted service to New York and your generosity to and leadership of the New York Law School, the Board of Trustees of New York Law School hereby confers upon you the degree of Doctor of Laws, *honoris causa*, with all the rights and privileges thereunto appertaining.

RUDOLPH W. GIULIANI

Since its founding more than a century ago, New York Law School has not departed from its earliest determination to be located near the courts and governmental centers of lower Manhattan, providing its students and faculty with ready access to the halls and chambers where law interacts most directly with citizens. This is Rudolph W. Giuliani's territory.

As the 107th Mayor of The City of New York, Mr. Giuliani holds direct responsibility for the welfare of the third largest governmental entity in the United States. It is an office he sought and occupies with energy, skill, and determination. These are the same qualities that earlier had contributed to his fame as a practicing member of the bar for more than two decades.

A lifelong resident of New York, Mr. Giuliani was schooled in three of the city's five boroughs, including Bishop Loughlin Memorial High School in Brooklyn, Manhattan College in the Bronx, and New York University Law School, from which he was graduated magna cum laude in 1968.



He joined the office of the United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York in 1970, and a few years later was named Chief of the Narcotics Unit, and then Executive United States Attorney. In 1975, he was called to Washington, D.C., as Associate Deputy Attorney General, and following service in the private sector with New York's Patterson, Belknap, Webb and Tyler he returned to Washington in 1981 as Associate Attorney General with responsibilities for the Bureau of Corrections, the Drug Enforcement Agency, the United States Marshals and other federal law enforcement agencies.

Mr. Giuliani returned to New York once again in 1983 to become the United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York. In that position he established a reputation as a relentless prosecutor of both organized crime and white collar lawbreakers. During his tenure his office gained singular recognition by convicting more than 4,000 defendants.

Mr. Mayor, for your long and distinguished career in government service, for your vigorous advocacy of the law, and for your determination to serve the people of New York, the Board of Trustees of New York Law School hereby confers upon you the degree of Doctor of Laws, *honoris causa*, with all the rights and privileges thereunto appertaining.

HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENTS

1955

Hon. Charles William Froessel
Hon. John Marshall Harlan
Archibald Robinson Watson

1956

Albert Cohn
Albert Conway
Denis O'Leary

1957

Nathaniel L. Goldstein
Charles H. Griffiths
David W. Peck

1958

Hon. Joseph A. Cox
James Thomas Hallinan
Gerald Nolan
Ferdinand Pecora

1959

Bernard Botein
Theodore Granik
Philip M. Kleinfeld
Edward J. Neary

1960

Charles Stewart Desmond

1961

Robert Moses

1962

Stanley Howells Fuld
Sylvester Comstock Smith, Jr.
Murray Stockman

1963

Sydney F. Foster

1964

George J. Beldock
Hunter Labatut Delatour
Marvin R. Dye
Alfred Gross

1965

Edwin L. Weisl
Hon. David T. Wilentz

1966

Daniel Gutman
John Van Voorhis

1967

Alfred J. Bohlinger
Leo M. Cherne
Hon. W. Averell Harriman

1968

Hon. Ramsey Clark
Tom C. Clark
David Finkelstein
Orison S. Marden
Robert Morris Morgenthau
Edward Joseph Mortola

1969

Jerry Finkelstein
John Seward Johnson
John Vincent Thornton

1970

Adrian P. Burke
Joseph I. Lubin
Joseph Edward Lumbard, Jr.
Samuel Miller

1971

Willard Heckel
John F. Scileppi

1972

Maurice R. Greenberg
Samuel Rabin
Hon. Whitney North Seymour, Jr.

