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PLEASE TYPE ALL  
WEEKLY NEWS ITEMS AND  
SUBMIT BY 12:00 NOON  
FRIDAY AFTERNOON  
BEFORE MONDAY  
AFTERNOON PRESS TIME.

E-MAIL WEEKLY ENTRIES  
ARE WELCOMED.

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## WELCOME BACK STUDENTS!

There are various pro bono projects and assignments available that the Pro Bono Office has lined up this spring for 1L, 2L and 3L students! A list of pro bono opportunities can be picked up in the Pro Bono Office, Room 201 after Tuesday, January 11<sup>th</sup>.

To apply for a pro bono project, you must fill out an application, available in the Pro Bono Office. Applications must be turned in to Lydia Lavelle, the Pro Bono Coordinator, as soon as possible. On Friday, January 21<sup>st</sup>, students who have signed up for projects can stop by the Pro Bono Office to find out where they have been assigned.

Students who wish to continue (from Fall, 1998) at a certain location or on a certain pro bono project should stop by and see Lydia Lavelle ASAP.

## DECEDENTS' ESTATES II REVISED CLASS SCHEDULE

Beginning Tuesday, January 18, 2000, DE II will meet TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS from 9:30 am until 10:45 a.m.

## LEGAL METHODS II

Attorney Perry will have citation reviews on Wednesday, January 19<sup>th</sup> for the first year students in Legal Methods II. Section 102's session will be at 10:00 a.m. in room 204. Section 101's review will be at 1:00 p.m. in room 204.

## TUTORIALS

Tutorials will begin on Tuesday, January 18, 2000. The schedule is in the weekly and posted on the bulletin



boards. If you have any questions concerning the schedule, please see Attorney Perry in room 216.

#### MOOT COURT BOARD

A MANDATORY Moot Court Board Brief Writing and Oral Argument Seminar will be held Friday, January 28<sup>th</sup> @ 1:00 p.m. in room 204. All Moot Court Board members must be present. Please see Chairperson, Angela Hamlet if you have any questions.

#### CAREER SERVICES NEWS

*The Youth Advocacy and Involvement Office* is now accepting applications for its internships in *state government* from interested first and second year students. Applicants must submit (1) a North Carolina Internship Application (must be typed), (2) a cover letter outlining reasons you are interested in each project for which you apply, (3) photocopies of application and cover letter for each project for which you apply, (4) a transcript of post-secondary grades (student copy is sufficient). Law students should also submit course grades or a list of courses if grades are not available as well as class rank, if available, (5) a resume. Completed

applications and all application materials should be submitted to the N.C. Internship Program, Youth Advocacy and Involvement Office, 1319 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-1319. The deadline to apply is *January 24, 2000 (postmark deadline)*. Project booklets and applications are available in the Career Services Office or you may access their website at [www.doa.state.nc.us/doa/yaio/intern.htm](http://www.doa.state.nc.us/doa/yaio/intern.htm). One of Youth Advocacy's projects is a judicial internship with the North Carolina Supreme Court or the North Carolina Court of Appeals.

*First Union Corporation Legal Division*, Charlotte, requests applications from first year students interested in its *2000 Summer Internship Program*. Applicants should submit a resume, writing sample, one letter of reference from one of the student's law school professors, a first semester transcript and a one page essay detailing the student's reasons for becoming a lawyer. The deadline to submit this information to the Career Services Office is Friday, January 28<sup>th</sup> at 12:00 noon. If you do not have a transcript or list of all first semester grades by January 28<sup>th</sup>, that information may be submitted by February 4<sup>th</sup>. Your professor may direct his/her

letter to Attorney Michael Barnes.

Captain Bronte' Montgomery, *United States Army Judge Advocate General's Corps*, will visit our campus on February 8<sup>th</sup> to interview first year students for summer internships and third year students for summer internships and third year students for Staff Judge Advocate (attorney) positions. She will also conduct a briefing at 12:00 noon on February 7<sup>th</sup> for interested students. The deadline for interested students to sign-up and submit a resume to the Career Services Office is January 31<sup>st</sup>.

