

INTRODUCTION TO LAW & PSYCHIATRY

Course Number: 24 SPCL 706 Call Number: 000086

Semester: Fall 2011

Professor: Hunt

Credits: 3 Classroom

Primary Basis for the Grade: Tentatively Class participation, a seminar paper, and a class presentation.

Prerequisites: None

Enrollment: Limited to 15 students; Please complete a Limited Enrollment Lottery Form. (Weaver Fellows are required to take this class, but the remainder of the seats are available through the lottery to students interested in the course).

Meets Seminar Requirement? Yes

Meets Writing Requirement? Yes

Meets Client Counseling Requirement? No

Meeting Times: W 3:05-5:50

Location: 306

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

This course introduces the student to the issues arising from the interaction of mentally ill or incapacitated individuals with the American civil and criminal justice system. It also considers the practice and structure of the mental health profession.

SPECIAL NOTE: This class is required for Weaver Fellows.