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LAW 6520	Administrative Law	3	Fenster	Analysis of the administrative process, with an emphasis on the activities of federal regulatory agencies. Topics include legislative delegations of authority to agencies, executive branch controls, rulemaking and adjudicatory procedures, due process rights, and the scope of judicial review of administrative decision making.
LAW 6730	Admiralty	3	Pope/Cuva	Jurisdiction, choice of law, right to navigate, sickness, personal injury, and death of seamen, longshoremen and others in maritime occupations; collisions; government responsibilities related to navigation; maritime salvage; pilotage; maritime liens.
LAW 6930	Adoption Law	2	Tate	This course will involve an exploration of the history of the American law of adoption, adoption procedures and the fundamental legal principles of adoption, covering cases, statutes and constitutional issues. Topics will include relative, grandparents and step-parent adoption as well as the adoption of children in state custody, private intermediary and agency adoptions, international adoptions, post adoption issues and wrongful adoption. Adoption is an important part of family law practice, with many complex issues that are addressed only superficially in general family law courses. This course will provide a foundation in adoption law for private practitioners as well as for public interest attorneys and child advocacy specialists. In addition, emerging and evolving areas of adoption law will be explored including open adoptions, transracial adoptions, sexual orientation issues in adoption, and adoption by non-traditional families.
LAW 6930	ADR Competition Team	1	Davis/Womble	Credit: 1 per semester. Maximum credits allowed are three. Co-Requisites: Negotiation and Mediation LAW 6930, Interviewing and Counseling LAW 6381, Mediation LAW 6383, Negotiation LAW 6385, Mediation Advocacy LAW 6930, Interviewing Counseling and Negotiation LAW 6930 (any one of the following). Maximum credits allowed for any combination of co-curricular activities (Jessup Moot Court Team, Trial Team, Moot Court, Florida Law Review, Florida Journal of International Law, Journal of Technology Law and Policy, Journal of Law and Public Policy, and Tax Moot Court) are four. Advanced training in mediation, negotiation, interviewing & counseling, and arbitration, including both the preparation and execution of the above alternative dispute resolution tools. Using the above alternative dispute resolution (ADR) skills, all members will either compete or assist competitors in the research, practice and preparation of all team competitions throughout the semester. The course is graded on a Satisfactory (S), Unsatisfactory (U) basis. NOTE: Students who are selected on the ADR Competition Team, as certified by the ADR faculty advisor, who were not able to register in that term, may register for one credit retrospectively for the succeeding term.
LAW 6930	Advanced Civil Clinic: Full Rep	2-4	Grater	<b>Pre-Req: Successful Completion of Civil Clinic and instructor's permission.</b>

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LAW 6930	Advanced Civil Clinic: IPVAC	2-4	Drake	<b>Pre-Req: Successful Completion of Civil Clinic and instructor's permission.</b>
LAW 6930	Advanced Civil Clinic: Juvenile	2-4	Rawls	<b>Pre-Req: Successful Completion of Civil Clinic and instructor's permission.</b>
LAW 6930	Advanced Mediation Clinic	2-4	Davis, R.	<b>Pre-Req: Successful Completion of Mediation Clinic and instructor's permission.</b>
LAW 6936	Advanced Dispute Resolution: Mental Models in Law & Conflict	2	Riskin	This seminar focuses on a number of "mental models" (or mindsets, cognitive frameworks, philosophical maps, perspectives) that play—or could play—roles in the development, evolution, and attempts to address conflict. Models will be drawn from literature on law, professionalism, social science (principally psychology), conflict resolution, and neuroscience. Students may either write papers or book reviews, based on significant research and analysis, dealing with one or more of these or other mental models and their impact on the development or evolution of conflict and the manner in which lawyers, clients, mediators, or judges address—or should or could address—conflict. Instruction includes readings, demonstrations, lectures, discussions and experiential exercises.
LAW 6056	Advanced Problems in Bankruptcy and Debtor-Creditor Law	2 or 3	Davis	Prerequisite: Creditors' Remedies and Bankruptcy (LAW 6052) or Debtor-Creditor Law (LAW 6050). The objective of the course is to give the student a grounding in bankruptcy processes, a strengthened appreciation of the philosophical and policy-based underpinnings of bankruptcy, and a deepened understanding of selected aspects of bankruptcy practice. The course will consist of a number of selected problems of current interest in the practice of bankruptcy and debtor-creditor law. (3credit option fulfills Advanced Writing/Seminar Requirement)
LAW 6799	Advanced Techniques in Appellate Advocacy	2	Thomson	Prerequisite: Passing grade in Appellate Advocacy (LAW 5793). Provides in-depth, advanced instruction and practice in persuasive written and oral legal analysis, focusing on appellate advocacy techniques. Builds upon training provided in first-year writing courses. Among topics examined will be appellate brief writing, preservation of appellate issues, appellate standards of review, rhetoric and the canons of logic in the appellate context, and appellate oral argument. Students will be required to prepare at least one appellate brief and to present at least one appellate oral argument.

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LAW 6936	African Traditional Law	2	Nunn	This seminar examines the traditional law of African indigenous cultures. Over the centuries, Africans have developed their own culturally distinct forms of social control and dispute resolution. This "law," developed in the African context, will be explored in comparative fashion through readings, discussions and lectures. The seminar will examine the unique philosophical orientation of African societies, the basic concepts of African legal theory, the structure of and content of African legal systems, and similarities and differences in the legal systems of different African cultures. Specific topics covered in the seminar include: (1) the law of marriage, inheritance and succession; (2) criminal justice and conflict resolution; (3) land tenure and development; (4) personal property arrangements; (5) community health and security; and (6) contracts, oaths and community obligations. Students are required to participate in class discussions, complete a research paper on an approved topic, and give a class presentation.
LAW 6930	American Legal Thought	3	Collier	An introduction to the fundamental issues and ideas that have shaped the law. Theorists of American law include legislators, governmental administrators, judges, lawyers, legal scholars, and commentators from other disciplines. This course examines basic concepts in legal thought, primarily of the American twentieth century. Topics include: law as literature and as portrayed in literature; law and society; freedom and necessity; the reach of the law; the legal and the non-legal; law and morality; justice; and critical perspectives on law (Critical Legal Studies). This course is especially recommended for students who are interested in the development of legal theory or are considering a career in law teaching.
LAW 5793	Appellate Advocacy	2	Adkins, Jackson, Pflaum, Ray, Ruff, Steinberg, Thomson, Tomlinson, Wihnyk	<b>Prerequisite: Passing grade in Legal Research and Writing (LAW 5792).</b> As a continuation of LAW 5792, a factual situation is presented to the student by means of a hypothetical appellate record. The record is the basis for the preparation of an appellate brief and oral arguments. This course must be completed with a passing grade even if this requirement necessitates repeating the course the next semester it is offered.
LAW 6930	Arbitration	3	Perlstadt	This course covers the law governing arbitration from the 1925 enactment of the Federal Arbitration Act through the Supreme Court's 2011 decision in <u>AT&amp;T Mobility v. Concepcion</u> . The course will focus on how courts treat arbitration, including their enforcement of arbitration agreements, policing of arbitration procedures, and review and enforcement of arbitral awards.

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LAW 6936	Art Law	2	Ferreri	This course is a seminar on the law specially concerning art and cultural property. The focus is broad and international. The topic crosses all fields of law, criminal and civil, domestic and international, contemporary and historical, commercial, administrative, private and public. Students will consider definitions of art and cultural property (real and personal), treaties governing protection of and international movement of cultural property, legal concerns of museums, and special statutes governing works of artists. Students will examine, also, the various types of art transactions as well as local and international regulations governing those. Recurring issues that the class will discuss are artists' rights, the effects of war on cultural goods and monuments, theft and smuggling of cultural goods, and forgery. Readings will be assigned from one text book and supplemental materials, and each student will be required to submit one short paper of publishable quality for a grade. An interest in art is more valuable for this class than knowledge of art history.
LAW 6930	Business Transactions & Documents Drafting	2	Cohn/Aronson	<b>Prerequisites: Corporations (LAW 6063) and Legal Drafting (LAW 6955), Registration is through an application process, with applications available prior to Advance Registration.</b> Senior attorneys at law firms and corporate legal departments, as well as clients, often complain that recent law school graduates arrive ill-equipped to make meaningful contributions to the (non litigation-related) "business" they are expected to assist with. Although drafted documents (in particular, contracts) play a key role in almost every area of the law, law school courses, course materials and legal writing seminars and clinics rarely deal with the process and techniques for understanding, drafting and working with these documents (or their constituent parts). This Course is designed to enhance each student's ability to make the transition from classroom to law office, where a premium is placed on planning, evaluation, organization, focused advocacy and competent, efficient and effective document drafting. In this Class, we will seek to (further) develop each student's contextual, organizational, analytic, negotiation and drafting skills (1) in the context of issues and challenges – as embodied in business documents and contracts – often encountered by business and transactional lawyers, and (2) through the development of skills and understanding of tools needed to start and complete drafting projects with confidence and proficiency. This will be accomplished (or, at least, attempted) over the course of fourteen class sessions through hands-on instruction, (in-class and homework) drafting exercises and practical pointers, insights and guidance from four experienced corporate, securities and M&A legal practitioners (each of whom has guided, trained and mentored many junior business lawyers).

