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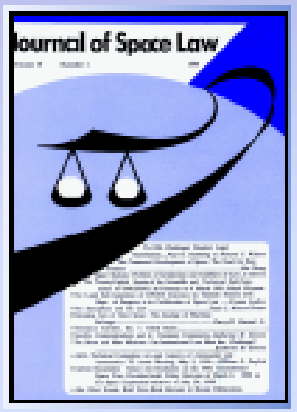

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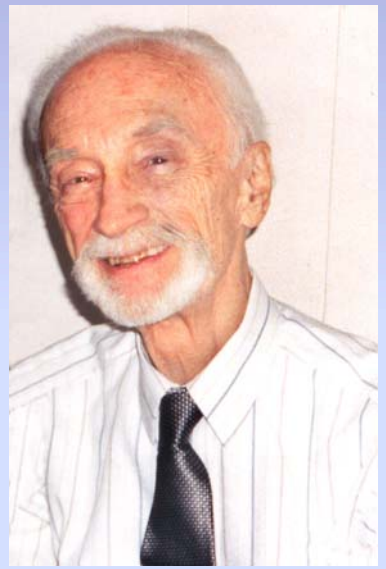
Myres S. McDougal

Awarded UM Law Degree, 1935

Dr. Stephen Gorove



Founder, *Journal of Law* 1969 Space Law Conference

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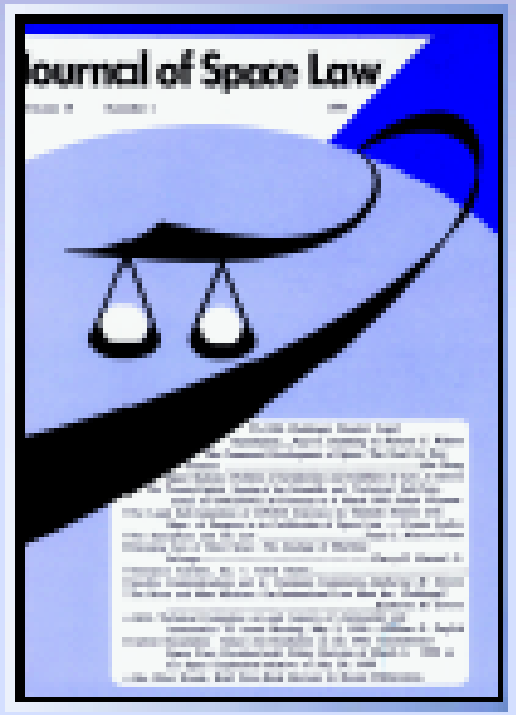

The Journal of Space Law

- World's oldest space law journal
  - —Since 1973
  - —Founded by Dr. Stephan Gorove
- Peer-reviewed
- World renowned authors

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- **Established 1999**
- **Faculty**
  - **Dr. Joanne Irene Gabrynowicz, Director**
    - **Space law and remote sensing law**
    - **Since 1987**
    - **Editor-in-Chief, *The Journal of Space Law***
    - **Founding faculty member of UND Space Studies Dept.**
  - **Dr. Jacqueline Etil Serrao, Associate Director**
    - **Aviation law**
    - **Executive Editor, *The Journal of Space Law***
    - **Aviation laws and regulations for Mongolia, Mozambique, United Arab Emirates**

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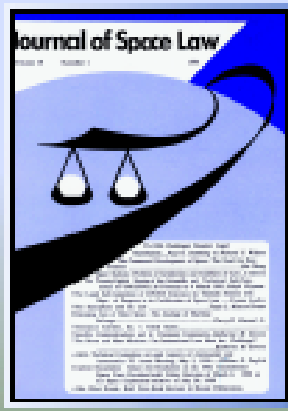
- Data laws and policies
- Intellectual property
- Privacy
- Liability
- International space law
  - — Public
  - — Private
- Imagery as legal evidence
- Environment
- Space exploration law
- Licensing
- Government regulation of aviation industry
- International aviation law
  - — Public
  - — Private
- Aircraft financing
- Economic regulation of domestic air routes and rates
- Environmental aviation law



Certificate in Remote Sensing, Air, and Space Law

- **Comprehensive understanding of legal processes regulating national and international aerospace**
- **Distinctive, interdisciplinary knowledge and expertise in both air and space law**
- **Part of *Juris Doctor* degree**
- **American Bar Association accredited law school**
- **University of Mississippi School of Law**
  - **—Fully accredited state university**
- **Approved and recommended by faculty curriculum committee**

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Certificate Program in Remote Sensing, Air, and Space Law

- **Four aerospace law core courses**
  - **—12 credit hours**
- **Three elective courses**
  - **—12 credit hours**
- **Independent Study in Aerospace Law and/or externship/internship placement**
  - **—3 credit hours**
- **Total 27 credits**

Core Courses - 12 hours

- International Space Law, 3 hours
- U.S. National Space Law, 3 hours

or

- Remote Sensing Law, 3 hours
- International Aviation Law, 3 hours
- U.S. Aviation Law, 3 hours

Elective Course Choices 12 Hours

- Administrative Law
- Communications Law
- Environmental Law
- European Communities Law
- International Commercial Arbitration
- International Environmental Law
- Intellectual Property
- International Law
- International Security Law & Policy
- International Trade
- *Journal of Space Law*
- Law of Armed Conflict
- Remote Sensing Law
- U.S. National Space Law

Independent Study or Internship, 3 hours

- **Student must present acceptable legal research and analysis on an aerospace law topic assigned by the faculty**
- **Preparation of a written article**
- **Requires permission of supervising faculty member and the Curriculum Committee of the law faculty**
- **Grade determined by quality of proposal, literature review, research report, and article completion**

Independent Study or Internship, 3 hours

- With the assistance of, and subject to approval of Program Director
- Supervised internship or externship
  - —Aviation or space law
  - —Private or public sector
  - —Or at the National Center for Remote Sensing, Air, and Space Law

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