

SUMMER 2013 INTERSESSION
COURSE SCHEDULE
5/16/2013

Course	Course Number	Credits	Description/Pre-Requisites	Professor	Meeting Times	Exam	Room Number
Basics of Business for Lawyers	FL-MGMT-302	2	BASICS OF BUSINESS FOR LAWYERS: This skills-based course is intended to introduce the law student who may have little prior business background, to fundamental concepts in business including accounting, finance, economics and financial markets, such as stock, bond and money markets. Examples will be drawn both from the domestic and international contexts. Concepts and terms in business are often necessary tools, not only for the student or lawyer practicing in traditional business law areas, but also in most other areas of practice, including for example, domestic relations law (in which the identification and division of assets is of importance), estate planning, banking law, bankruptcy, taxation, international businesstransactions, and even completely routine matters in torts and contracts.	Farah	May 20-23 M-Th 9:00 a.m.-12:10 p.m. (includes a 15-minute break) and 1:30 p.m. - 4:40 p.m. (includes a 15-minute break)	Friday, May 24, 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.	270
Comprehensive Law Practice I CANCELLED	FL-ETHS-303A	1	COMPREHENSIVE LAW PRACTICE I: This course teaches the theory, practice, and skills of law as a helping or healing profession. It uses psychology to assess the consequences of law and legal procedures on people in an effort to make law have a positive effect. The course will focus on nontraditional developments in the law including creative problem solving, preventive law, and therapeutic jurisprudence. It is a half didactic, half skills-oriented class. — Pre-requisites — Torts II, Contracts II, Property II, Criminal Law, LP II	Fernandez	May 20-23 M-Th 9:00 a.m.-12:10 p.m. (includes a 15-minute break)	Friday, May 24, 9:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.	510
Family Law Mediation	FL-DSRL-334	2	FAMILY LAW MEDIATION: This course immerses the student in family law mediation; how it differs significantly in theory and practice from general civil mediation, the vital role mediation plays in family law practice, and the challenges unique to family law issues and its participants, including the lawyer, client, and mediator. Topics covered include domestic violence, complex custody issues, paternity and dependency cases, families in the military, power imbalances, and ethical considerations. Students will examine the interplay of economics, egos, and emotions, and how to address each in reaching a resolution. It will teach how the lawyer prepares the client to mediate, and the fluid nature of the lawyer's role between advocate and counselor. During mock mediations, students will experience the dynamics of how the each participant influences the outcome in family mediation. <i>Prerequisites:</i> <i>Family Law; Recommended: ADR</i>	Tuttle	May 20-23 M-Th 9:00 a.m.-12:10 p.m. (includes a 15-minute break) and 1:30 p.m. - 4:40 p.m. (includes a 15-minute break)	Friday, May 24, 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.	420

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<i>Indian Child Welfare Act</i>	FL-CONS-603	1	INDIAN CHILD WELFARE ACT: This course provides an opportunity for in-depth discussion and examination of current legal issues focused on the implementation, interpretation and understanding of the Indian Child Welfare Act (ICWA). ICWA, a federal statute interpreted almost entirely in state courts, theoretically applies to all cases involving the custody of children, be they inter-parental custody disputes particularly between a Native American parent and a non-Native American parent, but more often to adoption of Native American children, Native American child welfare cases, including "non-voluntary" termination of parental rights if the child involved is considered an Indian child. This law was passed in 1978 in response to the overwhelming numbers of Indian children in foster care and adopted away from their tribes and families. The Supreme Court has interpreted ICWA only once, but there area plethora of state court opinions interpreting the statute and provided judicially created theories. ICWA is one of the most important statutes in federal Indian law and even those not in the Indian law field will likely encounter it. Any practitioner of family law should be aware of ICWA's requirements. Regardless of the number of tribes or tribal citizens in a state, ICWA must be interpreted and enforced by state judges and attorneys anytime a custody case involving an Indian child arises. Attorneys and social workers need to know when ICWA applies and how the application of ICWA makes for a fundamentally different family law case. By the end of the class, students will be able to understand the constitutional foundation behind ICWA identify an ICWA case and apply ICWA to the facts	Hopkins	May 20-23 M-Th 9:00 a.m-12:10 p.m. (includes a 15-minute break)	Friday, May 24, 9:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.	505
<i>Interviewing and Counseling</i>	FL-DSRL-305	2	INTERVIEWING AND COUNSELING: This course will teach the basic skills involved in interviewing and counseling clients in a law office. The first hour of each day will be spent discussing the assigned topic/reading. This will be followed by students conducting simulated interviews and/or counseling sessions that allow them to "practice the skill." The last half hour of each day will be devoted to critiquing. One day will be entirely devoted to arranged videotaped half-hour interviews. <i>Prerequisites: None</i>	Scaldo	May 20-23 M-Th 9:00 a.m-12:10 p.m. (includes a 15-minute break) and 1:30 p.m. - 4:40 p.m. (includes a 15-minute break)	Friday, May 24, 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.	525
<i>Law Practice Management</i>	FL-DSRL-338	1	LAW PRACTICE MANAGEMENT: The course focuses on how to establish the various systems needed to operate a small law firm, e.g., financial (trust and operational accounts, budgets), conflicts checking, calendaring and other tickler systems, document retention, billing, time slips and offer suggestions on appropriate software and equipment needs. Also targeted will be various ways to open a practice, how to market it and how to meet hiring needs. The course could be offered as a skills or exam course, depending on the instructor. <i>Pre-requisites: First year required courses</i>	Braun	May 20-23 M-Th 1:00p.m.-4:10 p.m. (includes a 15-minute break)	Friday, May 24, 1:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m.	565

