

CONTRACTS -- Fall 2012

Tuesday/Thursday/Friday 9:00 –10:15*

Room 205

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***Note that 5 min. is added to allow for 2 missed days (Sept. 27 & 28).**

Required Materials: The casebook for this course is McGovern, Lawrence & Hull, *Contracts and Sales: Contemporary Cases and Problems* (2d ed. 2002). You also need its companion Statutory Supplement by the same authors. Please also make sure to sign up for the Contracts class website set up on TWEN for this course.

First Assignment:

1. **Please read pp. 1-13 in the casebook:** What are the main “ingredients” for an enforceable contract? Why are these key ingredients?
2. **Contract Examples:** Please bring to class a copy of a contract that you recently accepted, refused to accept, or otherwise obtained through the internet or other means. Redact or block-out any sensitive information if it is your personal contract. Please consider and be prepared to discuss:
 - Did you read this contract before accepting it (if it is yours)?
 - Why did you agree to this contract?
 - Do you believe the contract is enforceable? Why or why not?
 - What, if any, provisions are surprising, worrisome, confusing?

I am looking forward to working with you in learning Contract law!