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TEXT:


COURSE REQUIREMENTS:

Reading of preassigned text from the course Business Law, Fifteenth Edition.

GRADING:

Mid-term, consisting of true/false, multiple choice and essay - 30% of final grade.
Final, consisting of true/false, multiple choice and essay - 70% of final grade.

No class paper or interim project.

CLASS OBJECTIVES:

1. The review of the terms of contracts and negotiable instruments.
2. Formation of contracts.
3. The rights of the parties involved.
4. The effects of fraud, duress, illegality and undue influence.
5. Remedies available for breach of the Articles of the Uniform Commercial Code.
6. The law of drafts.

8. Warehouse receipts and bills of lading as related to purchasers and sellers under the Uniform Commercial Code.

COURSE FORMAT:

This course will be conducted primarily in a lecture format. Use of BlackBoard will be utilized in this Class.

The student shall be required to complete all examinations and required reading by the schedule of classes.

In addition, each class may have a question and problem solving portion.

Resource reading shall include Business Law, Fifteenth Edition, and the associated text thereto, including the questions and problems section of Business Law, Fifteenth Edition. Additional reading materials that will be assigned will be provided prior to class settings.

During the 1st class session the class will decide on whether the final examination will be an in class final or a take home final. In order for there to be a take home final, the class must agree on the take home final option unanimously.

This class meets in Seigle Hall, Room L003.

COURSE SCHEDULE:

January 14, 2014 - First Night of Classes

No preparation is required for the first day of classes. However, if the student elects to get a jump on the semester, I suggest they read sections 9 & 10 prior to the first night of classes.

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March 4, 2014 MID-TERM EXAM (30%)

March 11, 2014 SPRING BREAK - NO CLASS THIS EVENING

March 18, 2014 Sections 23 & 24 Pages 429-471
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April 22, 2014 Miscellaneous review - Course materials, Examination procedures
April 29, 2014 DELIVER FINAL EXAMINATION (70%)

May 6, 2014 MUST BE TURNED INTO DAVID G. WALTRIP AT HIS OFFICES NOT LATER THAN 5:00 P.M. May 6, 2014.