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LAW 6714	Child, Parent & State	3	King	Covers child abuse and neglect, juvenile justice, adoption and foster care, and discusses education and health entitlements of children and conflicts between parents and children over medical decision-making, religion, schooling and emancipation. Students will engage in exercises involving drafting and oral advocacy in a simulated child protection case. This course is structured around a simulated case in which you are presented with a real life scenario involving allegations of abuse and neglect, drug involvement, homelessness, delinquency and other issues commonly encountered in representation of "at risk" families and children. The subject matter of this class is sometimes disturbing and may raise issues for individuals who have witnessed or experienced family violence, neglect or abuse or other forms of family disruption. Sensitive issues of religion, race and culture are also covered.
LAW 5301	Civil Procedure	4	Lear, Mashburn, Page	Analysis of a civil lawsuit from commencement through trial, including consideration of jurisdiction, venue, pleading, motions, discovery, and joinder of parties and of claims; right to trial by jury, selection and instruction of jury, respective roles of judge, jury, and lawyer; trial and post-trial motions; judgments.
LAW 6940	Civil Clinic- Full Rep	4	Grater	<b>Prerequisite: Interviewing, Counseling, and Negotiation.</b> Co-requisite with the Full Rep Lab section of this course. Not available to students who have taken Criminal Law Clinic (LAW 6942) or Mediation Clinic (LAW 6940). Must have completed 48 semester hours. Initial Clearance letters from the Florida Bar are required and students will become Certified Legal Intems (CLI) upon Florida Supreme Court approval. Students participate in the conduct of civil legal matters under a scheme of systematic supervision combined with substantial related formal instruction. One third of credits may be awarded on a letter grade basis at the option of the instructor. The remaining credits will be awarded on a Satisfactory Plus (S+), Satisfactory (S), Unsatisfactory (U) basis. Registration is by registration priority, based on entering class and preference classes completed prior to the clinic. Preference classes include Evidence, Trial Practice or Trial Advocacy, Family Law, Children's Law, Family or Juvenile Law Externships, and other relevant courses that may be announced at a later date. Registration is by application prior to advanced registration. Students enrolled in the Virgil Hawkins Full Representation Clinic represent indigent clients as first~chair counsel in several cases and, depending on the needs of our indigent clients, conduct interviews, provide legal counseling, draft pleadings, motions, orders, judgments, and other legal documents, and represent clients in negotiations, mediations, hearings, and trials.
LAW 6940	Civil Clinic- Full Rep <b>Lab</b>	2	Grater	<b>Co-requisite</b> with the 4 hour Full Rep section of this course.

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LAW 6940	Civil Clinic-Intimate Partner Violence Assistance	6	Drake	<b>Prerequisite: Interviewing, Counseling, and Negotiation (LAW 6388).</b> Not available to students who have taken Criminal Law Clinic (LAW 6942) or Mediation Clinic (LAW 6940). Must have completed 48 semester hours. Initial Clearance letters from the Florida Bar are required and students will become Certified Legal Intems (CLI) upon Florida Supreme Court approval. Students participate in the conduct of civil legal matters under a scheme of systematic supervision combined with substantial related formal instruction. One third of credits may be awarded on a letter grade basis at the option of the instructor. The remaining credits will be awarded on a Satisfactory Plus (S+), Satisfactory (S), Unsatisfactory (U) basis. Registration is by registration priority, based on entering class and preference classes completed prior to the clinic. Preference classes include Evidence, Trial Practice or Trial Advocacy, Family Law, Children's Law, Family or Juvenile Law Externships, and other relevant courses that may be announced at a later date. Registration is by application prior to advanced registration. The Intimate Partner Violence Assistance Clinic (IPVAC) Is a collaboration between the College of law} College of Medicine} Shands Teaching Hospital and Peaceful Paths Domestic Abuse Network providing low-income Intimate partner violence victims with comprehensive and coordinated legal} medical and social services focusing on victim and family safety. ell's} specifically trained In domestic violence, will join a holistic team that includes a Shands' social worker and a domestic violence outreach counselor. Cll's will be on-site in the Pediatrics and Obstetrics/Gynecology clinics at Shands, providing legal counseling to victims, as well as representing them In civil court on such matters as injunctions for protection. Students must meet with the IPVAC Director prior to applying for this clinic.
LAW 6940	Civil Clinic-Gator Team Child/Juvenile	6	Rawls	<b>Pre-requisite: Interviewing, Counseling, and Negotiation (LAW 6388).</b> Not available to students who have taken Criminal Law Clinic (LAW 6942) or Mediation Clinic (LAW 6940). Must have completed 48 semester hours. Initial Clearance letters from the Florida Bar are required and students will become Certified Legal Intems (CLI) upon Florida Supreme Court approval. Students participate in the conduct of civil legal matters under a scheme of systematic supervision combined with substantial related formal instruction. One third of credits may be awarded on a letter grade basis at the option of the instructor. The remaining credits will be awarded on a Satisfactory Plus (S+), Satisfactory (S), Unsatisfactory (U) basis. Registration is by registration priority, based on entering class and preference classes completed prior to the clinic. Preference classes include Evidence, Trial Practice or Trial Advocacy, Family Law, Children's Law, Family or Juvenile Law Externships, and other relevant courses that may be announced at a later date. Registration is by application prior to advanced registration. Students enrolled in the Gator TeamChild juvenile advocacy clinic provide free legal service to indigent children. As CLI's, students advocate for children in all types of civil, criminal, and administrative proceedings. As part of their training, social workers and other mental health professionals introduce students to therapeutic approaches focused on resolving each child's problem in a holistic way.

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LAW 6942	<b>Criminal Clinic - Defender</b>	6	Haughton-Worrell, Martin	<b>Prereqs: Evidence, Criminal Procedure: Police Practices or Adversary Systems</b> (one concurrent with clinic is permitted), and Trial Advocacy or Trial Practice. Not available to students who have taken Civil Clinic or Mediation Clinic. Must have completed 48 hrs. Enrollment by application prior to pre-registration. Students in the Criminal Law Defender Clinic work for the Public Defender's Office, under the supervision of an attorney in that office. The students are Certified Legal Interns and appear in court under supervision handling such matters as bond reductions, evidentiary hearings, and even jury trials.
LAW 6942	<b>Criminal Clinic - Defender Lab</b>	3	Haughton-Worrell, Martin	Co-requisite with the 6 credit hour portion of this course.
LAW 6942	<b>Criminal Clinic - Prosecutor</b>	6	Dekle, Phelps	<b>Prereqs: Evidence, Criminal Procedure: Police Practices or Adversary Systems</b> (one concurrent with clinic is permitted), and Trial Advocacy or Trial Practice. Not available to students who have taken Civil Clinic or Mediation Clinic. Must have completed 48 hrs. Enrollment by application prior to pre-registration. Students in the Criminal Law Prosecutor Clinic work for the State Attorney's Office under the supervision of an attorney in that office. The students are Certified Legal Interns and appear in court under supervision handling such matters as bond reductions, evidentiary hearings, and even jury trials.
LAW 6942	<b>Criminal Clinic - Prosecutor Lab</b>	3	Dekle, Phelps	Co-requisite with the 6 credit hour portion of this course.
LAW 6250	Comparative Law	3	Malavet	The first part of this course deals with a cross-cultural comparison of law and the legal profession; the second part deals with more specific applications, e.g., comparison of American and foreign case materials.
LAW 6930	Condo and Community Development Law	2 or 3	Eisinger	The class shall focus on statutory requirements and practical considerations in the development of condominiums and other homeowner community regimes in Florida, with emphasis on community planning and document drafting. That portion of the class shall be presented from the perspective of both a developer and developer's legal counsel. In addition, the course shall address the role of the community association in operating and governing the community following turnover of control from the developer, with particular emphasis on current assessment collection and foreclosure issues. Student grades shall be primarily based on one in-class multiple choice quiz (approximately 20%), and a research/drafting project on a topic germane to the course chosen by each student but approved by the professor (approximately 80%). Students will have the option of taking this 2 hr./week class for 2 credits, or may opt to receive a 3rd credit by writing a longer paper.
LAW 6340	Conflict of Laws	3	Perlstadt	Problems arising whenever at least one of the operative facts of the case is connected with a state other than the forum; jurisdiction of courts; enforcement of foreign judgments; federal-state conflicts.