1973

Hon. Paul J. Curran
Charles H. Dyson
Harry B. Helmsley
E. Donald Shapiro
Hon. Joseph Weintraub

1974

Hon. Brendan T. Byrne
Walter M. Jeffords, Jr.
Samuel J. LeFrak
Hon. Owen McGivern

1975

Hon. Charles D. Breitel
William J. Curran
Gen. John Einar Murray
Hon. Peter W. Rodino, Jr.
Stefan Trechsel
Hon. Robert F. Wagner
William Weary

1976

Hon. Warren E. Burger
 Milton Helpen
 Mary Gardiner Jones
 Gen. Rowland F. Kirks
 Harry Ostrov
 Hon. Edward D. Re
 Joseph Solomon

1977

Hon. Dennis DeConcini
 Elizabeth Hughes Gossett
 Hon. Howard T. Markey
 Hon. Daniel Patrick Moynihan
 Albert M. Sacks

1978

Hon. Griffen B. Bell
 Hon. Gerald R. Ford
 Hon. Erwin N. Griswold
 Hon. Damon J. Keith
 Rabbi Emanuel Rackman

1979

Hon. Benjamin R. Civiletti
 Hon. Lawrence H. Cooke
 Barbara Knowles Debs
 Abraham S. Goldstein
 Hon. Jacob K. Javits
 Hon. Wade H. McCree, Jr.
 Hon. Francis T. Murphy
 Hon. Potter Stewart

1980

Hon. Richard Reeve Baxter
 Terence Cardinal Cooke
 Hon. Richard N. Gardner
 A. Leo Levin
 Hon. Lewis F. Powell, Jr.
 Edward Allen Tamm

1981

Mario M. Biaggi
 Hon. William Frank Buckley, Jr.
 Hon. William Joseph Casey
 Hon. Matthew Joseph Jasen
 Hon. James Skelly Wright

1982

Hon. Mary S. Coleman
 Hon. Alfonse M. D'Amato
 Archbishop Iakovos
 Rex E. Lee
 Hon. Shigeru Oda
 Thomas Grey Wicker

1983

Hon. Harry A. Blackmun
 Hon. Sherman G. Finesilver
 Hon. Constance Baker Motley
 Albert Parker
 Hon. Lowell P. Weicker, Jr.

1984

Hon. Geraldine A. Ferraro
 Hon. A. Leon Higginbotham, Jr.
 Eugene V. Rostow
 Robert B. Stevens
 Otto L. Walter

1985

Hon. Mario M. Cuomo
 Robert B. McKay
 Bill Moyers
 Hon. Ellen Ash Peters
 Donna E. Shalala

1986

Barbara Aronstein Black
 Hon. William Joseph Brennan, Jr.
 Hon. Edward I. Koch
 Myres Smith McDougal
 Hon. Spottswood W. Robinson III

1987

Fred W. Friendly
 Hon. Thomas Howard Kean
 Frederick A. O. Schwarz, Jr.
 Ellen V. Futter

1988

Hon. Patricia McGowan Wald
 Archibald R. Murray
 Ernst C. Stiefel

1989

Hon. Roger J. Miner

1990

Alvin J. Bronstein
 Linda A. Fairstein
 Hon. Milton L. Williams

1991

Hon. David N. Dinkins
 Hon. John H. Sununu

1992

Hon. Sandra Day O'Connor
 Dean James F. Simon

1993

Shepard Broad
 Drew S. Days III
 Judith S. Kaye

THE NEW YORK LAW SCHOOL: AT THE HEART OF NEW YORK'S LEGAL COMMUNITY FOR OVER 100 YEARS

FOUNDING: 1891

New York Law School was established in 1891 by faculty, students and alumni of the Columbia College School of Law who were protesting the trustees attempts to dictate the teaching methods used by professors. Theodore Dwight, founder and dean of the Columbia School of Law and a major figure in the history of American legal scholarship, led the creation of New York Law School in lower Manhattan, near its present location.

THE EARLY YEARS: 1891-1914

Almost immediately, New York Law School attained a formidable reputation due to the excellence of its students and faculty. One early lecturer was Woodrow Wilson, then Professor of Jurisprudence at Princeton University. Another was Charles Evans Hughes, subsequently Chief Justice of the United States. The first class included James Gerard, who went on to serve as Ambassador to Germany during World War I, and Bainbridge Colby, who became Secretary of State under President Wilson and, later, Wilson's law partner. The School began its evening division within its first decade.

