LA Landscape Architecture

LA 205 HISTORY OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE. (3) A study of landscape design through past civilizations and how these have influenced our present approach to dealing with our landscape.


LA 821 LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE DESIGN STUDIO I. (6) Introduction to the fundamental elements and principles of design and drawing. Emphasis on the representation and perception of pictorial space; and observation and association as a means to visual literacy. Lecture, three hours; studio, nine hours per week. Prereq: Student must be accepted into the Landscape Architecture Program.

LA 822 LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE DESIGN STUDIO II. (6) Application of the basic design vocabulary established in the fall semester for solving more complex spatial problems. Focus on the identification, creation and exploration of space in three dimensions, and the development of conceptual problem solving. Lecture, three hours; studio, nine hours per week. Prereq: LA 821 with a minimum grade of "C" and enrollment in ARC 828 (or previous completion of equivalent CAD course).

LA 833 LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE DESIGN STUDIO III. (6) Design studio emphasizing design process applied to site programming, landscape analysis, and site planning. Use of actual sites to emphasize relationships between landscape analysis processes and landscape topology. Project presentation and public speaking sessions are videotaped and critiqued. Required field trip. Lecture, three hours; studio, nine hours per week. Prereq: LA 822 with a minimum grade of "C" and ARC 828 or equivalent CAD course.

LA 834 LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE DESIGN STUDIO IV. (6) Design studio emphasizing design process applied to site design and integration of design theories. Investigation and application of context, composition, typology, landscape ecology and other theoretical constructs as design determinants. Expression of design using two and three dimensional communications media. Required field trip. Lecture, three hours; studio, nine hours per week. Prereq: LA 833 with a minimum grade of "C", HOR 320, GLY 101/111.

LA 841 LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE DESIGN STUDIO V. (6) Studio design course emphasizing design process and principles in the development of design solutions for a variety of projects. Lecture, three hours; studio, nine hours per week. Prereq: PLS 366, HOR 320 and LA 832 with a minimum grade of "C".

LA 842 LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE DESIGN STUDIO VI. (6) Studio design course with emphasis on project-type design and an introduction to large scale site planning. Lecture, three hours; studio, nine hours per week. Prereq: LA 841 with a minimum grade of "C".

LA 850 LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE GRAPHICS. (3) A study of landscape architecture graphics including freehand sketching, plan, section, and perspective drawing. Rendering techniques in both black and white and color will be explored with a variety of media including pencil, marker, pastel, and airbrush. Lecture, two hours; studio, two hours per week. Prereq: May not be taken with or after LA 852; non-LA majors must have permission of instructor.

LA 851 DESIGN WITH PLANTS. (3) The application of design principles to the functional and aesthetic use of plant materials in the landscape. Lecture, two hours; studio, two hours per week. Prereq: HOR 320, LA 205 and LA 850 or permission of instructor.

LA 853 HISTORY AND THEORY OF URBAN FORM. (3) Exploration of the patterns and concepts of human settlement - how and why we inaugurated LAND to become SITE - through case studies of historical and contemporary urban spaces. Topics will range from civic topography and democratic terrain to the phenomenon of place and other current issues in urban design. Prereq: LA 205 and LA 206 or permission of the instructor.

LA 854 HISTORIC LANDSCAPE PRESERVATION. (3) An introduction to historic landscape preservation philosophy, strategies, and methods. Exploration of regional landscape preservation case studies and application of preservation principles and methods to solve landscape preservation problems with an emphasis on process. Lecture, two hours; studio, two hours per week. Prereq: LA 206 and LA 833 or permission of instructor.
LA 975 ADVANCED LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE STUDIO. (6)
Application of landscape architecture design principles to solve problems at a variety of scales emphasizing process as well as form generation in a creative and historic context. Lecture, three hours; studio, nine hours per week. Prereq: LA 842 with a minimum grade of "C".

LAS Latin American Studies

LAS 201 INTRODUCTION TO LATIN AMERICA. (3)
An interdisciplinary approach to the people, culture and development of the Latin American republics. Attention will be concentrated on significant aspects of the indigenous peoples, geography, economic processes, gender roles, social structures and politics of Latin America, with special attention paid to value structures and value conflicts. Musical, literary and artistic expression in Latin America will also be introduced. Team taught, with a course coordinator from the LAS faculty.

LAS 395 INDEPENDENT WORK IN LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES. (3)
Directed study for students wishing to do specialized work on a topic related to the Latin American Studies area. May be repeated to a maximum of six credits. Prereq: LAS 201 and six hours course work from approved LAS courses.

LAS 401 DIRECTED RESEARCH IN LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES. (3)
Research on an interdisciplinary topic approved by the LAS Advisory Committee in the area of Latin American Studies. Prereq: Major in Latin American Studies; senior standing.