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LAW 6465	Conservation Clinic	3	Ankersen	<b>Prerequisite: Environmental Law and/or Land Use Law</b> (4 <sup>th</sup> semester or greater); graduate students need instructor approval and referral from affiliate faculty. This course will provide upper level environmental law students and graduate students in related fields with exposure to transactional environmental and land use professional practice, applied research and public policy analysis under the supervision of the instructor/clinic director. It will also enable students to participate in the development of novel approaches to the field application of environmental policies. Students will learn to work within interdisciplinary teams to achieve results that require a collaborative approach from multiple disciplines. Registration is by application prior to advanced registration.
LAW 5501	Constitutional Law	4	Hutchinson, Wright	Introduction to United States Constitutional Law. Topics include judicial enforcement of the Constitution to preserve individual liberties; judicial review; separation of powers; structure and powers of the federal government; and federalism.
LAW 6226	Constitutional and Legal History: Criminal Justice	2	Dale	This course will trace the history of criminal law and justice in the United States from the colonial era to the present. Over the course of the semester will look at major influences and events in the history of criminal law, such as the influence of Enlightenment thought in the Early Republic and the constitutionalization of criminal procedure during the Warren Court era. We will also explore the ways that tensions between the rule of law and popular justice were manifested and dealt with over the history of criminal justice in the United States. Readings for the course will come from a variety of sources, including statutory and case law, excerpts from famous criminal trials, and scholarly articles and texts. Students will be graded on their participation in class discussion and on written work. Law students enrolled in the course may opt to write a take home mid term and take home final, or turn in a single research paper on subject of their own choosing (selected after consulting with the professor). Graduate students enrolled in the course will be expected to write a seminar length paper, in addition to participating in the discussions.
LAW 5000	Contracts	4	Harrison	An introduction to the law and theory of legally enforceable agreements and promises, including elements of contract formation; consideration, effects of non-performance; conditions for relief from or discharge of obligations; and remedies.

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LAW 6936	Contract Theory	2	Di Matteo	This seminar course will review some of the canonical writings in American contract scholarship including works by Isaacs, Fuller, Cohen, Llewellyn, Macaulay, Fried, Macneil, and Kennedy. We will try to see what, if anything makes the American way of thinking about contract law distinctive. We will review the different theories of contract obligation including contract as promise, contract as agreement, reliance theory, consent theory, contract in action, and relational contract theory. We will also explore the major scholarly movements and how they relate to contract law including, classical legal thought, legal realism, critical legal studies, law & economics, contract as interpretation, and behavioral decision theory. The course will look at specific issues of contract law including pre-contractual liability and the internationalization of contract law. It is the hope of the instructor that the student will leave the course with an appreciation of how contract theory informs contract practice. To this end, the course will conclude with a review of the European "proactive active law movement" with a focus on the design of global alliance and joint venture agreements. Students will be expected to make presentations during the second part of the course and to write a research paper of 20-25 pages in length.
LAW 6610	Corporate Tax	3	Burke	<b>Prerequisite: Income Taxation (LAW 6600).</b> Addresses income tax topics which might be encountered by a general practitioner advising a closely held corporation and its investors. Income tax consequences of transfers of property and services to a corporation, distributions to investors, and corporate liquidations and mergers will be explored. Coverage given to tax treatment of "S Corporations," an increasingly important choice of entity for small businesses.
LAW 6930	Corporate Finance & Finance Decision	2	Sturm	<b>Prerequisite: Corporations or Business Associations Survey.</b> Glenn Sturm, one of our graduates, has been tremendously successful in venture capital and corporate finance. He wants to share his knowledge and experience with students and is coming in from Atlanta each week for this 2-hour course. For those who want an understanding of the "real world" and the roles of lawyers and finance managers, this will be a great course. Course enrollment will be limited.
LAW 6936	Corporate Scandals and Crises	2	Lin	<b>Pre-requisite: Corporations.</b> This seminar will examine legal considerations surrounding selected corporate scandals and crises. Subjects covered will include, among others, corporate governance, business crimes, gatekeepers, and regulatory reforms. Requirements for the seminar will consist of meaningful class discussions, a seminar paper, and a peer presentation.
LAW 6063	Corporations	3	Lin	Registration preference given to fall and spring entering students in their fourth full semester. Consideration of problems in organizing a corporation, disregard of the corporate fiction, control and management, derivative suits, and special problems of the close corporation. May also consider federal regulations controlling insider trading, proxy solicitations, and short-swing profits.
LAW 6112	Criminal Procedure: Adversary Systems	3	Nunn	Covers commencement of formal criminal proceedings; bail, the decision to prosecute, the grand jury, the preliminary hearing, venue, joinder and severance, and speedy trial. Trial concerns such as guilty pleas, discovery, jury trial, prejudicial publicity, professional ethics and double jeopardy are also considered.

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LAW 6111	Criminal Procedure: Police Practice	3	Jacobs	Police as a social institution, including personnel, bureaucratic structure and incentives. Also covers police practices such as arrest, search, seizure, wiretapping, eavesdropping, use of informers, entrapment, confessions and lineups. Credit for this course precludes credit for Criminal Procedure Survey (LAW 6930)
LAW 6936	Cyberlaw	2	Lidsky	Cyberlaw will focus on how the First Amendment to the U.S. Constitution applies to rapidly changing technologies of communication. We will explore topics such as jurisdiction, anonymity, privacy, defamation, and public forum doctrine in the cyberlaw context. Students in the seminar will produce a research paper of at least twenty pages analyzing one of these issues in depth. Students will also be graded based on participation in seminar discussions and an oral presentation.
LAW 6930	Domestic Violence	2	Lepianka	This is a substantive law course in domestic violence. It is a 2-credit class, meeting once a week for two hours each class. The first hour will consist of discussion based on assigned readings. The second hour will include a guest speaker, whenever possible. The book is <i>Domestic Violence Law</i> , 2nd Edition, by Nancy K.D. Lemon, American Casebook Series, West Group, supplemented with relevant Florida cases and supplemental readings. The class will be letter-graded, on the mandatory curve. Grade will be based on a take-home exam consisting of a domestic violence situation that needs to be addressed.
LAW 6930	Education Law	3	Nance	This course provides students with an introduction to the law relating to public schools (K-12), including the interplay of the U.S. Constitution, federal statutes, state, and local law. It examines the parameters of public education (public and private, church and state), the right to a public education, the equitable distribution of public educational resources, equal education opportunity, the legal structure of school governance, desegregation, sexual harassment, students' rights to expression, student disciplinary processes, search and seizure in public schools, educating students with disabilities, torts in the educational context, bullying, and the rights of teachers.

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LAW 6930	Electronic Discovery Data Analysis and Review	2	Hamilton	This course will explore "search" or information retrieval: the central issue in e-discovery and legal defensibility of the discovery process. The course will explore the varieties of search methodology applied to e-discovery including manual search, key word search, conceptual and cluster search, revolutionary predictive coding and machine learning, and the strengths and weakness of each approach and focus on developing an intermodal legally defensible approach. Students will study case law related to search defensibility and students will engage in hands on exercises and experiments with contemporary advanced search technologies. Students will also design, structure, implement, and supervise the human review of documents identified by the search processes using advanced technologies and actual data. Students successfully completing this course will be able to effectively plan, direct, and execute e-discovery searches, participate in negotiations with the opposition during Rule 26(f) conferences, and handle court hearings regarding search methodologies and analytics.
LAW 6930	Entrepreneurship	2	Bovay	<b>Pre-requisites: Corporations or Unincorporated Business Enterprises, or Business Enterprises Survey AND Income Tax.</b> This course is designed for third-year law students interested in a business law practice. It will cover choice of entity, employment agreements, employee benefits/ERISA, covenants not to compete, trade secrets, real estate, finance and tax issues in business formation and development. The focus will be on developing the skills necessary to address these issues in practice. Students will draft business documents as if they are in a law firm dealing with a client, using actual documents from current business deals as examples and case studies.
LAW 6930	Environmental Capstone Colloquium	1	Klein	This course provides students with an opportunity to sharpen their skills of critical analysis and to engage in dialogue with leading environmental thinkers across the nation. The Capstone Colloquium will be offered each spring as a one-credit, pass-fail course that will be required for graduation with the ELULP certificate. The course will feature seven bi-weekly, two-hour presentations by leading environmental and land use law academics.
LAW 6470	Environmental Law	3	Angelo	Introduction to modern environmental regulation and its foundations, covering common law, precursors to environmental law and a survey of major regulatory issues and techniques, focusing on the Clean Water Act, National Environmental Policy Act, and Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act, with examples drawn from other statutes such as the Clean Air Act.
LAW	Environmental Moot Court	1	Angelo	<b>TBA</b>
LAW 6430	Estates & Trusts	3	Dawson, McCouch	Prerequisite: Property (LAW 5400). Registration preference will be given to students in their third full semester. Topics covered include intestate succession, gifts, execution of wills, creation of trusts, charitable trusts, ademption and lapse, powers and appointment.

