**WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL**

**FINAL EXAMINATION SCHEDULE - WINTER 2024 TERM (April 25-May 8, 2024)**

Examinations must be taken at their scheduled times. No changes will be made. In case of an emergency that prevents you from taking an examination at the scheduled time, you should immediately contact (1) (J.D. students) the Law School Assistant Dean of Student Affairs at (313) 577-9293 or (313) 577-3997 or (LL.M. students) the Law School Assistant Dean of Non-J.D. Programs at (313) 577-3085 or (2) the Law School Office of Records and Registration at (313) 577-3979 or (313) 577-8023. **Do not contact a faculty member with an issue relating to taking an examination at the scheduled time.** All exams will take place **in person** at the Law School at the time and date listed below, unless they are included on the list of “No scheduled in-person examinations” at the bottom of the exam schedule. **Electronic textbooks and notes CANNOT be used for in-person exams as the exam software blocks access to such materials. If the instructor permits materials, you MUST bring in hard copy versions of any materials permitted for in-person exams.**

 **DAY EXAMINATIONS EVENING EXAMINATIONS**

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| **THURSDAY, APRIL 25** |
| **9:30 a.m.** | Evidence – WinstenLEX 7266 001 Room 1535  |  | **6:15 p.m.** | Contracts B – Eve. – WhiteLEX 6201 004 Room 1535 |  |
| **9:30 a.m.** | Contracts B – Sec. 2 – ZacksLEX 6201 002 Room 1525 |  | **6:15 p.m.** | Child, Family and State – NunezLEX 7075 001 Room 1545 |  |
| **1:30 p.m.** | Contracts B – Sec. 1 – BrowerLEX 6201 001 Room 1535 |  |  |  |  |
| **1:30 p.m.** | Contracts B – Sec. 3 – BrowerLEX 6201 003 Room 1525 |  |  |  |  |
|  | *1550 reserved for UG Law and Regulation (Anderson) 2:45-4:45 p.m.* |  |  |  |  |
| **FRIDAY, APRIL 26** |
| **9:30 a.m.** | Race and the Law – Jefferson-BullockLEX 7686 001 Room 1545 |  |  |  |  |
| **MONDAY, APRIL 29** |
| **1:30 p.m.** | Civil Procedure B – Sec. 2 – DubinskyLEX 6101 002 Room 1535 |  | **6:15 p.m.** | Civil Procedure B- Eve. – CarlsonLEX 6101 004 Room 1550 |  |
| **1:30 p.m.** | Civil Procedure B – Sec. 3 – DubinskyLEX 6101 003 Room 1525 |  | **6:15 p.m.** | Trusts and Decedents’ Estates – Cancelosi A-K Room 1535LEX 7841 001 L-Z Room 1525 |  |
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| **TUESDAY, APRIL 30** |
| **1:30 p.m.** | U.S. Foreign Relations Law – Fox & RothLEX 7888 001 Room 1525 |  |  |  |  |
| **1:30 p.m.** | Antitrust – CalkinsLEX 7026 001 Room 1545 |  |  |  |  |
| **1:30 p.m.** | Fundamentals of U.S. Legal Research (LLM) – PhillipsLEX 8815 01 Room 1550 |  |  |  |  |
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| **WEDNESDAY, MAY 1** |
| **9:30 a.m.** | Constitutional Law II – WeinbergLEX 7126 001 A-K Room 1525 L-Z Room 1535 |  |  |  |  |
| **9:30 a.m.** | Corporations – LewisLEX 7156 001 Room 1515 |  |  |  |  |
| **1:30 p.m.** | Securities Regulation – NadlerLEX 7761 001 Room 1545 |  |  |  |  |
| **1:30 p.m.** | Employment Law – OswaltLEX 7221 001 A-L Room 1525 M-Z Room 1535 |  |  |  |  |
| **THURSDAY, MAY 2** |
|  |  |  | **6:15 p.m.** | Property – Eve. – ChadambukaLEX 6500 004 Room 1550 |  |
| **9:30 a.m.** | U.S. Legal Practice Skills for Foreign Law Students (LL.M.) GleicherLEX 8990 001 Room 1550 |  | **6:15 p.m.** | Professional Responsibility – FadlerLEX 6800 001 Room 1535 |  |
| **1:30 p.m.**  | Property – Sec. I – MogkLEX 6500 001 A-K Room 1515 L-Z Room 1525 |  | **6:15 p.m.** | Taxation of Corporations – BealeLEX 7821 001 Room 1545 |  |
| **1:30 p.m.** | \*Property – Sec. III – BartellLEX 6500 003 A-K Room 1535 M-Z Room 1545 |  |  |  |  |
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| **FRIDAY,MAY 3** |
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| **MONDAY, MAY 6** |
| **9:30 a.m.** | Criminal Law – Sec. I – CantalupoLEX 6300 001 A-J Room 1525 K-Z Room 1535 |  | **6:15 pm**  | Criminal Law – Eve. – Dillof LEX 6200 004 Room 1515 |  |
| **9:30 a.m.** | Taxation – NadlerLEX 7816 001 Room 1545 |  | **6:15 p.m.** | Patent Prosecution – Brodbine & HargisLEX 7657 001 Room 1535 |  |
| **1:30 p.m.** | Criminal Law – Sec. II – EllmanLEX 6300 002 Room 1525 |  |  |  |  |
| **1:30 p.m.** | Criminal Law – Sec. III – OrtmanLEX 6300 003 Room 1535 |  |  |   |  |
| **1:30 p.m.** | Equitable Remedies – MateikisLEX 7236 001 Room 1545  |  | **.** |  |  |
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| **TUESDAY, MAY 7** |
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| **1:30 pm** | \*Bankruptcy – BartellLEX 7051 001 Room 1545 |  |  |  |  |
| **1:30 p.m.** | Local Government Law – MogkLEX 7581 001 A-K Room 1525 L-Z Room 1535 |  |  |  |  |
| **WEDNESDAY, MAY 8** |
| **9:30 a.m.** | International Protection of Human Rights – ChadambukaLEX 7411 001 Room 1545 |  |  |  |  |
| **9:30 a.m.** | Public Health Law – GableLEX 7680 001 Room1535 |  |  |  |  |
| **1:30 p.m.** | Criminal Procedure: Adjudication – OrtmanLEX 7166 001 A-K Room 1525 L-Z Room 1535 |  |  |  |  |

