DISABILITY LAW

Course Notes: SPCL 7003    Call Number: 000018

Semester: Spring 2014
Professor: Malloy
Credits: 3 Classroom
Primary Basis for the Grade: Tentatively seminar paper; Letter grade
Prerequisites: None

Enrollment: Limited to 15. Please complete the limited enrollment lottery form.
Meets Seminar Requirement? Yes
Meets Writing Requirement? Yes
Meets Client Counseling Requirement? No
Meeting Times: Friday, 9:20-12:05
Location: 100A

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

Although major federal laws on disability discrimination existed before 1990, it was not until the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) was passed that there was a comprehensive statute applying to virtually all aspects of an individual's life experience. The primary goal of this course is to introduce students to the major federal substantive laws relating to rights of individuals with disabilities, primarily relating to nondiscrimination. Another important goal of the course will be to focus on the underlying philosophy of disability rights law.

SPECIAL NOTE:

Taking this course satisfies only one of the graduation requirements (seminar or writing). If you take this course and have not yet satisfied the seminar requirement, you will be deemed to have met the seminar requirement. However, if you take this course and you have already met the seminar requirement, you will be deemed to have met the writing requirement. Two, separate courses are required to satisfy both the seminar and writing requirements. No one course satisfies them both.

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