FACULTY OF LAW, UNIVERSITY OF VICTORIA SUMMER 2024 COURSE REGISTRATION - PRELIMINARY COURSE INFORMATION (PCIS)¹

COURSE: LAW 343E In-House Intellectual Property Moot Course

UNIT VALUE 1.5 Units

INSTRUCTOR Robert Howell (Coordinator/Supervisor)

TERM OFFERED Summer 2024

CLASS TIMES May 8 to July 20 - specific dates as noted

PREREQUISITES/COREQUISITES?

LAW 347 Intellectual Property is a recommended but not required

Pre or corequisite

As part of the Intellectual and Cultural Summer Program in 2024 JD and JID students may enrol in an "in house" Intellectual Property Moot course.

The course will be coordinated and supervised by Professor Howell.

Students may register in Online Tools on their designated registration date.

Description

At the start of term (May 8) the moot court problem will be made available to students who will also be assigned as Appellant or Respondent. In each moot there will be one student arguing the whole of the Appellant side and one student arguing the whole of the Respondent side.

During May through to mid-June students will complete their research and prepare an Appellant factum or Respondent factum as assigned.

The date for the completion of the facta is Friday, June 14th. Instructions will be given as to the process of submitting the facta.

Commencing on Monday, 24 June there will be a schedule of selected times for in-person oral argument practice sessions. These will likely take place in the evenings June 24 to July 16 (from 5.00 pm to 7.30 pm) as they will be before Professor Howell and practitioners. The latter will not be available during the day.

The final session will be in-person before a panel of judges. Justice Michael Manson of the Federal Court of Canada will preside.

These final sessions will be scheduled from **Thursday**, **18th July through Saturday**, **20th of July**. The course will end at the conclusion of these hearings.

Evaluation Methodology

This is a COM/N/F course, no percentage grade is awarded.

¹ The information in this document is provided for course registration purposes only and is *subject to change*. More detailed course information about course content and evaluation will be provided upon the commencement of the course. Students seeking additional information about the course prior to its commencement may contact the instructor or, if no instructor is listed, law.studentservices@uvic.ca

A PASS or FAIL grade will depend on:

- satisfactory research of the law relating to the problem;
- satisfactory completion of the factum, including the presentation of legal submissions in the factum;
- attendance and satisfactory participation in the oral practice sessions as described above; and
- satisfactory participation in the final hearing.

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