

UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI-KANSAS CITY SCHOOL OF LAW - SCHEDULE OF COURSES SPRING SEMESTER 2010

The following spring 2010 schedule is up to date as of **Friday, November 20, 2009, 10:30 p.m.** Please check with the School to see if the schedule has been further revised. Persons who reside outside of the Kansas City metropolitan area may do so by posting an email message to: bermanj@umkc.edu and/or peguesc@umkc.edu. The schedule appears on the School's website at: www1.law.umkc.edu/academic/courses.htm. Click on spring 2010 Course Schedule. Revisions will appear in **red**.

Legend: B	Bloch School of Business & Public Administration Classroom
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Spring Semester 2010 School of Law Academic Calendar	
Coursework Begins	January 7 th
Martin Luther King Birthday Observance	January 18 th (No School)
Last Day to File for May 2010 Graduation	February 5, 2010
<i>First Mini-Term</i>	<i>Monday-Friday February 15-19 (No classes except First Mini-Term classes)</i>
<i>Spring Break and Second Mini-Term</i>	<i>Monday-Friday March 29-April 2 (No classes except Second Mini-Term classes)</i>
Coursework Resumes	April 5
Last Day of Classes	April 22
Examinations Begin	April 26
Examinations End	May 7
Commencement & Graduation Events	May 7 & 8

FIRST YEAR REQUIRED COURSES								
NOTES	CLASS #	CATALOG#	TITLE	UNITS	TIMES	DAYS	ROOM	PROFESSOR
	10615	8502A	Contracts II	3	9:00-9:50	MWF	05	Ferguson
	10616	8502B	Contracts II	3	2:05-3:20	TR	05	Downs
	10617	8502C	Contracts II	3	10:00-10:50	MWF	04	Abdel-khalik
	10618	8521A	Civil Proc I	3	2:00-2:50	MWF	03	TBA
	10619	8521B	Civil Proc I	3	1:00-1:50	MWF	03	Berman

REQUIRED COURSES AFTER THE FIRST YEAR

NOTES	CLASS#	CATALOG#	TITLE	UNITS	TIMES	DAYS	ROOM	PROFESSOR
AdvT	17339	8513	Defamation, Privacy & Emotional Torts	3	10:00-11:15	TR	04	Levit
	10634	8621A	Evidence	3	10:00-10:50	MWF	05	Eckhardt
	10635	8621B	Evidence	3	10:00-10:50	MWF	03	Thompson
	10640	8635	Criminal Proc. I	3	11:00-11:50	MWF	03	O'Brien
UCC	10662	8720	Secured Transactions	3	8:00-9:15	TR	05	Hoffmann
UCC	10663	8721	Commercial Transactions	3	2:00-3:15	MW	05	Abdel-khalik
PR	10665	8731	Professional Responsibility	2	1:00-1:50	MWF	03	Glesner Fines
AdvT 50% PSC	17347	8761M	Law, Medicine & Bioethics	2	12:40-1:30	TR	2-200B	Carbone
AdvT	106447	8815	Products Liability	3	11:00-11:50	MWF	04	Rostron

UPPER LEVEL ELECTIVE COURSES

NOTES	CLASS#	COURSE	TITLE	UNITS	TIMES	DAYS	ROOM	PROFESSOR
	10789	8532I	Introduction to American Legal Skills	2	3:30-5:20	T	03	TBA
	10630	8603	Tax of Business Organizations	3	8:30-9:45	MW	2-101	Hoyt
	10631	8611	Estates & Trusts	3	10:00- 11:15	TR	03	Cheslik
EPD/ 75% PSC	10632	8614	Estate Planning & Drafting	4	9:20- 11:10	TR	1-300B	Hanna

