study and research in the fields of Law and Economics, International Trade and Development, and Criminal Law and Criminology. A number of fellowships for such study are available.

Admission to the Graduate Programs, supervision of students’ programs, and the administration of requirements for degrees is in charge of the faculty Committee on Graduate Studies. The grading system and the requirements for satisfactory academic standing applicable to students in the J.D. program are applicable to students in the Graduate Programs, except where higher requirements are imposed by the rules of the Graduate Programs. Students whose native tongue is other than English may receive extra time on examinations with the written permission of the instructor concerned.

THE MASTER OF LAWS PROGRAM

The graduate program leading to the LL.M. degree makes available to qualified law graduates a year of advanced study in the Law School. The program provides an opportunity for law graduates who wish to develop specialized interests, who desire to supplement their undergraduate legal education, and who may wish to engage in individual research. The program is limited to students (1) who have obtained an undergraduate degree from an approved school of Anglo-American law, (2) whose undergraduate record displays high scholarly aptitude, and (3) who display qualities of maturity and serious purpose sufficient to justify the expectation that they will satisfactorily complete the requirements for the LL.M. degree.

The degree of Master of Laws (LL.M.) is awarded to students who have been in residence for three full consecutive academic quarters, have completed their studies with a B average or above, and have satisfactorily completed in the course of their studies a substantial research paper under the supervision of a member of the law faculty. To qualify for residence for a full quarter, the student must take and complete the equivalent of 12 or more course hours. Credit for 36 course hours and the maintenance of satisfactory academic standing are needed to qualify for the degree.

The program of graduate study is expected to occupy the student’s full time during his academic year in residence at the School. Each student’s course of study may include individual work under the direction of a member of the law faculty; courses and seminars in the Law School; and, when appropriate, related courses at the graduate level in other schools and divisions of the University. If a student elects individual work for credit, the supervising faculty member will submit a report to the Chairman of the Committee on Graduate Studies describing the nature of the work submitted and copies of papers submitted. All such papers will be deposited in the library of the Law School. If the student’s program includes courses open to J.D. candidates, supplementary work in such courses may be required.

Students admitted to candidacy for the J.S.D. degree will be awarded the LL.M. degree following completion of the year in residence. Students admitted to the
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J.S.D. program but who are denied admittance to candidacy for the J.S.D. degree and who have satisfied the requirements for the LL.M. degree may be awarded the LL.M. degree upon recommendation of the Committee on Graduate Studies and favorable action by the faculty.

THE DOCTOR OF JURISPRUDENCE PROGRAM

The graduate program leading to the J.S.D. degree is intended to give superior law graduates an opportunity to secure advanced and specialized training, to cultivate their capacities for significant independent research, and to contribute to the development of legal scholarship. The program is limited to students (1) who have obtained an undergraduate law degree from an approved school of Anglo-American law, (2) whose undergraduate record displays outstanding scholarly aptitude, (3) who at the time of their admission demonstrate well-defined research interests, and (4) who display qualities of maturity and serious purpose sufficient to justify the expectation that they will successfully complete the requirements of the doctorate.

The degree of Doctor of Jurisprudence (J.S.D.) is awarded to students who have been in residence for three full consecutive academic quarters, have completed their studies with a B average or above, and, after admission to candidacy for the degree, have submitted a dissertation that is accepted by the faculty as a creditable contribution to legal scholarship. To qualify for residence for a full quarter, the student must take and complete the equivalent of 12 or more course hours. Credit for 36 course hours and the maintenance of satisfactory academic standing are needed to qualify for the degree.

The program of graduate study is expected to occupy the student's full time during his academic year in residence at the School. Each student's course of study may include individual work under the direction of a member of the law faculty; courses and seminars in the Law School; and, when appropriate, related courses at the graduate level in other schools of the University. If a student elects individual work for credit, the supervising faculty member will submit a report to the Chairman of the Committee on Graduate Studies describing the nature of the work submitted and copies of papers submitted. All such papers will be deposited in the library in the Law School. If the student's program includes courses open to J.D. candidates, supplementary work in such courses may be required.

Within two weeks after the beginning of the student's first academic quarter in residence the Chairman of the Committee on Graduate Studies will appoint a faculty dissertation committee to supervise the student's research program. The faculty dissertation committee will consist of three members, the chairman of which will be a member of the faculty of the Law School. Whenever appropriate, faculty members of other departments of the University may be appointed to serve on faculty dissertation committees. The student upon being notified of the appointment of the faculty dissertation committee will consult with the chairman on the
choice of a dissertation topic and on all other matters deemed appropriate by the committee. At a time not later than the end of the first academic quarter in residence, the student will submit to the dissertation committee a dissertation topic and a tentative outline of the proposed dissertation in such form as is required by the dissertation committee. Upon approval of the topic and outline by the dissertation committee, the chairman of that committee will file a statement of the dissertation topic and a copy of the tentative outline with the Committee on Graduate Studies.

Before the end of the second academic quarter in residence, the student will submit to the faculty dissertation committee a segment of his dissertation of such nature and length as in the opinion of the committee will provide a basis for judgment of the quality of the work in progress and of the likelihood of its being brought to successful completion. Upon receipt of the segment of the dissertation, the chairman will set a date for an oral examination on the dissertation outline and dissertation segment. The examination will be conducted by the faculty dissertation committee and such other members of the Law School faculty as elect to participate in the examination. Upon successful completion of the oral examination and the required academic work in residence, the student will be admitted to candidacy for the J.S.D. degree.