LAW Law

LAW 801 CONTRACTS/SALES I. (3)

LAW 802 CONTRACTS/SALES II. (3)
Continuation of Contracts/Sales I - Statute of Frauds, performance, express and implied conditions, repudiation, impossibility.

LAW 804 LEGAL RESEARCH AND WRITING SKILLS. (3)
Instruction in the use of research materials, in legal writing, in the fundamentals of legal analysis and in the solution of selected legal problems.

LAW 805 TORTS. (4)
Intentional torts and defenses, negligence, causation, duties of occupants of land and manufacturers and vendors of chattels, contributory negligence, strict liability, deceit, defamation, malicious prosecution, interference with advantageous relations.

LAW 807 PROPERTY. (4)
Basic course in property; possession, gifts, bona fide purchasers of personality. Estates, uses, easements, and rights incident to ownership.

LAW 809 FEDERAL CRIMINAL LAW. (2-3)
This course will cover federal white collar criminal issues, including RICO, mail and wire fraud, political corruption, bank secrecy laws, and false statement laws.

LAW 810 CRIMINAL LAW. (3)
Jurisdiction; the criminal act, complete and incomplete; criminal intent, actual and constructive; duress and mistake of fact, of law; justification; parties in crime; crimes against the person and crimes against property.

LAW 811 CRIMINAL PROCEDURE I. (3)
This course will cover search and seizure, the privilege against self-incrimination, confessions and identification procedures—in general, the constitutional cases arising out of the conflict between police practices and the Bill of Rights.

LAW 814 CRIMINAL TRIAL PROCESS. (3)
This course will cover in-depth the criminal trial process from the initial court appearance: grand jury proceedings, pretrial motions, discovery, trial, pleas, sentencing, appeals, double jeopardy and habeas corpus. Students who have taken LAW 813, Criminal Procedure II, may not take this course.

LAW 815 CIVIL PROCEDURE I. (3)
Introduction to the civil action: personal and in rem jurisdiction; service or process and notice; subject matter jurisdiction; venue; choice of law; pleading.

LAW 817 CIVIL PROCEDURE II. (2-3)
Joinder of claims and parties; discovery; summary judgment; right to jury trial; trials and posttrial motions; res judicata and collateral estoppel.

LAW 818 REMEDIES. (3)
Nature of damages; nature of specific relief; personal interests; contractual interests; property interests; specific relief and the government.

LAW 819 THE FEDERAL COURTS AND THE FEDERAL SYSTEM. (3)
The nature of the federal judicial function and its development, distribution of power among federal and state courts, Supreme Court review of state court decisions, the law applied in federal district courts, federal question and diversity jurisdiction, federal habeas corpus, removal jurisdiction and procedure.

LAW 820 CONSTITUTIONAL LAW I. (3)
Judicial interpretation of the Constitution; the federal system; powers of the national government; limitations on the exercise of state powers.

LAW 821 LITIGATION SKILLS. (3)
The skills of litigation, including trial advocacy, interviewing and counseling, negotiation and pleading. Lecture, one hour; laboratory, five hours. Prereq or concur: LAW 890.

LAW 822 CONSTITUTIONAL LAW II. (3)
Protection of individuals and organizations by the Bill of Rights, the fourteenth amendment, and other provisions of the Constitution.

LAW 823 FIRST AMENDMENT LAW. (1)

LAW 824 ALTERNATE DISPUTE RESOLUTION. (3)
Methods of dispute resolution other than trial; statutory and judicial regulation; presenting a claim in different formats of ADR.

LAW 825 THE NEGOTIATING PROCESS. (2)
Analysis of the elements of bargaining power; exercises in the negotiating process in various contexts; basic techniques of negotiation; ethical norms of the lawyer-investigator. Lecture, one hour; laboratory, two hours per week.

LAW 826 LEGAL DRAFTING. (2-3)
This course systematically explores drafting process and technique and provides drafting practice. Students complete drafting-related exercises which become the focus of class discussions. Students also complete major drafting projects. These may consist of a will, a contract, a piece of legislation or other common lawyer work product. Major drafting projects are the focus of class discussions and individual or small group meetings with the instructor.

LAW 827 LEGAL MEDICINE. (3)
Legal-medical issues, including medical negligence, regulation of health care providers, aiding and altering reproduction, and defining death.

LAW 828 STATUTORY CIVIL RIGHTS. (3)
This is a survey course designed to cover the entire field of federal antidiscrimination law. Topics to be covered may include employment discrimination (primarily focusing on race, sex, age, and disability issues and possibly affirmative action); housing discrimination (primarily focusing on race, disability, and family issues); other disability discrimination issues under the Americans with Disabilities Act; discrimination in public accommodations and government programs; voting rights litigation issues involving proof (e.g., how cases based on direct evidence of intent, circumstantial evidence of intent, and disparate impact differ from one another), special defenses, and remedies; and a brief survey of the more important questions that arise in Section 1983 litigation. Prereq: LAW 822.