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Leadership, Teambuilding, Problem Solving & Communications Skills for Lawyers	FL-ETHS-304	1	LEADERSHIP, TEAMBUILDING, PROBLEM SOLVING & COMMUNICATIONS SKILLS FOR LAWYERS: This course will cover leadership skills, team building basics, various problem solving models, and communication styles and skills relevant for lawyers. It will include current models for effective corporate management, such as those presented by Jim Collins' Good to Great, Patrick Lencioni's The Five Dysfunctions of a Team, and discuss how those models can be used in the lawyer-client relationship, in working with other lawyers, and in a law firm environment. It will seek to assist students in developing their abilities in these areas.	Millard	May 20-23 M-Th 1:00p.m.-4:10 p.m. (includes a 15-minute break)	Friday, May 24, 1:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m.	400
Making & Meeting Objections- CANCELLED	FL-DSRL-328	1	MAKING AND MEETING OBJECTIONS: This one credit course will provide students with an opportunity to develop skills in making and meeting evidentiary objections through practical experience.	Kolenc	May 20-23 M-Th 1:00p.m.-4:10 p.m. (includes a 15-minute break)	Friday, May 24, 1:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m.	415
Negotiating Environmental Agreements- CANCELLED	FL-ENVL-305N	2	NEGOTIATING ENVIRONMENTAL AGREEMENTS: This intersession course provides an opportunity for students to engage several of the major problems addressed by international environmental law. In particular, students will study multilateral environmental treaties and participate in exercises that examine issues of environmental treaty design and implementation. Pre-requisites: None (prior environmental, international or administrative law courses strongly recommended).	Long	May 20-23 M-Th 9:00 a.m.-12:10 p.m. (includes a 15-minute break) and 1:30 p.m.- 4:40 p.m. (includes a 15-minute break)	Friday, May 24, 9:00 a.m.- 11:00 a.m.	520
Public Speaking for Lawyers	FL-DSRL-330N	2	PUBLIC SPEAKING FOR LAWYERS: This course provides students the opportunity to develop and hone their public speaking skills, through instruction and intensive practice in a supportive environment. Topics to be addressed regarding this crucial lawyer skill include: how to create excellent, dynamic presentations; conquering fear; speaking to different audiences (courtroom vs. client meeting vs. news media vs. job interview, etc.); handling question-and-answer sessions; and how lawyers can use public speaking to advance their careers.	Walz	May 20-23 M-Th 9:00 a.m.-12:10 p.m. (includes a 15-minute break) and 1:30 p.m. - 4:40 p.m. (includes a 15-minute break)	Friday, May 24, 9:00 a.m.- 11:00 a.m.	570

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<i>Taking and Defending Effective Depositions</i>	FL-DSRL-311	1	TAKING AND DEFENDING EFFECTIVE DEPOSITIONS: The ability to take and defend depositions effectively, and to prepare clients and witnesses for deposition are critical, yet often overlooked skills essential to every advocate. Good depositions can make a case, while bad ones can blow it. This course will cover deposing experts, lay witnesses, and adverse parties; preparing witnesses and clients for depositions, defending depositions, problem depositions, using depositions at trial, strategies and tactics, special and ethical considerations. <i>Prerequisites: Torts II, Contracts II, Property II, Criminal Law, LP II</i>	Buncome	May 20-23, M-Th 6:00p.m. - 9:10 p.m. (includes 15 minute break)	Friday, May 24, 6:00pm- 7:00pm	560