

### III. PROGRAMS FOR THE J.D. DEGREE

The school offers two programs of study leading to the degree of Doctor of Law (J.D.). For the present, instruction is given in each of four academic quarters.

## THE FOUR-YEAR PROGRAM

The Four-Year Program is designed for students who hold Bachelors' degrees from the College of the University of Chicago. Holders of such degrees or of Bachelors' degrees from other approved colleges may apply for admission to this program without examination. Other applicants will usually be required to demonstrate the level of their achievement in general education by taking the University's General Education Test and must have completed at least two years of work in an approved college.

The J.D. degree is awarded to students in the Four-Year Program who have been in residence for twelve quarters carrying a full program and who have satisfactorily completed the work of the first year and at least twenty-seven additional course units.

## THE THREE-YEAR PROGRAM

Application for admission to the Three-Year Program may be made by holders of traditional Bachelors' degrees from approved colleges. (For 1948 only, application may also be made by students who have completed three years or more of approved college study.)

The J.D. degree is awarded to students in the Three-Year Program who have been in residence for nine quarters carrying a full program and who have satisfactorily completed the work of the first year and at least eighteen additional course units.

## ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

To the extent possible in arranging programs of study, students must take all the work listed under Required Courses of Instruction for their respective programs.

In addition to satisfying the foregoing requirements, students must show an adequate mastery of English.

A full program for purposes of the residence requirement consists of at least eleven hours per week.

Grading is done on the following scale: *A*, 80-90; *B*, 74-79; *C*, 68-73; *D*, 60-67; failure, below 60. An average of 68 is required for continuance in the School at the end of three quarters, and the same average is required for graduation.

## IV. GRADUATE PROGRAMS

### THE MASTER OF LAWS PROGRAM

The Master of Laws Program is designed for graduates of approved law schools who wish to study the relations between law and other social sciences. It is open to graduates of law schools which are members of the Association of American Law Schools or approved by the American Bar Association and to graduates of foreign schools of comparable standing. The normal program includes Law and Economic Organization and three seminars or courses (or equivalent individual work) selected with the approval of the faculty committee on graduate study. The degree of Master of Laws (LL.M.) is awarded to students who have been in residence for three quarters and who have successfully completed the work of this program.

## THE RESEARCH PROGRAM

The Research Program is designed for students who, in the opinion of the Faculty, are qualified to do independent research on advanced problems in law.

The degree of Doctor of Jurisprudence (J.S.D.) is awarded to research students who have been in residence at the School for at least 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.