



Summer Term 2022

Make UCONN Law part of your summer!

Summer Term Classes Offer:

Great way to catch up, or get ahead on credits: Classes range from 1-2 credits. Take one class or take several!

Unique offerings: Summer is a great time to experience new curricular choices not offered during the fall or spring terms.

Convenience: Many classes are offered remotely and allow for attendance even by those with busy daytime schedules.

Join Us! Course Work is Open to:

Students enrolled in an ABA Accredited Law School

UCONN Graduate Students

Members of the Bar

Connecticut Residents Age 62 and Older

**The Over 62 Waiver is not available for summer courses which are billed as fees, not as tuition.*

Two Summer Sessions:

Summer Session I: May 23, 2022 – June 24, 2022

Summer Session II: July 5, 2022 – August 5, 2022

** Some Courses will meet on an abbreviated schedule.*

CHECK BACK! ADDITIONAL COURSES CAN BE ADDED

Course Information:

Course Information Summer Session I:

Practice Ready Research (LAW7935-L15)

Anne Rajotte

1 credit

Asynchronous Offering

05/23/2022 – 06/10/2022

This course is designed to provide students with the research skills to be successful in their summer work and beyond. The course focuses on advanced research techniques in sources frequently used in the practice of law and will expose students to free, low-cost and for-free online legal and non-legal

resources. This course is not open to students who have successfully completed or are currently enrolled in Advanced Legal Research.

Space Law (LAW7476-L15)

Steven Mirmina

2 credits

05/23/2022 – 06/24/2022

Wednesday 6:00-8:00pm

Final Exam: June 29, 2022 6:00pm

Remote Offering

Students will also be required to view pre-recorded/posted videos.

This seminar deals with topics such as liability for damages caused by space objects, exploration and use of outer space resources, rescue of astronauts launched into outer space, space debris, NASA and the International Space Station, commercial space operations, U.S. Government agencies involved in outer space, military uses of outer space, and the U.N. Committee for Peaceful Uses of Outer Space.

Advanced Legal Writing (LAW7840-L15)

Maureen Johnson

2 credits

05/23/2022 – 06/24/2022

Tuesday 6:30-9:15pm

Live, On-Campus Offering

Students will also be required to meet synchronously, remotely with the instructor.

In this course, students will practice and improve their legal writing and editing skills. Each student will complete writing assignments designed to simulate the types of writing typically required of attorneys. Some assignments will be evaluated by the professor and some by the student through self-evaluation. The course may be taken in satisfaction of the upper level writing requirement.

**This course is limited to 12 students. Enrollment will be determined by a lottery conducted April 1st. Limited priority will be given to evening students.*

Animal Law (LAW7758-L15)

Tara Cooley

2 credits

05/23/2022 – 06/24/2022

Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 6:00pm - 8:00pm

Remote Offering

This course provides an introduction to the law regulating human interaction with animals, an area of growing practical and conceptual interest. Specific issues considered include: the definition of "animal" in anti-cruelty statutes; tort liability for injuries caused by and to animals; veterinary malpractice; trusts and estates issues arising from efforts to direct disposition of animals; the problem of standing in animal-related litigation; constitutional protections for animal owners and animal protection groups; the nuances of various federal laws including the Animal Welfare Act and the Endangered Species Act; and legal issues surrounding animal experimentation, recent efforts at animal cloning and other advances in genomic and neuroscience.

UCONN Law students may satisfy the Practice Based Learning Requirement by enrolling in the additional clinic component for an additional 1 credit (LAW7384-L15). This will require on-campus class meetings on Tuesday 8:00pm - 9:00pm as well as (3) court appearances that are scheduled 9:00am-12:00pm

**The clinical component is limited to four students. A lottery will be held to determine student enrollment based on requests received by April 1, 2022. Preference will be given to current evening students.*

Course Information Summer Session II:

Research for Social Justice (LAW7349-L15)

Tanya Johnson

1 credit (2nd credit option available)

Asynchronous Offering

07/05/2022 – 08/05/2022

For many of the same reasons that the law is slow and difficult to change, the systems and strategies underlying legal research are similarly limited, and often exacerbate the problem. This research course is designed for students interested in social justice issues and will enable students to critically assess how their own research practices may be limiting their ability to effectively advocate for change. Topics covered include criticisms of standard legal research strategies and technologies as well as alternative and critical legal research practices. Students will be evaluated based on short assignments and a final annotated bibliography and research log. For an additional credit, students may write a paper based on their research. This is a supplement to courses such as Advanced Legal Research and Practice Ready Research; although some background knowledge of legal research resources and strategies is necessary, and advanced knowledge will be helpful, no courses beyond the 1L curriculum are required.

