

**STRAUS INSTITUTE FOR DISPUTE RESOLUTION
2019 FALL COURSE SCHEDULE**

NOTICES

ADVANCE ASSIGNMENTS FOR INTENSIVE COURSES AND OBSERVANCE OF RELIGIOUS HOLIDAYS

A class syllabus including any advance reading and/or writing assignments for intensive classes will be emailed to students 3-4 weeks prior to the start of class. Please note that it is each student's responsibility to review the syllabus well before the class begins and complete any advance assignments. Students who show up the first day unprepared risk being dropped from the class.

If a student intends to miss one or more classes for religious observance in an intensive course (i.e., one that runs for a shorter period than a regular semester term), he or she must notify the Academic Dean prior to registering for that intensive course to determine whether such absences would fundamentally alter the nature of the intensive course.

RESCHEDULING EXAMS

While most Straus classes will require a final paper instead of a final exam, it is important for everyone to be aware of the exam rescheduling policy in the event you enroll in one or more classes with a final exam. Students may not petition to reschedule a final exam unless two final exams are to be taken on the same day. Therefore, it is important for you to pay attention to the final exam schedule when you are selecting your courses. Petitions to change one of two exams scheduled for the same day must be filed by the seventh week of classes. For additional details concerning the law school final exam policies go to <http://law.pepperdine.edu/academics/policy/>.

EXTERNSHIP ENROLLMENT

Students cannot register for externships through WaveNet. All students are required to have their externship placement confirmed before they can register. Please submit an add/drop registration form <https://law.pepperdine.edu/straus/academic-programs/externships/current-students.htm> to Joanna Reese at joanna.reese@pepperdine.edu or fax to (310) 506-4437 together with the placement information form <https://law.pepperdine.edu/straus/content/placementform.pdf>. All externships should be completed within the semester registered unless prior permission has been granted for extended time. A full description of the externship requirements are available on our web site at: <https://law.pepperdine.edu/straus/academic-programs/externships>.

LL.M. INDEPENDENT STUDY ENROLLMENT

Students needing to enroll in a required LL.M. Independent Study Project need to speak with Professor Sarah Park prior to enrolling.

NEW ADJUNCT FACULTY MEMBERS

Leonardo D'Urso is a full-time mediator, co-founder and CEO of ADR Center (a leading European mediation provider based in Rome, Italy), scientific expert of the Working Group on Mediation of CEPEJ at the Council of Europe, Problem-solving Expert of the Project Complaint Mechanism (PCM) of the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD) and member of the Board of Director of the Weinstein International Foundation – Mediating a Better Future. With more than 20 years' experience in the field of Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR), he has mediated over 1.200 national and international complex civil and commercial mediations and facilitated various public dialogue processes. In the field of consulting, his current focus is developing ADR strategic policies for Governments and Ministries of Justice and drafting effective legislative frameworks to increase the recourse to mediation.

Since 1998, he has been nominated team leader and senior expert in several international projects on ADR in Africa, Asia, Central America and Europe. In particular, he has been one of the leading experts in the two-year successful project for

the creation of the first mediation center for commercial dispute in Kabul, Afghanistan and previously in a project aimed to create three court-annexed mediation pilot programs in the states of Abia, Kaduna and Lagos in Nigeria. The most recent projects aimed to draft mediation legislative reforms and implement capacity building in the Republics of Azerbaijan, Serbia, Moldova and in Pakistan and Turkey based on the Italian Mediation Model.

Author of several publications on negotiation and mediation, Leonardo has lectured on Negotiation and Mediation Techniques at a number of universities, Chambers of Commerce and multinational corporations. In the last 20 years, he has been speaker in hundreds of conferences and workshops in the field of negotiation, mediation and ADR. In Rome, Leonardo teaches at LUISS University a course on "Negotiation and Conflict Resolution". With ADR Center, he is the co-organizer of the Italian editions of the workshop PON Global offered by the Program on Negotiation at Harvard Law School.

