

IMMIGRATION LAW & PROCEDURE

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COURSE SYLLABUS

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COURSE MATERIALS

Immigration and Citizenship Process and Policy, Aleinikoff, Martin, Motomura & Fullerton, 6th Ed. (Text)

REQUIREMENTS

Special project & final open book exam.

Lesson 1 August 31 st , 2010	Overview of law and course Key concepts	Text: Pgs. 157-190 <i>U.S. v. Arizona</i>
Lesson 2 September 2 nd , 2010	Immigration and the Constitution: Sources of (and Limits to) Federal Immigration Power.	Text: Pgs. 193-232, 701-707
Lesson 3 September 7 th , 2010	Immigration Categories: Fundamentals about Quotas and Preferences. Family-Based Immigration.	Text: Pgs. 296-306; 326-344
Lesson 4 September 14 th , 2010	Immigrant Categories: Employment-Based Immigration	Text: Pgs. 358-367; 379-380; 386-396
Lesson 5 September 16 th , 2010	Grounds of Deportability and Inadmissibility Waivers of Inadmissibility	Text: Pgs. 507-522; 523-524; 531-534; 552-557; 564-588

Lesson 6 September 21 st , 2010	Immigration Consequences of Criminal Activity	Text: Pgs. 730-769
Lesson 7 September 23 rd , 2010	Admission, Expedited Removal and Arriving Aliens	Text: Pgs. 396-416; 417-428; 437-438
Lesson 8 September 28 th , 2010	Nonimmigrants	Text: Pgs. 590-625; 642-646; 663-665; 677-684
Lesson 9 September 30 th , 2010	Introduction to Removal and Removal Defense	Text: Pgs. 693-725
Lesson 10 October 5 th , 2010	Removal Procedure: Representation, Evidence and Burdens of Proof	Text: Pgs. 1027-1061

Lesson 11 October 7 th , 2010	Removal Procedure and Relief from Deportation: Cancellation of Removal Adjustment of Status	Text: Pgs. 789-811; 656-662
Lesson 12 October 12 th , 2010	Refugee & Asylum, Overview, Definitions & Procedure. Withholding of Removal and the Convention Against Torture (CAT)	Text: Pgs. 828-837; 845-847; 849-853; 947-949
Lesson 13 October 14 th , 2010	Asylum-Burden of Proof, Credibility, Bars & Discretion	Text: 859-861; 877-887; 930-932; 940-947
Lesson 14 October 19 th , 2010	Asylum: Nexus to a Protected Ground; Developing a Theory of the Case The Evolution of the Particular Social Group	Text: Pgs. 887-893 <i>Matter of Acosta</i> <i>Matter of S-E-G-</i> <i>Matter of E-A-G-</i>

Lesson 15 October 21 st , 2010	Film: <i>Well Founded Fear</i>	
Lesson 17 October 26 th , 2010	Humanitarian Relief: Temporary Protected Status, Violence Against Women's Act (VAWA), NACARA, HRIFA, U and T visas	TBA
Lesson 16 October 28 th , 2010	Detention Restraints on Judicial Review and the Death (?) of Habeas Corpus	Text: Pgs. 1097-1137; 1148-1157; 1168-1169
Lesson 18 November 2 nd , 2010	The Debate Over Comprehensive Immigration Reform and State/Local Enforcement of Federal Immigration Law	

Lesson 19 November 9 th , 2010	Review and Wrap-Up	
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