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LAW 6450	Estate Planning	3	Miller	Prerequisites: Estates and Trusts (LAW 6430) and pre- or co-requisite Taxation of Gratuitous Transfers (LAW 6620). Recommended: Fiduciary Administration (LAW 6440). Using problems as the primary means of instruction, will explore theories and skills involved in estate planning process. Specific topics include: estate planning engagement; information gathering; estate analysis; identification of client objectives; development of remedial and conventional estate plans; and selection of fiduciaries. Students will complete an exercise in document preparation in a transactional context.
LAW 6930	European & International Copyright	3	Loewenheim	Copyright is one of the most important forms of intellectual property, it is both of economic as well as of cultural and social importance. Copyright industries are an essential factor in American economy, they include, above all, the production of motion pictures, computer programs, music and entertainment. Copyrighted property is highly endangered by international piracy; by means of today's techniques it can be copied and distributed everywhere in the world without the copyright owner's permission. From that follows the importance of international protection of copyrighted property. The course will deal with the protection of copyrighted items both in Europe and on the international level. The European Copyright System will be explained and compared with the American Copyright System. The international copyright protection is provided by the International Copyright Conventions as, e.g., the Berne Convention, the Rome Convention and the Universal Copyright Convention, as well as by general IP Conventions as, e.g., TRIPS and the North American Free Trade Agreement.
LAW 6330	Evidence	4	Gugliuzza, Reid	<b>Prerequisite: Civil Procedure (LAW 5301).</b> Registration preference will be given to students in their third full semester. A study of the law governing the proof of issues of fact before a judicial tribunal. Topics covered may include judicial notice, presumptions, burden of proof, hearsay, relevancy, testimonial proof, demonstrative and scientific proof, documentary proof and privileged communications. Emphasis is placed on the Federal Rules of Evidence
LAW 6710	Family Law	4	Rebouche	Covers the law of the family, including cases, statutes and constitutional precedents relating to marriage, divorce, non-traditional families, child custody, child and spousal support, adoption and reproductive technologies. Students will complete exercises in negotiation and drafting of documents in a simulated family law transaction.

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LAW 6936	Family Law & Social Policy	2	Dowd	<p>The focus of this seminar is the development of law and public policy at the federal and state level with respect to families and children. The initial substantive focus of the seminar will be on children's rights. This implicates a broad range of issues, including constitutional and developmental frameworks, international human rights and the Convention on the Rights of the Child, juvenile justice, reproductive rights of minors, rights of identify for adopted children and children conceived through alternative reproductive technologies, foster care, educational and disability rights, rights of children during conflict and wartime, children as victims of domestic violence and abuse, and consideration of class, race and gender issues (disproportionate minority representation in foster care and juvenile justice; failure to consider girls in the juvenile justice system). The contributions of other disciplines to our understanding of children's issues are also critical (e.g., child development, psychology, social work, pediatrics, neurology). In addition, I encourage you to become familiar with (and may want to focus on) various organizations and NGOs active in advocating for children or representing successful strategies or programs, at local, state, and national levels that are involved with the subject you choose to write about.</p> <p>Although we will begin by focusing on children, your paper may focus on any aspect of law or policy that affects families. So, for example, this might include definitions of family, the scope of marriage, parental rights and definitions, changing family forms and their implications, domestic violence policy and practice, and the contributions of other disciplines to family (eg, child development, neurology). In other words, the goal of the seminar is to give you an opportunity to seriously reflect upon and consider the relationship and actually functioning of law and public policy with respect to children and families. Your discussions with others as well as your in depth research and analysis of your project topic are vehicles to achieve that goal.</p>
LAW 6936	Federal Circuit	2	Gugliuzza	<p>This seminar will examine the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit, a unique and increasingly important federal appellate court. We will begin by considering the costs and benefits of specialized courts generally. We will then consider topics such as: the Federal Circuit's jurisdiction (which includes patents, trademarks, government contracts, veterans benefits, international trade, and many other areas), the history of the court, the political economy of the court's formation, and important legal issues pending before the court. Students in the seminar will produce a research paper of at least twenty pages analyzing in depth any issue they choose. Students will also be graded based on participation in seminar discussions and an oral presentation.</p>
LAW 6302	Federal Courts	3	Rush	<p>Prerequisite: Civil Procedure (LAW 5301). Recommended: Constitutional Law (LAW 5501) and Constitutional Law II (LAW 6502). Analysis of the federal judicial system and its relationship to the state's judicial systems, including consideration of the applicable jurisdictional, procedural and substantive law.</p>
LAW 6930	Federal Jurisdiction	2	Lear	<p>This course is the companion course to Federal Courts. It covers complex issues of federal question jurisdiction, diversity and supplemental jurisdiction, the federal common law (including the use of customary international law as federal law), the Erie Doctrine, abstention, federal law in state courts and the like. The grade will be based on an exam at the end of the term. No paper is required.</p>

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LAW 6440	Fiduciary Administration	3	Graves	<b>Prerequisite: Estates and Trusts (LAW 6430).</b> Problems and the administration of decedents' estates and of noncommercial trusts, probate procedure, powers of the fiduciary, compensation of fiduciaries and their attorneys.
LAW 6930	Finance for Lawyers	1	Willis	<b>Not open to students who have taken Legal Accounting or Accounting and Finance for Lawyers.</b> <b>ELEMENTS OF FINANCE:</b> use of a Financial Calculator, including computation of the Present and Future Value of a Sum, the Present and Future Value of an Annuity, an Amortization, a Sinking Fund, plus the proper statement of an interest rate, including its conversion from a nominal to an effective rate or an annual percentage rate or yield. The course relates Finance and Accounting to practical situations likely to arise in many areas of law, including Family, Tort, Tax, Corporate, Debtor-Creditor, Bankruptcy, Retirement Planning, Estate Planning, Trusts, and Property law.
LAW 6949	FL International Law Journal	1	Hernandez	Maximum credits allowed are three; third credit only available to editors. Maximum credits allowed for any combination of co-curricular activities (International Commercial Arbitration Moot, Jessup Moot Court Team, Trial Team, Moot Court, Florida Law Review, Florida Journal of International Law, Journal of Technology Law and Policy and Journal of Law and Public Policy) are four. Research, writing, and editorial work for the Florida Journal of International Law. Limited to students whose scholastic average meets the requirements for international law journal work. Course is graded on a Satisfactory (S), Unsatisfactory (U) basis. <b>NOTE:</b> Students who successfully complete an open writing candidacy for the Florida Journal of International Law, as certified by the faculty adviser, may register for one credit of LAW 6949 retrospectively in term of enrollment next succeeding term in which the candidacy was completed.
LAW 6286	Foreign Enrichment: Contemporary International Development: Law, Policy & Practice	1	Angelo, Ankersen	<b>TBA: Class meets first 8 weeks of the semester</b>

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LAW 6286	Foreign Enrichment: Doing Business in Europe: Selected Issues	2	Germain	<b>Classes will be held for 9 weeks, Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, 3:00-3:50 pm. January 14-Feb. 28, April 8-18. No classes will be held in March.</b> Professor Germain, Coordinator, will hold an informational session on Wednesday, January 9, 2013, at 3 pm, Room 285A, to answer questions about the course. The first class will be held on Monday, January 14 (Dr. Castellani). So you have a European client or a U.S. client doing business in Europe: how do you deal with it? This class will provide an introduction to comparative contract and tort law; international sales contracts; basic principles of electronic commerce; comparative business associations law and corporate governance; civil and commercial law; automobile insurance laws in Europe and the USA; international risk and liability insurance; and comparative personal injuries law. Overall, the class will conduct a comparative analysis of some key concepts of international commercial law, with a special focus on the common law/civil law convergence and distinctions, on the process of Europeanization of contract and business law, and with U.S. law comparisons. The visiting faculty members for this course are as follows: Dr. Luca Castellani, Head of the Regional Centre for Asia and the Pacific (RCAP) of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law (UNCITRAL), Incheon, Republic of Korea; Professor Christine Windbichler, Humboldt University, Berlin, Germany; Professor Emeritus Xavier Blanc-Jouvan, University of Paris I Sorbonne Law School, former Director of the Comparative Law Institute; Mr. Eric Noual, Esq., Attorney specializing in insurance law, Paris, France. There will be one final exam at the end of classes, based on questions selected by each instructor.
LAW 6930	Health Care Finance and Delivery	2	Boyarshinov	This course is an introduction to health care law taught by a team of professional health care attorneys. The course will cover, among other subjects: obligations to provide health care (including EMTALA); medical decision-making law; Florida medical consent law, private health insurance, and managed care; Medicare; Medicaid and SCHIP; regulation of health care providers; staff privileges and hospital-physician contracts; antitrust; and fraud and abuse laws.
LAW 6936	Human Rights and Globalization: Economic Rights	3	Hernandez	Although Human Rights and Globalization are not usually topics that are discussed at the same time, or even in the same forum, they are ideas that are inextricably intertwined. Globalization, for example, has not had a positive role in reducing the gap between the haves and the have-nots; has not resulted in good jobs for those at the margins; and has contributed to the shrinking social safety nets. Also when the topic of human rights is broached, mostly the focus is on civil and political rights, although the human rights regime includes social, economic and cultural rights as well as solidarity or group rights such as the rights to peace, democracy, a healthy environment, development and the patrimony of humankind. This class will explore the state of economic rights in the wake of globalization. Economic, social and cultural rights are a broad category of human rights guaranteed in international and regional instruments such as the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights and the Protocol of San Salvador to the Inter-American Convention on Human Rights. These rights are, along with civil and political rights, key for human flourishing. The course will engage the significance, development and desirability of these rights in human existence. Topics to be covered include the rights to and in work, housing, property, culture (including language), food and nutrition, water, education, social security. It also will explore children's rights, indigenous rights, and rights of women in and under development.