LAW 835 PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY. (2-3)
An examination of the varying roles played by lawyers in society and the conflicting pressures created to each role. Special attention is paid to the Code of Professional Responsibility as a guide and control in the lawyer-client relationship. Also considered at length is the role of law in society and the place of the legal profession in society. Guest speakers are used to bring into focus employment options for lawyers and the viewpoints of varying types of practicing lawyers to the pervasive problems of the legal profession.

LAW 836 LAW AND ECONOMICS. (2)
This course applies neoclassic economics concepts to the law. It offers economic explanations of legal rules (for example, explaining how legal rules tend to move society toward or away from economic efficiency). The course also explores normative issues, such as whether the pursuit of economic efficiency is morally attractive. The course looks at the following areas of the law: property, contracts, torts, family law, criminal law, employment law, corporate law, and securities law.
LAW 837 PHILOSOPHY OF LAW. (3)
Concept of law; relations between law and morals; nature of legal reasoning; analysis of legal concepts; justification of punishment. Pass/fail basis only for law students. (Same as PHI 537.)

LAW 839 GENDER DISCRIMINATION. (2-3)
 Constitutional aspects of sex discrimination, employment discrimination. A criminal law unit covering women as victims and as offenders.

LAW 842 SPORTS LAW. (3)
Surveys regulatory and contractual aspects of this multi-billion dollar industry. Includes issues related to intercollegiate athletics; professional recruitment and contracting; labor and anti-trust issues; liability issues and other related topics.

LAW 850 LEGAL ACCOUNTING. (2-3)
This course is designed to introduce students to general bookkeeping and accounting principles. Class discussion will concentrate on the relevance of accounting judgments to legal issues rather than focusing on technical problems. Students will examine income statements, balance sheets, and other accounting documents. Emphasis will be placed on an understanding of accepted accounting principles (GAAP) and the abuses of GAAP. Students with undergraduate financial accounting can take this course only with permission of the professor.

LAW 851 BUSINESS ASSOCIATIONS. (4)
Legal introduction to business organization; emphasis on nature and structure under modern American business corporation law. Areas: partnership planning (formation, property rights, dissolution and liquidation rights); steps for corporate organizing (including legal consequences of defective incorporation); nature of corporate entity concept; corporate control and management (including problems of close corporation); fiduciary duties of directors and controlling shareholders under state law; nature and characteristics of shareholders’ derivative suit. Prereq: Completion of first year of law study generally is expected.

LAW 855 CORPORATION FINANCE LAW. (3)
A study of selected problems in advanced corporation law, including corporate promotion and capitalization (with special emphasis on senior securities and their characteristics); corporate distributions (dividends); recapitalizations (elimination of accrued dividends); public regulation of security issues (Securities Act of 1933 and state Blue Sky laws).

LAW 856 BUSINESS PLANNING. (3)
This course involves the planning of business transactions and combines the applicable corporate, tax, and securities considerations of such transactions in a single course. Emphasis will be on some of the more important types of corporate transactions, such as the organization of a private corporation and a public corporation, conflicts between stockholders of a close corporation, and corporate combinations. Course is limited to third-year students who have had a background in corporations and income tax. Knowledge of securities regulation and corporate tax is desired.

LAW 860 TAXATION I. (3-4)
Problems in federal and state income taxation.

LAW 861 TAXATION OF BUSINESS ENTERPRISES I. (4)
Federal income taxation of transactions between partners and their partnership and shareholders and their corporation; organization of partnerships and corporations; taxation of distributions of operating profits, liquidations, and sales of interests. Prereq: LAW 860.

LAW 863 TAXATION OF BUSINESS ENTERPRISES II. (3)
Advanced problems of federal income taxation of corporations and partnerships; mergers and acquisitions; reorganizations, recapitalizations; affiliated corporations; consolidated returns. Prereq: LAW 860 and LAW 861.

LAW 864 REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS. (3)
This course covers numerous issues related to real estate conveyancing, including contractual issues, title assurance, and financing the transactions. Prereq: Property.

LAW 865 ESTATE AND GIFT TAXATION. (3)
Donative transfers of property, including inter vivos transfers and wills; income, estate, and gift tax consequences of the various methods of disposition; administration of estates.

LAW 866 ESTATE PLANNING SKILLS. (2-3)
This course offers practical experience in advanced estate planning; interviewing, counseling, planning and drafting wills, trusts and related documents. Prereq: LAW 865 and LAW 876.

