

Student Bar Association Board of Governors 1979-80

SBA PRESIDENT - TERRY TURNER

A native of Salt Lake City, Utah, Terry graduated from the University of Utah in 1977 with a B A in Political Science. He served as an intern in the Utah State Legislature for one year and also spent one year as a research assistant to Utah's Congressional delegation in Washington, D C. He was elected to the Board of Governors at JRCLS as First Year Representative shortly after entering law school, and was subsequently elected again as Second Year Representative. He has been active in the Moot Court Cocurricular program and this year has been a member of the national team. Terry is also a member of Phi Delta Phi Legal Fraternity. He served a mission in Mexico from 1972-74, and since then has returned twice to Mexico and Central America as an interpreter for BYU archeological expeditions. Terry is married to the former Miss Kim Sandberg; they and their two children reside in Provo.

EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT - JUNE BABIRACKI

June is from Granddada Hills, California, where she hopes eventually to return to practice after law school. She was active in student government at BYU as an undergraduate, and brings to the Board of Governors a significant degree of skill and experience in student affairs. As Executive Vice President, she has the responsibility of also serving as the representative to the Law Student Division of the ABA. She is currently an editor for the Journal of Legal Studies and serves as Justice for the Cowley Chapter of the Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity. June devotes much of her spare time to the study of the Polish language and is also an avid skier, having established her proficiency in that sport by obtaining her instructor certification.

FINANCIAL VICE PRESIDENT - GLEN DAWSON

Glen is a native of Roy, Utah, and a 1977 graduate of Weber State College where he majored in Accounting. While at Weber he was a member of Phi Kappa Phi and Blue Key National Honor Fraternity, and in his senior year was selected as Scholar of the Year. He was a Legislative Intern to Rep. Ron Halverson of Ogden who at the time was House Majority Leader of the Utah State House of Representatives. Glen is currently an editor for the Journal of Legal Studies and is a member of the Delta Theta Phi Law Fraternity. He has been an Academic Scholarship recipient for all of his three years at JRCLS and will graduate in April in the top 20% of the class. Glen served a mission to Northern California from 1971-73. Upon graduation, he will begin work for the Justice Department in Washington, D C.

RECORDS VICE PRESIDENT - TIM EGBERT

Tim's home is Santa Barbara, California, and he is a graduate of Brigham Young University, receiving his B S in Mechanical Engineering in 1974, and his M S. in the same field in 1975. He is a member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, and the Tau Beta Phi Honor Society. At JRCLS, Tim has been active with the Journal of Legal Studies, both as an author and an editor. His interests are primarily in products liability litigation, which his background in mechanical engineering and numerous professional publications have suited him well for. Tim served a two-year mission to Taiwan and speaks fluent Mandarin. Upon graduation he plans to practice law in Kansas City, Missouri. As Records V P, Tim has been responsible for publication of all SBA Board of Governors meetings.

CLARK MEMORANDUM EDITOR - MIKE ELDREDGE

Born and raised in Ogden, Utah, Mike graduated from Weber State College in 1971 with a B A in Political Science. He received his M A in International Relations at Utah State University in 1972 where he also served as Graduate Student Body President. A Vietnam veteran, Mike served five years as a Naval Officer, the last two years of which he was assigned as an assistant professor at UCLA and seminar instructor at the U S Naval Academy in Annapolis, Md. He is an editor for the Journal of Legal Studies at JRCLS and also a member of the Delta Theta Phi Law Fraternity. Mike also serves as editor for the ABA/LSD Tenth Circuit Newsletter and is a member of the Tenth Circuit Cabinet. A December graduate, Mike plans to hang his shingle in Ogden, where he and his wife, the former Miss Mona Johnson, currently reside with their three children.

THIRD YEAR REPRESENTATIVE - GREG BURR

Greg is from Walnut Creek, California. He graduated from Brigham Young University with a B A in history in 1975. He completed his first year of law school at Southern Methodist University in Dallas, Texas, before coming to the J. Reuben Clark Law School. Aside from his responsibilities representing the Third Year Class on the SBA Board, Greg is Chairman of the Graduation Committee and is the Magister of the George Sutherland Inn of Phi Delta Phi. Greg served a mission to Chile from 1969 to 1970. He devotes his spare time to languages, music, and bicycling. Upon graduation, Greg will enter active duty with the U S. Navy JAG Corps.