On Thursday, January 20<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m., Attorneys Brian Beverly and Terrie Hagler-Gray will visit our campus to discuss the *North Carolina Bar Association's 1L Minority Summer Law Clerkship Program*. The purpose of the program is to give North Carolina's major law firms an inside track on recruiting some of the state's most talented minority law students. If you are interested in this program, please be sure to attend this session. Applications will be made available during this session and application procedures will be discussed.



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*The Honorable Robert H. Edmunds, Jr., North Carolina Court of Appeals*, has requested applications for a judicial clerkship to begin in August of 2000. Interested 3Ls should submit a cover letter, resume and writing sample. He is also accepting applications from 2Ls for a position to begin in August of 2001. Interested 2Ls should submit a resume and cover letter. Participation on the law journal is preferred for both. Materials may be submitted to Judge Edmunds at Post Office Box 888, Raleigh, NC 27602.

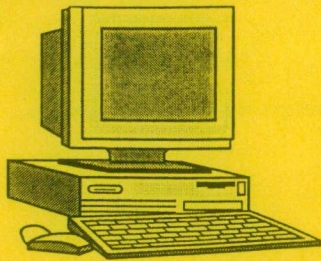
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*Individual counseling sessions* are now being scheduled with first year students. Please stop by the Career Services Office to sign-up or an appointment. You should also bring a draft copy of your resume to be reviewed during the session.

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*Handouts available...*If you attended the Career Services Office orientation session on Tuesday, November 23<sup>rd</sup> and did not get a copy of the handouts, you may stop by the office in Room 201 to pick them up.





## Printing in the Law School Has Changed!

We have talked about it, we have given notice and now it's here! Starting Wednesday, January 26, printing to

our networked laser printers will cost 5¢ per copy. Each Law School Student is entitled to 100 free copies per semester. You may pick up your printing card with a total of 200 copies preprogrammed for the academic year '99-00, Monday - Friday between the hours of 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. from Roslyn Mitchell in room 220. Additional cards may also be purchased in denominations of \$10 (200 copies) and \$20 (400 copies) during the same hours from Roslyn Mitchell. Evening students may pick up and purchase cards Mondays and Thursdays from 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. in room 208. Handle your card with care. Stolen, lost, or damaged cards will not be replaced.

## Virus ALERT!

There were a number of serious computer viruses infecting the computers within the Law School Community. All of the computers in the Law School are equipped with either, Dr. Solomon's, McAfee, or Norton AntiVirus Protection Software. We have updated and standardized all of our computers with the current version of Dr. Solomon's AntiVirus Software. Any encounter of virus on a law school computer, should be reported immediately to the circulation desk clerk on duty in the law school library.

## Law Library's Web Page

You can now get CALI, CCH, GPO, Congressional Universe, InfoTrac and the Law Library's Online Catalog and New Book List via the internet. To go directly to the Law Library's Web Page, type the following URL address in your internet browser: <http://www.nccu.edu/law/lawlib.html>. The passwords for CALI and InforTrac are as follows and are case sensitive: for CALI *learnthelaw* and for InfoTrac *lawlibrary*.

## Computer Lab Assistant

Interested in working in the computer labs 10 - 20 hours per week @ \$10.00 per hour? Duties entail assisting students with software related questions and problems; maintaining paper supplies, laser and inkjet cartridges for printers; troubleshooting minor problems such as computer lockup and paper jams; downloading and installing software, identifying and disinfecting viruses from students' diskettes and lab computers; observing and reporting inappropriate lab activities to supervisor or Law Library Circulation Desk personnel; and, maintaining the lab decorum. The student worker must be flexible and able to prioritize and handle a myriad of ongoing task. If interested in applying, contact Greg Clinton @ 530-7174, Room 238 or email [gclinton@wpo.nccu.edu](mailto:gclinton@wpo.nccu.edu) by January 31, to schedule an interview.

JANUARY 00

COMMUNICATIONS OFFICE  
W.P.O.