Shaphan Roberts is the Director for Los Angeles City Attorney's Dispute Resolution Program and has earned his MBA from Pepperdine University's PKE program. Mr. Roberts manages the coordination of all programmatic aspects of the Dispute Resolution Program, including community mediation, the Community Police Unification (CPU) Program, and growth of the program in line with the goals of the City Attorney's Community Justice Initiative.

Mr. Roberts also serves as the head liaison with public and private alternative dispute resolution programs; with federal, state, and local agencies, colleges, and universities; and with restorative justice entities and other community-based organizations. Additionally, he manages the recruitment, training and certification of the DRP's volunteer mediator workforce.

The DRP office features an award-winning training module, which is responsible for teaching community members the core functions of alternative dispute resolution.

Most recently, Mr. Roberts lead an inter-agency collaboration between the Los Angeles City Attorney's Office and the Los Angeles Police Department to develop and implement a 36-month pilot program currently known as the CPU Program, the City's award winning community police mediation program. The CPU aims to create a better understanding between the police department and the community it serves by creating an opportunity to bring community members and law enforcement together to mediate selected complaints of biased policing or discourtesy. As part of his efforts in this area, he spearheaded the design of the program's Responsivity Tool which aids in an informed matching of mediators with mediation participants.

After navigating to completion the successful pilot program, the Los Angeles Police Commission unanimously passed a resolution recommending the permanent adoption of the Community Police Unification (CPU) Program.

SCHOOL OF LAW CALENDAR

Any questions regarding courses should be directed to the Academic Dean's office.
Some changes in the course schedule may be required.
Classes will be held on all holidays unless noted below.

SCHOOL OF LAW FALL 2019 SCHEDULE

<http://law.pepperdine.edu/academics/calendar/>

August	12-16	First-year student Launch Week (required for 1L students)
	16	1L JD Classes begin
	19	Fall semester classes begin for all other students
	30	Add/Drop period ends (externships included)
	30	Last day to drop classes without a "W" appearing on transcript
	30	Last day to withdraw with tuition refunded at 100% (No "W" on Transcript)
September	2	Holiday - Labor Day (no classes)
	6	Last day to withdraw with tuition refunded at 75% ("W" on Transcript)
	13	Last day to withdraw with tuition refunded at 50% ("W" on Transcript)
	20	Last day to withdraw with tuition refunded at 25% ("W" on Transcript)
	21	Tuition refund no longer available
October	4	Last day to petition for change in final examination schedule
	4	University Faculty Conference (no classes) <i>Note: Straus classes will meet on 10/4</i>
November	5	Election Community Service Day (programming, no classes)
	26	Last day to elect High Pass/Pass/Credit/Fail for semester-length courses. The last day for all other courses is the last day on which the class is held.
	26	Last day of classes
December	9	Final examination period begins
	20	Final examination period ends
	21	Winter holiday begins

STRAUS WINTER INTENSIVE 2020 SCHEDULE

December 30, 2019 – January 3, 2020

(Note classes will not meet on January 1, 2020)

Additional information including course descriptions and faculty bios is available at:<http://law.pepperdine.edu/straus/>

October		Registration for Winter Intensive begins
December	30	Winter Intensive Classes Begin
	30	Tuition refund no longer available
	30	Add/Drop Period Ends
January	1	Holiday – no classes
	3	Last day of Winter Intensive Classes

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SCHOOL OF LAW SPRING 2020 SCHEDULE

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January	6	Spring semester classes begin
	6	Add/Drop period begins
	17	Add/Drop period ends
	17	Externship Registration Deadline
	17	Last day to drop classes without a "W" appearing on Transcript
	17	Last day to withdraw with tuition refunded at 100% (No "W" on Transcript)
	17	Permission required for add/drop
	20	Holiday - Martin Luther King, Jr. (no classes)
	24	Last day to withdraw with tuition refunded at 75% ("W" on Transcript)
	31	Last day to withdraw with tuition refunded at 50% ("W" on Transcript)
February	7	Last day to withdraw with tuition refunded at 25% ("W" on Transcript)
	8	Tuition refund no longer available
	21	Last day to petition for change in final examination schedule
March	9-13	Study/Interview Break – 2 nd & 3 rd year students (no classes) Appellate Brief Project – 1 st year students (no classes)
April	20	Last day of Spring classes
	20	Last day to elect High Pass/Pass/Credit/Fail for semester-length courses.
	20	The last day for all other courses is the last day on which the class is held.
	27	Final Examination Period begins
May	8	Final Examination Period ends
	15	Graduation

