Semester: Fall 2014

GENDER AND THE LAW

Course Number: IRTS7020          Call Number: 000049

Professor: Williams
Credits: 3 Classroom
Primary Basis for the Grade: Short writing assignments; Letter Grade
Prerequisites: None

Enrollment: 15; Please complete the limited enrollment lottery form
Meets Seminar Requirement? No
Meets Writing Requirement? No
Meets Client Counseling Requirement? No
Meeting Times: M and W 10:40 am to 12:05 pm
Location: 204

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

This course examines how gender shapes and informs the law and how legal doctrine affects our understanding of gender. The objectives of the course include the following: (1) to provide several opportunities to write and produce quality short papers on gender-related issues; and (2) to determine how the study of gender and feminist theory can enrich the study of law. The course will introduce a variety of theoretical approaches to the study of gender and will cover such substantive areas as employment, education, and family law.

SPECIAL NOTE:

Use of laptops and other computer devices will not be permitted in this class.

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