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Advanced Writing Requirement (Spring 2016) Courses

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- [Advanced Evidence Seminar \(/advanced-evidence-seminar\)](/advanced-evidence-seminar) , JURI: 5980 , Credit Hours: 2
Advanced study and writing work on evidence and litigation topics, including subjects like hearsay, experts, final arguments, and motions for a new trial. Involves study and discussion of problem areas and research, writing, and preparation as well as defense of a major paper on a specific litigation problem. Potential paper topics include matters like husband/wife privilege, expert witness standards in federal and Georgia practice, and the limits of closing argument. At the election of the student, the paper can be prepared in a manner which will fulfill the Advanced Writing Requirement of the law school.
- [Bioethics \(/bioethics\)](/bioethics) , JURI: 5585 , Credit Hours: 3
Examines legal, ethical, and social problems generated by advances in health, medicine and biotechnology. Some of the issues covered include human cloning and stem cell research, gene-based therapies, death and dying, reproductive technologies, experimentation with human subjects, and societal limits on scientific developments.
- [Foreign Affairs and National Security Law \(/foreign-affairs-and-national-security-law\)](/foreign-affairs-and-national-security-law) , JURI: 4425 , Credit Hours: 3
Examines how U.S. law both constrains and is constrained by U.S. foreign relations and the foreign policy-making process. The course considers issues relating to separation of powers, federalism, individual rights, and the influence of international norms on US constitutional development.
- [Health Care Fraud and Abuse \(/health-care-fraud-and-abuse\)](/health-care-fraud-and-abuse) , JURI: 5621 , Credit Hours: 2
This course meets the substantial writing requirement with permission of the instructor only. The course will examine federal and state laws imposing civil and criminal penalties on health care providers, with special emphasis on the federal False Claims Act, the Anti-Kickback Statute, and the Physician Self-Referral (Stark) Law. Civil Monetary Penalty and exclusion laws, application of traditional federal white-collar criminal statutes to health care, and state fraud and abuse laws also will be discussed. Ample experiential learning opportunities will be provided through drafting assignments, mock client advising problems, and guest lectures, including state and federal regulatory and law enforcement agencies, practicing attorneys, and health care industry executives.
- [Life Cycle of a Corporation \(/life-cycle-corporation\)](/life-cycle-corporation) , JURI: 5080 , Credit Hours: 3
This class follows the life-cycle of a corporation from inception through venture financing, IPO, M&A, and bankruptcy, aiming to provide an overview of corporate practice. The class incorporates Harvard Business School cases and emphasizes group work and participation. Beyond the substantive coverage, the course introduces students to the various kinds of drafting a corporate practice requires. Students are evaluated on class participation, 3 drafting exercises, and a final paper and presentation.
- [Modern American Legal Theory \(online course\) \(/modern-american-legal-theory-online-course\)](/modern-american-legal-theory-online-course) , JURI: 4199E , Credit Hours: 3
This is an online course studying in the theories that animate modern legal scholarship and practice. The course surveys classic articles and book excerpts and reviews to provide a basic understanding of the dominant theoretical movements and their development.

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