LAW 872 LAND USE PLANNING. (2-3)
A comprehensive survey of the basic legal devices to control the use of land, theories of land use planning, nuisance, private agreements, zoning and zoning procedure, the role of the federal government in land planning, exercise of eminent domain, and selected Kentucky problems, such as rural zoning and proposed New Towns for Appalachia.

LAW 874 BANKING LAW. (2-3)
History of banking; overview of agencies which regulate bank activities; formation and regulation of bank holding companies; bank mergers and acquisitions; branching banking; antitrust considerations; trust operations conducted by banks; impact of securities legislation on bank loans and bank financing; the FDIC and its impact on a failing bank.

LAW 875 SECURITIES REGULATION. (3)
The law governing the issuance, distribution and trading of securities under the Securities Act of 1933 and the Securities Exchange Act of 1934; the obligation to register securities; public offerings by issuers; secondary distributions; and registration requirements growing out of mergers, definition of a “security” and the exemptions from registration requirements; insider trading prohibitions; antitrust provisions in tender offers, self tenders, proxy solicitations and the purchase and sale of securities.

LAW 876 TRUSTS AND ESTATES. (4)
An elective course for second-year law students. Examination of rules governing intestate distribution of property; formal requirements governing execution, alteration and revocation of wills; requisite elements of express trusts and requirements for their creation; special rules relating to charitable trusts and spendthrift trusts; rules concerning construction of wills and trusts and general rules governing administration of decedents’ estates and trusts.

LAW 877 FUTURE INTERESTS. (2)
An advanced elective course for third-year law students treating in-depth future interests of ownership in property, including the kind of future interests, rules as to class gifts, the rule against perpetuities, and powers of appointment with emphasis on the lawyer’s use of future interests in estate planning and the pitfalls relating thereto.

LAW 880 BASIC UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE. (4)
A study of problems involved in secured transactions and the exchange of commercial paper as governed by the Uniform Commercial Code.

LAW 885 COMMERCIAL DEBTOR-CREDITOR RELATIONS. (2-3)
Minimizing risk of loss through bankruptcy by business creditors and debtors; Uniform Commercial Code versus the federal Bankruptcy Act; nonbankruptcy creditors’ and debtors’ remedies in commercial context, including assignments and arrangements under state law; commercial bankruptcy; rehabilitation under Bankruptcy Act.

LAW 887 INSURANCE. (3-2)
Nature of contract, insurable interest, making the contract, concealment, representations, warranties, implied conditions of forfeiture, waiver and estoppel, rights under the contract, and construction of the policy.

LAW 888 CONSTRUCTION LAW. (2-3)
This course covers particular legal issues relating to construction designs, procurement, contract interpretation, performance subcontracts, bonds and insurance, and conflict resolution approaches.

LAW 890 EVIDENCE. (4)
Rules of admissibility, real, circumstantial, testimonial and documentary evidence, witnesses, hearsay rule and its exceptions, procedure of admissibility, law and fact, judge and jury, burden of proof and presumption, judicial notice, and parole evidence rule.

LAW 898 ENVIRONMENTAL LAW. (3)
The role of the legal system in regulating the interrelated subsystems within the physical environment, including water and air pollution, solid waste disposal, and strip mining. Emphasis on: constitutional limitations on the public’s power to implement planning proposals; relationships between federal, state and local governments; structure of agencies regulating environmental quality; standards for administrative discretion; the openness of administrative hearing procedures; and the scope of judicial review of administrative decisions. Prereq: None directly, although completion of first-year law study generally is expected.

LAW 900 SPECIAL COURSE. (2 or 3)
Interdisciplinary, topical or experimental courses to be approved by the faculty and Dean of the College of Law. A particular course may be offered no more than twice under the LAW 900 number.

LAW 905 CONFLICT OF LAWS. (3)
Nature of the subject, penal laws, procedure, judgments, domicile, capacity, form, particular subjects, litigation, family law, inheritance, foreign administrators.
LAW 910 LABOR LAW. (3) History, organization, and structure of American labor unions; obligations and prerogatives of employers; questions of representation; privileges and obligations of unions; collective bargaining and dispute settlement.

LAW 912 EMPLOYMENT LAW. (3) This course surveys and examines that multitudes of important legal doctrines, statutes and rules that regulate those rights and responsibilities of employers and workers which are not controlled by collectively bargained agreements. The structures for administering the more important areas of such regulation are also studied. The subject matter of this course affects most dimensions of the manner in which over three quarters of our Gross National Income is distributed. Course coverage includes: the law of individual employment contracts, special employment relationships such as civil service, the employer’s right to various forms of work products, the employer’s responsibility for job health and safety, protection of the worker’s property, worker responsibility for wrong-doing, wage-hour laws, vacation benefits, bonuses, retirement benefits, health insurance benefits, and unemployment compensation.

