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## COURSE DESCRIPTION - FACULTY OF LAW

**PLEASE NOTE THIS DESCRIPTION IS FROM A PAST YEAR. A NEW ONE WILL BE POSTED ONCE IT IS RECEIVED. SOME OF THE INFORMATION DISPLAYED MAY NO LONGER APPLY.**

**COURSE NUMBER:** LAW 596:A2      **COURSE NAME:** ADVANCED TORTS

**PREREQUISITE COURSES:**

**PREREQUISITE FOR:** NONE

**CREDITS:** 3      **HOURS PER TERM:** 3      **TERM:** 1st      **MAXIMUM ENROLLMENT:** 25

**PROFESSORS:** LEWIS KLAR

**METHOD OF PRESENTATION:** LECTURE SEMINAR X      OTHER Classroom discussion

### **METHOD OF EVALUATION:**

The method of evaluation in this course is an examination.

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Advanced Torts will focus on topics not extensively covered in first year and will seek to cover some selected topics in depth. It is meant for students who are interested in the substantive law of torts and who wish to pursue this topic further. Topics to be covered may include, among others: Causation, Duty of Care, Vicarious Liability, Assessment of Damages, Government Liability, The Defence of Necessity, and the Duty to Assist. Other topics may be substituted, based on student interest

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### **\*SPECIAL COMMENTS:**

**EVENING CLASS:**

**SPECIAL**

**ATTENDANCE:**

**OTHER:**

**REQUIRED TEXTS (IF ANY):** Readings and cases as per topic. Most of the material can be found on-line and no casebook will be provided. Klar, Tort Law, 4<sup>th</sup> edition is recommended.