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
January 2000						
2	3 ADR Clinic 8:00 am - 5:00 pm Room 206	4 ADR Clinic 8:00 am - 5:00 pm Room 206	5 ADR Clinic 8:00 am - 5:00 pm Room 206	6 ADR Clinic 8:00 am - 5:00 pm Room 206	7 ADR Clinic 8:00 am - 5:00 pm Room 206	8
9	10 Classes Resume	11	12	13 Law Clinic Orientation 11:00 am - 2:00 pm Moot Court Room	14	15
16	17 Martin Luther King Day No Classes	18	19 Sports & Entertainment Law Society Meeting 4:00 pm. Moot Court Rm.	20 "Civil Rights in the US: Past, Present & Future" 7 - 9 pm Moot Court Rm. sponsored by BLSA Evening Program Info. Session - 6:15 p.m.	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29 NCCU Law School Alumni Association Meeting 10:00 a.m. - Noon Dean's Conference Room
30	31					



1L Tutorial Schedule  
Spring 2000

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:00					
9:00	Contracts	Contracts	Civ. Pro.	Contracts	Civ. Pro.
10:00	<i>Contracts §101 Tutorial Room 102</i>	<i>Property Tutorial §101-Room 100 §102-Room 102</i>	10:30-12:00 Torts §101	<i>Civ. Pro. Tutorial §101-Room 100 §102-Room 102</i>	10:30-12:00 Torts §101
11:00	Torts §102	Civ. Pro.	Torts§102	LMII	Torts§102
12:00			<i>Torts Tutorial §101-Room100 §102-Room204</i>		
1:00	Property	Property	<i>Contracts §102 Tutorial Room 206</i>	Property	
2:00	<i>Writing Lab Room 204</i>				
3:00	Crim. Law	Crim. Law		Crim. Law	
4:00		<i>Criminal Law Tutorial §101-Room 100 §102-Room 102</i>			



## 2L Tutorial Schedule Spring 2000

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:00					
9:00	TP101		TP 101	TP101	
10:00	Con. Law		Con. Law		Con. Law
11:00	TP102	TP102	<i>Tax Tutorial*</i> Room 204	TP102	
12:00	BA	BA	TP 103 to 3:50	BA	BA
1:00					TP 104 to 2:40
2:00	Tax	Tax		Tax	
3:00		<i>Con. Law Tutorial Room 204</i>			
4:00	Legal Writing			Legal Writing	

\*The Tax tutorial will meet every week, unless the Tutor otherwise indicates.

### Meeting dates for Con. Law Tutorial:

January 18<sup>th</sup>  
 February 1<sup>st</sup>  
 February 15<sup>th</sup>  
 February 29<sup>th</sup>  
 March 21<sup>st</sup>  
 April 4<sup>th</sup>  
 April 18<sup>th</sup>

### Office Hour Weeks

January 24<sup>th</sup>  
 February 7<sup>th</sup>  
 February 21<sup>st</sup>  
 March 6<sup>th</sup> \*can be made a tutorial at tutor's  
 discretion b/c of Spring Break next week.  
 March 27<sup>th</sup>  
 April 10<sup>th</sup>



# North Carolina Central University School of Law Library

## Spring 2000 Schedule

January 10, 2000 - May 8, 2000

Monday - Thursday..... 7 a.m. - 12 Midnight  
Friday..... 7 a.m. - 9 p.m.  
Saturday..... 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.  
Sunday..... 1 p.m. - 10 p.m.

### Basement Closing Hours

Monday - Thursday..... 10 p.m.  
Friday..... 7 p.m.  
Saturday..... 5 p.m.  
Sunday..... 8 p.m.

### WestLaw & Lexis-Nexis/ Student Computer Labs

Monday - Sunday..... 30 minutes before Library closing

### Exceptions to the Hours Above

Monday, January 17..... CLOSED (MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY)

### Semester Break

March 11 - 19, 2000

Monday - Thursday, March 13 -16..... 7 a.m. - 10 p.m.

### Easter Weekend

Friday, April 21..... CLOSED (Good Friday)

\*Hours are subject to change during Exam Period, Holidays & Semester Breaks