

INITIAL ASSIGNMENTS

Spring 2021

Not all professors require an initial assignment, only those listed below
Initial Assignments are due first day of class

Course	Assignment
Civil Procedure 103.1 Professor Rierson	Glannon Casebook, pp. 3-38, 41-53, 56-62, 70-90 (skip Mas v. Perry and Hertz v. Friend); CALI Lesson: Diversity (https://www.cali.org/lessonlink/17145/CIV32/7541/jq {1}). Optional – Glannon Multiple Choice, pp 3-25 (Diversity); Glannon Examples & Explanations, pp.89-107 (Diversity) To complete the CALI lesson at the link provided, you will need to register at www.cali.org . if you have not already done so. Your activation code is WESTNSstu236
Civil Procedure §103.2 Professor Madwatkins	Prior to first Class Review and acquire all the texts and material needed for the course (See Booklist) Skim table of contents in all your materials, along with any introductions. Recommended to read A Short & Happy Guide to Civil Procedure prior to the first class Register for the course on TWEN (Civil Procedure §103.2) Register for Caseconnect for the casebook CALI Lesson: Diversity (https://www.cali.org/lessonlink/17145/CIV32/7541/jq {1}). .Glannon Multiple Choice, pp 3-25 (Diversity); Glannon Examples & Explanations, pp.89-107 (Diversity) To complete the CALI lesson at the link provided, you will need to register at www.cali.org . if you have not already done so. Your activation code is WESTNSstu236 Reading for Week 1 Casebook: read pp 3-38, 41-53, 70-90 (skip Hertz v. Friend) E & E: read pp 89-107 (diversity) MC: read complete problems pp. 3-25 (diversity)
Civil Procedure §103.3 Professor Bettwy	Register in course on TWEN (required) <u>Students are assigned to brief cases. See syllabus on TWEN for assignments.</u> <u>Students will be notified of changes in assignments.</u> Casebook and E&E readings are required. Register at casebookconnect.com: class code: BETTWY989832 (optional) MCQs and CALI Lessons are optional. Register in CALI: activation code: WESTNSstu236 (optional) Watch: Harvard Law School Introduction to Civil Procedure for 1Ls (click here) (12:02) Read: How to brief a case (click here) Anatomy of a complaint (click here) Justiciability doctrines (click here for reading) Diversity of citizenship jurisdiction 28 U.S.C. §§ 1332(a), (c)(1) Restatement (Second) of Conflict of Laws, chap. 2 (§§ 11-23) (domicile) Casebook, pp. 3-38, 41-62, [skip Hertz] 70-90 (diversity jurisdiction) E&E, pp. 89-107 (diversity) MCQs, pp. 3-25 (diversity) CALI Lesson: Diversity Jurisdiction (Diversity of Citizenship 28 U.S.C. § 1332(a)(1)) <i>Gordon v. Steele</i> , 44, Brooke, Yvonne <i>Mas v. Perry</i> , 53, Cheryl, Aristeo <i>Diefenthal v. C.A.B.</i> , 76, Matt, Jaclyn Federal question jurisdiction 28 U.S.C. § 1331 Casebook, pp. 91-125 (federal question jurisdiction) E&E, pp. 63-87 (federal question) CALI Lesson: Mastering Federal Question Jurisdiction in Two Steps MCQs, pp. 27-52 (federal question) <i>Louisville & Nashville RR Co. v. Mottley</i> , 94, Janette, Lian <i>Gunn v. Minton</i> , 111, Mara, Maren Removal 28 U.S.C. §§ 1441(a), (b)(2), 1446(b), 1447(c) Casebook, pp. 127-37 (removal) E&E, pp. 123-44 (removal) MCQs, pp. 53-70 (removal) CALI Lesson: Removal and Remand: The Basics <i>Avitts v. Amoco Production Co.</i> , 129, Paola, Rondell

<p>Criminal Law §105.1 Professor Keller</p>	<p>(1) Read as background information for the course:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Criminal Law and Its Processes [Casebook], pp. 1 - 25 (stop at "The Presentation of Evidence") • Dressler, Understanding Criminal Law, §§3.01 to 3.03 • Washington Post article on systemic racism in the criminal justice system at https://www.washingtonpost.com/graphics/2020/opinions/systemic-racism-police-evidence-criminal-justice-system/ • ABA summary of California Criminal Justice Reform package at https://www.americanbar.org/groups/committees/death_penalty_representation/project_press/2020/fall-2020/california-criminal-justice-reform-package/ <p>(2) Read and be prepared to discuss:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Casebook, pp. 38- 43 ("Proof Beyond Reasonable Doubt" through note 4) • Readings on Theories of Punishment, in Casebook: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. Introduction: 81-89; Why Punish? 96-97 B. Utilitarian View: 97-99 C. Retribution: 99-106 (through Note on Retribution as Constraint) D. Deterrence: 118-122 E. Rehabilitation: Vitiello and Moore, 122- 124; Note – Does Rehabilitation Work?, 125-126 F. Incapacitation: 128-132 <p>(3) Prepare your answers for the <i>Worksheet on Theories of Punishment</i> – see TWEN Criminal Law – Keller Spring 2021 coursepage, under Course Materials. <i>Note: This coursepage will be created and the worksheet will be posted in January, by the week before classes.</i></p>
<p>Criminal Law §105.2 Professor Landon</p>	<p>Check Professor Landon's Syllabus on the Criminal Law TWEN page</p>
<p>Learning Skills §119.1 Professor Rodgers</p>	<p>First class assignment: Read: Leah Christensen, One L of a Year ("One L") Chapter 1-4 Skim Open Book xix-xxv, Ch 1-3,5; Read Open Book Ch. 4 & 6. Read and brief <i>Diefenthal v. C.A.B., 681 F.2d 1039 (5th Cir. 1982)</i>, (in your Civ Pro casebook "Glannon"). Use the common case brief method (posted in Learning Skills TWEN Course Materials Page Week 1 (folder) Complete and Hour-by-Hour schedule, using the hour-b-hour planner in TWEN (or something similar.)</p>
<p>Legal Writing I §99.1 Professor Simoncini</p>	<p>Read: Dernbach chapters 1, 2, and 4, and pages 7-20 of the LWI Workbook.</p>
<p>Professional Responsibility § 140.1, 140.3 Professor Vandeveld</p>	<p>Read the following pages in the casebook: 15-18, 24-33. In addition, read Rules 8.1 and 8.4 of the ABA Model Rules of Professional Conduct and of the California Rules of Professional Conduct. (These two sets of rules are available on-line and in published pamphlets that will be discussed on the first day of class.)</p> <p>Register for the TWEN site for the course.</p>
<p>Professional Responsibility §140.2 Professor Guzman</p>	<p>Introduction, Chapter 1, pp. 1-52; MR Preamble; CRPC Rule 1.0; CAL BUS & PROF § 6068</p>