

UNIVERSITY SENATE ROUTING LOG

Proposal Title: Approval of International Trade Law as a Permanent Course
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Instruction: To facilitate the processing of this proposal please identify the groups or individuals reviewing the proposal, identify a contact person for each entry, provide the consequences of the review (specifically, approval, rejection, no decision and vote outcome, if any) and please attach a copy of any report or memorandum developed with comments on this proposal.

Reviewed by: (Chairs, Directors, Faculty Groups, Faculty Councils, Committees, etc)	Contact person Name (phone/email)	Consequences of Review:	Date of Proposal Review	Review Summary Attached? (yes or no)
College of Law Curriculum Committee	Michael P. Healy 257-3636 healym@email.uky.edu	Approval of Course	March 2, 2007	No
College of Law Faculty	Michael P. Healy 257-3636 healym@email.uky.edu	Approval of Course	April 12, 2007	Faculty Meeting Minutes Attached

APPLICATION FOR NEW COURSE

1. Submitted by College of Law Date September 21, 2007
 Department/Division offering course Law

2. Proposed designation and Bulletin description of this course

a. Prefix and Number LAW 924 b. Title* International Trade Law

*NOTE: If the title is longer than 24 characters (including spaces), write

A sensible title (not exceeding 24 characters) for use on transcripts _____

c. Lecture/Discussion hours per week 3 d. Laboratory hours per week NA

e. Studio hours per week NA f. Credits 3

g. Course description

This is a survey course on the legal regime of the World Trade Organization ("WTO"), which stands at the center of the current international debate about "globalization." The course will examine, among other things, the legal structure of the WTO, dispute settlement, most favored nation and national treatment principles, trade in services, trade-related aspects of intellectual property rights, and linkages/conflicts between trade regulation and environmental protection, labor standards and other important areas of domestic policy. In addition, we will discuss various "hot topics" in international trade law, including the North-South divide over trade in agricultural products; national restrictions on importation of genetically modified organisms; the availability of patented pharmaceuticals in least developed countries; and "cultural" limits on trade in audiovisual products such as films, videos, and television programming.

h. Prerequisites (if any)
None

i. May be repeated to a maximum of NA (if applicable)

4. To be cross-listed as NA
 Prefix and Number Signature, Chairman, cross-listing department

5. Effective Date Fall 2008 (semester and year)

6. Course to be offered Fall Spring Summer

7. Will the course be offered each year? Yes No
 (Explain if not annually)

8. Why is this course needed?

This course fills a basic need in the College of Law's curriculum. The course has been offered as an experimental course and there is significant student interest in the course. The course will supplement other recent offerings in the international law area.

9. a. By whom will the course be taught? Professor Mark Kightlinger

b. Are facilities for teaching the course now available?
If not, what plans have been made for providing them?

X Yes No

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10. What enrollment may be reasonably anticipated? Approximately 20 students. Class will be offered once each year.

11. Will this course serve students in the Department primarily? Yes No

Will it be of service to a significant number of students outside the Department?
If so, explain. Yes No

The course may be of some interest to students in the Patterson School.

Will the course serve as a University Studies Program course? Yes No

If yes, under what Area? _____

12. Check the category most applicable to this course

traditional; offered in corresponding departments elsewhere;

relatively new, now being widely established

not yet to be found in many (or any) other universities

13. Is this course applicable to the requirements for at least one degree or certificate at the University of Kentucky? Yes No

14. Is this course part of a proposed new program:
If yes, which? Yes No

15. Will adding this course change the degree requirements in one or more programs?
If yes, explain the change(s) below (NOTE – If “yes,” a program change form must also be submitted.) Yes No

16. Attach a list of the major teaching objectives of the proposed course and outline and/or reference list to be used.
See attached syllabus.

18. If the course is 400G or 500 level, include syllabi or course statement showing differentiation for undergraduate and graduate students in assignments, grading criteria, and grading scales. Check here if 400G-500.

19. Within the Department, who should be contacted for further information about the proposed course?

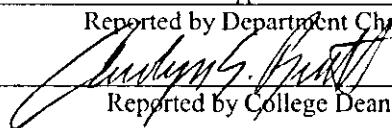
Name

Michael P. Healy, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs

Phone Extension 257-3636

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Signatures of Approval:

Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Date of Approval by Department Faculty	Reported by Department Chair
April 12, 2007	 Reported by College Dean
Date of Approval by College Faculty	Reported by Undergraduate Council Chair
*Date of Approval by Undergraduate Council	Reported by Graduate Council Chair
*Date of Approval by Graduate Council	Reported by HCCC Chair
*Date of Approval by Health Care Colleges Council (HCCC)	Reported by Senate Council Office
*Date of Approval by Senate Council	Reported by Senate Council Office
*Date of Approval by University Senate	Reported by Senate Council Office

*If applicable, as provided by the Rules of the University Senate

**UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY
COLLEGE OF LAW**

**MINUTES OF FACULTY MEETING
April 12, 2007**

Attending: Dean Vestal; Associate Deans Bakert and Healy; Professors Ausness, H. Davis, M. Davis, Dennis, Fortune, Frost, Gaetke, Graham, Huberfeld, Kightlinger, Lawson, K. Moore, Price, Ringhand, and Welling; Curriculum Committee Student Representative L. Middleton.

