

A Tribute to Professor Stuart Gullickson

Attorney and law professor Stuart Gullickson '50, who created the school's groundbreaking General Practice Program (now the Lawyering Skills Program), died this February in Madison after a brief illness. Gullickson served the Law School in multiple capacities from 1967 to 1989.

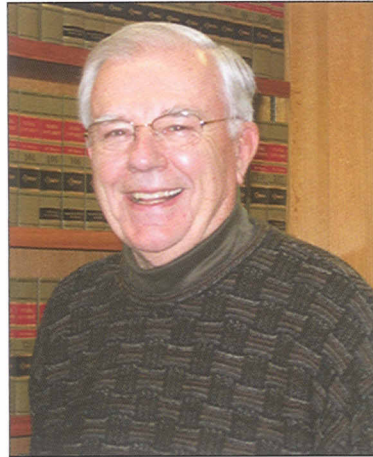
His colleagues and successors in the program, Professors Ralph Cagle and Gretchen Viney, collaborated on writing a tribute to Gullickson that accompanies his framed photo, which will be displayed within the Law School as part of the new Macaulay Project. The project is dedicated to ensuring that the school's outstanding professors and their accomplishments are remembered by future generations.

Professors Cagle and Viney wrote:

Stuart Gullickson, founder of the Lawyering Skills Program (formerly General Practice), would be surprised to hear so many accolades about his service to the profession, university, and the state. He would appreciate them, but would wonder why all the fuss. He would remind us that Wisconsin lawyers typically answer the call to service.

Stu graduated from UW Law School in 1950, after his return from overseas service following World War II. He was a successful general practice lawyer and litigator in Merrill, and then in Wausau, before joining the Law School faculty in 1967.

During his twenty-two years at the Law School, he created the General Practice Skills Course, now known as the Lawyering Skills Course, through which he impacted the professional lives of



countless Law School graduates. He also taught civil procedure, trial advocacy, and evidence; served as Associate Dean, as Chair of the UW Extension Program's Department of Law, and as General Counsel to the university; and wrote prolifically, particularly in the area of skills development.

Following his retirement in 1989, Stu became a tireless advocate and mentor in the Alzheimer's Community as a result of caring for his wife, Janet. He was a charter member of the advisory board to the Wisconsin Alzheimer's Institute at the UW Medical School.

Stu did not let his love for his state and alma mater narrow his scope. He visited Nepal and Mount Everest, but his most remarkable adventure was an around-the-world trip on a tramp steamer.

Stu Gullickson lived a life of service to his law school, community, profession, and family. He did so gladly, true to his deep Wisconsin roots, and as a model for all of our graduates and those who teach them.



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