LAW 913 ADVANCED LEGAL RESEARCH. (2) This two credit course is designed to assist third-year law students improve their legal research skills by introducing them to a number of research tools not covered in first-year legal research instruction. Besides exposure to legal research material, students will apply research strategies to in-class and out-of-class assignments. Topics covered include: review of basics; secondary authority; international, foreign and transnational law; statutory and legislative history research; administrative law; tax research; securities law; environmental and criminal law; banking and labor law; family and employment law; and looseleaf, trial practice and ALR materials. These topics will be examined using traditional legal research methodology, as well as CD-ROM, INTERNET and on-line databases. Prereq: Open only to third year students.

LAW 914 ADVANCED TORTS. (2-3) Advanced torts provides a detailed and sophisticated treatment of one or more areas of tort law. Potential topics include defamation and privacy; products liability; medical malpractice; commercial torts; toxic torts and mass tort litigation, emphasizing innovative alternative methods of resolving such litigation; and comparative law aspects of tort litigation with a focus on analyzing other compensation systems.

LAW 915 FAMILY LAW. (2-3) Contracts to marry; the marriage status; annulment, divorce and separation; parent and child; infants and incompetent persons.

*LAW 916 CHILDREN AND THE LAW. (2-3) When offered for two credit hours: allocation of rights between the state and parents, management/control of minor’s property, child protective services (abuse, dependency, and neglect), status offenses, termination of parental rights, foster care, adoption. When offered for three credit hours: allocation of rights between the state and parents, management/control of minor’s property, child protective services (abuse, dependency, and neglect), status offenses, termination of parental rights, foster care, adoption, medical decision-making, education rights, and juvenile justice (transfer hearings, and sanctions).

LAW 920 ADMINISTRATIVE LAW. (3) Establishment of administrative tribunals, limits on discretion. Notice and hearing, orders, methods of judicial relief, scope of judicial review.

LAW 925 INTERNATIONAL LAW. (3) Introduction to the legal process by which interests are adjusted and decisions reached on the international scene. Treaties, the law of international organizations, the “common law” of nations and national laws with significant international ramifications are examined to determine their effect on international cooperation and coercion.

LAW 926 INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS COURSE. (3) This course will cover the basic legal structure regulating international trade. Topics covered include: international sales contracts, international finance, international civil litigation and arbitration (jurisdiction, choice of law, enforcement of foreign judgments and arbitrations), tariff and non-tariff trade barriers, export licensing, international aspects of intellectual property (patents, trademarks and copyrights), regulation of foreign investment, regional trade organization with emphasis on the EEC and North American Free Trade Area and fundamentals of taxation of international transactions.

LAW 927 LEGISLATION. (3) This course provides an introduction to legislation and the legislative process, with an emphasis on federal legislation. Among the subjects considered are theories of representation by the legislature, includes one person-one vote; legal process theory and the roles that judicial review and separation of powers play in that theory; and statutory construction, including the rules and canons of statutory construction and the use of legislative history in interpreting statutes.

LAW 928 EMPLOYEE BENEFITS LAW. (3) This course provides a broad overview of federal law governing employee benefits. Topics covered include: origins and fundamentals of the pension system, origins of ERISA, taxation of employee benefits, fiduciary rules, and preemption. Students who take this course should have completed a basic tax course.

LAW 930 ANTITRUST LAW. (2-3) The body of law structuring economic organization and activities in a free enterprise national system. Major matters considered in the course are government creation and regulation of the legal monopolies, controls over collaborative conduct of competing economic entities, and legal controls over the vertical distributive relationship of suppliers, dealers, and customers.

LAW 931 STATE AND LOCAL TAXATION. (2-3) This course provides an introduction to the fundamentals of state and local taxation. Topics covered include: property taxation, sales taxation, corporate taxation, and constitutional limitations on state and local taxation.

LAW 935 INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY. (2-3) Analysis of the various common law unfair competition areas; examination of statutory relief in areas of trademarks, copyright, and misleading advertising; survey and analysis of various portions of Federal Trade Commission Act and Robinson-Patman Act.

LAW 936 INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY TRANSACTIONS. (2 or 3) Intellectual Property Transactions deals with legal problems in the commercialization of intellectual property. It covers, among other things, license, confidentiality agreements, and intellectual property financing. Prereq: LAW 935 or permission of the instructor.

LAW 950 SEMINAR. (1) Seminar in selected legal problems. Normally, each seminar is centered upon a particular field of legal learning, such as office practice, current constitutional litigation, etc. May be repeated to a maximum of 10 credits.

