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## **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

LAW FACULTY

**FROM:** 

LEO M. ROMERO, DEAN

**DATE:** 

April 3, 1997

**SUBJECT:** 

**FACULTY MEETING** 

Faculty Meeting Agenda Monday, April 7, 1997 Dean's Conference Room 4:00 p.m.

- 1. Dean's Report
- 2. Medical/Legal Bookstore Update Marian Scanland
- 3. Career Resources Update Kathy Potter
- 4. Honors and Awards Committee Report Sherri Burr
- 5. New Business

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April 7, 1997

Faculty Meeting Minutes School of Law Dean's Conference Room, 4:00 p.m.

Present: Anspach, Browde, Burr, Desiderio, Fort, Gill, Gonzales, Hall, Kelly, Kovnat, Martinez, Montoya, Occhialino, Parnall, Rapaport, Roberts, Romero, Scales, Taylor, Utton, Valencia-Weber, Zuni

Student Representatives: O'Reilly, Nail

Others: Kathy Potter, Marian Scanland

Absent: Blumenfeld, Creel, DuMars, Ellis, Hart, MacPherson, Mathewson, Moore, Norwood, Subin, Winograd

The meeting was called to order by Dean Leo Romero.

## **Honors and Awards Committee Report:**

Professor Sherri Burr, Chair of the Honors and Awards Committee, distributed the recommendations of the Committee to the faculty and asked for faculty approval. A motion was made by Professor Gloria Valencia-Weber and seconded by Professor Jose Martinez to accept the Committee's recommendations with the addition of three student names for honors in clinical law. Professor Burr announced that the date of the Honors and Awards Banquet is May 16.

## Dean's Report:

The Committee of Bar Examiners of the State Bar of California has invited law professors to draft essay questions for possible use on the California Bar Examination.

Professor Liz Rapaport presented a paper entitled "Deterrence and Domestic Violence: A Law and Economic Analysis" at the Feminism and Legal Theory Workshop at Columbia University School of Law on March 15, 1997.

On March 21, 1997, Professor Rapaport led a small group discussion at a conference on teaching legal ethics at William and Mary School of Law.

Professor Liz Rapaport gave a presentation entitled "Gender, Discrimination and the Death Penalty" at the Hastings Women's Law Journal 1997 Symposium on April 5, 1997, in San Francisco.

Dean Romero announced the publication of *Critical Race Feminism: A Reader* by New York University Press which includes chapters by Professors Sherri Burr and Margaret Montoya.