

VENTURE CAPITAL FINANCING AND PRIVATE EQUITY

Tentative

24 LITG 754

Semester: Spring 2011

Professor: Steiner

Credits: 3 Classroom

Primary Basis for the Grade: TBA

Prerequisites: Corporations I; Securities Regulation recommended but not required.

Enrollment: Open

Seminar? No

Writing Requirement? No

Meets Client Counseling Requirement? No

Meeting Times:

Location:

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

This intermediate/advanced course studies the venture capital (VC) and private equity (PE) industries. The emergence of institutional VC and PE firms in the 1990s will be highlighted, as well as the legal and economic structures of such firms. How VC/PE firms operate is the primary focus of the course, with emphasis on how VC/PE firms screen, select and value investee companies, transaction structures, "down" round financing issues and investment "exits." A knowledge of corporate and other business entity law is an essential prerequisite. Familiarity with accounting, finance and securities law will be helpful to the student in this course.

SPECIAL NOTES:

Last updated: 4-2-10 no