COURSE NAME: Constitutional Law II

COURSE NUMBER: Law 632

PROFESSOR: Picker

ESSENTIAL PREREQUISITES: None

DESIRABLE PREREQUISITES: None

COURSE BOOKS: TBA

METHOD OF GRADING & APPRAISAL OF STUDENT FOR GRADE: Final Exam, periodic quizzes, and I reserve the right to increase or reduce students’ grades based on very good or very bad in-class performance.

SUMMARY DESCRIPTION OF COURSE: This is a course covering separation of powers; federalism; and congressional, legislative and executive competences. There will also be specific consideration of the commerce clause, including the dormant commerce clause. The course will consider constitutional law from the philosophical, political, and jurisprudential perspectives.

RELEVANCY OF COURSE FOR CAREER PURPOSES: Impossible to practice law in the United States without an understanding of the constitution as it relates to federal and state powers.