June Babiracki

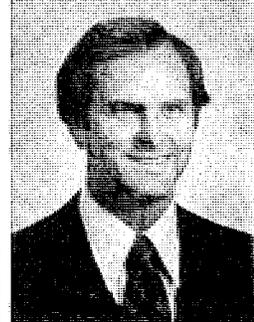
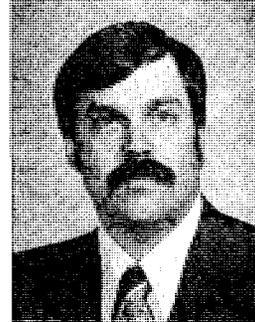
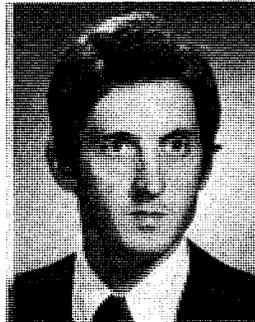
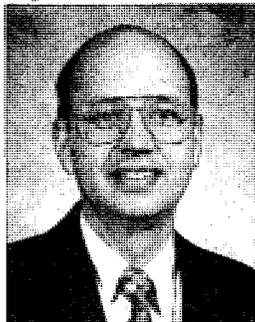
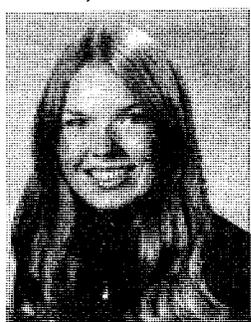
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**SECOND YEAR REPRESENTATIVE -
MATT HILTON**

A native of Walnut Creek, California, Matt graduated from BYU with a B A summa cum laude in History in 1978. He was a 1977 nominee for Rhodes Scholar and Danforth Scholar, and a member of Phi Kappa Phi, Phi Alpha Theta, and Phi Eta Sigma honor fraternities. Matt has also served as National Chairman of Manuscript Research for the Sons of the American Revolution and project director for the U S Army ROTC Region 14 Motivation Study. At the ABA/LSJ level, Matt has assumed the responsibility for organizing and directing the Legislative Drafting Program at JRCLS and will be a delegate to the Tenth Circuit Spring Conference at Laramie in March. He is also an active member of the Phi Delta Phi Legal Fraternity, the American Trial Lawyers Association and a grade on member of the Law Review. Matt served a Mission to Guatemala and El Salvador in 1973-75. His favorite pastimes include intramural sports in football, water polo and basketball.

**FIRST YEAR REPRESENTATIVE -
KURT KRIEGER**

Kurt is from Portland, Oregon, and a 1979 graduate of BYU in Communications. At BYU as an undergraduate, Kurt was active with the Kappa Tau Alpha National Honor Society of Journalism and Vice President of the BYU Pre-Law Association. Kurt has had experience in photography and journalism, and has worked extensively as a darkroom technician. As a member of the SBA Board of Governors, he has been responsible for several activities, many of which have given the first year class the reputation of being the most active group of newcomers in years. Kurt served a mission to Guatemala and El Salvador from 1975 to 1977. He is married to the former Miss Deanne Lisonbee, they have one daughter, Jana Joy.

**ACADEMICS CO-CHAIRMAN -
DAVE WATSON**

Dave is a native of St. George, Utah and is a 1977 graduate of Weber State College where he majored in Accounting. During his last three years at WSC Dave received athletic and Presidential scholarships, and was a member of the Phi Kappa Phi Honor Fraternity. While in his second year at JRCLS he passed the Certified Public Accounts Exam in November, 1978. As Academics Co-Chairman, Dave has been responsible in part for the numerous speakers at SBA Brownbag lectures and most recently has spearheaded the drive to establish a new student lounge at the law school. Shortly before serving a Mission to Germany, Dave was runner-up in the 1970 Utah State Amateur Golf Tournament at the tender age of 18. Since coming to JRCLS Dave has been known to hustle a few unwary law students, and has even gone so far as to set up a law school tournament and then win it. Dave, his wife and their two children currently reside in Orem.

**ACADEMICS CO-CHAIRMAN -
JACK HAYCOCK**

Jack is from Sacramento, California, and is a 1977 graduate of the University of California at Davis where he received a BA degree in International Relations. In 1971 Jack was named one of the "Ten Outstanding Youths of Sacramento" by the Junior Chamber of Commerce, and in 1973 he began a two year mission to Colombia. Since coming to JRCLS, Jack has been an author and editor for the Journal of Legal Studies, and has also been active as a member of the American Trial Lawyers Association. Along with Dave Watson, Jack shares the credit for the highly successful Brownbag lectures at the law school this year. An avid sports enthusiast, Jack spends much of his spare time playing or watching football, basketball, and softball. Upon graduation Jack hopes to return to Sacramento to practice law.

