

BLAW 3250-001
Spring - 2017

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- TEXT:** **Business Law**, Volume II, Custom Edition, 13th Edition,
Clarkson, Miller, Jentz, Cross. (Required)
- DESCRIPTION:
OF
COURSE** Prerequisite: BLAW 3150. Topics include the study of The
Uniform Commercial Code including negotiable instruments
and secured transactions. Other topics include agency; employment
and labor relations; business organizations including partnerships,
corporations and limited liability companies; securities regulation
and investor protection; government regulation of business; the
law of personal and real property; insurance; Wills, Trusts and
Estates; and the international legal environment.
- COURSE
OBJECTIVE:** Continue to develop the student's ability to identify, analyze, and
resolve problems typically encountered by business managers
within a regulated governmental environment; to develop this
business problem solving technique within the guidelines of
legal and ethical standards, and; to apply this analytical process
process to the student's personal and family activities.
- SCHEDULE:** Tuesday 2:00 - 4:45 P.M. - H&HS 161 - Lecturer will be
available prior to and after class, as well as by appointment.
- ATTENDANCE:** Class attendance, as well as class participation, may influence the
final grade. Absence at roll-call will be considered as an absence.
Regular attendance, promptness, and appropriate classroom
decorum is expected. Frequent tardiness, or disruptive classroom
behavior may result in a substantial grade penalty at the discretion
of the lecturer. Excessive absenteeism will result in a reduction of
the student's final average grade. Excessive absenteeism is defined
as more than three unexcused absences. A student may expect
two points deducted from his or her final average grade for each
absence in excess of three. In order to receive a grade above "D", a
student must attend at least 60% of scheduled classes (an absence,
whether excused or unexcused, will be counted as an absence for
the purpose of this computation). For any absence to be excused,
the documentation must be supplied at the next scheduled class.

GRADING:

A = 90 - 100

B = 80 - 89

C = 70 - 79

D = 60 - 69

F = Below 60

There will be three (3) scheduled exams of equal weight. One or more exams may be given with or without notice and will be given the same weight as regularly scheduled exams. Exams will be averaged together to determine the final grade. The final average grade may, at the discretion of the Instructor, be adjusted to reflect class attendance and participation. Students should make every effort to take exams on dates scheduled and should contact the lecturer if an emergency arises.

RECORDING

Students must obtain permission from Lecturer to use audio recording equipment. No video equipment, or cameras will be allowed. Cell Phones **must** be “turned off”.

**ACADEMIC
INTEGRITY:**

It is the policy of the course to follow the *UNC Charlotte Code of Student Integrity* as set forth in the Catalog. The code forbids cheating, fabrication or falsification of information, multiple submission of academic work, plagiarism, abuse of academic materials and complicity in academic dishonesty. Students are expected to exhibit a level of personal honor and integrity that will bring credit to themselves and the University. Students who violate the code will be punished to the fullest extent possible. In short, academic dishonesty will not be tolerated by this instructor or the Department of Finance and Business Law. Any student in possession of a Business Law I Examination (without permission) will be given an “F” in the Course. There will be no exceptions to this rule. At the end of each examination, students will be required to hand in their examination booklets, without marks, and their answer sheets indicating the test booklet number.

DIVERSITY

The Belk College of Business strives to create an inclusive academic climate in which the dignity of all individuals is respected and maintained. Therefore, we celebrate diversity that includes, but is not limited to ability/disability, age, culture, ethnicity, gender, language, race, religion, sexual orientation, and socio-economic status.

Failure to Take a Scheduled Exam on the Scheduled Date. In order for a student to be entitled to take a scheduled exam on a date and time other than the scheduled date and time because of reasons other than physical illness or disability, the student must obtain permission from the instructor prior to the exam. In the event of physical illness or disability, the student must notify the instructor as soon as he or she is aware of the problem, and, prior to being allowed to take the exam at another date and time, present to the instructor a statement from a Physician stating that the student is, or was, physically unable to take the exam at the scheduled time. Permission to take an exam at a time other than the regularly scheduled date and time for any reason will be solely in the discretion of the instructor. If permission is granted, students must cooperate with the instructor in determining a suitable time to take a “make up” exam and failure to cooperate will terminate the permission. The determination as to whether or not a student cooperated is in the sole discretion of the instructor. If permission is not granted, or granted and later terminated, the student will receive a zero as his or her grade for the missed exam.

READING ASSIGNMENTS AND EXAM SCHEDULE

Jan.	10	Introduction & Chapter 32
	17	Chapters 33
	24	Chapters 36
	31	Chapters 37
Feb.	7	Chapter 38 & 39
	14	EXAM & Chapter 40
	21	Chapters 41 & 42
	28	Chapter 34 & 35
Mar.	7	Spring Recess – No Class
	14	Chapters 48 & 49
	21	Chapter 50
	28	EXAM
Apr.	4	Chapter 51
	11	Chapters 25 & 26
	18	Chapter 27
	25	Chapter 28
May	2	Chapters 29 & 30
May	9	FINAL EXAM – 2:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

May be adjusted at discretion of Lecturer