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LAW 6930	Human Side of Lawyering	2	Cohen, Keroack	The practice of law to a large extent involves working with people, and to practice law well, lawyers must be skilled not only in analyzing facts and rules but also in addressing the human side of legal practice. This course will assist you in developing relational skills and emotional intelligence competencies rooted in empirical social science research. This will help you work with people more efficiently and effectively. The course will increase your self-awareness by helping you recognize your own values, beliefs and attitudes, as such factors can both significantly impact the work you do and the satisfaction you find within it. The course will also consider relatively new legal movements and perspectives (e.g., ADR, therapeutic jurisprudence, and collaborative law) that support the humanization of the law. This is intended to be an interactive course. Along with readings, written assignments and in-class discussions, simulation exercises and student presentations may also be used as vehicles for learning.
LAW 6264	Immigration Law	3	Hudson	Current United States immigration and nationality law, its history and constitutional, statutory and policy perspectives. Topics include administration by the Department of Homeland Security; source and scope of congressional power; procedures for entry, exclusion, and deportation; refugee and asylum law; immigration process reform proposals; undocumented migration; and acquisition and loss of citizenship.
LAW 6600	Income Taxation	4	Dilley, Luke	Designed to teach the fundamentals of federal income taxation in order to prepare students, as lawyers, to recognize and appreciate income tax consequences of transactions and events they encounter in general practice of law. Students are introduced to essential legal skills of learning to read and understand the language of statutes (the Internal Revenue Code) as well as that of an administrative agency (the Internal Revenue Service) and judicial interpretations of the statutes and agency pronouncements. Students who wish to take additional courses in taxation should consider taking Income Taxation in their second year because it is a prerequisite to all of the other income tax courses.
LAW 6621	Income Taxation of Estates & Trusts	3	Calfee	Prerequisite: Income Taxation (LAW 6600). The general practitioner frequently encounters problems relating to family income tax matters and the use of custodial devices such as trusts, inter vivos or testamentary. This course addresses the income tax consequences of estates, trusts and beneficiaries with a view to minimizing drafting blunders.
LAW 6930	Intellectual Property Litigation	2	Luther	This course will analyze some of the legal, tactical and evidentiary problems unique to intellectual property litigation.

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LAW 6930	International Business Transactions	3	Zheng	This course examines the legal and business aspects of doing international business. Topics to be discussed include international sales transactions, international franchise and distribution agreements, international technology transfers, foreign direct investment, and international dispute settlement. In addition to discussing laws and regulatory regimes affecting such transactions, the course also explores business issues involved in such transactions.
LAW 6930	International Criminal Law	3	Jacobs	This course will study the development of international criminal law, and the development of the institutions where international criminal cases will be heard, such as the International Criminal Tribunals for Yugoslavia and Rwanda and the International Criminal Court. The course will focus entirely on criminal law, meaning both international law regarding serious criminal offenses, such as genocide and crimes against humanity, as well as domestic crime which has international implications.
LAW 6936	International Environmental Law	2	Powell	Global environment problems are both complex and urgent, ranging from loss of biodiversity to climate change to cross-boundary pollution, ozone depletion, and wholesale degradation of the earth's oceans, forests, and non-renewable resources. This course is a study of the response of the international community of nation states to the global environmental crisis. The difficulty in addressing the environmental crisis is magnified by the parallel need to alleviate poverty, which is as urgent on a global scale as is protection of the environment, and is joined to environmental protection by the concept of sustainable development. Our course is a study of the subset of international law that both governs the global commons—atmosphere, climate, oceans, and stratospheric ozone layer—and guides the national obligations for ensuring transnational public health, advancing sustainable development, and managing the Earth's shared resources. Solving these problems requires creative and thoughtful action from many disciplines, not least the law. Our course will study the major multilateral environmental agreements, with an emphasis on cases decided by the International Court of Justice, the World Trade Court, and the Law of the Sea Tribunal. We will analyze emerging principles of international environmental law as well as the emerging human right to a healthy environment.
LAW 6263	International Human Rights	3	Hernandez	Introduction to international protection of human rights, including theoretical and practical aspects of human rights law, focusing on international, regional and domestic law contexts. Particular attention is given to procedures that characterize human rights mechanisms for both prescribing and applying human rights precepts.
LAW 6930	Interviewing, Counseling, & Negotiation	3	Grater, Rawls, Womble	<b>Registration priority for 2L's. A pre-requisite for Civil Clinics:</b> Full-Representation, Juvenile, Pro Se, and Domestic Violence – LAW 6940. Not available to students who have taken or are taking Interviewing and Counseling (LAW 6381). An examination of theories and skills involved in interviewing and counseling clients, and basic negotiation skills. Readings, videotapes, role plays, and simulations will be used. Registration priority given to second-year students.

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LAW 6936	Introduction to French Law	2	Germain	Introduction to the French legal system from a comparative perspective, with a focus on civil law methodology and French legal institutions. Topics studied include French law sources and authorities, such as legislation, court decisions, and scholarly writings; the relationship between French law and the European Union; the French court structure in civil, criminal, and administrative law matters and its major procedural features; and the organization of the legal profession. Course will draw on case studies of current French events. Knowledge of French not necessary. Students will write a paper on a topic of interest.
LAW 6936	IP Licensing	2	Vermut	This advanced level seminar is designed to teach students the fundamental issues and concepts of drafting effective agreements for the licensing and transfer of intellectual property ownership and rights. To enroll in this course students must have taken a basic intellectual property course and either patent law or trademark law. Students that have taken a patent law course tend to better understand the cases and materials. The course will survey key issues concerning confidentiality agreements and patent, copyright and trademark licenses and assignments. The course also covers the preparation of agreements for the formation of business relationships including joint ventures, franchises, and employment. Other topics include software licensing, non-competition agreements, on-line agreements and intellectual property due diligence in business transactions. Advanced topics include antitrust, taxes and international business transactions issues. The course will consist of lectures and class discussions using a case method approach and a review of sample agreements. Students will be required to participate in class discussions. Students are required to submit a written paper addressing an intellectual property licensing topic. Student papers may be used to satisfy the College's writing requirement.
LAW 6945	Jessup Moot Court	1	Mills	Maximum credits allowed are three. Maximum credits allowed for any combination of co-curricular activities (Jessup Moot Court Team, Trial Team, Moot Court, Florida Law Review, Florida Journal of International Law, Journal of Technology Law and Policy and Journal of Law and Public Policy) are four. The University of Florida's Jessup Moot Court is the course for which members and potential members of the Jessup team are awarded credit. The team is a co-curricular, competitive arbitration organization that explores issues of public international law and international humanitarian law. The team is run by students with faculty supervision and involvement and collectively drafts competitive briefs and attends national and international competitions. The class functions as an extended tryout, with guidance from the student chair of the Jessup team and from the faculty advisors. The course is graded on a Satisfactory (S), Unsatisfactory (U) basis. NOTE: Students who successfully complete a Moot Court candidacy, as certified by the Moot Court faculty adviser, may register for one credit of LAW 6965 retrospectively in the term of enrollment next succeeding the term in which the candidacy was completed.

