Course Prefix and Number: LGL 216
Credits: 3

Course Title: Trial Preparation and Discovery Practice

Course Description: Examines the trial process, including the preparation of a trial notebook, pretrial motions, and orders. May include preparation of interrogatories, depositions, and other discovery tools used in assembling evidence in preparation for the trial or an administrative hearing. Lecture 3 hours per week.

General Course Purpose: To teach the student how to prepare a trial notebook to assist the attorney in preparation for trial.

Course Prerequisites and Co-requisites:
None

Student Learning Outcomes:
Upon completing the course, the student will be able to
a. Identify various discovery tools;
b. Identify the aspects of a pretrial conference; and
   c. Prepare a trial notebook.

Major Topics to Be Included:
a. Tools of Discovery
   1. Interrogatories
   2. Depositions
      a. Upon oral examination
      b. Upon written questions
      c. Audio-visual
   3. Production of documents
   4. Requests for admission
   5. Entry of land
b. Pretrial procedure, formulating issues
   c. Preparing a trial notebook

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