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An appreciation of the tradition of giving within the University at Buffalo Law School has led to a $100,000 gift from professor of law Robert I. Reis and his wife, Ellen, which will serve as one of a number of Faculty Leadership Gifts during the Law School's current capital campaign.

It is Bob's enduring belief that the next level of achievement for UB Law can be realized only with the support of the Law School family, alumni, faculty and friends. The endowment gift from his family follows in the tradition of giving established by many faculty members over the years. Both Ellen and Bob are grateful and proud that their two sons, Jason and Jeremy, received a superior legal education from the faculty and institution of UB Law.

Ellen, whose upbringing and education has always been in close proximity to the law and lawyers, reiterated her belief that the University at Buffalo Law School has not only gained national prominence, but has played a significant role in the lives and careers of most lawyers in the Western New York community. She hopes that her gift confirms her staunch support for the University and Law School and that it will, in a small way, help to ensure the continuity of excellence that the Law School has achieved.