LAW 958 ENVIRONMENTAL MEDIATION EXTERNSHIP. (2) Through a placement with the Kentucky Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet’s Office of Administrative Hearings, this externship provides practical training and experience in mediating environmental disputes. The externship also provides exposure to the Cabinet’s administrative hearings process as well as an introduction to various aspects of environmental law. Students engage in mediation training, analysis of the mediation process, analysis of mediated cases, and mediation simulations. Each student observes both the Cabinet’s mediation of environmental administrative disputes and the Cabinet’s entire administrative hearing process. Students also co-mediate actual environmental administrative disputes before the Cabinet. Offered on a pass-fail basis only.

LAW 959 LEGAL CLINIC. (2-3) This is a graded two or three hours practice-oriented course that provides third year students with a unique opportunity to represent low income elderly individuals on a variety of legal matters. Under the Kentucky Supreme Court’s limited practice rule, and with the supervision of the clinical director, students will represent clients in negotiations with federal and state agencies, in administrative hearings or in court procedures. Students will also interview clients, draft legal documents, file pleadings, and conduct discovery.

LAW 960 TRIAL ADVOCACY BOARD. (1) In the second year all students who successfully complete the intra-school competition and are asked to become a member of the Board will receive one hour of pass/fail credit at the end of the spring semester of the third year for meaningful participation in the activities of the Board, which includes intra-school competitions and conducting the second year membership competition. Prereq: LAW 890.

LAW 961 MOOT COURT/BOARD. (1-2) Second year competition for one hour credit. Those selected for the Moot Court Board receive an additional two hours credit in the third year. Offered on a pass/fail basis only. May be repeated to a maximum of three credits.

LAW 962 KENTUCKY LAW JOURNAL. (1-3) This course, required of all members of the Law Journal staff, offers experience in legal writing, editing, and the process of publication of a scholarly periodical. Offered on a pass/fail basis only.

LAW 963 JOURNAL OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL LAW. (3) The course required of all members of the Journal of Natural Resources and Environmental Law, offers experience in legal writing, editing and the process of publication of a scholarly journal. Pass-fail only.
LIN 516. Grammatical Analysis. (3)
Emphasis on the systematic interrelationships of morphemes within words and sentences. Practical training in the writing of grammars and exposure to various theories of grammatical description. Includes fieldwork on the morphology and syntax of a non-Indo-European language; within a given academic year, the same language serves as the basis for fieldwork in ANT/ENG/LIN 515 and ANT/ENG/LIN 516. Prereq: ENG/LIN 211 or equivalent. (Same as ANT/ENG 516.)

LIN 517. Special Topics in Linguistics (Subtitle required). (3)
The focus will be on intensive study of problems and issues that do not fall under linguistics course headings. These may have an interdisciplinary emphasis, or they may concentrate on some special topics of current research. All topics will be subject to review by the director of the program. May be repeated under different subtitles to a maximum of six credits. Prereq: Consent of instructor.

LIN 518. Historical Linguistics. (3)
Language change; reconstruction of linguistic systems; language classification; comparative linguistics; temporal, spatial, and social context of language change. Prereq: ANT 215, ENG/LIN 211, or ENG 414G or equivalent. (Same as ANT 519.)

#LIN 520. Sanskrit I. (3)
An introduction to the Sanskrit language. Includes a historical survey of the language; detailed study of the devanagari writing system and of Sanskrit phonology and grammar; a recitation component; and the reading of selected Sanskrit texts. Prereq: Completion of the fourth semester of a foreign language.

#LIN 521. Sanskrit II. (3)
A continuation of LIN 520. Includes intensive study of the relationship of Sanskrit to other early Indic languages (especially Vedic and Pali); discussion of the Indo-European ancestry of these languages; and the reading of selected texts in these languages. Prereq: LIN 520.

LIN 617. Special Topics in Linguistics (Subtitle required). (3)
A comprehensive investigation of some designated topic in general or applied linguistics. May be repeated to a maximum of nine credits under different subtitles. Prereq: An introductory course in linguistics (ANT 215, ENG/LIN 211, or ENG 414G) or permission of instructor. (Same as ENG 617.)

LIS 600 Information in Society. (3)
An introduction to the nature of information (both utilitarian and aesthetic) in contemporary society, and to the role played by libraries and other information organizations in disseminating that information. Emphasis is on developing perspective.

LIS 601 Information Sources and Services. (3)
An introduction to basic information sources and services provided by libraries and information organizations. Consideration is also given to the ethics of information services, the user-system interface including question-negotiation and the formulation of effective search strategies, and the evaluation of information sources and information services.

LIS 602 Information Storage and Retrieval. (3)
An introduction to principles and practices of information analysis, organization, storage, retrieval and dissemination. Examines the structure of bibliographic records, indexing processes, indexing languages, catalogs and files, storage media, retrieval strategies and information delivery systems.

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LIS 603 MANAGEMENT IN LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE. (3)
An introduction to the basic elements of management and how these are applied to the effective administration of information systems. Focus will be placed on two major roles in a system, the person who is supervised as well as the manager or supervisor. Examination of the functions of planning, organization, staffing and controlling as well as the theories of management and the effective use of these in an information system.