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LAW 6526	Journal of Law and Public Policy	1	Reid	Three maximum credits allowed (third credit only available to editors). Maximum credits allowed for any combination of co-curricular activities (Jessup Moot Court Team, Trial Team, Moot Court, Florida Law Review, Florida Journal of International Law, Journal of Technology Law and Policy and Journal of Law and Public Policy) are four. Research, writing, and editorial work for the Journal of Law and Public Policy. Students in good academic standing are eligible to apply during their third or fourth semester. The course will be graded on a Satisfactory (S), Unsatisfactory (U) basis. NOTE: Students who successfully complete an open writing candidacy for JLPP, as certified by the JLPP faculty advisor, may register for one credit of LAW 6526 retrospectively in the term of enrollment next succeeding the term in which the candidacy was completed.
LAW 6959	Journal of Technology Law and Policy	1	Lidsky	Maximum credits allowed are three; third credit only available to editors. Maximum credits allowed for any combination of co-curricular activities (Jessup Moot Court Team, Trial Team, Moot Court, Florida Law Review, Florida Journal of International Law, Journal of Technology Law and Policy and Journal of Law and Public Policy) are four. Research, writing, and editorial work for the Journal of Technology Law and Policy. Students in good academic standing are eligible to apply during their third or fourth semester. The course will be graded on a Satisfactory (S), Unsatisfactory (U) basis. NOTE: Students who successfully complete an open writing candidacy for JTLP, as certified by the JTLP faculty advisor, may register for one credit of Journal of Technology Law and Policy (LAW 6959) retrospectively in the term of enrollment next succeeding the term in which the candidacy was completed.
LAW 6930	Juvenile Justice	2	Untiedt	This course will expose students to the legal, ethical, and social issues surrounding juvenile law and practice. The course will focus on dependency law, child abuse, child neglect, youth behavior in school settings, juvenile delinquency and criminal prosecutions involving children. Through in-depth analysis of relevant case law, articles, statutes, guest speakers and student reports, the course will allow students to explore trends in juvenile law and contemplate how lawyers in various arenas can best effectuate positive change in the lives of children.
LAW 6421	Land Finance	3	Murphy	<b>Prerequisite: Property (LAW 5400).</b> A study of selected legal problems related to developing and financing the development of real property. Both the traditional mortgage arrangement and contemporary alternative financing approaches will be considered.
LAW 6555	Law & Economics	2	Harrison	Course considers the application of economic analysis to a variety of areas of law, including contracts, torts, property, criminal law and intellectual property. The appropriateness of economic analysis in these contexts is evaluated in light of behavioral and moral considerations.

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LAW 6936	Law and Literature	2	Stinneford	This course will explore the intersection between law and literature through analysis of a variety of literary and philosophical works. Readings will include works by Melville, Shakespeare, Kafka, Glaspell, Morrison, Capote, Garcia Marquez, and others. Topics will include: formalism; the paradoxes of equity; narrative, storytelling, and framing; custom, law and the political order; law, society, and power; interpretation, authority, and legitimacy; punishment, retribution, and redemption; and others. This course will provide an opportunity to think about the law in a new way, to read engaging works of fiction and non-fiction, and to examine the law from a humanistic and philosophical perspective. Students will prepare discussion questions for each week's class, and will write a long paper due at the end of the semester. Grades will be based on the quality of the final paper and of class participation.
LAW 6936	Law and Policy in the Americas	2	McLendon, Mills	This The Law & Policy in the Americas Seminar, Law 6936, is an interdisciplinary, cross-listed course taught at the law school but offering credit to both law students and graduate students from the Center for Latin American Studies. The seminar evaluates the development of legal systems in the Americas and includes a comparative analysis. Topics include constitutional and international law, trade and commercial development, alternative dispute resolution mechanism use and development, citizen security and human rights, property rights, and a review of regional judicial reform efforts focusing on efforts to improve access, efficiency and transparency in justice systems as a means to promote democratic consolidation and economic growth. Readings are theoretical and applied, and will focus on differing legal cultures, the distinguishing features of the civil and common law systems, the informal economy and access to property rights, and will utilize current periodicals to follow regional political developments and trade agreement negotiations. The Seminar will require a paper and a presentation on some subject area within the course syllabus.
LAW 6930	Law and Psychiatry	3	Johnston	This course explores the relationship of psychiatry and the law and will cover governmental efforts to deprive the "mentally disabled" of liberty or property through the criminal, civil commitment, and guardianship systems. Key goals include learning when and how mental health experts may participate in the legal process, how to utilize these experts, and how effectively to respond to them. The course will begin with an attempt to define "mental disability" as that term is used for legal purposes. It will then examine the extent to which mental health professionals are able to assist the legal system in answering the questions posed by criminal, commitment, and guardianship law. The remainder of the course will consist of looking at the nature of this law. With respect to the criminal law, we will examine the insanity, diminished capacity, automatism, and justification defenses, the guilty but mentally ill verdict, and capital and "special track" ("sexual psychopath") sentencing. Analysis of civil commitment will consider the legitimacy of police power and parens patriae confinement, and special commitment statutes governing insanity acquttees, drug and alcohol addicts, prisoners, the mentally retarded, and children. Study of guardianship law will require discussion of the "incompetency" construct, the best interests test, and the right to refuse treatment. We will also examine criminal competencies, including competency to stand trial, to confess, and to be executed. Forensic psychiatrists will be invited to participate in class discussions.

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LAW 6950	Law Review	1	Calfee	Maximum credits allowed are three; third credit only available to editors. Maximum credits allowed for any combination of co-curricular activities (Jessup Moot Court Team, Trial Team, Moot Court, Florida Law Review, Florida Journal of International Law, Journal of Technology Law and Policy and Journal of Law and Public Policy) are four. Research, writing, and editorial work for Florida Law Review. Limited to students whose scholastic average meets the requirements for law review work. The course is graded on a Satisfactory (S), Unsatisfactory (U) basis. NOTE: Students who successfully complete an open writing candidacy for Law Review, as certified by the Law Review faculty adviser, may register for one credit of LAW 6950 retrospectively in the term of enrollment next succeeding the term in which the candidacy was completed.
LAW 6936	Law, Science, and Policy	2	Nagan	This jurisprudence seminar deals with a particular and advanced approach to the study and practice of law. It draws on the pioneering jurisprudence of the New Haven School of International Law (but is not limited in scope to international law). The seminar is based on a book I have just completed entitled "Configurative Jurisprudence: the Law, Science, and Policy of Human Dignity." Central to this seminar is the idea of looking at law—its theory and methods—in a more futuristic way. The central elements are a deliberate focus and exploration of the idea of law in terms of decision and policy (as distinct from rules and principles). We explore these ideas by developing a useable way to contextualize law as a response to the problems that emerge from the give-and-take of social organization. To achieve this, we introduce you to a technique known as 'contextual mapping.' With some usable markers, we can eliminate the confusions of effectively understanding legal problems in their appropriate contexts and which problems require authoritative and controlling solutions. Apart from contextual mapping, we use this background to explore the problems of control (power) and authority in law. This permits us to provide a realistic and meaningful theory of the nature of constitutionalism and interpretation. These developments lead us to a careful analysis of the modern theories of justice and the relevance to the practice and operational methods of the law. One final distinctive aspect of the seminar is its in-depth exploration of the architecture of decision making itself. Although directly relevant to law, this has broader implications for management, leadership, and decision. There are no textbook requirements, as I shall be providing electronic excerpts from my book and other sources. You will be graded on class participation and the quality of your final research paper (25+ pages).
LAW 6955	Legal Drafting	2	Knight, Cupples, Sponis, Temple-Smith, Menendez	<b>Prerequisite: Passing grade in Appellate Advocacy (LAW 5793).</b> This required course must be taken in the second year and be completed with a passing grade. Principles and practice of drafting legal documents, including complaints and responses, contracts, and legislative and quasi-legislative documents.
LAW	Legal Research	1	Megerman, Morgan, Moore, Outler, Vallandingham	<b>TBA</b>

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LAW 6936	Legislative Drafting	2	Mills	This seminar focuses on the role and practices of legislative bodies in lawmaking. Topics addressed will include the legislative process (examining legislative rules and committees); legislative drafting and amendments; various canons and presumptions of statutory interpretation and the meaning of words in legislation; differences between constitutional and statutory drafting (including constitution-making by initiative and in the context of constitutional commissions); federalism issues and differences between the lawmaking at the state and federal levels; lobbying and the interests influencing legislation; an examination of delegation issues and the relationship of legislatures to administrative agencies; and the ability of lawmaking bodies to incorporate and respond to science and moral issues. Readings will include pieces of legislation, bills, legislative journals and floor debates, and committee reports, as well as academic articles addressing the legislative process. Part of the seminar will include role-playing exercises in the form of mock committee hearings and floor debates considering a relevant piece of legislation. The seminar will require a substantial paper about the drafting and analysis of a piece of legislation or constitutional provision.
LAW 6852	Media Law	3	Lidsky	Focuses on bodies of law regulating the gathering and dissemination of information by the media, including constitutional, statutory, and common law. Specific topics covered include defamation and privacy, liability for physical and economic harms caused by the media, copyright, subpoenas and searches, media access to information, and regulation of broadcasting. Special attention given to the problem of regulating new technologies and to adapting first amendment theory to deal with these.
LAW 6383	Mediation	3	Davis, R.	Not available to students who have taken or are taking Negotiation and Mediation (LAW 6389). An exploration of theories and skills involved in mediating. Readings, videotapes, role plays, simulations and critical observation of mediations will be used to develop these theories and skills. This is a three credit skills course that will be highly participatory, with ample opportunities for students to "learn by doing." The first part of the course will provide instruction about mediation theory, procedure, and ethics. It will include understanding conflict theory, an in depth examination of the mediation process and the role of the mediator, different types of mediation, the interplay with the court and legal system, strategies for both the mediator and attorneys representing parties in mediations, and the drafting and enforceability of agreements. The second part of the course will provide opportunities to apply the knowledge learned and practice skills to allow students to develop their abilities and improve their competence as a mediator. Role plays and simulation exercises will be utilized that are based on the substantive content of the course. Students will learn about the different types of mediations, and there may also be guest lecturers by other professionals integral to the ADR process.

