

## **CIVIL RIGHTS LITIGATION**

**24 IRTS 701**

**Call # 000064**

**Semester:** Fall 2011

**Professor:** Miller

**Credits:** 3 Classroom

**Primary Basis for the Grade:** Tentatively exam; Letter grade

**Prerequisites:** Constitutional Law

**Enrollment:** Open

**Meets the Seminar Requirement?** No

**Meets the Writing Requirement?** No

**Meets Client Counseling Requirement?** No

**Meeting Times:** T and H 3:05 – 4:30

**Location:** 104

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION:**

This course examines section 1983 of the U.S. Code, which allows private suits for deprivation of rights “secured by the Constitution and laws” of the United States. Defenses and immunities are explored, as are available remedies. Associated legislation dealing with housing, discrimination in contractual relations, employment discrimination, and voting rights is also examined.

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