LIS 604 LIBRARY AND BOOK HISTORY. (3)
Development of libraries and books from earliest time to the present with special reference to their relationship to contemporary social, economic, cultural and political trends. Emphasis is given to American library and book history.

LIS 607 INFORMATION NEEDS AND USES. (3)
An examination of research, and professional knowledge, relating to the information needs, information seeking behavior and the use of information by individuals and groups in society. Consideration is given to how this knowledge influences the development of information systems, sources and services. Prereq: Graduate standing.

LIS 608 METHODS OF RESEARCH IN LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE. (3)
Basic tools, techniques and methods of research. Consideration is given to the role and purpose of research in library and information science and its relationship to research in other disciplines. Includes critical evaluation of current research in library and information science and the development of a research proposal.

*LIS 609 CURRENT PROBLEMS IN LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE. (3)
A seminar which examines current philosophical and managerial issues in library and information science. Focus is on the analysis, origins, evaluation and current status of these issues. Prereq: LIS 601, LIS 603 and LIS 655.

LIS 610 CREATIVE LIBRARY PROGRAMS FOR CHILDREN. (3)
A study of the oral tradition and its place in the cultural heritage of today. An introduction to the principles of storytelling, selection of stories, practice in telling, program planning, and development of creative visual forms. Prereq: LIS 510 and permission of instructor.

LIS 611 CRITICAL ANALYSIS OF CHILDREN’S LITERATURE. (3)

LIS 613 INFORMATION RESOURCES AND SERVICES FOR CHILDREN. (3)
A study of children’s literature and related media for use with children in grades preschool through six. Emphasis is placed on the evaluation of materials for this age group and their use in libraries.

LIS 618 ADULT INFORMATION NEEDS AND SERVICES. (3)
The study of adult reading and information needs, interests and abilities; developmental psychology and life-long learning concepts. Selection and evaluation of materials and their use in designing and implementing an effective program of library services to adults.

*LIS 622 SOCIAL SCIENCE INFORMATION. (3)
The content and structure of bibliographic and other information resources in the social sciences. Consideration of formal and informal communication within the social sciences with emphasis on information sources and services in anthropology, history, business, law, political science, psychology, economics, education, geography, sociology, and other closely related subjects. Prereq: LIS 601.

*LIS 623 INFORMATION IN THE HUMANITIES. (3)
The content and structure of bibliographic and other information resources in the humanities. A consideration of formal and informal communication within the humanities with emphasis on information sources and services in religion, philosophy, literature, linguistics, visual arts, music, dance, theatre, film and other closely related subjects. Prereq: LIS 601.

*LIS 624 INFORMATION IN SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY. (3)
The content and structure of bibliographic and other information resources in science and technology. A consideration of formal and informal communication in science and technology with emphasis on sources and services in agriculture, astronomy, biology, chemistry, mathematics, natural resources, zoology, and other closely related subjects. Prereq: LIS 601.

*LIS 626 GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS. (3)
Study of the nature and scope of government documents, including problems and methods of acquisition, organization, and reference use of federal, state, local and international publications. Prereq: LIS 601 or equivalent.

*LIS 630 ONLINE INFORMATION SYSTEMS AND SERVICES. (3)
Focus on online information systems and services and their management in libraries and information centers. Consideration given to concepts of online information retrieval, major commercial information services, online public access catalogs, CD-ROM-based information systems, and basic online search techniques and strategies. Prereq: LIS 601; prereq or concur: LIS 602.

LIS 636 MICROCOMPUTERS IN LIBRARIES AND INFORMATION CENTERS. (3)
Examines microcomputer software applications commonly used in libraries and information centers. Consideration given to the structure of microcomputer operating systems, and the elements of software evaluation.

LIS 637 INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY. (3)
Study of computer and communication technology used in modern information storage and retrieval systems. Consideration also given to managing microcomputer services, hardware evaluation and selection, and system security.

LIS 638 INTERNET TECHNOLOGIES AND INFORMATION SERVICES. (3)
A course examining the structure, development and evolution of the Internet; network protocols and client/server architecture issues; Web page design, authoring, and evaluation; the use of the Internet as an information storage and retrieval system; recent advances in HTML and scripting languages; and Internet related social issues such as censorship and copyright. Prereq: LIS 636 or consent of instructor.

*LIS 640 HEALTH SCIENCES LIBRARIES. (3)
A survey of health sciences libraries including a study of information needs, sources, and services in the health sciences. Consideration is also given to technical services functions in health sciences libraries, the management of health sciences libraries, and current trends and developments. Prereq: LIS 601.