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2019 FALL COURSE SCHEDULE

August 19 – November 26, 2019

MALIBU CAMPUS

<u>Course #</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Units</u> <u>Time</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Room</u>	<u>Exam</u>
LAW 181.01 CLASS# 2840	LEGAL RESEARCH AND WRITING I FOR STRAUS STUDENTS S. PARK	UNITS: 2 1:40—3:00pm	M/W	F	NONE
LAW 1932.01 CLASS# 2843	DIVORCE AND FAMILY MEDIATION* A. MILLER <i>Prerequisites: Law 1492 Negotiation Theory and Practice and Law 1422 Mediation Theory and Practice and suggested: Law 102 Family Law.</i>	UNITS:2 3:50-5:50pm	M	G	NONE
LAW 380.01 CLASS# 2613	MEDIATION CLINIC* S. BLONDELL	UNITS: 2 3:50-5:50pm 8:30am-4:30pm	M	SR-4	NONE
	SAT (8/17) [CANCELLED] <i>Prerequisites: Law 1492 Negotiation Theory and Practice and Law 1422 Mediation Theory and Practice.</i> CANCELLED: This course requires a mandatory intensive skills boot camp on Saturday, August 17th from 8:30 am—4:30 pm. The Mediation Clinic offers students the opportunity to mediate actual disputes. The Clinic will require 2 hours of class time weekly (scheduled) and approximately 4 hours of fieldwork per week. Students are advised to leave one morning time block in their schedule to accommodate mediations at various courthouses throughout Los Angeles County, one of which must be in the morning. Graded HP/P/CR/F.				
LAW 2912.01 CLASS# 2911	INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL ARBITRATION AND THE NATIONAL COURTS J. COE	UNITS: 2 4:00-8:00pm 8:30am-12:30pm	M	SR2	NONE
	SAT (Oct. 26 and Nov. 16) <i>Prerequisites: Law 2902 International Commercial Arbitration Procedure and Practice or Law 2832 International Commercial Arbitration Theory and Doctrine or 372 International Commercial Arbitration.</i> Special Format This class will meet on five Monday nights (Oct. 21, 28, Nov. 4, 11, 18) and two half Saturdays (Oct. 26 and Nov. 16).				
LAW 1492.01 CLASS# 2592	NEGOTIATION THEORY AND PRACTICE* S. SAXER	UNITS: 2 5:30-9:30pm 8:30am-5:30pm	M	SR-1	NONE
	SAT Special Format: This class will meet on five Monday nights (Aug. 26, Sept. 9, 16, 23, 30) and one Saturday (Sept. 28)				
LAW 1492.06 CLASS# 3689	NEGOTIATION THEORY AND PRACTICE* D. DOWLING	UNITS: 2 5:30-9:30pm 8:30am-5:30pm	M	E	NONE
	SAT Special Format: This class will meet on five Monday nights (Aug. 26, Sept. 9, 16, 23, 30) and one Saturday (Sept. 28)				
LAW 1422.03 CLASS# 2912	MEDIATION THEORY AND PRACTICE* S. HAUSNER	UNITS: 5:30-9:30pm 8:30am-5:30pm	M	SR-1	NONE
	SAT B Special Format: This class will meet on five Monday nights (Oct. 7, 14, 21, 28, Nov. 4) and one Saturday (Nov. 2)				

