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LREB 315-400 Law and the Regulatory Environment of Business Spring 2018

Catalog Description

This course is designed to familiarize the student with the American legal system. Intended primarily for students who have not previously studied law, the course includes a review of the concept of law, the function of the courts, and the dual judicial system of the United States. An appreciation of legal history and the operation of law are developed through the vehicle of a detailed analysis of contract law and a survey of other topical headings.

Prerequisite: Junior standing.

Course Objectives and Learning Outcomes

Outcome: The students should achieve an awareness of the necessity of voluntary compliance with general legal concepts in order for society to enable all persons to live together in harmony. An understanding of the court system as a substitute for self-help is deemed essential and knowledge of binding contract law is fostered as a basis for all agreements.

Required Materials

Business Law: Legal Environment, Online Commerce, Business Ethics, and International Issues Plus MyBusinessLawLab with Pearson eText -- Access Card Package, 9th Edition, Henry R. Cheeseman ©2016 |Pearson |[ISBN 9780134528823](#)



Course Requirements and Grading Criteria

Item	Description	Point Value	Weight
Weekly Quizzes	Students will complete 12 online quizzes, conducted through the MyBusinessLaw website. Each quiz counts for 25 points. There are 13 online quizzes in the course. Only the grades from the top 12 will count toward the final grade.	300	30%
Tests	Students will complete 3 online, in-class, multiple-choice, non-cumulative tests, in Weeks 6, 11 and 15, conducted through the MyBusinessLawLab website. Each test counts for 200 points.	600	60%
Class Participation	Students will receive a grade for participation in in-class activities.	100	10%
Total		1,000	100%

- Late assignments will not be accepted.
- Extra credit is not available.

Examinations

There will be an online, in-class, multiple-choice tests in Weeks 6, 11 and 15. Grades will be posted regularly in MyBusinessLawLab.

Class Participation

Your class participation grade will be based on your contribution to the group case discussions conducted each week. The participation grade will be posted at the end of the course.



Quinlan School of Business Policies:

Attendance

Class attendance and participation are fundamental components of learning, so punctual attendance at all classes, for the full class meeting period, is expected of Quinlan students. Faculty may set participation policies unique to their courses and use class participation as a component of the final grade. The student is responsible for any assignments or requirements missed during an absence.

Make-Up Examinations

Loyola University academic policy provides that Exams or examinations may be given during the semester or summer sessions as often as deemed advisable by the instructor. Because Quinlan faculty believe examinations represent a critical component of student learning, required examinations should be taken during the regularly scheduled class period. **Make-up examinations are discouraged.** Exceptions may be granted only by the faculty member or department chair, and only for unavoidable circumstances (illness verified by a signed physician's note, participation in intercollegiate athletic events, subpoenas, jury duty, military service, bereavement, or religious observance). A make-up final examination may be scheduled only with the permission of the appropriate Quinlan Assistant or Associate Dean. If a make-up examination must be given, it is the responsibility of the faculty member to prepare, schedule, and proctor the exam. Limited assistance in proctoring make-up exams may be available through a designated Quinlan administrative assistant. For a student with a documented special Examining need, please consult University policy concerning use of the Examining center in Sullivan Center at Lake Shore Campus.

Academic Integrity

All members of the Quinlan School shall refrain from academic dishonesty and misconduct in all forms, including plagiarism, cheating, misrepresentation, fabrication, and falsehood. Plagiarism or cheating on the part of the student in individual or group academic work or in examination behavior will result minimally in the instructor assigning the grade of "F" for the assignment or examination. In addition, all instances of academic dishonesty must be reported to the chairperson of the department involved.

For further information about expectations for academic integrity and sanctions for violations, consult the complete Quinlan School of Business Honor Code and Statement of Academic Integrity on the Quinlan website:

<http://www.luc.edu/media/lucedu/quinlanschoolofbusiness/pdfs/Honor-Code-Quinlan-July2012.pdf>



Class by Class/Week by Week Course Outline

Week	Dates	Readings	Online Quizzes	In-class Exams
1	1/16-1/21	Chapter 1: Legal Heritage	None	
2	1/22-1/28	Chapter 2: Courts and Jurisdiction	1. Chapter 2	
3	1/28-2/4	Chapter 5: Torts	2. Chapter 5	
4	2/5-2/11	Chapter 7: Intellectual Property	3. Chapter 7	
5	2/12-2/18	Chapter 9: Nature of Contracts	4. Chapter 9	
6	2/19-2/25	Review Chap. 2,5,7,9	None	Test 1 (Ch. 1,2,5,7,9)
7	2/26-3/4	Chapter 10: Agreement Chapter 11: Consideration	6. Chapter 10 7. Chapter 11	
X	3/5-3/11	Spring Break		
8	3/12-3/18	Chapter 12: Capacity and Legality	7. Chapter 12	
9	3/19-3/25	Chapter 13: Undue Influence	8. Chapter 13	
10	3/26-4/1	Chapter 14: Statute of Frauds	9. Chapter 14	
11	4/2-4/8	Review Chap. 10,11,12,13,14	None	Test 2 (Ch.10,11,12,13,14)
12	4/9-4/15	Chapter 18: UCC	10. Chapter 18	
13	4/16-4/23	Chapter 29: Agency Chapter 34: Partnerships	11. Chapter 29 12. Chapter 34	
14	4/24-4/29	Chapter 36: Corporations	13. Chapter 36	
15	5/4	None	None	Test 3 (Ch. 18,29,34,36)

Pease note: This class may occasionally deviate from the course outline above. The instructor reserves the right to make changes as needed to the course syllabus.