**\*NO Laptops Allowed (laptops will be permitted unless instructor specifies otherwise, indicated by an \*)**

**No In-Class Exams:**

All Sections of Legal Research and Writing

Advanced Legal Writing: Appellate Advocacy – TBA

Advanced Legal Writing: Legal Drafting – Neville

Alternative Dispute Resolution – Nowakowski

Civil Procedure B – Sec. 1 – Long (Take-home)

Criminal Procedure: Investigation – Menlo & Van Campen (Take-home)

Disability Law – Moss (Take-home)

Environmental Law – Hall (Assignments)

Interviewing and Counseling – Buddin

Labor Law – Britton (Take-home)

Trial Advocacy – Carter

Special Topics: Policing –Robichaud

Law of Policing – Graveline (Paper)

Mergers & Acquisitions – Baloch (Take-home)

Negotiation – Cholack

Peacemaking in State Court Justice Systems – Connors

Pretrial Advocacy – Mazzara

Property – Sec. II – Winter (Take-home)

State Constitutionalism – Long (Take-home)

Sports and the Law – Schneider (Papers/presentations)

Special Topics: Policing – Robichaud

Access to Justice Seminar – Kelly

Environmental Law: Advanced Topics Seminar – Hall

Ethics in the Lawyering Experience Seminar – Winter

Health Law: Advanced Topics Seminar – Walter-McCabe

Law in Cyberspace Seminar – Weinberg

Justice and the Law Seminar – Jefferson-Bullock

Sexual Violence and the Law Seminar - Cantalupo (Take-home)

All Externship Practicums

Public Service Externship: Colloquium – Huang

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Judicial Externship: Colloquium – Hopkins

Lawyering in the Nation’s Capitol: Colloquium - Kahn

Appeal & Post-Conviction Advocacy Clinic – McCann & Ouvry

Asylum and Immigration Law Clinic – Balgamwalla

Business & Community Law Clinic – Watson

Community Advocacy Clinic – Robichaud

Legal Advocacy for People with Cancer Clinic – Smolinksi

All advanced clinics and externships

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**EXAMINATION RULES AND PROCEDURES**

**February 2024**

**PLEASE DO NOT MAKE NOISE IN THE HALLWAYS WHILE EXAMS ARE IN PROGRESS.**

1. **PLEASE** make sure that you go to the correct room for each of your examinations. Only one student may be seated at a desk. Students must sit every other desk if possible. The proctor has only enough exam copies for the number of students assigned to the room.