*50% PSC	10666	8734	Mediation	2	2:05-3:55	T	1-300B	Kisthardt
J	10780	8738P	Immigration Law & Policy	2	3:30-5:20	W	2-101	Kobach
*	10667	8740M	Missouri Civil Procedure	3	10:00-10:50	MWF	2-101	Achtenberg
J	17345	8743	Global Legal Systems	3	10:00-11:15	TR	2-300B	Picker
LR	10668	8745	Law Review	1-2	Arranged			Levit
LRB /25%PS C	10669	8745R	Law Review Board	1-5	Arranged			Levit
R&W		8746	Legal Research	2	See Notes			Faculty
I		8746R	Independent Study	0.5-3	See Notes			Faculty
AA/100 % PSC	10738	8748	Appellate Advocacy III	2	2:00-3:30	F	2-200B	Abdel-khalik/ Suni
UL	10739	8750	Urban Lawyer	1	Arranged			Cheslik
ULB/25 % PSC	10740	8750B	Urban Lawyer Board	1-5	Arranged			Cheslik
FV/25% PSC	10781	8751S	Seminar in Family Violence	2-3	4:00-5:50	T	2-200A	Weir
P/100% PSC	10741	8752G	Guardian ad Litem Workshop	1-2	Arranged			O'Malley
*CFSC /100% PSC	10742	8752S	Child & Family Services Clinic	3	4:00-5:50	R	1-300B	O'Malley

Sc	17415	8753L	Transnational Litigation & Arbitration	2	12:40-1:30	TR	2-300B	Picker
*/50%PSC	16444	8757	Business Planning	3	2:05-3:20	TR	02	Luppino
EL/25%PSC	10743	8757L	Special Topics in Entrepreneurial Lawyering	1	2:00-5:30	F	2-101	Achtenberg / Callister / Glesner Fines / Luppino / Suni / Thomas
Ent/P*/100%PSC	10745	8757R	Entrepreneurial Law and Practice Clinic	2	Arranged	TBA	TBA	Sharp
	10746	8758S	Securities Regulation	3	12:40-1:55	TR	02	Woolery
	10747	8764	Administrative Law	3	1:00-1:50	MWF	02	Eckhardt
	10748	8765	Federal Jurisdiction	3	2:05-3:20	TR	2-101	Wolfe
DLC/100%PSC	10750	8768R	Department of Labor Clinic	3	Arranged			Berger
P/100%PSC	10751	8773R	Environmental Law Clinic	2	Arranged			Eckhardt
P/25%PSC	10752	8778	Workshop in Family Law	2	Selection			Kisthardt
P/100%PSC	10754	8790	Legal Aid Clinic	2-3	Arranged			Glesner Fines
J	16445	8796	Law & Economics	3	4:00-5:15	MW	02	Black, B
	17348	8798	Copyright Law	3	2:00-3:15	MW	2-200B	Holman

LL.M.		8800	Thesis	1-8	See notes			
	17504	8808L	Intellectual Property Licensing	2	4:00-5:00	W	04	Stroder
	10765	8814R	Employment Law	2	1:00-1:50	MW	2-300B	Berger
	16448	8822	Post Conviction Remedies	3	8:30-9:45	TR	2-300B	O'Brien
J	16449	8826	Seminar in Constitutional Interpretation	2	3:30-5:20	R	2-200B	Atkinson
TC/ 100% PSC	10766	8834R	Tax Clinic	2	Arranged	Arranged		Schuler
50% PSC	10767	8837	Negotiating Mergers and Acquisitions	3	9:25-11:15	TR	2-101	Downs
First	10768	8838L	Legal Accounting	1	10:00-10:50	MW	2-200B	Wiseman
	17349	8843	Federal Income Taxation of Estates & Trusts	2	8:00-9:50	T	2-200B	Conley
	17350	8845	Deferred Compensation (IRAs and 401(k)s, etc.)	2	8:00-9:50	F	02	Hoyt
	10770	8858	Consumer Protection	3	12:40-1:55	TR	04	Popper
	17351	8861	Real Estate Finance	3	2:30-3:45	MW	B114	Randolph
T/25% PSC	10772	8868	Trusts, Planning, Drafting, Administering & Litigating	3	11:00-11:50	MWF	2-300B	Hanna
100% PSC	16451	8873	Real Estate Transactions Planning Workshop	2	3:30-5:20	T	2-200B	O'Flaherty

