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It has been a sad time for the Law School community this month, with the loss of two of its finest people: Len Fromm and Jack Kimberling.

As many of you know, Len passed away on February 2 after a courageous battle with cancer. We have received dozens of kind notes and messages about Len and the impact he had on students and alumni throughout his 33 years at the Law School. As one of our alumni wrote, "Dean Fromm made my law school experience amazing, and I will always have a soft spot for him in my heart." So will we.

Contributions may be made in Len's memory to the IU Maurer School of Law Leonard Fromm Memorial Fund, IU Foundation, P.O. Box 6460, Indianapolis, IN 46206. We are planning a celebration of Len's life this fall.

Jack Kimberling, JD'50, died on January 27. He was a lifelong supporter of IU and the Law School and a distinguished attorney in Los Angeles for more than 40 years. He was named to the Academy of Law Fellows in 1990. In tribute to Jack's tireless efforts on behalf of the school, we established the John F. Kimberling Society in 2009, our planned giving club, which now has more than 200 members.

The dean's search is drawing to a close, and finalists have been visiting Bloomington to meet with students and faculty. Provost Lauren Robel will announce the results later this spring.

I have just returned from a brief visit with alumni in Miami, and I continue to be impressed by and grateful for the engagement of Maurer alums with our school and its students. Your advice and support has been so meaningful to me during my tenure as interim dean.

Yours,

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Interim Dean and John E. Schiller Chair in Legal Ethics

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Distinguished Service Award nominations sought

Nominations are now open for the school's Distinguished Service Award. The award was established in 1997 to recognize Maurer alumni who have distinguished themselves in service to their community and the Law School by using their degree in ways that exceed regular professional, civic, or business activities.

Recipients will be recognized at a special ceremony this fall. For more information, or to obtain a nomination form, visit the Distinguished Service Award page on our website. Nominations are due April 26.

Moot Court finals set for Mar. 1

Plan to join us on Friday, March 1 at 6:00 p.m. for the final arguments of the Sherman Minton Moot Court Competition, sponsored by Bose McKinney & Evans. For more information, visit the Moot Court website.

SBA golf outing

The Student Bar Association invites you to a golf outing on Sunday, March 24 at the IU Golf