

# LAW 280 Analytical and Persuasive Writing

## Enrollment Application

Spring Semester 2012

### LAW 280 Analytical and Persuasive Writing (2 units) S/U

Enrollment Limit: 30 (Selected Enrollment By Permission of Professor – 3L's only)

Course Description: This course will help students develop the skills of essay writing and performance test drafting typically employed on the bar examination. Students will receive substantial feedback on their written work, and learn analytical and persuasive writing skills transferrable to the bar exam and legal practice. Each student will complete 6-8 essays during the semester, both as outside homework and in class under timed exam conditions. Grading is satisfactory/unsatisfactory but students may be withdrawn from the course or given an unsatisfactory grade for having more than one unexcused absence or failing to complete an assignment.

**PLEASE NOTE:** 3L students who would benefit from significant assistance with exam writing and bar study skill development are highly encouraged to select this course. Enrollment is by selection of the professor. Applications are available online, at the Registrar's office, or via email by contacting Professor Christopher Ide-Don at [cgidedon@ucdavis.edu](mailto:cgidedon@ucdavis.edu).

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number(s): \_\_\_\_\_

State(s) in which you will be taking a bar exam (if more than one, indicate which state's bar you plan on taking first): \_\_\_\_\_

Upper division bar courses you have taken or are planning to take in Spring 2012:

Course	Grade	Test Format (Multiple Choice, Essay)
Business Associations		
Constitutional Law II		
Criminal Procedure		
Evidence		
Marital Property		
Professional Responsibility		
TWE		
Remedies		

Other writing courses taken (or courses where a paper was required):

Course Name	Grade

Other writing experience (Externship, Summer Position, Journal):

Why are you interested in enrolling in the course?

# CLASS ATTENDANCE POLICY

I understand that, if I am selected for this course and I have more than one unexcused absence or fail to complete an assignment, I may be withdrawn from the course or given an unsatisfactory grade.

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**TURN IN THIS FORM TO THE REGISTRAR'S OFFICE OR PROFESSOR IDE-DON'S OFFICE (ROOM 2312) BY 5:00 pm on Monday, DECEMBER 5. Students will be notified of their selection status by early January 2012.**