

# ACADEMIC - SUCCESS - PROGRAM

## COMPLETE LIST OF FALL ACADEMIC SKILLS WORKSHOPS

These workshops provide an overview of the skills necessary for law school success: reading, case-briefing, note-taking, creating course outlines, time and stress management, and preparing for and taking law school exams. The workshops are designed to provide a foundation so that students may develop methods that suit their individual needs.

### READING, BRIEFING, & NOTE-TAKING

How you read & process cases before, during, & after class is the key to understanding & retaining all of the material being thrown at you! This workshop provides tips and strategies for maximizing your potential in class.

Tuesday, August 30, 2011, from 4PM to 5PM in Rm. 473

Wednesday, August 31, 2011, from noon to 1PM in Rm. 471

Thursday, September 1, 2011, from 1PM to 2PM in Rm. 471 AND from 4PM to 5PM in Rm. 473

### STUDY TOOLS, TIME MANAGEMENT, & STRESS MANAGEMENT

Not enough time to get it all done? To study group or not to study group? This workshop provides a look at study strategies that support law school success: study schedules, study aids, staying organized, prioritizing, & balance.

Tuesday, September 6, 2011, from 4PM to 5PM in Rm. 474 AND from 5PM to 6PM in Rm. 474

Wednesday, September 7, 2011, from noon to 1PM in Rm. 471 AND from 6PM to 7PM in Rm. 473

### RULE SYNTHESIS & OUTLINING

This workshop focuses on case synthesis & condensing information to create an effective outline for exam preparation, as well as an introduction to flowcharting and other methods of organizing class content.

Monday, October 3, 2011, from 1PM to 2PM in Rm. 473

Tuesday, October 4, 2011, from 4PM to 5PM in Rm. 473

Thursday, October 6, 2011, from 1PM to 2PM in Rm. 471 AND from 4PM to 5PM in Rm. 473

### LEGAL ANALYSIS

This workshop provides a brief discussion about strategies to ensure organized and thorough analysis on essay questions. As part of this instruction, students will have the opportunity to complete a timed practice question.

Monday, October 24, 2011, from 1PM to 2PM in Rm. 473

Tuesday, October 25, 2011, from 4 PM to 5 PM in Rm. 473

Thursday, October 27, 2011, from 1PM to 2PM in Rm. 471 AND from 4PM to 5PM in Rm. 473

### EXAM PREPARATION

Join our special guest Dean Alsup as we discuss the details of exam preparation and performance. This workshop will cover possible exam formats and tips for approaching both objective and essay questions.

Monday, November 7, 2011, from 9AM to 10AM in Rm. 471 AND from 1PM to 2PM in Rm. 473

Tuesday, November 8, 2011, from 4PM to 5PM in Rm. 474 AND from 5PM to 6PM in Rm. 474