



DUQUESNE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW SUMMER SCHOOL SCHEDULE 2015

VISITING LAW STUDENTS

SUMMER REGISTRATION

Summer School 2015 registration forms must be completed and returned to the law school registrar by Friday May 22, 2015. Registration forms must be accompanied by a deposit of **\$100.00 per course** (Check or money order payable to Duquesne University School of Law) which will be credited towards your tuition for the course(s); however, deposits will not be refunded under any circumstances. Your tuition balance is due by Monday, June 8, 2015.

REFUND SCHEDULE

You must inform the Law School Registrar's Office in writing (typed) of your intention to withdraw from Summer School. The course(s) are not removed from your record until the office is officially notified in writing. A student withdrawing during the first week of summer school will receive a refund of 65% per course. Thereafter, no refunds will be given.

TUITION

Summer Tuition is \$791.00 per credit.

COURSE ENROLLMENT

Each course must have an enrollment of six (6) students or the course will be cancelled.

SUMMER SCHOOL 2015 COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

ADVANCED LEGAL WRITING – 3 crs.

Assistant Dean Kwisnek – (C537) 33224

Prerequisites: Legal Research & Writing I and II

Course Requirement: Paper

Enrollment Limit: 12

Satisfies Professional Skills Requirement or Upper Level Writing Requirement

Fulfills Concentration Elective: Civil Litigation

The purpose of this class is to provide students with an opportunity to enhance their writing skills through drafting various litigation documents. Students will litigate a civil case researching the applicable law, drafting client correspondence, pleadings, motions, and a settlement agreement.

In addition to class time, students will be required to complete 3 hours of work online each week. This will generally entail reading supplemental materials or watching videos and answering questions or completing exercises related to the topic to be addressed in the subsequent class.

Students will be provided with a hard copy of the case files, billing time sheets, and a file folder to organize the case documents.

All assignments should be submitted by the deadline to kwisnek@duq.edu.

This course may be used to satisfy either the Skills Requirement or the Upper-Level Writing Requirement.

June 9th - July 14th (No Exam) – **Room 208**
Tuesday and Thursday - 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Book(s): Pretrial, 9th ed. (Aspen Publishers, 2015).
Either a Bluebook or ALWD citation manual

ESTATES AND TRUSTS - 3 crs.

Professor Gray – (C523) 32303

Prerequisite: Property

Course Requirement: Exam (July 10th)

Fulfills Concentration Elective: Family Law, Tax & Estate Planning

An introduction to the law of wills and trusts. The primary focus of the course is intestate and testamentary transfers of property under Pennsylvania law, including intestate succession, the execution and revocation of wills, will contests, and the protection of family members from inadvertent disinheritance. Students will also be introduced to trusts and to powers of appointment.

June 8th - July 8th (Exam: July 10th) – **Room 310**
Monday, Wednesday, Friday - 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Book(s):(1) Fundamentals of Trusts and Estates (4th Ed.)
Anderson and Bloom
ISBN: 1-4224-1176-1
(2) Title 20 of Pennsylvania Statutes
Legal Ref. Bureau, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

**INDEPENDENT RESEARCH - 1 cr. ONLY
(C725) 32931**

Course Requirement: Paper

NON-CLASSROOM CREDITS – GRADED

Fulfills Concentration Elective: Business Law, Civil Litigation, Criminal Law, Energy & Environmental Law, Family Law, Government & Public Interest Law, Health Law & Science, Intellectual Property, International & Comparative Law, Labor & Employment Law, Religion & Moral Life, Real Property, Tax & Estate Planning

Any student in good standing beyond the first year may engage in an independent research project. The student must prepare a substantial paper which will be graded by the Faculty member subject to the following restrictions: 1) A student may count no more than a total of 6 credits toward the 88 credits needed to graduate; 2) A student may register for no more than 3 credits a semester; 3) A student must have a different faculty advisor for each Independent Research; however, a student may register for two Independent Research courses over two consecutive grading periods, with the same professor if the work involves a single project and is for no more than 3 total credits; and 4) a student may register for Independent Research during the summer, provided it is for 1 credit. **The work product must be a minimum of 2500 words per credit.** An Independent Research Project may not be used to satisfy a Summer Session residency requirement. In addition, an Independent Research Project performed during the Summer Session is subject to the regular tuition rates.