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LAW 6940	Mediation Clinic	3	Davis, R.	The Mediation Clinic is a dynamic course that when satisfactorily completed will ultimately qualify students to become County Court Mediators, certified by the Florida Supreme Court. The first part of the course will be an intensive mediation training with instruction in mediation theory, skills and strategies, including short role-plays and longer simulated sessions including drafting mediation agreements. The second part of the class will be the mentorship component of the class. This will take place at the Alachua County Courthouse, where students will observe and take part in actual court ordered mediations, under the supervision of the instructor and other certified mediators. The three credit course will be evaluated on a Satisfactory(S), Unsatisfactory(U) basis. Enrollment is limited to eight students and done by application prior to advanced registration.
LAW 6930	Medical Malpractice	2	Jenkins	This course will cover a variety of medical malpractice litigation issues ranging from disclosure of adverse incidents, the balancing of patient rights with provider rights, informed consent, hospital and provider individual and corporate negligence, agency, and non-delegable duty theories of healthcare organizational liability. The course will also examine the legal basis for hospital governance, negligent credentialing, healthcare alternative dispute resolution considerations, and the principles of health care malpractice insurance.
LAW 6724	Medical Technology	3	Noah	Course considers the many ways our society manages medical technologies (primarily pharmaceuticals and medical devices), including direct federal regulation of research, development and marketing; products liability doctrines affecting manufacturing, design, and labeling; and the impacts of insurance systems and intellectual property regimes on access and innovation.
LAW 6067	Mergers & Acquisitions	3	Harmon	<b>Pre-requisite: Corporations.</b> This will be a course which will actively explore each potential phase of merger and/or acquisition transactions with reference to relevant case law, statutes and the realities of practice. Students will be required to consider all relevant legal issues, consider and analyze the terms of all relevant instruments and documents and furnish counsel to shareholders, boards of directors, experts, officers, directors and actual and potential buyers and sellers. The analysis will commence upon the inception of a transaction and proceed through the governance and regulatory issues, confidentiality agreements, the negotiation and execution of letters of intent, the conduct of due diligence, the negotiation, execution and delivery of stock purchase and/or asset purchase agreements and agreements relating to merger transactions, the preparation of closing documents, the addressing of closing and post closing issues and documentation while considering specific legal and practical scenarios. To the fullest extent possible, and consistent with other requirements, student participation will be solicited and required and will be amply considered in the determination of the final grade.

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LAW 6951	Moot Court	1	Wihnyk/Pflaum	Maximum credits allowed are three. Maximum credits allowed for any combination of co-curricular activities (Jessup Moot Court Team, Trial Team, Moot Court, Florida Law Review, Florida Journal of International Law, Journal of Technology Law and Policy and Journal of Law and Public Policy) are four. Advanced training in appellate practice, including both the briefing and argument of cases on appeal through participation in appellate moot court proceedings. The course is graded on a Satisfactory (S), Unsatisfactory (U) basis. NOTE: Students who successfully complete a Moot Court candidacy, as certified by the Moot Court faculty adviser, may register for one credit of LAW 6951 retrospectively in the term of enrollment next succeeding the term in which the candidacy was completed.
LAW 6930	National Security Law	3	Nagan	The course provides an introduction to the legal aspect of the management of national security. The course seeks to clarify the national and global implications as well as the goals of a rational security system. It introduces the student to traditional approaches to war prevention. It then proceeds to provide an introduction to the international law of conflict management, focusing on the international methods designed to manage armed conflict. The course also introduces the student to the relevant textual provisions of the UN Charter and related international documentation. The course explores the circumstances under which it is lawful to use force in international relations and explores the definition of aggression. The course explores illustrative examples of armed conflict including the wars in Indo-China, Central America, Grenada, and the Gulf War. The course also explores the problems of UN peacekeeping and peace enforcement, in a multitude of different contexts with a specific focus on Yugoslavia and the war in Iraq. The course also focuses on the problems of human rights in the conduct of war. It introduces the student to the humanitarian law of The Hague in Geneva. The course also touches on the problems of war crimes with a specific focus on the Nuremburg principles and the development of international criminal law in this regards. The course also touches on the problems on the control and regulation of international terrorism, national security and American Security doctrine, Strategic Arms Reduction and Nuclear Weapons and the course introduces the student to the problems of international piracy. The course concludes with an exploration of the national institution framework for the division of the nation's security powers between Congress and the President. Attention is drawn to such issues as the war powers resolution, access to information and classifications, intelligence and counter-intelligence, fundamentals of homeland security and environmental and national security issues. The course will be evaluated by a single take-home exam.
LAW 6385	Negotiation	3	Cohen	Not available to students who have taken or are taking Negotiation and Mediation (LAW 6389). Using simulations and role plays, this course explores negotiation skills lawyers employ in both transactional and dispute resolution contexts.

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LAW 6930	Negotiation and Mediation	3	Womble	Not available to students who have taken or are taking Negotiation (LAW 6385), Mediation (LAW 6383) or Mediation Advocacy. A study of theories and skills involved in negotiation, mediation, and other dispute resolution processes. Student performances in role plays and simulations will be a primary means of instruction. This 3-credit, simulation-based course surveys important theories of effective action, implementing behaviors, and ethical challenges of negotiating and mediating competently as a lawyer. The course emphasizes learning by doing and is designed so that students participate in 8 one hour exercises as lead negotiator, 2 exercises as a mediator, and one as a client participating with their lawyer in a bargaining session. Most other classes involve shorter role plays. This course is graded traditionally. Assessment is based on observed performances, short papers analyzing simulation experiences, and a longer, end of the term written assignment.
LAW 6616	Partnership Tax	3	McMahon	<b>Prerequisite: Income Taxation (LAW 6600).</b> A general practitioner is likely to encounter many business enterprises (including law firms) engaging in business in the form of a partnership. This course addresses taxation of partnerships and tax consequences of partnership formation or termination, distributions of money or property to partners, and consequences of sale or exchange of a partnership interest or of the death of a partner.
LAW 6936	Patent Drafting and Prosecution II	2	Saliwanchik, Lloyd	<b>Pre-requisites: Patent Drafting and Prosecution I, having already passed the Patent Bar Exam, or having some clerking experience drafting patent applications and claims.</b> The focus of this seminar is two-fold: first, to place significant emphasis on improving the student's claim drafting skills through extensive in-class exercises; and second, to introduce the student to common activities in the routine practice of a patent attorney beyond application drafting, such as effecting foreign filing of patent applications, licensing of patents and applications, and performing searches and providing written opinions.
LAW 6020	Payment Systems	3	Davis	The study of the laws and regulations governing checks and notes, the collection of checks in the banking system, electronic funds transfers, credit and debit cards, and other evolving payment systems.
LAW 6812	Poverty Law	3	Flocks	The purpose of this class is to provide an overview of how poverty and the law intersect in our society and enhance students' ability to address legal problems of the poor. Topics will begin as broad, theoretical, and introductory and include an examination of how US and international societies view and address poverty, how poverty interacts with race and gender, how poor people access the legal system, and how poverty law intersects with constitutional law. The class will then focus on more specific areas of poverty law such as consumer, housing, and public benefits.
LAW 6930	Pre Trial Practice	3	Zedalis, Schwait	Graded Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory/ Satisfactory. Prerequisite: Evidence (LAW 6330) Course offers advanced, in-depth study of courtroom litigation at all stages and skills necessary for persuasive trial advocacy. Includes lecture/discussion as well as simulated case proceedings and critical evaluation. In addition to continued work in courtroom advocacy, areas of emphasis will include fact and theme development through the discovery process, pretrial motions, voir dire, trial evidence and record preservation.