 Please arrive at least 15 minutes early to your exam. Remember to allow sufficient time for travel to your exam, particularly in inclement weather.

 No briefcases, books, paper, laptops, etc. should be taken to your examination seat unless your instructor has authorized you to do so**. If you are authorized to bring materials for an open-book exam, please note that all materials MUST be in hard-copy format. Electronic documents and textbooks CANNOT be accessed during in-person exams.** With the exception of a laptop that is being used to take the examination in accordance with Law School policy (and a USB drive for purposes of back-up in connection with an approved laptop), **absolutely no electronic devices** (IPods, headphones, cell phones, pagers, watches, etc.) **are permitted** **in the examination rooms, except for a calculator that is not otherwise a communications device if and only if such a calculator is explicitly permitted by the professor for the examination at issue**. Noise-canceling headphones may not be worn in place of earplugs. Electronic devices should be left at home or in your vehicle. Any other personal belongings such as backpacks, purses, textbooks, etc. that are not explicitly permitted for use during the exam by your instructor must be placed under an empty desk near you during the exam. The Law School cannot accept responsibility for your personal items brought into the examination room. If you have any concern about those items, you should leave them at home or in your vehicle. If you need access to personal hygiene or medical products during the exam, please put them in a small bag marked with your name, and give the bag directly to the proctor before the start of the exam. Please feel free to use an opaque bag to preserve your privacy, but please do not use such a large bag as to raise a question as to whether you are including more than the permitted personal products in the bag.

Because the temperature in all Law School classrooms can fluctuate significantly, please dress in appropriate layers of indoor clothing that can easily be removed or added if needed. Heavy outdoor coats may not be worn during your examination and must be left on an empty seat in front of you (clearly out of your reach) or in the back or front of the room.

2. **Examinations must be taken at the scheduled time. No changes will be made, even when you have two (2) exams on the same day.** A student who is unable to take an examination because of illness, etc. **must** contact Dean Hoffman (J.D. students) or Dean Taylor-Vargo (LL.M. students) **prior to the scheduled start time for the examination**.

 Failure to take an examination when scheduled without officially withdrawing or obtaining prior approval from the appropriate dean will result in a grade of “F” or “NC” for the course. J.D. students must contact the Assistant Dean for Student Affairs, Tierney Hoffman at (313) 577-9293 or tehoffman@wayne.edu and LL.M. students must contact the Senior Assistant Dean for Enrollment Management and New Program Development, Nikki Taylor-Vargo at (313) 577-3085 or nikkitv@wayne.edu. **In case of a last minute emergency**, J.D students should immediately call the Law School’s Office of Student Affairs (313-577-9293 or 313-577-3997) or the Law School’s Office of Records and Registration (313) 577-8023, (313) 577-3978 or (313) 577-3979 and LL.M. students should call the Senior Assistant Dean for Enrollment Management and New Program Development at (313) 577-3085 or the Law School’s Office of Records and Registration (313-577-8023, 313-577-3978 or 313-577-3979). **DO NOT UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES CONTACT YOUR PROFESSOR IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY RELATING TO AN EXAMINATION.**

1. **Examination books, scantrons and scratch paper** are distributed free at each examination.

 Ear plugs, pens, pencils and erasers **are not provided**; you must bring your own. If you are taking a laptop examination, bringing a USB drive is highly recommended as a back-up device.