LAW 325.01 CLASS# 2900	FAIR EMPLOYMENT AND HOUSING MEDIATION CLINIC* J. FRANKFURT	UNITS: 2 10:30-1:30pm@DFEH Office in Los Angeles 6:00-9:30pm ThF (Aug. 22, 23) 8:30am- 4:30pm SAT (Aug. 24)	W	SR-2	NONE
Special Format: This class will meet on one weekend, August 22, 23, and 24 and also on five Wednesdays for 3 hours (5 Wednesday sessions Sept. 4, 25, Oct. 2, 23 and Nov. 6). The first Wednesday class will begin on Sept. 4. Please note that all of the Wednesday afternoon classes will be held at the DFEH office in Los Angeles. Additional time will be required to participate in actual cases. This class requires a special application. Anyone interested in participating should speak with Professor Stephanie Blondell in the Straus office. Graded HP/P/CR/F					
LAW 365.01 CLASS# 2805	FAITH AND FAMILY MEDIATION CLINIC S. NISSEL	UNITS: 3 3:20-5:20pm	W	SR-5	NONE
NOTE: The Jewish Divorce Mediation Clinic is open to students of all faiths or no faith. The course is a three-unit, upper-level elective open to JD and LL.M students, graded on a HP/P/CR/F basis. This clinic's practice is at the intersection of family law, mediation, and interfaith and intercultural work. Students will work under expert faculty supervision to learn about, observe, and mediate cases in civil courts under California Family Law and in religious courts under Jewish religious law.					
LAW 2832.01 CLASS# 2852	INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL ARBITRATION THEORY AND DOCTRINE M. VASCONCELLOS	UNITS: 2 5:30-9:30pm	W	A	NONE
<i>Co-requisite: Concurrent enrollment in International Commercial Arbitration Procedure and Practice required.</i> Special Format: This class will meet on seven Wednesday evenings (Sept. 4, 11, 18, 25, Oct. 2, 9, 16)					
LAW 2902.01 CLASS# 2855	INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL ARBITRATION PROCEDURE & PRACTICE* J. COE	UNITS: 2 5:30-9:30pm	W	A	NONE
<i>Co-requisite: Concurrent enrollment in International Commercial Arbitration Theory and Doctrine required.</i> Special Format: This class will meet seven Wednesday evenings (Aug. 21, 28 and Oct. 23, 30, Nov. 6, 13, 20).					
LAW 372.02 CLASS # 2901	INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL ARBITRATION T. STIPANOWICH	UNITS: 2 6:00-9:10pm	W	G	NONE
Special Format: This class will meet on nine Wednesday evenings (specific dates TBD) with the first class session being Sept. 4.					
LAW 1492.04 CLASS# 2611	NEGOTIATION THEORY AND PRACTICE* C. GRAFFY	UNITS: 2 5:30-9:30pm 8:30am-5:30pm	W	F SAT	NONE
Special Format: This class will meet on five Wednesday nights (Aug. 28, Sept. 4, 18, 25, Oct. 2) and one Saturday (Sept. 28)					
LAW 1422.04 CLASS# 2916	MEDIATION THEORY AND PRACTICE* D. DARDEN	UNITS: 2 5:30-9:30pm 8:30am-5:30pm	W	F SAT	NONE
Special Format: This class will meet on five Wednesday nights (Oct. 16, 23, 30, Nov. 6, 13) and one Saturday (Nov. 9)					
LAW 2942.01 CLASS# 2830	INTRODUCTION TO U.S. LAW B. JAMES	UNITS: 2 3:00-5:00pm	F	F	NONE