BCC/10 0% PSC	10773	8877	Bankruptcy Court Clerkship	2	Arranged			Ferguson
	10782	8882	Patent Law	3	9:00-9:50	MWF	04	Holman
PP	17352	8882R	Patent Prosecution	2	4:00-5:50	T	1-309 Hughes Suite Conference Room	Dickey Lewis
J	16637	8885	Seminar in Philosophy & Law	2	2:30-4:20	R	2-300B	Bubacz
	17353	8890B	Sports Law : Professional Sports	2	1:00-1:50	MW	2-200B	Ferguson
	16454	8893R	Taxation of Property Transactions	2	8:00-9:50	R	2-200B	Wiseman
P/ 25% PSC	10783	8897	Seminar in Legal Education	1	TBA	TBA	TBA	Weddle
	10777	8898	Construction Law	2	3:30-5:20	R	03	DeBauche

EVENING COURSES: Classes that Begin 4:30 p.m. and *after.*

NOTES	CLASS#	CATALOG#	TITLE	UNITS	TIMES	DAYS	ROOM	PROFESSOR
	17354	EDU 5515	Education Law: Government & Legal Aspects of Education (K-12)	3	4:30-7:15	W	1-300B	Weddle
Second	10633	8617R	Elder Law For Estate Planning	1	6:40-8:30	R	1-300B	Reaves
TA/ 100% PSC	10649	8700	Trial Adv I Sec 1	2	6:00-6:50	M	2-300B	Thompson
					6:00-7:00	R	Courtroom	Wirken
TA/ 100% PSC	10650	8700	Trial Adv I Sec 2	2	6:00-6:50	M	Courtroom	Davis/Foster
					6:00-7:00	R	Courtroom	Wirken

NOTES	
*	Limited enrollment
AA	By invitation only. If a more convenient day/time can be found to hold the class, the class meeting will be changed to that day/time.
AFCP	Prerequisites: Evidence & Criminal Procedure I. The course meets at the United States District Court for the Western District of Missouri, 400 E. Ninth Street. Kansas City, MO.
AG	Provide a statement of interest and resume to Professor Eckhardt. The Attorney General's Office will interview and select candidates for selection into the program. Externs will also meet with Professor Eckhardt who will review written work prepared by the student and discuss externship experiences.
ALW	Students may not take both Advanced Legal Writing: Practical Skills and Advanced Legal Writing: Litigation Drafting either in the same year or in different years due to overlap of coverage.
AdvT	Meets the School's Advanced Torts graduation requirement.
BCC	Enrollment in the Bankruptcy Court Clerkship Program is limited to students who have completed both Secured Transactions and Debtors & Creditors' Rights. Permission to enroll is needed from the instructor. Submit resume and letter of interest to Professor Ferguson as soon as possible. Permission should be initialed by the professor on the course enrollment form or drop/add form.
CFSC	Permission of instructor is needed to enroll. Provide statement of interest and resume to Professor O'Malley. Permission should be initialed by the professor on the course enrollment form or drop/add form. Family law is not a prerequisite for the Child & Family Services Clinic.
CROSS	This is a cross listed course with the School of Education. It counts as a law school residence course.
DLC	Permission of Professor Berger is required to enroll. Submit resume and statement of interest to Professor Berger as soon as possible. You may not enroll without such permission. Permission should be initialed by the professor on the course enrollment form or drop/add form
DPC	Permission of instructor is needed to enroll. Provide statement of interest to Professor O'Brien. Permission should be initialed by Professor O'Brien on the course enrollment form or drop/add form.
EL	Students enrolled in this course must attend at least 4 of 6 workshops offered during this academic year on the following dates: October 16 and November 13 in the fall Semester and January 22, February 12, March 12, and April 16 in the upcoming spring Semester. The titles/subjects for each workshop session are shown in the upcoming programs section of the Law School's CLE website. In addition to attending the workshop sessions, students must complete all coursework assigned for at least 4 sessions attended to receive credit for the course (this includes pre-class reading where assigned and timely completion of post-Workshop short writing assignments, typically due approximately two to three weeks after the corresponding Workshop). Students may attend all sessions. Students may enroll in this course even if they have taken or plan to take Law 8638R, Solo & Small Firm Practice (a 2-credit hour summer course), since the coverage's are complementary. It is a "credit/no credit" course.
E&NVC	Law student enrollment will require permission of Professor Luppino. Permission should be initialed by Professor Luppino on the course enrollment form or drop/add form Preference will generally be given to (1) law students who have taken Business Planning (Law #8757) or show other credentials involving business planning experience or work with technology commercialization and (2) students pursuing the JD/M.B.A. joint degree (though the latter is <u>not</u> a prerequisite).
Ent	Entrepreneurial Law and Practice Clinic. Only a limited number of students will be accepted. Please see Elizabeth Johnson, secretary to Professors Luppino and Sharp for a form expressing interest in enrolling in the clinic.
EPD	Estates & Trusts is a prerequisite.
FamCC	Clerkship with Judge of Family Court. Permission of faculty member is needed to enroll. Provide statement of interest and resume to Dean Glesner Fines. Permission should be initialed by the professor on the course enrollment form or drop/add form.

