## University of Windsor Program Development Committee

\*5.16: Law - Summary of Minor Course and Calendar Changes

Item for: Information

Forwarded by: FACULTY OF LAW

#### **PART A**

Please indicate with an "X" whether this change will be made to the undergraduate calendar or the graduate calendar, or both.				
X	The changes below, minor and largely editorial, will be made to the <b>Undergraduate Calendar</b> . These changes required no new resources.			
	The changes below, minor and largely editorial, will be made to the <b>Graduate Calendar</b> . These changes required no new resources.			

When will these proposed change(s) be effective? [include semester and year]:	September 2014

### PART B

Please list the course number and indicate with an "X" the changes that are being made. Add rows to the table as required. Full details on the proposed change(s) are to be provided in Part C.

Current course number	any program's degree	Course calendar description changes	Pre/anti/co- requisite changes	Contact hour/ laboratory requirement changes	Course title changes	Renumbering courses	Cross- listing courses
98-801				5			
98-803				5			
98-805				5			
98-810				5			
98-811				5 (Fall term)			
98-813				7 (5 + 2 credits for module)			
98-814				7 (5 + 2 credits for module)			
98-820	(*** see note below)			4 (Winter term)		98-809	

# PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE SUMMARY OF COURSE AND CALENDAR CHANGES FORM "E"

\*\*\*\*PLEASE NOTE THAT 2014/2015 WILL BE A TRANSITION YEAR. LAW I STUDENTS WILL NOW BE REQUIRED TO TAKE 08-98-809 TORTS COURSE AS PART OF THEIR FIRST YEAR CURRICULUM. STUDENTS ENTERING LAW II WILL STILL BE REQUIRED TO TAKE THE MANDATORY 08-98-820 TORTS COURSE. THE COURSE DESCRIPTION AND LEARNING OUTCOMES WILL BE IDENTICAL FOR BOTH COURSES. 08-98-820 TORTS CAN BE REMOVED FROM THE CALENDAR AS OF MAY 2015.

#### PART C

Please provide the current and the proposed new course information by cutting and pasting from the current undergraduate or graduate web calendar (<u>www.uwindsor.ca/calendars</u>) and clearly marking deletions with strikethrough (<del>strikethrough</del>) and additions/new information with <u>bolding and underlining</u>.

For contact hour/laboratory requirement changes which do not always appear in the calendar, please type in the current information and clearly mark deletions with strikethrough (strikethrough) and additions/new information with bolding and underlining.

**Example:** 03-101. University Senates — Role and Power This course explores the history, role, and power of Senates in Canadian universities. (Also offered as 04-101.) (Prerequisite: 03-100.) 2 lecture hours and 1 tutorial hour per week 3 lecture hours/week

#### 98-801 Property

This course examines tenures and estates; landlord and tenant; casements, covenants, licenses and profits; future interests and the Rule against Perpetuities; mortgages; elements of personal property, the social control of land. 6 credits (3 credits per term) 5 credits

#### 98-803 Contracts

Formation of contracts, considerations; writing (and Statute of Frauds); mutual assent, third party beneficiaries; capacity of parties; performance, breach and conditions; fraud and misrepresentations; remedies; quasicontracts. 6 credits (3 credits per term) 5 credits

#### 98-805 Criminal Law and Procedure

This course examines the principles of criminal liability, the elements of particular crimes; exploration of major problems of the criminal law and its administration, viewed as a method controlling socially undesirable behavior. 5 credits <u>(2 credits – Fall term; 3 credits – Winter term)</u>

#### 98-810 Constitutional Law

A general introduction to the Canadian Constitution, with particular emphasis on the Charter of Rights. Topics include the nature of a constitution, constitutional history, parliamentary democracy, separation of powers, legislative process, rule of law, independence of the judiciary, the concept and process of judicial review of legislation, principles of federalism, introduction to division of powers and constitution amendment. Discussion of the Charter of Rights will focus on the nature of constitutional protection of human rights, fundamental freedoms, mobility rights, equality rights, group rights, the limitation and nonobstante clauses and enforcement of the Charter. 5 credits (2 credits – Fall; 3 credits – Winter term)

#### 98-811 Access to Justice

This course examines the role of law, legal institutions and lawyers in social change relating to Access to Justice. The course includes an introduction to the Canadian legal system, an examination of the idea of Access to Justice and a critical consideration of the decision-making processes and outcomes of courts, legislatures and administrative agencies. 6 credits (3 credits per term) 5 credits in the Fall term

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#### 98-813 Cdn & US Property Law

This course examines tenures and estates; landlord and tenant; leasements, covenants, licenses and profits; future interests and the Rule against Perpetuities; mortgages; elements of personal property, the social control of land. An American property law module is also taught. 7 credits \* 6 credits for Cdn content + 1 credit for US Module 5 credits for Cdn content + 2 credits for US module

#### 98-814 Cdn & US Contracts

Formation of contracts, considerations; writing (and the Statute of Frauds); mutual assent; third party beneficiaries; capacity of parties; performance, breach and conditions; fraud and misrepresentations; remedies; quasicontracts. An American contract law module is also taught. 7 credits \* 6 credits for Cdn content + 1 credit for US Module 5 credits for Cdn content + 2 credits for US module

98-820 Torts I (remains the same for 2014/2015 and then is deleted from the calendar)

#### 98-809 Torts

An examination of the intentional torts and the law of negligence. 4 credits Winter term

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#### Part D

Please indicate with an "X".				
Will the proposed changes result in changes to the learning outcomes of the course(s)?				
	Yes. If so, please complete the learning outcomes form and append new learning outcomes, as appropriate, to this Form E submission. (See attached for learning outcomes form) )			
_X	No.			