

CRIMINAL PROCEDURE
SUMMER 2019 SYLLABUS

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Tues. & Thurs. 6:30-8:20

Text

American Criminal Procedure – Adjudicative, Saltzburg & Capra, 11th Edition, and Supplement

Office Hours

I do not have office hours, but I am happy to schedule appointments as my schedule allows. My email address is Jasonalaw1@gmail.com, and my cell number is 951-733-0972. You will always be welcome to contact me by those means if you have any questions. I am also very good at staying after class to answer any questions that you may have regarding the materials throughout the semester.

Exam

The final exam will be a two hour essay exam.

Class Policies

Class policies and attendance will be governed by student and school policy. I will take attendance for each class. Excessive absences will result in being dropped for the class. Class participation will be key in learning the material. You will be expected to have read the cases for each week's assignment and be prepared to discuss them when called upon in class. Due to the smaller enrollment for summer classes and the number of cases assigned, you should be prepared to individually discuss cases each class session.

You will be responsible for all the reading material assigned for the final exam. Just because we do not cover it specifically in class does not mean it may not be tested on at the end of the semester.

This course is designed to satisfy the requirements of ABA Standard 310. Standard 310 requires that for each hour of in class time, students spend two hours preparing for class (reading or completing class assignments or assessments)

Students with disabilities should refer to the policies described at the University of La Verne Disabled Student Services Handbook which can be found on the website of the University of La Verne Disabled Student Services website (<https://sites.laverne.edu/>) or at their office. Temporary accommodations are offered on a case by case basis. All required documentation must be submitted by the student before any formal accommodations and should be made directly to the Director of Student Affairs.

Any student eligible for and requesting academic accommodations due to a documented disability (or a suspected disability) is asked to contact the College of Law Director of Student Affairs and Americans with Disability Act Compliance Officer, Akita Mungaray by email at amungaray@laverne.edu or by phone at (909) 460-2017. Her office is located on the first floor of the College of Law, Office # 107. You can also contact Cynthia Denne at the University of La Verne Disabled Student Services office at (909) 448-4441. The office is located at the La Verne campus Health Center. In order to be considered for accommodations, disabilities must be documented and the proper medical evaluations must be submitted. The office is here to help you succeed in law school. Visit it online at <https://sites.laverne.edu/disabled-student-services/>.

Class Objective

The purpose of the course will be to impart constitutional understanding of the criminal justice process. We will study the minimal constitutional requirements that must exist along each stage of the criminal justice process. We will study each stage and discuss in class why each stage is constitutionally required. Reading and briefing the case materials in class will be a large portion of this summer experience.

Reading Assignments

WEEK ONE

INTRODUCTION – OVERVIEW OF THE JUSTICE SYSTEM

CHARGING DECISIONS

Chap. 6

WEEK TWO

ARRAIGNMENT AND BAIL

Chap. 7

DISCOVERY

Chap. 8

WEEK THREE

PLEAS AND PLEA BARGAINING

Chap. 9

WEEK FOUR

RIGHT TO COUNSEL

Cases as assigned

IDENTIFICATION

Cases as assigned

WEEK FIVE

SPEEDY TRIAL

1191-1218

JOINDER AND PROOF REQUIREMENTS

1218-1263

WEEK SIX

JURY TRIAL ISSUES

1271-1361

MEDIA, CLIENT PARTICIPATION

1361-1384

WEEK SEVEN

EFFECTIVE ASSISTANCE OF COUNSEL

1395-1499

SELF REPRESENTATION

1499-1518

WEEK EIGHT

DOUBLE JEOPARDY

Chap. 12

REVIEW AND CONCLUSIONS