By 1904, the Law School was the largest in the country, and, by 1906, it had over 1,000 students, the largest enrollment attained by any law school before World War I. Many of those attending New York Law School during this period became founders or name partners of leading law firms, including: Henry Hurlbut Abbott of Breed, Abbott & Morgan; Edwin Sunderland of Davis, Polk, Wardwell, Sunderland & Kiendel, and Thomas Debevoise of Debevoise & Plimpton.

It was rare for minorities and recent immigrants to attend law school in those days, but from the outset New York Law School was hospitable to all races and ethnic groups. The evening division proved a special asset in providing access to legal education for those who needed to work to support their studies. Among the Black graduates of the pre-World War I era, the most prominent was probably James S. Watson, who became a power in the New York Black community and a distinguished judge. The Judge's daughter, Barbara Watson, also attended the Law School and was the first woman to attain the rank of Assistant Secretary of State of the United States. Later, Justice Emilio Nunez, class of 1927, was the first Hispanic to be named to the bench in New York State.

WORLD WAR AND THE GREAT DEPRESSION: 1915-1946

The School closed for one year during World War I, briefly interrupting a steady expansion that lasted until the mid-1920s. Classes of the 1920's produced graduates who would play a leading role in the profession. Among the most notable were U.S. Supreme Court Justice John Marshall Harlan and Albert Parker, a founding partner of Parker, Chapin, Flattau & Klimpl.

The Depression hit the school very hard and enrollment dwindled. While the situation had improved by the late 1930s the inauguration of the draft in 1940 dealt the institution another blow. In 1941, the School was forced to close for the duration of World War II.

REBUILDING: 1947-1980

In 1947, New York Law School reopened and began the difficult task of rebuilding. A major impetus for reopening came from alumni who formed a committee spearheaded by New York State Supreme Court Justice Albert Cohn. The new program was small, but in the 1950s the School made significant strides. The Law Review was re-established, admission standards were raised, and faculty and curriculum were improved. Many alumni now prominent in the bar, the judiciary, government and business attended the school during these years, including Judge Roger J. Miner of the Second Circuit Court of Appeals, Presiding Justice Francis T. Murphy of the New York Supreme Court Appellate

Division, Otto Walter, founding partner of Walter, Conston, Alexander & Green, Bernard Mendik, a leader in the real estate industry and former Chairman of the Board of Trustees, and Lawrence S. Huntington, CEO of Fiduciary Trust International and current Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

During the next decades, the Law School continued to upgrade its curriculum, faculty and trustees. A major expansion came with the appointment of E. Donald Shapiro as Dean in the early 1970s as the School joined the Association of American Law Schools and the trustees authorized an increase in the size of the full-time faculty. Admissions requirements were raised while enrollment climbed. Facilities were significantly expanded to include three adjacent buildings, and an endowment fund grew.

GROWTH AND REVITALIZATION: 1983-1992

This period was a time of dramatic growth and revitalization for the New York Law School. Under the leadership of James F. Simon, Dean from 1983 until 1992, a series of major facilities renovations was begun, highlighted by the opening of the new Mendik Library in 1990. This was followed by the planning and construction of the new Samuel and Ethel LeFrak Moot Court Room, the Ernst Stiefel Reading Room, the Shepard and Ruth K. Broad Student Center, completed in 1993, and other extensive remodeling which completely transformed the Law School's classrooms, offices and specialty training areas. During Dean Simon's tenure, the Law School introduced an innovative Lawyering Skills Program into the curriculum.

The School has attracted a distinguished full-time faculty of nearly 50. They are productive scholars as well as skilled teachers, and train a student body of almost 1,400 students in the day and evening divisions. Some of the nation's most prominent scholars from other law schools have also served on the Law School's faculty as visitors, including John Hart Ely of Stanford, Edward G. White of Virginia, and Harry H. Wellington of Yale.

