## **Trials and Tribulations**

University of American Samoa School of Law Fall 2024 Monday, Wednesday, & Friday 1:30–3:15 pm Room 207

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### **Description**

In this course, you will learn about the difficulties of practicing law. This course is intended to prepare you for legal practice by developing the knowledge and skill required to recognize and analyze legal issues, advise your client about those issues and available options, negotiate on behalf of your client in transactions, and advocate for your client in litigation.

#### **Materials**

#### Required

Saul Goodman, Trials & Tribulations: An Absurdist Casebook.

#### Suggested

Saul Goodman, Devil's Advocate: How I Represented the Devil without Losing my Soul (2023)

#### **Policies**

#### Grading

Your final grade for the term will be based on a midterm (40% total) and a final exam (60%).

# **Schedule & Assignments**

| Date       | Topic                            | Assignment                                 |
|------------|----------------------------------|--|
| August 28  | Introduction<br>Devil's Advocacy | Casebook, Chapter 1<br>Casebook, Chapter 2 |
| October 4  | Midterm                          |  |
| December 4 | Final Exam                       |  |