

C-ID Descriptor

Criminal Court Process

Descriptor Details

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General Description

This course provides an examination and analysis of due process in criminal proceedings from pre-arrest through trial and appeal utilizing statutory law and state and constitutional law precedents.

Prerequisites

No information provided

Corequisites

No information provided

Advisories

No information provided

Content

Stages of the criminal process
Sixth Amendment jurisprudence
Eighth Amendment jurisprudence
Fourteenth Amendment jurisprudence

May include:
Fourth Amendment jurisprudence
Fifth Amendment jurisprudence

Lab Activities

No information provided

Objectives

At the conclusion of this course, the student should be able to:

1. Identify and describe the stages in the trial process.
2. Identify and critically analyze the concepts of due process as found in the 6th, 8th, and 14th amendments, including right to counsel, bail, jury trial, and due process.
3. Describe the history and application of the exclusionary rule in shaping criminal procedure.
4. Describe application of the right to counsel in a criminal case
5. Describe application of the right to a jury trial

May include:

Critically analyze the constitutionality of searches, seizures, admissions and confessions.

Describe what constitutes an unreasonable search and seizure

Describe the Miranda decision and the privilege against self-incrimination

Evaluation Methods

Objective and subjective examinations/quizzes

Case analysis

Projects

Homework assignments

In class exercises/presentations

Textbooks

Criminal Procedures, Samaha, 2015, 9th Ed.

Procedures in the Justice System, Roberson & Wallace, 2016, 11th Ed.