

CATALOG INFORMATION

Dept and Nbr: BAD 18

Title: LEGAL ENV OF BUS

Full Title: The Legal Environment of Business

Last Reviewed: 9/14/2020

Units		Course Hours per Week		Nbr of Weeks	Course Hours Total	
Maximum	3.00	Lecture Scheduled	3.00	17.5	Lecture Scheduled	52.50
Minimum	3.00	Lab Scheduled	0	6	Lab Scheduled	0
		Contact DHR	0		Contact DHR	0
		Contact Total	3.00		Contact Total	52.50
		Non-contact DHR	0		Non-contact DHR	0

Total Out of Class Hours: 105.00

Total Student Learning Hours: 157.50

Title 5 Category: AA Degree Applicable

Grading: Grade Only

Repeatability: 00 - Two Repeats if Grade was D, F, NC, or NP

Also Listed As:

Formerly:

Catalog Description:
The environmental, social, ethical and political factors which influence the development and operation of the American legal system; law of contracts and sales emphasizing California law and the Uniform Commercial Code. Case methods utilized. Intended as the lower division course for students planning to transfer to a four-year institution.

Prerequisites/Corequisites:

Recommended Preparation:

Limits on Enrollment:

Schedule of Classes Information:
Description: Transfer business law course emphasizing the American legal system & the law of contracts. (Grade Only)
Prerequisites/Corequisites:
Recommended:
Limits on Enrollment:

Transfer Credit: CSU;UC. (CAN BUS12)

Repeatability: Two Repeats if Grade was D, F, NC, or NP

ARTICULATION, MAJOR, and CERTIFICATION INFORMATION:

AS Degree:	Area	Effective:	Inactive:
CSU GE:	Transfer Area	Effective:	Inactive:

IGETC:	Transfer Area	Effective:	Inactive:
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CSU Transfer:	Transferable	Effective:	Fall 1981	Inactive:
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UC Transfer:	Transferable	Effective:	Fall 1981	Inactive:
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CID:

CID Descriptor: BUS 120 Legal Environment of Business

SRJC Equivalent Course(s): BAD18

Certificate/Major Applicable:

Certificate Applicable Course

COURSE CONTENT

Outcomes and Objectives:

The students will become familiar with:

1. Legal History and Legal Ethics.
2. The American Legal System.
3. Alternative Dispute Resolution.
4. Case Analysis.
5. Law of Contracts, Agency and Business Organizations.
6. Administrative Law.
7. Crimes and Torts.
8. Global Legal Environment.

Topics and Scope:

1. Introductory Materials
Nature and purpose of law; origin, history, and development of law; courts, legal procedures, and alternative dispute resolution.
2. Administrative Law and Government Regulation.
3. Law of Contracts
Introduction; nature and classification of contracts; formation, operation, and discharge of contracts; remedies. Emphasis on consumer matters.
4. Agency Employment Law
5. Law of Sales
Formalities of sales contracts; passage of title; warranties; rights and remedies of buyer and seller; conditional sales contracts.
6. Survey of Business Organizations in the Global Legal Environment.

Assignment:

1. Textbook reading.
2. Case briefs.
3. Court visitations.

Methods of Evaluation/Basis of Grade:

Writing: Assessment tools that demonstrate writing skills and/or require students to select, organize and explain ideas in writing.

Written homework, Essay exams, Term papers

Writing
50 - 60%

Problem Solving: Assessment tools, other than exams, that demonstrate competence in computational or non-computational problem solving skills.

None

Problem solving
0 - 0%

Skill Demonstrations: All skill-based and physical demonstrations used for assessment purposes including skill performance exams.

None

Skill Demonstrations
0 - 0%

Exams: All forms of formal testing, other than skill performance exams.

Multiple choice, True/false

Exams
40 - 50%

Other: Includes any assessment tools that do not logically fit into the above categories.

None

Other Category
0 - 0%

Representative Textbooks and Materials:

BUSINESS LAW TODAY. Roger LeRoy Miller and Gaylord A. Jentz. 2nd Edition, West Publishing Company.