VII. PROGRAMS OF ADVANCED STUDY

THE LL.M. PROGRAM

The LL.M. Program consists of three quarters of advanced and specialized work chiefly in the form of seminar and independent study. Programs are individually planned and may include work in various departments of the University supplementary to the legal field of specialization. Each program for the LL.M. degree will be supervised by a member of the Faculty of the Law School.

THE J.S.D. PROGRAM

The degree of Doctor of Jurisprudence (J.S.D.) is awarded to research students who have been in residence for three quarters, have pursued such studies as the Faculty has prescribed, and have submitted a dissertation which has been accepted by the Faculty as a creditable contribution to legal science.

VIII. PROFESSORSHIPS AND TEACHING FELLOWSHIPS

The John P. Wilson Professorship in Law was established in 1929 with funds contributed for the John P. Wilson Memorial Foundation by John P. Wilson, Jr., and Anna Wilson Dickinson as a memorial to their father, John P. Wilson, for many years an eminence member of the Chicago Bar. The present holder of this professorship is Roscoe T. Steffen.

The James Parker Hall Professorship in Law was established in 1930 by the alumni of the School in memory of James Parker Hall, Dean of the School from 1904 until his death in 1928. The present holder of this professorship is Wilber G. Katz.

The Max Pam Professorship in Comparative Law was established in 1935 in memory of Max Pam, for many years an eminent member of the Chicago Bar, with funds allocated by the Trustees under the will of Mr. Pam. The present holder of this professorship is Max Rheinstein.

Under the will of Harry A. Bigelow, the University is to receive, upon the death of certain life-beneficiaries, the remainder of a trust fund for the establishment of the Harry A. Bigelow Professorship in Law. Mr. Bigelow was Dean of the Law School from 1929 to 1939, and a member of the Faculty of the Law School from 1904 until his death in 1950.

The Harry A. Bigelow Teaching Fellowships were established in 1947 in honor of Harry A. Bigelow. The fellowships are awarded to law graduates of high standing.

IX. GRADUATE FELLOWSHIPS AND RESEARCH FUNDS

The Law School has available a number of fellowships for graduate students.

The James Nelson Raymond Fellowship was created in 1933 and 1934 by Anna Louise Raymond in memory of her husband, James Nelson Raymond. The annual income is awarded to research students in law.

University Fellowships. A limited number of fellowships are reserved for research students in law.

The Frieda and Arnold Shure Research Fund was established in 1945 by Frieda and Arnold Shure.

X. THE COMPARATIVE LAW RESEARCH CENTER

The Comparative Law Research Center was established in 1949 to promote research in the field of Comparative Law. Professor Max Rheinstein, Max Pam Professor of Comparative Law, is Director of the Center. During the past year the staff of the Center has
consisted of the following: Stojan Bajic, Dr.jur. (Leipzig, Germany), formerly professor at the University of Ljubljana, Yugoslavia; Friedrich von Fischer, Dr.jur. (Bern, Switzerland), member of the Bar of Bern, Switzerland; Samuel Stoljar, LL.B., LL.M., of Gray’s Inn, Barrister-at-Law, Holt Scholar of Gray’s Inn, Hume Scholar of University College, England; Alise Vagelis, graduate of the Law School of the University of Riga, Latvia, and Dr.jur. (Hamburg, Germany).

XI. STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS AND LOANS

The Law School awards a limited number of full-tuition scholarships to outstanding students designated by selected colleges. In addition, a number of scholarships are available each year for law students of outstanding ability who need financial assistance. Some of these scholarships are for full tuition, some for half-tuition, and some in amounts in excess of the tuition charge. In the case of veterans, scholarship awards may be made as cash grants to supplement government living allowances. Approximately one-fourth of the Law School Scholarship aid is reserved for entering students.

The Henry C. Murphy Scholarship Endowment provides aid for worthy boys to secure an education, preference to be shown to those who plan to adopt journalism as their profession.

The LaVerne Noyes Foundation Scholarships (for veterans of World War I [1917–19] and their descendants) are awarded on the basis of service in the armed forces of the United States in World War I.

In addition to the general University scholarships, the Law School has available The James Nelson Raymond Scholarship established in 1930 from a fund given by Anna Louise Raymond in memory of her husband, James Nelson Raymond.

Two Francis Kosmerl Fellowships, each in the amount of $1,000, were established in 1948 by a bequest under the will of Francis Kosmerl, a former student of the Law School. One fellowship is awarded annually to an outstanding student in the entering class, and one to an outstanding student in the Senior Class in the Law School.

The Class of 1915 Scholarship, a full-tuition scholarship endowed by the Class of 1915, is awarded annually, upon vote of the Law Faculty, to an outstanding student in the Junior Class of the Law School.

The Edwin B. Mayer Scholarship provides tuition aid to a student in the Law School.

The Leo F. Wormser Scholarships were established in 1935 by friends of Leo F. Wormser, J.D., 1909, as a memorial to him. In 1940 a gift to this fund was made by Mrs. Leo F. Wormser in memory of Mr. Wormser’s mother, Mrs. Frida Wormser; and additional gifts have also been made to this scholarship fund by friends of Leo F. Wormser.

Application for scholarships should be made upon a form obtained from the office of the Dean of Students of the Law School.

In addition to scholarship aid, the Law School has available several specially endowed loan funds as well as general University loan funds.

The special loan funds available exclusively to students of the Law School include the Ernst Freund Fund, the James Parker Hall Fund, the Floyd R. Mechem Fund, the Harry A. Bigelow Fund, the Clark B. Whittier Fund, the Anna Louise Raymond Fund, and the Julius Rosenthal Fund.

A form of application for a loan may be obtained from the office of the Dean of Students of the Law School.

For further information on scholarships and loans, consult the University Announcements: A General Statement.