Distinguished visiting lecturers and speakers have also been attracted, including former President Jimmy Carter, Associate Justices of the Supreme Court Harry A. Blackmun, William J. Brennan, Jr., and Sandra Day O'Connor, Governors Mario Cuomo of New York and Thomas Kean of New Jersey, former New York City Mayors Edward I. Koch and David N. Dinkins. Other distinguished visitors include U.S. Ambassador Max Kampelman, head of the SALT delegation in Geneva, Justice Aharon Barak of the Supreme Court of Israel, Ambassador Jean-Pierre Derisbourg, head of the European Community's Delegation to the United Nations, Thomas Pickering, the former U.S. Ambassador to the United Nations, and John Shattuck, Assistant Secretary of the Bureau of Human Rights and Humanitarian Affairs.

The admissions process has continued to afford the School an opportunity for increased selectivity as the applicant pool has remained high, and aggressive outreach efforts have resulted in large minority enrollment. The Office of Career Services was expanded and revitalized during this time, resulting in greater placement of New York Law School's students in law firms as well as local, state and federal agencies, law enforcement departments, public defender and non-profit public service organizations.

THE PRESENT:

On July 1, 1992, Harry H. Wellington, Sterling Professor of Law emeritus and former Dean of the Yale Law School, became the 14th Dean and President of New York Law School. Dean Wellington has initiated a process of long-range planning to position New York Law School as a truly urban law center with an emphasis on lawyer-centered education, including an expansion of the full-time faculty and creation of a new Center for New York City Law providing focused study of New York City government. New York Law School has thus entered its second century with fully renovated facilities, a strong student body, an outstanding faculty and a bright future.



TRADITION OF ACADEMIC ATTIRE

The caps, gowns and hoods worn at college and university functions date back to the Middle Ages. Monks and students used them to keep warm in medieval castles and halls of learning. From these practical origins, they have developed into the accepted garb which symbolizes scholarly achievement.

Baccalaureate gowns have a long, pleated front with shirring across the shoulders and back. They are primarily distinguished by flowing sleeves, pointed at the fingertip. These gowns may be worn either open or closed.

The master's degree gown is worn open, and the sleeve is cut so that the forearm comes through a slit just above the elbow.

Gowns for the doctor's degree are also worn open. They carry broad, velvet panels down the front, and three velvet bars on the full, round sleeves. This velvet trimming may be either black or the color distinctive of the degree.

Mortar boards or caps worn with baccalaureate and master's gowns generally have black tassels. The tassel of the doctoral cap is usually made of gold bullion.

Faculty members and guests in today's procession are robed in gowns and hoods which represent the institutions from which they have received degrees.

The hood gives color and real meaning to the academic costume. Its silk lining bears the colors of the institution conferring the degree. The hood is bordered with velvet of a prescribed width and color to indicate the field of learning to which the degree pertains.

Agriculture	Maize
Architecture	Blue Violet
Arts, Letters, Humanities	White
Commerce, Accountancy, Business	Drab
Dentistry	Lilac
Economics	Copper
Education	Light Blue
Engineering	Orange
Fine Arts	Brown
Forestry	Russet
Journalism	Crimson
Law	Purple
Library Science	Lemon
Mathematics	Gold
Medicine	Kelly Green
Music	Pink
Nursing	Apricot
Optometry	Aqua

Oratory (Speech)	Silver
Pharmacy	Olive Green
Philanthropy	Rose
Philosophy	Dark Blue
Physical Education	Sage Green
Physics, Police Science, Science	Science Gold
Podiatry	Nile Green
Political Science	Dark Blue
Psychology	Gold
Public Administration,	
Foreign Service, Government	Peacock Blue
Social Science, Service and Work,	
Urban Life	Citron
Sociology	White
Theology	Scarlet
Urban Planning	Brown
Veterinary Science	Gray