FCI	Internship with a judge or magistrate of the U.S. District Court or the Court of Appeals. Limited to 2L or 3L students with at least a 3.0 GPA. Submit <u>three clean copies</u> of a statement of interest, resume and transcript to Adela Fleming by November 2. Students will be contacted by the judges for interviews and selection. Selected students must also meet with Professor Achtenberg during the clinic semester, the faculty supervisor of the clinic. Please see Professor Achtenberg for more detail regarding when sessions will be held, etc. Students should indicate whether they would be willing to enroll in the subsequent semester if a position in the upcoming semester is not available.
First	Legal Accounting meets for the first half of the semester only. The last class is March 8th.
FLP	Although enrollment in the spring semester is reserved for students who enrolled in the fall semester, the two semester clinic requirement may be waived by the professor.
FPD	Students must meet eligibility requirements and be certified in compliance with Local Federal Rules of Court. Basically this requires being in good standing and having completed three semesters of course work. Although Dean Berman supervises the clinic, Professor Eckhardt coordinates student selection. Permission of Professor Eckhardt is, therefore, required to enroll. Permission should be initialed by Professor Eckhardt on the course enrollment form or drop/add form
FV	Students may enroll in two or three credit hours. With a three-credit hour option the student may use the course paper for their R&W requirement or may arrange a one-credit hour internship. Permission of the instructor is required to enroll for three credit hours.
I	Independent study, including writing projects under faculty supervision. Do not use this course for meeting the R&W requirement; use 8746 instead. See R&W note.
Intro	All first year students will enroll under one registration number for a three-hour course. Actual sections will be assigned later in the semester by the director of the program, Professor Wanda Temm. After the assignments, students will be placed in the sections assigned administratively and a refund will be provided to students assigned to a two credit hour Intro II course. Any student needing a specific day/time section should inform Professor Temm of the need so that she can take that into account in making the assignment.
J	The course satisfies the jurisprudential requirement.
JCPC	This is a 2 semester clinic. Only students enrolled in the fall offering may enroll
LLM	Generally, only LL.M. (Tax), (General with Estate Planning Concentration) or combined JD/LL.M. students may enroll. Others may enroll with the permission of Professor Wiseman/Luppino. Permission should be initialed by the professor on the course enrollment form or drop/add form.
LR&LRB	Law Review members must take at least one credit hour of Law Review in each semester. Third year Law Review members (Board members or third year staff) may distribute the remaining hours (after the one in each semester) between the Fall and Winter semesters in any manner they deem fit. All Editorial Board members must sign up for 745R (Law Review Board). All Board members writing a Comment receive 5 hours of credit, except for the Business Editor, who receives 4 hours. The Editor in Chief and Managing Editors are the only Board members who may choose not to write a Comment. If they write a Comment, they receive 5 hours of credit; if not, they receive 4 hours of credit. All staff members must sign up for 745 (Law Review). All non-Board 3L Law Review members receive 3 hours of credit. All 2L staff members receive 2 hours of credit. Regardless of when a student signs up for credit, the faculty advisor will not sign-off until the successful completion of an entire year of Law Review.
NLRB	Permission of Professor Berger is required to enroll. Submit resume and statement of interest to Professor Berger as soon as possible. You may not enroll without such permission. Permission should be initialed by the professor on the course enrollment form or drop/add form
P	Permission of the professor is required to enroll. Permission should be initialed by the professor on the course enrollment form or drop/add form.
PDT	Must be Missouri Supreme Court Rule 13 eligible For definition of Rule 13 eligibility, please see Carol Pegues in the administrative suite.
PP	Patent Law is a pre or co-requisite.
PR	The class will not meet in the week before the MPRE (which will likely be either March 6 or 13, but has not yet been set by the National Conference of Bar Examiners) and on some selected Fridays during the semester. A more complete schedule of those particular dates will be provided with the syllabus. The total contact hours for the class will be the number required for a two credit course.

