

INNOCENCE PROJECT

Course Number: 24 IRTS 776 001 Call Number: 000010

Semester: Spring 2010

Professor: Godsey, Wood, Bergeron, Hall

Credits: 4 Non-classroom

Primary Basis for the Grade: to be announced

Prerequisites: selection to participate in the Innocence Project

Enrollment: By permission of instructor; Necessary enrollment to conclude course sequence.

Meets Seminar Requirement? No

Meets Writing Requirement? No

Meets Client Counseling Requirement? No

Meeting Times: F 12:10-1:30 and other times

Location: 302

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

The Ohio Innocence Project (OIP), a part of the Rosenthal Institute for Justice, harnesses the energy and intellect of students to identify inmates in Ohio prisons who are innocent of the crimes they were convicted of committing. Innocence is often determined by DNA testing, but can include other types of new evidence such as new witnesses, new expert testimony, or evidence of police misconduct. Once an inmate's innocence has been established through investigation, the OIP sends the case back to court and litigates in the hope of obtaining the inmate's freedom.

SPECIAL NOTES: Enrollment by permission of instructor.

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