Edmundson is Visiting Fellow at Oxford

College of Law faculty member Bill Edmundson, professor of law and philosophy, returned last fall from a prestigious stint as a visiting fellow at Oxford University in the U.K.

Professor Edmundson was the H.L.A. Hart Visiting Fellow at the Centre for Ethics and Philosophy of Law for Trinity term 2006. He was affiliated with University College, the oldest college at Oxford, and his fellowship included housing, meals and an office overlooking picturesque Christ Church Meadow in the heart of the busy city of Oxford.

While at Oxford, Professor Edmundson attended numerous seminars and lectures, gave three talks at Oxford and one at Cambridge University on topics including reasoning and obligation, moral responsibility and the duty to obey the law. Although Professor Edmundson had no teaching duties, writing was on the agenda during his Oxford visiting fellowship.

In addition to his recent fellowship, Professor Edmundson was named the recipient of the second annual Patricia T. Morgan Award for Outstanding Faculty Scholarship to recognize faculty excellence in scholarly research.

Cunningham Named to Prestigious Society

Professor Clark Cunningham was admitted to membership in The Society of Writers to Her Majesty’s Signet last May in recognition of his work with the Glasgow Graduate School of Law and the College of Law of England and Wales.

He is only the second American to become a member of The Society, which is charged with custody of the royal seal of the British monarchy and believed to be the oldest professional association of lawyers in the world.

With the Glasgow Graduate School of Law and the College of Law of England and Wales, Professor Cunningham’s work is leading to fundamental changes in the way client interviewing is being taught in Great Britain.

Curcio Awarded Fulbright Grant in China This Spring

Professor Andi Curcio has been awarded a Fulbright Scholar grant to lecture at South China Normal University in Guangzhou, [formerly Canton] China this semester.

Professor Curcio is teaching civil procedure and torts to Chinese law students. As part of the Fulbright Scholar program, Professor Curcio is lecturing on torts, civil litigation and procedural issues at universities throughout China. She will be accompanied for the spring semester by her daughter, Amelia, who was adopted from China in 1998. The pair left for China in late February, and will return in early July.

“Actually, my daughter is the reason I applied for the Fulbright program,” Professor Curcio explained. “While we are in China, she will be attending school there. It will be an exciting experience for both of us.”