 **Bring a pen and a No. 2 pencil with an eraser to each of your exams. Again, such materials are NOT supplied for you**. All handwritten examinations should be written in ink (unless otherwise specified). Only a No. 2 pencil may be used on any computer-graded scantron answer sheets. **When using a computer-graded scantron answer sheet, your exam number should be put ONLY in the space marked “Identification Number.”** **Do not put your name, ID number, Social Security number or other identifying information on this sheet.**

 4. Each student will receive an examination and a perforated examination number card. **Only your examination number should be used as an identifier on your examination book(s), EBB program for laptop exam, exam copy, and/or computer-graded scantron answer sheet. Do NOT put your name, ID number or Social Security number on your examination.** Your name and other identifying information should be put **only** on the large portion of the examination number card that is returned separately from your exam. This card must be filled out completely prior to handing it in to the proctor(s) at the end of the exam. You must tear off the small portion of the exam card and keep it for your records.

5. **Do not open the examination copy or begin writing until the proctor has announced the beginning of the examination.**

**Please read the instructions on each examination.** If instructed to return your examination questions with your answers, please write your exam number on every page of the questions and return all pages with your answers.

6. Students must remain seated during the entire examination period, except for bathroom breaks, until finishing the examination. A student who finishes an examination before the final 15 minutes of the examination period may leave the room after turning in the examination and examination number card (and any other materials directed to be collected) following the procedure outlined in 10(b), below. A proctor will distribute exams at the beginning of the examination period only after all students in the room are seated. Any student who is still in the examination room during any portion of the final 15 minutes of the examination period **MUST remain seated after the examination period has ended until the proctor has collected all examinations and examination number cards and dismissed the room. Absolutely no conversation or communication between students is permitted at any time during the period beginning with distribution of examinations and ending with the collection of the final examination in the room at or after the end of the examination period.**

7. **Students may leave the room (not the building) one at a time** during the examination for a restroom break, subject to the following restrictions:

1. Any student leaving the room temporarily **must** leave that individual’s examination with the proctor until the individual returns to the room. Such a student **must** also sign in and out on the sign-out sheet, including the time the student left and returned from the restroom. Absolutely no personal items may be accessed before, during or after a student restroom break, except that a student who has provided the proctor before the start of the exam with a small bag labeled with the student’s name and containing personal hygiene or medical products may retrieve such bag from the proctor at the time of signing out for a restroom break and must return such bag to the proctor at the time of signing back in following the restroom break.
2. Students **are not allowed to leave the building** for any reason while taking an examination.

8. If an examination has two parts and each part is handed out and timed separately, the previous stated restrictions are the same with the following exception:

All students who finish part one of the exam early **must remain in the room after they have turned in the first part**. No student is permitted to leave the room and congregate in the hallways during an examination.

9. **Academic honesty:**

 Students are expected to complete all parts of all exams without outside assistance. During exams, please keep completed scantron answers and handwritten answers covered, and place scantrons and written answers face down on the desk once completed. Students may not discuss the exam at any time while in the exam room, including after the exam has ended.

 If you witness any behavior that you believe to be academic dishonesty in connection with an exam, please notify the proctor during the exam if applicable. If you become aware of behavior that could constitute academic dishonesty before or after the examination period, immediately notify Assistant Dean for Student Affairs, Tierney Hoffman at (313) 577-9293 or tehoffman@wayne.edu (J.D. students), Senior Assistant Dean for Enrollment Management and New Program Development, Nikki Taylor-Vargo at (313) 577-3085 or nikkitv@wayne.edu (LL.M. students), or Rebecca Hollancid in the Law School’s Office of Records and Registration (lawrecords@wayne.edu or 313-577-8023, 313-577-3978 or 313-577-3979). **ACADEMIC DISHONESTY IS A VIOLATION OF THE UNIVERSITY STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT.**

10. **Exam ending procedures:**

 a. The proctor will write on the blackboard the time remaining in 30-minute/half-hour increments and will write on the blackboard when 15 minutes, 10 minutes, 5 minutes, and 1 minute remain in the examination period. When the time period has ended, the proctor will so announce and instruct students to stop writing or typing immediately. Students taking the exam on a laptop computer must immediately initiate the procedure to save the exam. Students are required to stop writing or typing an answer as soon as the proctor announces the end of the time period. **If a student continues to write or type an answer after the end of the time period, the proctor will immediately collect the examination number card and the examination (if the answer is handwritten) and report the student to the Law School’s Office of Student Affairs and the Law School’s Office of Records and Registration. CONTINUING TO WRITE OR TYPE AN ANSWER AFTER THE END OF THE EXAMINATION TIME PERIOD IS ANNOUNCED CONSTITUTES ACADEMIC DISHONESTY AND IS A VIOLATION OF THE UNIVERSITY STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT.**

 b. A student completing an examination before the final 15 minutes of the examination period may (while staying seated) raise the student’s hand to signal for the proctor to come and collect the student’s examination number card and examination (if the examination is handwritten). The student may then leave the examination room and must leave the classroom building immediately thereafter.