Advanced Civil Procedure: Discovery

Richard Luedeman

2 credits

07/05/2022 – 08/05/2022

Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 5:45pm – 7:45pm

Remote Offering

Take Home Exam (Self Scheduled: August 5 – 10, 2022)

Pass/Fail Grading Option

Enrollment Limited to 18 Students

**A lottery will be held to determine student enrollment based on requests received by April 1, 2022.*

This course will examine in depth the procedural rules that govern discovery in civil litigation. Discovery is an enormous part of most litigators' practices, yet the topic typically receives scant if any coverage in introductory civil procedure courses. Specific topics to be covered include: discovery plans, mandatory disclosures, discovery objections, privileges, interrogatories, production requests, depositions, experts, subpoenas, and sanctions.

Course Information Summer Session I and II:

Individual Field Placement Seminar (LAW7979-L15)

Eva Jacobson

1 credit

Wednesday 4:15pm – 5:45pm

Remote Offering

05/23/2022 – 08/05/2022

This course is open to UCONN Law students seeking to satisfy the Practice Based Learning Requirement. In addition to this seminar, students are required to enroll in an individual field placement (LAW7976) for a minimum of 3 credits (168 hours). Placement opportunities may be arranged through the Assistant Dean for Experiential Learning.

This is an optional seminar for students concurrently enrolled in an individual field placement, but it is required for any student seeking to have the field placement satisfy the Practice-Based Learning Requirement. The seminar will explore practical, ethical, and professional-role issues that students are likely to encounter in their field placement. Through assigned readings, class discussions and role-play exercises, students will learn to navigate a legal office environment; to detect, diagnose and effectively respond to problems that arise; to form and nurture rewarding professional relationships; and to derive the maximum possible educational benefit from their field placement. Students will be required to reflect critically on their field placement experience and systematically evaluate its effectiveness in developing their substantive knowledge, practice skills, and professional identity. The seminar will also help students use their field placement to maximize opportunities for subsequent employment placement and career advancement. In order to participate in this seminar, students must simultaneously enroll in an individual field placement of at least three (3) credits. The seminar instructor will serve as the faculty advisor for the student's individual field placement. Enrolled students must attend the mandatory field placement orientation program. Co-requisite: Individual Field Placement (LAW 7996).

Ready to Enroll

Please use the [online registration form](#).

Financial Information:

Tuition, Fees, Payment and Refund Deadlines

Summer Term courses are paid on a per-credit basis for in-state and out-of-state students.

The course fees are:

- a one-time \$30 technology fee
- \$1,112 per credit for JD and non-current law students
- \$1,276 per credit for U.S. Legal Studies LLM students, Energy & Environmental Law LLM students, Human Rights LLM students, and Governance, Risk Management & Compliance LLM students.
- \$1,326 per credit for Insurance LLM students

Payment for Summer Session I is due by May 20, 2022.

Payment for Summer Session II is due by July 1, 2022.

Late fees will be applied.

Course Fee Refund Schedule:

- Summer Session I

Last Day to Drop & Receive full refund (100%) is May 23, 2022.

No refund for courses dropped after May 27, 2022.

- Summer Session II

Last Day to Drop & Receive full refund (100%) is July 5, 2022.

No refund for courses dropped after July 8, 2022.

Payment Methods:

The University offers a number of payment options. More information may be found on the [University Bursar's webpage](#).

Summer Financial Aid:

Scholarships and grants are not available for summer terms. Current 1L evening division JD students are required to enroll in *Legal Practice: Negotiation* during Summer Session I. Private educational loans are available to eligible students for this required 2-credit course.

For students enrolling in a minimum of 6 credits, Federal Grad Plus loans may be available.

Waivers:

For more information on tuition and fee waivers, please visit the [University Bursar's Webpage](#).