- 1) The faculty undertook consideration of and action regarding proposals by the Curriculum Committee, including the following:
 - a) Approval of Permanent Courses
 - i) Immigration Law – Passed
 - ii) International Trade Law – Passed
 - iii) Internet Law – Passed
 - iv) Medical Liability – Passed
 - v) Patent Law – Passed
 - vi) Race, Racism, and the Criminal Law – Passed
 - b) Amendments to *Kentucky Law Journal* Constitution (see attached)
 - i) Business Manager elected by out-going board members – Passed
 - ii) Journal Membership/Writing Competition Process – Passed
 - c) Addition of Course Prerequisite (Capital Punishment) or Instructor Approval for Capital Punishment Seminar – Passed
 - d) Fall 2007 Enrollment in Non-Law Course (GWS 595) by Rising 3L Mindy Calisti – Passed
 - e) Amendment of Faculty Average Grade Rule (see attached) – Passed
The new rule will be effective as of Fall 2007, and Dean Vestal committed to conduct a data review in Fall 2008 to determine the effect of the rule change on academic status.

2) The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,

Andrea L. Dennis
Secretary

INTRODUCTORY HANDOUT

I. Course Materials

JACKSON, DAVEY, SYKES, LEGAL PROBLEMS OF INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC RELATIONS (2002)
plus the 2005 Update (to be distributed electronically)

JACKSON, DAVEY, SYKES, 2002 DOCUMENTS SUPPLEMENT

II. Grading and Examinations

A student may be graded in this course in one of two ways. First, a student's grade may be determined by her/his performance on a final written examination currently scheduled to be given on Tuesday, May 2, at 1:30 PM. The examination will be graded anonymously. The examination will last three hours, and it is likely to combine essay and short answer questions. Alternatively, a student's grade may be determined by his/her work on a paper of at least 20-25 pages in length that analyzes in some detail an issue in international trade law while indicating the student's overall grasp of the field. Students wishing to pursue the paper option should speak with the instructor early in the semester.

III. Academic Offenses

Any student found guilty of cheating on the final exam or the final paper under the procedures of the College of Law's Honor Code will receive a failing grade for the course. Additionally, further sanctions, including suspension or expulsion from the college, may be imposed.

IV. Class Attendance and Tardiness

A. Faculty's Excessive Absence Rule. In accordance with law faculty rules, class attendance is mandatory. The excessive absence rule of the law faculty will be enforced. Any student absent from 8 or more classes, for any reason (whether excused or unexcused), will be disqualified from taking the final examination or submitting a final paper and will not receive credit for this course.

B. Tardiness. The instructor will take attendance at the beginning of class. If you are late for class, you probably will have been marked absent. If you have what you believe is a good excuse for being late, you may offer that excuse to the instructor at the end of that class. In that case, the instructor in his discretion may decide to delete the recorded absence if you were in attendance for a reasonable portion of the class.

V. Course Content

We will attempt to cover a substantial part of the content of the Jackson, Davey & Sykes casebook (roughly 700 pages in total) plus related materials in the 2005 Update to the casebook. Assignment sheets covering the reading for each month will be distributed at or before the beginning of the month. The first such assignment sheet is attached to this document.

INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW
LAW 900-002

PROF. KIGHTLINGER
SPRING 2006

ASSIGNMENT SHEET 4

Week 12 (Mar. 28-31)

- Mar. 28: pp. 604-607; 642-675 (plus 2005 Update p. 69)
Escape Clauses, Safeguards, and Adjustment Policies
- Mar. 31: pp. 853-863; 885-894
Trade in Services

Week 13 (Apr. 4-7)

- Apr. 4: pp. 894-912 (plus 2005 Update p. 97); 1136-1146
Trade in Services
Trade and Investment (TRIMs)
- Apr. 7: pp. 921-942
Issues re Trade in Intellectual Property

Week 14 (Apr. 11-14)

- Apr. 11: pp. 942-964
Issues re Trade in Intellectual Property
- Apr. 14: pp. 964-997; 1221, 1225-1227
TRIPs
Possible Revisions of TRIPs to Combat Diseases in Developing Countries

Week 15 (Apr. 18-21)

- Apr. 18: pp. 997-1026
Trade Policy and the Environment
- Apr. 21: pp. 1026-1045
Trade Policy, Human Rights and Workers' Rights