**FOOD LAW AND POLICY (online) – 2 cr.
Adjunct Professors Gabi Steier and Kiran Patel
(603) 33227**

Enrollment Limit: 12

Course Requirement: Paper

This doctrinal course will explore the legal regulation of food. We will study federal and common law regulation of food, with an emphasis on environmental implication of current food production systems, and cutting-edge policy issues like intensive farming, food safety, biopiracy and genetic modification. Although the primary focus will be on domestic law, we will contextualize food trade, patenting and regulation internationally. Students will submit one research paper on a topic of their choosing and present their research to the class. There are no prerequisites for this course.

June 9th - July 14th (No Exam) **ONLINE**
Tuesday and Thursday - 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL LAW – 3cr.

Adjunct Professor Barbara Carlin

(C723) 33228

Enrollment Limit: 15

Course Requirement: Exam

Prerequisite: Criminal Law and Procedure or Criminal Law

Fulfills Concentration Elective: Criminal Law, International & Comparative Law.

This course will examine the various international courts and domestic courts dealing with international law such as the International Criminal Court, the International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia and the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda. Areas to be explored include common responsibility, joint criminal enterprise, genocide and universal jurisdiction.

June 10th – July 15th (Exam July 17th) – **Room 301**

Wednesday and Friday – 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Book(s): International Law and the Use of Force

ISBN: 978 1 59941 340 2

SALES (online) – 2 cr.

Adjunct Professor Wilson Huhn

(119) 33245

Enrollment Limit: 20

Course Requirement: Exam

Prerequisite: must have at least 28 Law School credits completed

The course provides an introduction to the Uniform Commercial Code (UCC) with a concentration on the Sales Article, Article 2. Related statutes such as the United Nations Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods (CCISG) and the Uniform Electronic Transactions Act are also introduced. The course analyzes express and implied warranties, the cumulation and conflict of warranties and the disclaimer of warranties as well as limitations of remedy and failure of essential purpose. Rejection, acceptance and revocation of acceptance are carefully explored along with prospective nonperformance and adequate assurances of performance. The coverage of risk allocation includes risk of loss, the concept of Identification and casualty to identified goods, commercial impracticability and excusable nonperformance. The last portion of the course is devoted to a detailed analysis of buyer and seller remedies under the UCC with particular attention to a clear understanding of direct, incidental and consequential damages. Throughout the course CISG applications are identified when they differ substantially from UCC applications.

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REGISTRATION FORMS

MAIL TO: Ms. Valerie J. Harper, Law School Registrar
Duquesne University School of Law
900 Locust Street, Hanley Hall
Pittsburgh, PA 15282-0700

NAME _____
(Please Print)

CURRENT MAILING ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

CELL NUMBER _____ SSN# _____

ABA ACCREDITED LAW SCHOOL _____

PERMANENT ADDRESS (if different from above) _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

PLEASE CHECK APPROPRIATE LINE:

_____ I have enclosed my \$100.00 deposit
per course due by Friday, May 22, 2015.
The tuition balance is due by Monday,
June 8, 2015

_____ I have enclosed my entire tuition
payment (\$791.00 per credit).

APPLICATION MATERIALS:

A letter of good standing from my
Dean/Registrar:
_____ is enclosed

_____ will be forwarded by
May 29, 2015

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PLEASE CHECK THE ELECTIVE(S) YOU WISH TO REGISTER FOR:

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SIGNATURE _____

REGISTRAR'S OFFICE ONLY:

CHECK _____

MONEY ORDER _____

RECEIVED BY _____