



Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law

FIRST ASSIGNMENTS

FALL 2015

<u>Administrative Law</u>	<u>Romantz</u>	<u>311-011</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Please read pp. 10 – 18; 548 – 551; 590 – 596; APA § 551(1) in Gellhorn & Byse’s Administrative Law (11th ed. 2011).		

<u>ADR/Labor</u>	<u>Shields</u>	<u>315-011</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">- The first class will focus on an introduction and an overview of the course, including a review of the dispute resolution techniques that parties often use as a substitute for trials or administrative proceedings. But rather than examining alternative dispute resolution (“ADR”) in a wide variety of contexts, this course will focus more critically on dispute resolution in the context of employment relationships.- Read Whittaker v. Care-More, Inc., 621 S.W.2d 395 (Tenn. Ct. App. 1981) (explaining the “At-will” doctrine).		

<u>ADR/Mediation</u>	<u>Lait/Cantrell</u>	<u>316-011/-012</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Please read from the Harvard Business Review: How to Negotiate Nicely Without Being a Pushover - HBR		

<u>Appellate Advocacy</u>	<u>Kritchevsky</u>	<u>309-011</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">- The entire class will meet together for the first class, Monday August 17. The entire class will also meet on Wednesday, August 19. The first small section meetings will be Monday and Tuesday, August 24 & 25. Attendance is mandatory.- Please register for the class on TWEN (the TWEN site will be up by August 14). Read the Policies, Syllabus, and the Problem on Appeal (Charlie Utter v. State of South Lakota). Also read the Introduction in the Guberman book and pages 59-67 and 69-70 in Scalia and Garner.		

<u>Bioethics & the Law</u>	<u>Morreim</u>	<u>304-011</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">- The first day's assignment can now be downloaded from TWEN, check syllabus.		

<u>Business Organizations</u>	<u>Harris</u>	<u>211-011</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Please review Gorton v. Doty (page 3) and Reading v. Regem (page 61).		

Civil Rights	Kritchevsky	322-011
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Please register for the class on TWEN (the TWEN site will be up by August 14). Read pages 1-12 in the Civil Rights materials for the first class. I will post the reading for the first week on TWEN in case the materials are not yet in the book store. 		
Conflicts	Newman	324-011
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Please read pages 3-19 in the Kay, Kramer & Roosevelt casebook, as well as the edited version – available on the Conflicts TWEN site, which you should join as soon as possible – of <i>Williaford v. Holiday Inns, Inc.</i>, No. 94960-2 R.D., 1988 WL 77627 (Tenn. Ct. App. 1988). Additionally, please read the course syllabus, which is also available on the TWEN site. 		
Criminal Procedure II	Ward	326-011
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - First assignment (see TWEN page). TWEN page includes syllabus. There is no assignment for first class. 		
Debtor-Creditor	Latta	327-011
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - For the first class, read the Preface and pages 1-21 in <i>The Law of Debtors and Creditors</i>. Prepare written responses to Problem Set 1. Upload them to the TWEN page established for this class before the first class begins on Monday, August 17, 2015, at 4:00 p.m. 		
Estate and Gift Tax	Murrah	335-011
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - In the text <i>Taxation of Estates, Gifts and Trusts</i> (Campfield, 24th Edition), read the following paragraphs in Chapters 1 through 3: Para. 1001-1013, 1033, 1103, 1107-1135, 1145, 1157, 1163, 2001, and 3001-3019. 		
Evidence	Frank	221-011
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Course Overview; Trial Procedure & Objections, The Role of the Judge & Jury <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o <i>Merritt Text</i>: Chs. 2, 4 & 5 (all covered Day 1) o <i>Federal Rules of Evidence</i>: 101, 102, 103, 105 & 1101 - ALSO: Register for course TWEN page <u>and</u> purchase TopHat license agreement/register for TopHat (you will receive an email with directions) 		
Food and Drug Law	Alexander	388-011
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - For Monday, August 17, please read Food, Drugs, Devices and Cosmetics [77-109]. - For Wednesday, August 19, please ready Cosmetics, Biologics, Tobacco and Labeling [110-161]. 		
Franchising Law	Jacobson	706-011
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Chapter One of the course textbook (Franchising: Cases, Materials & Problems). 		

Gun Violence and the Law Seminar	McClurg	494-011
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- Read the Preface and Chapter 1 (pp. 2-44) of *Guns and the Law: Cases and Materials* for the first class.
 - o (This is a draft manuscript of a casebook I am co-authoring. To save you a lot of money, we are making copies of it here, rather than sending it to main campus. The materials will be available for pickup from Ms. Linda Hayes at her work station, hopefully by Monday, August 10. You will need to buy a large three-ring binder to put them in. They will already be 3-hole punched.)
- Sign up for the TWEN site and download all documents under "Course Materials."

Health Law I	Campbell	336-011
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- For Monday, August 17: pp 1-20 of the required text Furrow et al, *Law and Health Care Quality, Pt Safety, and Med Liability*, seventh edition.
- For Wednesday, August 19: pp 20-31.

Health Law Seminar	Allen	400-011
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- Sign up for TWEN; assignments available August 12.