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LAW 5400	Property	4	Flournoy/Klein, Wright	The acquisition and possession of real and personal property; estates in land; introduction to future interests; landlord and tenant; survey of modern land transactions and methods of title assurance; easements; and licenses, covenants, and rights incident to land ownership.
LAW 6118	Prosecutorial Ethics	2	Dekle	This course is intended to dispel common misperceptions of the role of the prosecutor. It aims at bringing the students to understand how the prosecutor's role as a minister of justice rather than an advocate for a client places unique obligations on prosecutors and how the practitioner can ethically reconcile the adversarial role as an advocate with the non-adversarial roles as a minister of Justice.
LAW 6702	Products Liability	2	Noah	An advanced torts offering that focuses on the special rules applicable to sellers and other distributors of consumer goods and similar items, covering defects in manufacturing, design, and labeling--whether framed in terms of negligence, strict liability, or breach of warranty--as well as collateral issues such as product misuse, subsequent modification, and federal preemption.
LAW 6930	Public Speaking for Lawyers	2	Wihnyk	This course will help students develop the skills relied upon by lawyers when engaged in public speaking situations other than in litigation. These include appearing before governmental bodies, speaking to lay groups, and presenting to colleagues, clients, potential employers, and media. Students will examine communication theories, strategies and techniques needed for effective public speaking. The primary means of instruction will require students to prepare, present and evaluate several speeches.
LAW 6936	Race & the Law	3	Russell-Brown	<b>TBA</b>
LAW 6320	Remedies	3	Nance	This course provides students with an introduction to the law of remedies. It emphasizes the important interrelationship between rights and remedies and the remedial consequences of framing a cause of action. Effective litigators need to understand the types of remedies that are available to their clients and how to seek them. It considers five primary topics: injunctions, damages, restitution, declaratory judgments, and contempt. While within those primary topics we discuss practical concepts such as constructive trusts, equitable liens, attorneys' fees, and pre-judgment interest, we also explore foundational principles that underpin our legal system such as equity, the role of the courts, and the entitlement and measurement of relief.

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LAW 6010	Sales	2	Dawson	The law applicable to the sale of goods, including bulk transfers, with emphasis on the legal devices utilized in the distribution of such property.
LAW 6560	Securities Regulation	3	Cohn	<b>Prerequisite: Corporations (LAW 6063).</b> Examination of controls and exemptions relating to the sale and distribution of securities by corporations, underwriters and others, including scope of the securities laws, registration provisions, distribution and resale of restricted securities, express and implied civil liabilities, secondary distributions and tender offers. Issues will be analyzed in context of amended 1933/1934 federal statutes, and state Blue Sky laws.
LAW 6936	Supreme Court Workshop	2	Collier	In this seminar the current docket of the U.S. Supreme Court is our topic. Each student will select a current U.S. Supreme Court case on which to concentrate. The cases selected are discussed by the whole class, and teams of two students prepare for oral arguments on the selected cases at the end of the term. Requirements also include a seminar paper having something to do with the case selected by the student; this paper will satisfy the advanced writing requirement.
LAW	Tax Moot Court	1	Willis	Credit: 1 per semester. Maximum credits allowed are three. Maximum credits allowed for any combination of co-curricular activities (Jessup Moot Court Team, Trail Team, Moot Court, Florida Law Review, Florida Journal of International Law, Journal of Technology Law and Policy, Journal of Law and Public Policy, and Tax Moot Court) are four. Advanced training in appellate practice, negotiation, mediation, and arbitration, including both the briefing and argument of cases on appeal through participatino in appellate moot corut proceedings and moot negotiations, mediations, and arbitration. Members also receive training in tax return preparation and become certified volunteers preparers for Volunteers in Tax Assistance. The course is graded on a Satisfactory (S), Unsatisfactory (U) basis. NOTE: Students who successfully complete a Tax Moot Court candidacy, as certified by the Moot Court faculty adviser, may register for one credit of the course retroactively in the term of enrollment next succeeding the term in which the candidacy was completed.
LAW 6936	The Tax Reform Puzzle: Politics, Policies, Preferences, and Proposals	2	Jameson	<b>TBA</b>

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LAW 6620	Taxation of Gratuitous Transfers	3	McCouch	<b>Prereqs: Estates and Trusts (LAW 6430) and Income Taxation (LAW 6600).</b> In addition to the income tax, taxes are imposed upon the transfer of money or other property by gift, at death, and by certain "generation skipping transfers." This course explores each of these categories of taxes on gratuitous transfers of wealth, their interrelationships with each other, and their role in estate planning.
LAW 6930	Tools of Awareness for Lawyering	3	Riskin	The goal of this course is to help students develop certain knowledge, perspectives and skills that will enable them to provide better service to their clients and gain more satisfaction in professional practice, principally negotiation. In particular, the skills developed will provide students the ability to deal better with stress and with emotions and to be calm and clear-minded in situations that typically induce anxiety and confusion. (Another way to say this is that we are seeking to develop Emotional Intelligence.) The course will employ two principal themes or tracks, which we will frequently bring together. Track 1 is negotiation knowledge and skills. Track 2 is awareness tools/skills, which will include Mindfulness (taught primarily through meditation practice) and Chi Kung (Qi Gong) an ancient energy art. Course work will include reading; demonstrations; heavy use of experiential exercises in mindfulness meditation, negotiation, and Chi Kung; journals; and a book review. Grades are based primarily on the book review and an objective examination.
LAW 6576	Trademark Law	3	Rowe	Covers trademark law, with some coverage of broader unfair competition and false advertising issues. It is a combination common law/statutory class, and will provide experience in interpreting statutory language against a common law background. Specific trademark issues include nature of trademark rights, violations of trademark rights, defenses, remedies and selected procedural issues that arise in trademark cases. The prosecution of trademark applications is not covered in any detail, but the statutory requirements and benefits of registration are covered.
Law 6042	Trade Secret	3	Rowe	This course addresses the law and theory applicable to the protection of confidential and proprietary business information ranging from formulas to customer lists. It includes coverage of trade secret protection and misappropriation in the employment context, such as issues regarding confidentiality and non-competition agreements, and the inevitable disclosure doctrine. Litigation strategies in trade secret misappropriation cases, as well as procedures and requirements for preserving trade secret protection are also covered. Finally, the course touches on relevant comparisons between trade secret law and other forms of intellectual property protection, such as patent law.
LAW 6361	Trial Advocacy	3	Mickle	<b>Prerequisite: Evidence (LAW 6330).</b> Not available to students who have taken Trial Practice (LAW 6363). Registration preference given to sixth-semester students. A study of the trial process, including the law relating to trials, trial tactics and trial techniques. This course will be graded Satisfactory (S), Unsatisfactory (U).

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LAW 6363	Trial Practice	4	Zedalis	<b>Prerequisite or concurrent: Evidence (LAW 6330).</b> Not available to students who have taken Trial Advocacy (LAW 6361). <b>MANDATORY TRIAL DATES: Friday/Saturday, March 22/23 and April 5/6.</b> A study of the trial process, including law relating to trials, trial tactics, and trial techniques. The first half consists of classroom work and a weekly three-hour laboratory, involving role-playing and critical evaluation. The second half consists of simulated trials and critical evaluation. Credit will be awarded on a Satisfactory (S), Unsatisfactory (U) basis.
LAW 6366	Trial Team	1	Zedalis	Students selected to participate in an inter-school competition are eligible for two credits in the semester in which the inter-school competition occurs. In all other circumstances, credit will be limited to one credit per semester. Maximum credits allowed are three. Maximum credits allowed for any combination of co-curricular activities (International Commercial Arbitration Moot, Jessup Moot Court Team, Trial Team, Moot Court, Florida Law Review, Florida Journal of International Law, Journal of Technology Law and Policy and Journal of Law and Public Policy) are four. Advanced training in trial practice, including the briefing and presentation of cases in the context of mock trial competitions. The course will be graded Satisfactory (S), Unsatisfactory (U).
LAW 6930	Unincorporated Business Enterprises	3	Cohn	A consideration of the various forms of doing business, especially for unincorporated associations. Emphasis is placed upon agency and partnership, with consideration given to other forms of businesses, such as non-profit corporations, professional associations and limited liability companies.
LAW 6930	Water Law	3	Klein	A study of the two major common law systems of surface water allocation followed in the United States (riparianism and prior appropriation) and of modern statutory systems (with special focus on Florida's statutory scheme). Other topics may include groundwater regulation, the public trust doctrine, the bottled water industry, and current issues in Florida (Everglades restoration, north-to-south water transfers, and allocating the waters of rivers shared with Alabama and Georgia).

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LAW 6930	Wetlands and Watersheds	3	Hamann	<b>Prerequisite: Natural Resources Law.</b> This course will focus on the implementation of policies for the protection and restoration of wetlands and related resources under the public trust doctrine, the Florida Water Resources Act, the Clean Water Act and related federal legislation. Students will learn the legal basis for regulation under these authorities and will gain practical experience working in interdisciplinary teams to determine water boundaries, delineate the landward extent of regulated waters, assess development impacts and evaluate mitigation plans. Additionally, There will be a two hour class each week that will consist of lectures and discussion of a specific topic related to the overall goals of the course and intended to prepare the students for a subsequent field experience. Five full day field trips that will be scheduled on Fridays are integral parts of the course.