REVISED SYLLABUS
for CIVIL PROCEDURE (Fall 2009)
Revised September 12, 2008

The text is Marcus, Redish, Sherman and Pfander, Civil Procedure: A
Modern Approach (5th ed. 2009). Please also purchase the Federal Rules of Civil
Procedure (Foundation 2009) and Joseph W. Glannon, Civil Procedure, Examples
final your copy of the Rules, so please do not write words in that book (apart from
identifying information). Because the semester does not have enough days in it to
accommodate the required number of class meetings, we will have a makeup class
at Noon on Friday September 4th (this is not the usual day to meet).

Chapter 1. Choosing a System of Procedure
1. Mon, Aug 24 -- MRSP 1-13
2. Wed, Aug 26 -- MRSP 13-26

Chapter 2. The Rewards and Costs of Litigation
4. Wed, Sept 2 -- MRSP 49-64
5. Fri, Sept 4 -- MRSP 64-80 [Makeup Class, because there are not enough days in
   the Semester to meet the required number of times]
   Mon, Sept 7 – LABOR DAY (class does not meet)
6. Wed, Sept 9 -- MRSP 80-92

Chapter 3. Describing and Defining the Dispute
7. Mon, Sept 14 – MRSP 114-132; Glannon Chap 31 (629-647)
8. Wed, Sept 16 – MRSP 133-151
10. Wed, Sept 23 – MRSP 174-198
11. Mon, Sept 28 – MRSP 198-215; Glannon Chaps 19 (367-382) and 33 (659-674)
Chapter 4. Establishing the Structure and Size of the Dispute
13. Mon, Oct 5 – MRSP 244-268; Glannon Chap 13 (253-282)
17. Mon, Oct 19 – MRSP 318-342

Chapter 5. Obtaining Information for Trial
18. Wed, Oct 21 – MRSP 343-368; Glannon Chap 21 (409-434)
19. Mon, Oct 26 – MRSP 368-379
21. Mon, Nov 2 – MRSP 399-408

Chapter 6. Adjudication Before Trial: Summary Judgment
23. Mon, Nov 9 – MRSP 430-454; Glannon Chap 23 (472-494)

Chapter 7. Judicial Supervision of Pretrial and Promotion of Settlement
24. Wed, Nov 11 – MRSP 471-491

Chapter 8. Trial
25. Mon, Nov 16 – MRSP 523-547
   Mon, Nov 23 through Fri, Nov 27 – Fall and Thanksgiving Break (no classes)
27. Mon, Nov 30 – MRSP 565-594
28. Wed, Dec 2 – REVIEW

Exam: Monday December 14th, 8:15AM

End of Syllabus