Income Tax	Kratzke	214-011
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- Your textbook is on the CALI website. I prefer that you use the pdf version as the pagination is slightly different between Word and pdf. You are to have the latest edition of the Code (2015-2016 CCH). Read the first chapter for the first class.

Intellectual Property	Bock	395-011
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- Starting Tuesday, August 11, please register for the IP Survey TWEN site. The syllabus and the first week's assignment will be posted there.

International Business Transactions	Mamlyuk	399-011
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- Download and read: *Kiobel v. Royal Dutch Petroleum*, 569 US __ (2012) (US Supreme Court)

Jurisprudence	Smith	342-011
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- Please register for the course on TWEN and print and read the Syllabus, the Assignment for the First Day, and Possible Test Questions.
- I look forward to meeting with you.

Labor Law	Lidge	343-011
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The attendance policy will be in effect the first day of class and will be in effect for makeup classes. There will be a makeup class on Thursday, August 20, from 12:00 noon to 12:50 p.m. in Room 127. - Assignment for: Monday, August 17: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o CB 8-9 (skim only), 9-10 (read), 11-19 (skim only); read National Labor Relations Act " 1, 7, 8(a) and (b). - Assignment for: Wednesday, August 19: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Read CB 20-33. 		

Land Use Law	Whitehead	344-011
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 10th Amendment to the United States Constitution - Selmi*, Chapter 2, Sections A and B - Selmi, Chapter 13, Section C <p>*Selmi, Kushner and Ziegler, <i>Land Use Regulation: Cases and Materials</i>, Fourth Edition. New York: Wolters Kluwer Law and Business, 2012.</p>		

Legal Drafting: Litigation	Chambliss	513-011
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Students should read <i>The Buffalo Creek Disaster</i> diligently. The material will not be discussed in class until later in the semester. But, it would be good to get started. At the latest, students should have read Part I (pp. 1-97) of this book by September 2, Part II (pp. 101-197) by October 7, and Part III (pp. 201-303) by October 28. - The following material will be covered in class on August 19: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Wydick, Ch. 1 Why Plain English and Johns, Ch. 2 Professional Writing for Lawyers o Students should also read the Preface in Dessem and Chapter 15, pages 639 to the top of page 652. The course title is "Legal Drafting: Litigation Drafting" but we will begin our study of Pretrial Litigation with discussion of Alternative Dispute Resolution. Please note that we will not discuss the Exercises on pages 652 - 653 and these will not be covered in class. 		

Legislation	Romantz	348-011
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - No first-class reading assignment. Please buy the Legislation (Fall 2015) coursepack in the Law School Bookstore. 		

Mergers & Acquisitions	Harris	301-011
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - For the first day of Mergers & Acquisitions, please read <i>Levin v. Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, Inc.</i>, 264 F. Supp. 797 (S.D.N.Y. 1967), <i>Rosenfeld v. Fairchild Engine & Airplane Corp.</i>, 128 N.E. 2d 291 (1955), <i>J.I. Case Co. v. Borak</i>, 377 U.S. 426 (1964), <i>Mills v. Electric Auto-Lite Co.</i>, 396 U.S. 375 (1970). You need not necessarily buy a casebook for this course. The cases we will cover should be available through Westlaw or Lexis. 		

Partnership Tax	Kratzke	352-011
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- Read chapters 1 and 2 of Cunningham. Be prepared to discuss the problems for these chapters from the Problem book.

Pretrial Litigation Practice	Frank	551-011
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- Assignment 1: Course Intro; Litigation Planning, Case Evaluation & Intake in *Mauet* Text: Ch.1
- ALSO: Register for course TWEN page

Professional Responsibility	Lidge	224-011
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- The attendance policy will be in effect the first day of class and will be in effect for makeup classes.
- Read Regan's Calendar (obtain from Linda Hayes in Room 347). Think about what your own answers would be. Do not attempt to find the correct answer under the Model Rules. In addition, read Casebook, pages 8-11, (through note 3).
- In the first month or so, read through the ABA Model Rules.

Sales	Smith	359-011
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- Please register for the course on TWEN and print and read both the Syllabus and the Learning Objectives.
- For the first two days of class, in MARION W. BENFIELD, JR. & MICHAEL M. GREENFIELD, SALES: CASES AND MATERIALS (6th ed.) (West/Foundation Press 2010) (ISBN: 9781599419176), please read pages 1-20.
- I look forward to meeting with you.

Trial Advocacy	Schaffzin	0516-011
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- *Berger*, chapters 1-3
- Assignment on Blackboard
- *Practical Guide*, pp. 1-10, 45-49
- *FRE*, 103, 401-403, 601-606

Voting Rights & Election Law	Mulroy	704-011
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- Register on TWEN. Please read the Course Ground Rules. Then prepare the following:
 - I. CONSTITUTIONAL PROVISIONS
 - o Amens. 14, 15, 19
 - II. RIGHT TO VOTE
 - o 25-26 (Introduction); 40-43 (Harper majority & Black dissent); 45-46 n.3 (Carolene Products); 50 n.3 –52 n.6 (alien suffrage); 52—54 n.7 (felon disenfranchisement); 61 n.4, 62 n.7