

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: 118

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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