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Ground Breaking Ceremony
School of Law Building Addition

Monday, November 22, 1982
2:00 p.m.

Design Architect: The Eggers Group, New York, New York
Project Architect: Odle/Burke, Bloomington, Indiana

Indiana University
Bloomington Campus
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The addition will provide a new library and study space, including several seminar rooms. The new library will be designed to encourage group study and research in a warm and inviting atmosphere. The addition will also accommodate the School's library needs for the future.

The opening of the new law library addition and seminar rooms will be celebrated at a special dedication ceremony on the Institute for Continuing Education's campus.