1. Within the final 15 minutes of the examination period, students may not turn in their examinations or leave the room. When time is called for the exam, each student must stop writing or typing an answer immediately. The proctor will check that each student has stopped writing or typing an answer. The proctor will then walk around the room collecting each student’s examination number card and examination (if the answer is handwritten). Students must remain seated and may not begin talking until all the exams have been collected. When every student’s exam is collected, the proctor will dismiss everyone at once.

11. **Examinations will begin and end promptly.** If a student arrives in an examination room within 10 minutes of the scheduled start time for the examination, the student will be permitted to take the examination in the examination room with the other students taking that examination. A student who arrives within 10 minutes of the scheduled start time will not be given any additional time to complete the examination and will be required to end the examination with all the other students in the room. If a student arrives in an examination room 10 or more minutes after the scheduled start time for the examination, the student will be sent directly to the Law School’s Office of Student Affairs or Office of Records and Registration. A determination as to whether the student will be permitted to take the examination and under what circumstances will be handled on a case-by-case basis.

12. **Take-home examinations:** Take-home examinations are available for online check out and submission through the Electronic Bluebook online portal (not the same as the EBB software used for in-class exams) between 8:30 a.m. on the first day of the exam until 5:00 p.m. on the last day of the exam period, unless otherwise specified by your instructor. Please carefully review the instructions for EBB online take-home exams which will be emailed to you prior to the exam period. The Law School’s Office of Records and Registration does not accept e-mailed or faxed examinations except as outlined in the EBB online portal instructions for technical difficulties encountered with the EBB web portal.

13. **Grading process:** Examinations are given to the instructor with a list of exam numbers. As the not-final grades in each examination are turned in to the Law School’s Office of Records and Registration, they are checked to ensure they are in compliance with any applicable grading curve. The Office of Records and Registration then matches the names to the exam numbers and returns this list to the instructor to factor in participation bumps. Instructors return their final grades to the Office of Records and Registration. The instructors’ final grades must then be approved by the Law School’s Senior Associate Dean, taking into account any applicable grading curve. Once grades for a class have been approved by the Senior Associate Dean, grades for students who elected the class on a Pass/No credit basis will be posted in Canvas (occasionally the entire list of class grades may be posted in Canvas, depending on the number of students and Pass/No credit elections). All grades will be posted to transcripts no earlier than three (3) days after the Pass/No credit election grades have been posted in Canvas. Once grades are posted to transcripts, students may view them in Academica (<https://academica.aws.wayne.edu/>).

14. **Grades are not mailed.** Grades are available through Academica (<https://academica.aws.wayne.edu/>) once posted to transcripts. You will need your Access ID and password to log into Academica. If you have any difficulty accessing your grades through Academica, contact the C&IT Help Desk at 313-577-4778. To locate your grades in Academica, click on the “Student Resources” link under WSU Resources, then click on “Student Records,” then click on “Final Grades,” and follow the prompts.

 **Grades will not be given out over the telephone, fax or e-mail.**

Faculty are expected to submit preliminary (i.e., **not final)** grades for Fall and Winter semester Law School classes no later than four weeks after the date of the examination (or four weeks after the last day of the applicable exam period for classes for which there is a take-home exam or paper). For the Spring/Summer semester, faculty are expected to submit preliminary grades within two weeks of the last day of the exam period. Please note, however, that a variety of circumstances may lead to unanticipated delays, including illness, family emergencies and significant numbers of exam variances affecting particular classes. The Law School’s administrative approval and grade finalization process begins only after faculty submit their final grades and may take at least another week or two.

**Please remember: If you have any exam-related emergencies, questions, concerns or problems, contact the appropriate dean for your program at the contact information listed below, or the Law School’s Office of Records and Registration.**

**Do not under any circumstances contact your professor.**

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