LIS 641 LAW LIBRARIANSHIP. (3)
A study of the materials of legal research and reference work. Emphasis is placed on the methods of effective research and the actual use of legal materials in the solution of practical reference problems. The selection, cataloging, classification, and storage of materials in a law collection are considered. The specialized requirements of law librarianship and law library administration are treated. Prereq: Consent of instructor.

*LIS 643 ARCHIVES AND MANUSCRIPTS MANAGEMENT. (3)
This course is designed to cover the management, care, and servicing of manuscript and archival material. Attention will also be given to criteria for building an archival/manuscript collection in a repository and to the description and interpretation of its holdings in guides and catalogs for the use of researchers. Prereq: LIS 602 or consent of instructor.

*LIS 644 ADMINISTRATION OF SCHOOL LIBRARY MEDIA CENTERS. (3)
Examines the philosophy, theory, and practice of administration of school library media centers. Prerequisites: LIS 601, LIS 602, and LIS 610. Prereq: LIS 610 or concur: LIS 602.

*LIS 645 PUBLIC LIBRARIES. (3)
An analysis of public library objectives and of the services provided and techniques employed to achieve them. Some attention is given to special problems of public library management and to trends in public library development. Prereq: LIS 600.

*LIS 646 ACADEMIC LIBRARIES. (3)
History, aims and functions of university and college libraries including organization, collection building and evaluation, finance and personnel. Recent trends in national and regional cooperation. Undergraduate libraries, community colleges and the “library college” will also be reviewed. Prereq: LIS 600.

LIS 647 CURRENT TRENDS IN SCHOOL MEDIA CENTERS. (3)
An intensive study of trends in school media centers with emphasis on research, technology, and the role of the school media specialist in the school curriculum.

*LIS 650 TECHNICAL PROCESSING SYSTEMS. (3)
A survey of manual and computer-based technical processing systems in libraries. Consideration given to circulation, acquisitions, cataloging and serial control systems. Trends and developments in technical processing, files and records management, and technical processing procedures and activities are examined. Prereq: LIS 603 and LIS 655.

LIS 656 ORGANIZATION OF KNOWLEDGE II. (3) In-depth coverage of the theories and practice of bibliographic description and subject analysis. Covers the organization of both print and electronic information and authority control. Emphasis is on problems in practice, special case studies, current issues and future trends of description, subject analysis and online authority control. Prereq: LIS 602, LIS 655.

*LIS 659 COLLECTION DEVELOPMENT. (3) Intellectual and administrative aspects of building, maintaining and evaluating library collections. Topics include: library cooperation; national standards; the writing and implementation of collection policies; strategies of selection and evaluation; contemporary publishing and the book trade. Prereq: LIS 601.

*LIS 660 ADMINISTRATIVE BEHAVIOR IN LIBRARY MANAGEMENT. (3) An emphasis upon human behavior in library administration including an understanding of group process, interpersonal relationships, communications, motivation, leadership, and developing an awareness of self in the administrative process. Prereq: LIS 603.

LIS 668 INFORMATION SYSTEMS DESIGN. (3) Study of concepts and methods of information system design and development with particular relevance to library and information center applications. Emphasis is given to modeling of system functions, data, and processes of computer-based information systems including the development of small scale information systems. Prereq: LIS 636.

LIS 675 PROFESSIONAL FIELD EXPERIENCE. (3) Professional field experience in a library or other information-related organization. Student assumes entry level professional duties and responsibilities in an operational setting under the close supervision of an information professional. Available only to those students lacking similar experience and may not be repeated. Requires minimum of 140 hours of experiential learning, and the completion of a term paper or special project under the direction of the course coordinator. Prereq: Completion of 18 hours of graduate work in library and information science and consent of course coordinator.

LIS 676 SCHOOL MEDIA PRACTICUM. (1-12) Supervised experience at the elementary and secondary levels in school library media centers. Required for students seeking certification as school/media librarians in Kentucky. Experience will be under the joint supervision of college faculty and cooperating media librarians. Prereq: Admission to Teacher Education Program and consent of instructor.

LIS 690 SPECIAL TOPICS IN LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE. (1-3) Intensive study of one aspect of library and information science under the leadership of an authority in the area. May be repeated to a maximum of six semester hours when topics vary.

LIS 695 INDEPENDENT STUDY IN LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE. (3) Opportunities for directed study in subjects or problems of interest to a student. Observation and research required, and a written report describing the work accomplished. Prereq: Consent of instructor.

LIS 748 MASTER’S THESIS RESEARCH. (0) Half-time to full-time work on thesis. May be repeated to a maximum of six semesters. Prereq: All course work toward the degree must be completed.

LIS 768 RESIDENCE CREDIT FOR THE MASTER’S DEGREE. (1-6) May be repeated to a maximum of 12 hours.