The dissertation must be submitted to the Committee on Graduate Studies within five years after the completion of the period in residence. To be acceptable, the dissertation must constitute a creditable contribution to legal scholarship and must be in publishable form. Three typewritten, printed, or litho-printed copies must be deposited with the Committee on Graduate Studies not later than five weeks before the date of the convocation at which the degree is to be granted. Dissertations must conform to requirements of form established by the Committee on Graduate Studies and the Dissertation Secretary of the University.

THE COMPARATIVE LAW PROGRAM

The graduate Comparative Law Program makes available to law graduates trained primarily in foreign legal systems the opportunity to acquire a knowledge of American law and legal institutions, to pursue comparative studies in their fields of special interest, and to engage in research in such fields. The degrees awarded in this program are the Master of Comparative Law (M.Comp.L.) and the Doctor of Comparative Law (D.Comp.L.).

Admission to the Comparative Law Program is open to students who are graduates of approved foreign law schools and whose credentials establish to the satisfaction of the Committee on Graduate Studies that they are qualified to undertake advanced study and research in law.

The degree of Master of Comparative Law is awarded to students who have completed with distinction the residence work required for the degree of Doctor of Comparative Law and who are recommended for the M.Comp.L. degree by the Committee on Graduate Studies and by the faculty.
The degree of Doctor of Comparative Law is awarded to students who have been in residence for three full consecutive quarters, have completed their studies with distinction, and, after admission to candidacy for the degree, have submitted a dissertation that is accepted by the faculty as a creditable contribution to the literature of comparative law. To qualify for residence for a full quarter, the student must take and complete 12 or more course hours. The program is individually arranged with the student's faculty adviser and is expected to occupy the student's full time. At least half of the student's work in residence must be devoted to some phases of Anglo-American law. If the work in residence is completed with distinction, and a detailed outline and partial draft of the dissertation are submitted and approved, the student will be admitted as a candidate for the doctorate. Thereafter the candidate's dissertation must be submitted to the faculty for its approval within a reasonable period of time as set by the candidate's dissertation committee. Dissertations must conform to requirements of form established by the faculty and the Dissertation Secretary of the University.

Certificate program.—Graduates of approved foreign law schools whose studies have not been primarily in the common law may apply for admission to a program designed to give a one-year introduction to Anglo-American law. Upon completion of a year's work such students will be given a certificate of attendance or a certificate for courses successfully completed.

LAW AND ECONOMICS

Fellowships are available to enable established scholars or practitioners with relevant experience to pursue research on an approved topic in the area of Law and Economics, under the guidance of faculty members drawn from the Law School, the Department of Economics, and the Graduate School of Business. The fellowships are open to both economists and lawyers, and tenure is normally for one year. Fellowships are not normally awarded to candidates who have just received their Doctor's degree or have just been graduated from law school.

INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT

Fellowships are available to specially qualified graduates of American or foreign law schools with research interests in international, commercial, and financial problems to pursue a year devoted principally to research on a problem in this field under the guidance of designated faculty members. The aim of the program is to encourage the production of a publishable study in the field of International Trade and Development.

CRIMINAL LAW AND CRIMINOLOGY

The Center for Studies in Criminal Justice offers fellowships to law graduates whose research interests and skills can be advanced by their collaboration in the
various research projects of the Center, and by their involvement in a two-year program of graduate training leading to a higher degree. The program places emphasis on research design and research methods in the broad fields of criminal justice and the prevention and treatment of crime. The Fellow is expected to devote half his working time to participation in a research or action program of the Center. The other half is devoted to classwork and supervised studies for the Master of Laws degree. Applicants with some training in sociology and psychology or in other disciplines which are particularly relevant to the field of criminal justice will be preferred.

ADMISSION

Inquiries concerning admission to the Graduate Programs should be addressed to the Chairman, Committee on Graduate Studies, The Law School, The University of Chicago, 1111 East 60th Street, Chicago, Illinois 60637. Applications for admission should be completed by April 1 before the Autumn Quarter for which the student desires admission.

CURRICULUM

The First Year. The work of the first year is prescribed, except for one elective course in the Spring Quarter. In addition to the required courses, all first-year students perform individual assignments in a tutorial program conducted under the direction of a member of the faculty. In this program each student is assigned to a tutor who is one of the Bigelow Teaching Fellows. The tutorial work emphasizes training in research, in the preparation of legal memoranda and other forms of legal writing, and in oral argument. Several of the assignments each year are based upon problems currently presented in actual cases, both trial and appellate, which are heard in the Weymouth Kirkland Courtroom of the Law School by courts of Illinois. A final examination is given in each course at the end of the quarter in which the course is concluded, except that in Property a final examination is given on each quarter’s work in the course.

The Second and Third Years. The program of the second and third years is elective. The normal course load permits a student to plan a well-rounded program of studies and also to pursue some special interests beyond the basic level. The seminar offerings provide opportunities to explore developing areas of the law, to pursue interdisciplinary aspects of particular legal fields, and to work on individual problems involving research and drafting. In addition, students who wish to develop further their facility in research and writing, or to do intensive work on a particular topic not the subject of a regular seminar, are encouraged to call upon members of the faculty for supervision of individual research projects. Such work may be undertaken for credit (see Law 499 below).