

BUL3310 ADVANCED LEGAL BUSINESS SYLLABUS AND COURSE OUTLINE

Instructor

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Location: Building M 204

Class Meetings: Monday 5:30pm-9:00pm

Credit Hours: 3

Course Description:

This course explores the nature of legal, ethical and societal environments of business. Emphasis is placed on business's social, legal, political and ethical responsibilities to both external and internal groups in business. Topics include corporate social responsibility, legal, political and ethical aspects of business, state and federal laws, contracts, intellectual property, employment law, product liability, safety issues, and environmental regulation.

Textbook

Foundations of the Legal Environment of Business: 2010, Author: Jennings, Publisher; SOUTH-WESTERN CENGAGE Learning.

Course Organization:

Midterm: Parts 1 and 2

Final: Parts 3 and 4

Course Objectives: At the end of Advanced Legal Business, BAS students should be prepared to:

1- Explain how the legal system functions.

- 2- Discuss laws and legal concepts as they related to the business environment.
- 3- Use legal reasoning to evaluate business strategies based on ethical principles.
- 4- Use legal reasoning to evaluate case information.
- 5- Explain a business organization's role in social responsibility.
- 6- Demonstrate ability to communicate a professional presentation and project paper by integrating concepts from this course.

Course Evaluation:

The instructor reserves the right to alter the grade structure and modify assignments, including, but not limited to, adding assignments and unannounced quizzes. Evaluation will take into account a student's participation and class etiquette.

Grading System:

Midterm-----40%
Final-----50%
Class participation-----10%

Grading Scale:

A= 93-100 B=83-92 C=70-82 D=60-69 F=0-59

Expectations of Students:

- 1- To thoroughly read the text prior to the time the material will be discussed in class.
- 2- To attend class and be on time. College sponsored events or sickness are the only excuses that will be considered.
- 3- Be prepared for tests and assignments.
- 4- Thoughtful participation in class discussion. Be considerate of others with opposing views.

Tests:

- 1- Tests will be basically objective, and may include multiple choice, matching, identification, short answer, and essay. All questions will be taken from textbook, handouts, or lecture material.

2- No student is excused from any exam except for one of the reasons listed above. Make-ups for college events will be prior to the absences and for sickness during the next class after the return of the student. All make-ups are at the discretion of the instructor.

3- Final exams will be given at the time approved by the college for finals.

Class Format:

This is essentially a lecture type class, but time is allowed for class discussion.

Class Participation and Attendance:

Attendance at all classes is required, particularly given that a component of your grade is participation. Students are required to attend class regularly, participate in class discussions, and complete assignments on time.

Students are expected to arrive in class prepared to participate in all class activities.

Academic Integrity Policy:

The College expects you to know, understand and comply with the Academic Integrity Policy, which prohibits academic dishonesty in any form, including, but not limited to, cheating and plagiarism.

Each case of suspected violation of the Student Code of Conduct will be reported to the Judicial Affairs Office for resolution.

Students With Disabilities Policy:

Chipola College is committed to making all programs and facilities accessible to anyone with a disability. Chipola's goal is for students to obtain maximum benefit from their educational experience and to effectively transition into the college environment.

Students with disabilities are requested to voluntarily contact the Office of Students with Disabilities to complete the intake process and determine their eligibility for reasonable accommodations.

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Reading Assignments

May 18 th	Chapter 1
June 1 st	Chapters 2 & 3
June 8 th	Chapters 4 & 5
June 15 th	Chapters 6 & 7
June 22 nd	Chapters 8 & 9
July 6 th	Chapters 10 & 11
July 13 th	Chapters 12 & 13
July 20 th	Chapters 14 & 15
July 27 th	Chapters 16 & 17
August 3 rd	Chapters 18 & 19