

Master Syllabus

LAW 1101 - Business Law

Division: Business and Public Services

Department: Law

Credit Hour Total: 3.0

Lecture Hrs: 3.0

Date Revised: June 2014

Course Description:

The American legal system as it relates to business transactions, including the judicial system and sources of law, legal procedures, torts, business ethics and social responsibility, contracts, property, employment law, agency, partnerships and corporations.

General Education Outcomes:

- Information Literacy
- Values/Citizenship/Community
- Critical Thinking/Problem Solving

Course Outcomes:

Contract Requirements & Remedies

Identify and analyze contract requirements and remedies, including e-contracts and intellectual property rights.

Assessment Method: Locally developed exams

Performance Criteria: Students must attain a minimum of 70% on exams.

Assessment Method: Simulations

Performance Criteria: Students must timely complete all assignments, meeting stated written and oral requirements at a performance rate of 70% or higher.

Ethical Business Operation in the American Legal System

Describe how businesses operate in an ethical and socially responsible manner within the American legal system and regulatory environment.

Assessment Method: Locally developed exams

Performance Criteria: Students must attain a minimum of 70% on exams.

Assessment Method: Simulations

Performance Criteria: Students must timely complete all assignments, meeting stated written and oral requirements at a performance rate of 70% or higher.

Property and Torts Laws in the Business Environment

Describe real and personal property laws, and various tort laws, and how those can affect the operation of a business.

Assessment Method: Locally developed exams

Performance Criteria: Students must attain a minimum of 70% on exams.

Assessment Method: Simulations

Performance Criteria: Students must timely complete all assignments, meeting stated written and oral requirements at a performance rate of 70% or higher.

Outline:

Business Ethics and White Collar Crime
Constitutional Law
Tort Law
Real and Intellectual Property
Contract Law
Consumer Law
Agency and Employment Law
Partnerships and Corporations