



Course Description

PLA2930 | Special Topics in Law | 1.00 – 3.00 credits

This course will explore a selection of emerging trends in the law. May be repeated for credit. Students must earn a grade of “C” or better to pass this course.

Course Competencies:

Competency 1: The student will have acquired knowledge of and the skills by:

1. Discussing ethical rules and procedures related to the topic
2. Communicating in writing and oral presentation the research findings and analysis related to the topic
3. Analyzing and applying topics to current issues

Learning Outcomes:

- Communicate effectively using listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills
- Solve problems using critical and creative thinking and scientific reasoning
- Formulate strategies to locate, evaluate, and apply information
- Demonstrate knowledge of ethical thinking and its application to issues in society

Competency 2: The students will actively engage in analyzing a selection of emerging trends in the law by:

1. Examining the implications, challenges, and opportunities these trends present within the legal landscape

Learning Outcomes:

- Communicate effectively using listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills
- Solve problems using critical and creative thinking and scientific reasoning
- Formulate strategies to locate, evaluate, and apply information
- Demonstrate knowledge of ethical thinking and its application to issues in society

Competency 3: The students will participate in discussing a selection of emerging trends in the law by:

1. Sharing diverse perspectives and engaging in collaborative discourse to deepen their understanding of the evolving legal frameworks and their impact on society and the legal profession

Learning Outcomes:

- Communicate effectively using listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills
- Solve problems using critical and creative thinking and scientific reasoning
- Formulate strategies to locate, evaluate, and apply information
- Demonstrate knowledge of ethical thinking and its application to issues in society