PSC	All students as a condition of graduation are required to successfully complete a substantial professional skills certification. One way in which the requirement may be met is by successfully completing one or more courses designated as meeting all or a portion of the requirement. Each semester the schedule of courses indicates the courses designated as meeting all or a portion of the professional skills education requirement. If a course meets it totally it is listed as 100% PSC; if it meets $\frac{3}{4}$ of the requirement, as 75% PSC; if $\frac{1}{2}$, as 50%; if $\frac{1}{4}$, as 25% PSC. Accordingly, the requirement may be met by taking two courses designated as 50% PSC courses; or four courses designated as 25% PSC courses.
R	Course is limited to students in the third-year of law study. Permission of the instructor is required to waive this prerequisite.
R&W	Please see the R&W standards & criteria posted on the web in the course registration information (at http://www1.law.umkc.edu/academic/fall09/registrationin.htm) to understand how the R&W may be met and to see if you need to enroll in Law 746 in regard to satisfying the R&W requirement. If so, you must enroll in 2 hours of credit. The reference number for registration purposes is the reference number of your supervising professor. A list of the numbers may be obtained by clicking on Research & Writing class numbers for the spring 2010 semester at http://www1.law.umkc.edu/academic/courses.htm .
Sc	Course will not likely be taught again until spring 2012.
Second	Meets during the second half of semester only. First class will be held Thursday, March 4 th .
T	Estates & Trusts is not a prerequisite. Because trusts have essentially replaced wills as the preferred method for disposing of property at death, this course is not only for estate planning specialists but also has practical usefulness for litigation attorneys and especially those in a solo or small firm general practice.
TA	During the first week of the semester students only meet for the Thursday evening class. Starting with the second week, students meet in small group sessions as well as large group sessions. Each section provides the day/time for that section as well as the Thursday evening large group session. If you have a section preference, you should list it first. Since space is limited (12 students per section), also list your second and third choices on the sheet. <u>Note: Section 7 has morning small group sessions.</u>
TAIII	Only students selected for this course following the Trial Advocacy II Intra School competition may register for this course. The competition is held during the fall semester and involves students enrolled in Trial Advocacy II.
TC	Tax Clinic is open to JDs who have completed Federal Income Taxation. Applications to enroll may be obtained from Professor Frank Schuler.
UCC	A student is required to take either Commercial Transactions or Secured Transactions in order to graduate.
UL& ULB	750 Urban Lawyer Staff (1) – Staff members of the Urban Lawyer receive credit for writing case digests, annotations, and statutory developments, for editing articles, for editing comments and book reviews, and for participation in urban legal conferences. Research Editors of the Urban Lawyer receive additional credit for writing a major article or comment for publication in the journal. Ungraded. 750B – Urban Lawyer Board (1-5) – Members of the Urban lawyer Editorial Board, edits articles that are submitted and coordinates student written case digests and comments for publication in The Urban lawyer. The members of the Board ensure the articles, and student pieces conform to publication standards and work the articles through the production process. Board members must take at least one credit in the fall semester and can carry over the remaining allocated credits to the winter semester. Ungraded.
YR	This is a two-semester course. Students currently enrolled in this course must enroll in the spring semester as well. An incomplete will be awarded after the fall semester and credit will be awarded for both semesters at the successful completion of the spring semester. Enrollment is by invitation only. Permission should be initialed by the professor on the course enrollment form or drop/add form