LAW 2282.01	SELECTED ISSUES IN DISPUTE	UNITS: 2			
CLASS# 3473	RESOLUTION: APOLOGY, FORGIVENESS AND RECONCILIATION*	6:00-9:30pm	ThF	A	NONE
	P. ROBINSON	8:30am-4:30pm	SAT		
	Special Format: This is a 2-weekend course that meets September 5, 6, 7 and 26, 27, 28.				
LAW 2282.02	SELECTED ISSUES IN DISPUTE	UNITS: 2			
CLASS# 3474	RESOLUTION: DEVELOPING THE DEMAND AND SUPPLY SIDES OF A MEDIATION MARKET	6:00-9:30pm	ThF	F	NONE
	L. D'URSO	8:30am-4:30pm	SAT	G	
	Special Format: This is a 2-weekend course that meets September 12, 13, 14 and 19, 20, 21.				
LAW 2282.04	SELECTED ISSUES IN DISPUTE	UNITS: 2			
CLASS# 3476	RESOLUTION: CONFLICT CONSULTING AND COACHING	6:00-9:30pm	ThF	F	NONE
	S. SHULTZ	8:30am-4:30pm	SAT		
	<i>Prerequisite: Law 1492 Negotiation Theory and Practice and Law 1422 Mediation Theory and Practice</i>				
	Special Format: This is a 2-weekend course that meets October 3, 4, 5 and 10, 11, 12				
LAW 1632.01	ARBITRATION PRACTICE AND ADVOCACY*	UNITS: 2			
CLASS# 2621	R. CALLAHAN	6:00-9:30pm	ThF	SR-1	NONE
		8:30am-4:30pm	SAT		
	<i>Prerequisites: Law 1492 Negotiation Theory and Practice and Law 1422 Mediation Theory and Practice.</i>				
	Special Format: This is a 2-weekend course that meets October 10, 11, 12 and 31, Nov. 1, 2.				
LAW 1492.05	NEGOTIATION THEORY AND PRACTICE*	UNITS: 2			
CLASS# 2612	J. KIM	6:00-9:30pm	ThF	F	NONE
		8:30am-4:30pm	SAT		
	Special Format: This is a 2-weekend course that meets October 17, 18, 19 and 24, 25, 26.				
LAW 2282.03	SELECTED ISSUES IN DISPUTE	UNITS: 2			
CLASS# 3475	RESOLUTION: EMPLOYMENT DISPUTES*	6:00-9:30pm	ThF	ACR	NONE
	M. TRAVIS	8:30am-4:30pm	SAT		
	<i>Prerequisites: Law 1492 Negotiation Theory and Practice and Law 1422 Mediation Theory and Practice, and one the following arbitration courses: Law 372, Law 1632, Law 1672, Law 2832 or Law 2902.</i>				
	Special Format: This is a 2-weekend course that meets October 17, 18, 19 and 24, 25, 26.				
LAW 2952.01	PSYCHOLOGY OF CONFLICT	UNITS: 2			
CLASS# 2622	COMMUNICATION*	6:00-9:30pm	ThF	G	NONE
	W. EDDY	8:30am-4:30pm	SAT		
	<i>Prerequisites: Law 1492 Negotiation Theory and Practice, Law 1422 Mediation Theory and Practice and one the following arbitration courses: Law 372, Law 1632, Law 1672, Law 2832 or Law 2902.</i>				
	Special Format: This is a 2-weekend course that meets October 17, 18, 19 and 31, November. 1, 2.				
LAW 2282.07	SELECTED ISSUES IN DISPUTE	UNITS: 2			
CLASS# 3479	RESOLUTION: FACILITATING DYNAMIC GROUPS	6:00-9:30pm	ThF	SR-4	NONE
	D. SILVERBERG	8:30am-4:30pm	SAT		
	<i>Prerequisites: Law 1492 Negotiation Theory and Practice and Law 1422 Mediation Theory and Practice</i>				
	Special Format: This is a 2-weekend course that meets October 24, 25, 26 and November 7, 8, 9.				

LAW 1422.05 MEDIATION THEORY AND PRACTICE*

UNITS: 2

CLASS# 2919

A. GOMMA

6:00-9:30pm

ThF A

NONE

8:30am-4:30pm

SAT

Special Format: This is a 2-weekend course that meets October 31, November 1, 2 and November 7, 8, 9.

It is strongly recommended that students wanting to enroll in Law 1422 Mediation Theory and Practice should have already completed or be concurrently enrolled in Law 1492 Negotiation Theory and Practice.

*This course meets the ABA experiential unit requirement - *JD students only*.

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