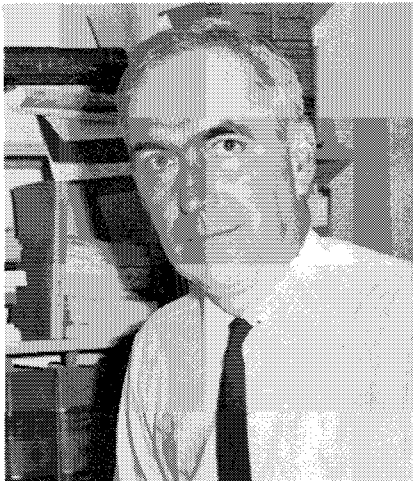


Applications Rise in Numbers and Quality

As of June 30, 1969, the number of applications for admission to the Law School was 40 per cent greater than the number received a year ago. Since there continues to be about 285 places in the new class, the Admissions Committee has had to be more highly selective than ever before.

The average student in the first year class will have an undergraduate grade point average of about 3. (on a 4. scale) and an average score on the Law School Admission Test of about 600.

"We have been swamped," commented Professor G. W. Foster, Jr., chairman of the Committee.



Professor Foster

PLACEMENT HELPS ALUMNI & GRADS

The University of Wisconsin Law School maintains a placement office which is continually expanding its facilities to meet the needs of students and employers. It is the aim of the placement office to assist graduating law students to find employment upon graduation, to help first and second year students find part-time and summer employment, and to help alumni in relocating.

The placement office actively communicates with prospective employers, and plays host to interviewers from law firms, government agencies, insurance companies, banks, accounting firms, and corporations.

Approximately two thirds of each law school class obtains permanent employment upon graduation through the placement office. During the next several months some two hundred 1970 graduates, and approximately the same number of second year students, will be looking to the legal profession and to the business world for employment opportunities. Because graduates now commit themselves relatively early in the school year, the placement office suggests that employers contact the office as soon as employment plans for 1969-70 have been formulated.

The School welcomes employers to its placement facilities and hopes that its services will be helpful.

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for five years as repayment for the scholarship he received to permit him to obtain a university education. Perhaps the largest group of Tanzanian graduates go straight to the bench upon receiving their degrees (although not to the highest court) where they replace expatriates who are leaving the country and Tanzanians who, although they have no formal legal training, have been serving as judges. Another large group go to work in the Attorney General's chambers. Most of the remaining graduates work for other government departments doing law-related work or for one of the nationalized industries or businesses.

The fact that our students get such good jobs immediately upon graduation puts special responsibility upon the Faculty. It is much more clearly true in Tanzania than in America that today's law student will be tomorrow's lawmaker. Moreover, there is great need for change in Tanzania's laws.

The University of East Africa will break up in July, 1970, and each country is in the process of establishing its own full fledged university, complete with graduate and professional schools. Already Uganda has formed its own law school and admitted its first class of students in 1968. Kenya is scheduled to begin its law school next year. As a result of these changes, in a few years the Faculty at Dar es Salaam will have an almost exclusively Tanzanian student body, and it is reasonable to expect that some of the Kenyan and Ugandan staff will leave to join the staff of their national law schools. The staff at Dar es Salaam is now determining how to respond to these developments. I hope, and believe, that the decisions that are made will enable Dar es Salaam to preserve its current reputation as the best law school in sub-saharan Africa.

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funds amount to less than 4 per cent of the total expense."

"We are seriously underfinanced," he said, emphasizing the need for greater scholarship funds. "We badly need money with which to make more and larger grants to students who have heavy burdens and high expense, and, in many cases, large debts."

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