**STUDENTLIFE CHAIRWOMAN -
SHARI PERKINS**

A native of Richland, Washington, Shari is a 1978 graduate of BYU with a major in Sociology/Social Work. As an undergraduate, Shari was Studentbody Executive Officer for ASBYU and the recipient of numerous awards and honors including National Woman of the Year Among Colleges and Universities. Most recently she was selected as the Outstanding Young Woman of the Year for the State of Utah, 1979-80. She has had experience as a legislative intern for the Utah State Legislature, and also served as an assistant to Congressman Mike McCormack in the U.S. House of Representatives. Since coming to JRCLS Shari has been active in the Association of Women in Law and the Phi Delta Phi Legal Fraternity. Her responsibilities on the Board of Governors have included the organization and planning for all SBA sponsored social activities, as well as numerous other responsibilities for which her experience in student government has made her well suited.

**PUBLICITY CHAIRMAN -
MARK HOWARD**

Mark received both his Bachelor's and Master of Accountancy Degrees from BYU in August, 1978, and has passed all sections of the Certified Public Accountant's exam. He is a member of Phi Kappa Phi and Beta Alpha Psi Honor Fraternities and the recipient of numerous scholarships and awards. He has worked extensively as a research consultant in accounting, and has also been employed as a staff instructor in the Accounting Department at BYU. Mark is the recipient of a Merit Scholarship at JRCLS, is an author for the Journal of Legal Studies and is a member of the Phi Delta Phi Legal Fraternity. As publicity Chairman, Mark is responsible for all internal and external publicity for SBA sponsored activities. Mark fulfilled a mission to Colombia in 1972-74 and is married.

Matt Hilton

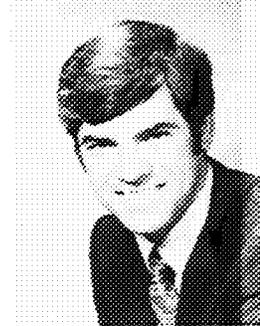
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ALUMNI NEWS

The recent publication of "The Brethren" has prompted many comments from various points across the spectrum of the legal profession, not the least of which are those views held by one of JRCLS's Supreme Court clerks, **Eric Andersen**.

Eric revealed mixed emotions about the book when reached at his home in Virginia. Since the interviews with law clerks by Bernstein and Armstrong were completed with the 1975 term, Eric was not among those questioned by the reporters. Nevertheless, he was acquainted with many who were interviewed and was able to make salient observations about their experiences and relate them to his own experience as a clerk to Justice Lewis F. Powell.

"The Court," explained Eric, "is certainly far from perfect and the justices are not above criticism; but the book [The Brethren] is unfair in its obvious bias against the Chief Justice." This overt bias against the Chief Justice and the sensationalistic journalism approach by Bernstein and Armstrong does not result in a

significant contribution to the history of the court.

The authors' approach places the book more accurately in a class of historical novel along the lines of Catherine Drinker Bowen, where some facts are known but much is left to historical speculation and conjecture. "Some clerks were very active in their support for Bernstein and Armstrong, while others did not realize that conversations made in good faith were being used as the basis for certain assertions made by the authors," Eric continued. "In fact, many assertions made by the authors are widely known to be false and inaccurate, and other observations would have been virtually impossible to substantiate."

The book does have value in revealing some of the inner workings of the court and the pressures that exist in the Supreme Court. As for clerking at the Supreme Court, Eric described it as "Marvelous! I wouldn't have missed it for anything."

Former BYU law student and SBA President **Ben Hatfield** is practicing law in Brigham City, Utah. Ben is a member of the firm Mann, Hatfield and Thorn. The firm does general litigation.

The law firm of Martineau, Rooker, Larsen and Kimball has turned into quite the JRCLS family. **Keith Rooker** and **Dale Kimball** have both participated as faculty members at JRCLS. They have hired as associates: **Robert Grow** and **Robert Johnson** of the class of 1975 and **James Swindler** and **Niel Christensen** of the class of 1978.

Paul Toscano of the class of 1978 returned to the JRCLS to give a talk to the student body about his recently published article in the Law Review on the dubious neutrality the Supreme Court has assumed under the First Amendment religion clauses. Paul is practicing law in Orem with a small law firm, and is an adjunct instructor for the BYU College of Education.

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