

LEGAL ETHICS Tentative
Course Number: PRSP 7015

Semester: Spring 2011

Professor: Bettman

Credits: 2 Classroom

Primary Basis for the Grade: tba; Letter Grade

Prerequisites: None

Enrollment: 2Ls are required to take this class in their second year. For the 2010/11 academic year, 3 or 4 sections of this class will be offered in the spring of 2011. 2L students must register for one of these classes. The sections of the class will have limited enrollments; Please complete the ethics lottery form.

Meets Seminar Requirement? No

Meets Writing Requirement? No

Meets Client Counseling Requirement? No

Meeting Times:

Location:

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

In this course, students consider the lawyer-client relationship in the context of realistic scenarios, evaluating the complex choices an ethical lawyer must make to establish an effective lawyer-client relationship. Following an examination of the ABA Model Rules and the Ohio Rules of Professional Conduct, students consider the ethical components of the lawyer-client relationship, with an emphasis on competency, confidentiality, and conflicts of interest.

SPECIAL NOTES:

This course is required to graduate and sit for most bar exams.