

COURSE OUTLINE		
TERM: Fall 2022	COURSE NO: LAW 450	
INSTRUCTOR:	COURSE TITLE: Intellectual Property	
OFFICE: LOCAL: E-MAIL: @capilanou.ca	SECTION NO:	CREDITS: 3.0
OFFICE HOURS: TBA		
COURSE WEBSITE: eLearn		

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COURSE FORMAT

Three hours of class time, plus an additional hour delivered through on-line or other activities for a 15-week semester, which includes two weeks for final exams. In addition to work done in the classroom, it is expected that students will do required reading and some assignments at home and will use online resources and materials provided through eLearn. Three of the four weekly instructional hours will be in the classroom, and the fourth hour will be a combination of online and other activities.

COURSE PREREQUISITES

LAW 101, LAW 110, and LAW 210; OR 45 credits of 100 level or higher coursework

CALENDAR DESCRIPTION

Students will develop an understanding of the common law relating to intellectual property, as well as engage in a general review of Canadian legislation affecting intellectual property, its management and the enforcement of intellectual property rights. Indigenous perspectives and new issues and problems created by the Internet and e-commerce will also be examined.

REQUIRED TEXTS AND/OR RESOURCES

Hagen, Hutchison, Lametti et al, *Canadian Intellectual Property Law: Cases and Materials, 2nd Ed.* (Toronto: Emond, 2018)

Instructors' supplemental lecture notes and handouts, where applicable.

COURSE STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES

On successful completion of this course, students will be able to do the following:

1. Be familiar with basic common law principles and statutes relating to Intellectual Property in Canada;
2. Recognize, discuss and explain the legal elements pertaining to ownership of the different forms of intellectual property, in particular, copyright, patents, trade-marks, trade-names, service-marks, and industrial design;

3. Describe and identify the new issues and problems created by the Internet and e-commerce;
4. Analyze a fact situation pertaining to intellectual property by applying common law principles and statutory rules;
5. Engage in teams to prepare in class assignments and participate in in-class activities;
6. Distinguish different methods of management and enforcement of intellectual property rights;
7. Offer descriptive feedback, when working on in class scenarios and receive feedback;
8. Describe and compare the ways in which rights to intellectual property can be licensed or assigned; and
9. Describe Canada's roles and the purpose of various international Treaties and Conventions affecting intellectual property.

COURSE CONTENT

WEEKLY COURSE CONTENT	
WEEK	CONTENT
1	Intro to Course; Copyright
2	Copyright
3	Copyright
4	Copyright
5	Trademarks
6	Review
7	MIDTERM EXAM
8	Trademarks
9	Trademarks
10	Trademarks
11	Patents
12	Patents
13	Patents
14-15	FINAL EXAM PERIOD: Final Exam

EVALUATION PROFILE

Midterm Exam	35%
Final Exam	30%
Hand in Assignment	20%
Weekly Activities	10%
<u>Group Project</u>	<u>5%</u>
TOTAL	100%

GRADING PROFILE

A+ = 90-100	B+ = 77-79	C+ = 67-69	D = 50-59
A = 85-89	B = 73-76	C = 63-66	F = 0-49
A- = 80-84	B- = 70-72	C- = 60-62	

Incomplete Grades

Grades of Incomplete "I" are assigned only in exceptional circumstances when a student requests extra time to complete their coursework. Such agreements are made only at the request of the student, who is responsible to determine from the instructor the outstanding requirements of the course.

Late Assignments

Assignments are due at the beginning of the class on the due date listed. If you anticipate handing in an assignment late, please consult with your instructor beforehand.

Missed Exams/Quizzes/Labs etc.

Make-up exams, quizzes and/or tests are given at the discretion of the instructor. They are generally given only in medical emergencies or severe personal crises. Some missed activities may not be able to be accommodated. Please consult with your instructor.

Attendance

Students are expected to attend all classes and associated activities.

English Usage

Students are expected to proofread all written work for any grammatical, spelling and stylistic errors. Instructors may deduct marks for incorrect grammar and spelling in written assignments.

Electronic Devices

Students may use electronic devices during class for note-taking only.

On-line Communication

Outside of the classroom, instructors will (if necessary) communicate with students using either their official Capilano University email or eLearn; please check both regularly. Official communication between Capilano University and students is delivered to students' Capilano University email addresses only.

UNIVERSITY OPERATIONAL DETAILS

Tools for Success

Many services are available to support student success for Capilano University students. A central navigation point for all services can be found at: <https://www.capilanou.ca/student-life/>

Capilano University Security: download the [CapU Mobile Safety App](#)

Policy Statement (S2009-06)

Capilano University has policies on Academic Appeals (including appeal of final grade), Student Conduct, Cheating and Plagiarism, Academic Probation and other educational issues. These and other policies are available on the University website.

Academic Integrity (S2017-05)

Any instance of academic dishonesty or breach of the standards of academic integrity is serious and students will be held accountable for their actions, whether acting alone or in a group. See policy and procedures S2017-05 Academic Integrity for more information: <https://www.capilanou.ca/about-capu/governance/policies/>

Violations of academic integrity, including dishonesty in assignments, examinations, or other academic performances, are prohibited and will be handled in accordance with the Student Academic Integrity Procedures.

Academic dishonesty is any act that breaches one or more of the principles of academic integrity. Acts of academic dishonesty may include but are not limited to the following types:

Cheating: Using or providing unauthorized aids, assistance or materials while preparing or completing assessments, or when completing practical work (in clinical, practicum, or lab settings), including but not limited to the following:

- Copying or attempting to copy the work of another during an assessment;
- Communicating work to another student during an examination;
- Using unauthorized aids, notes, or electronic devices or means during an examination;
- Unauthorized possession of an assessment or answer key; and/or,
- Submitting of a substantially similar assessment by two or more students, except in the case where such submission is specifically authorized by the instructor.

Fraud: Creation or use of falsified documents.

Misuse or misrepresentation of sources: Presenting source material in such a way as to distort its original purpose or implication(s); misattributing words, ideas, etc. to someone other than the original source; misrepresenting or manipulating research findings or data; and/or suppressing aspects of findings or data in order to present conclusions in a light other than the research, taken as a whole, would support.

Plagiarism: Presenting or submitting, as one's own work, the research, words, ideas, artistic imagery, arguments, calculations, illustrations, or diagrams of another person or persons without explicit or accurate citation or credit.

Self-Plagiarism: Submitting one's own work for credit in more than one course without the permission of the instructors, or re-submitting work, in whole or in part, for which credit has already been granted without permission of the instructors.

Prohibited Conduct: The following are examples of other conduct specifically prohibited:

- Taking unauthorized possession of the work of another student (for example, intercepting and removing such work from a photocopier or printer, or collecting the graded work of another student from a stack of papers);
- Falsifying one's own and/or other students' attendance in a course;
- Impersonating or allowing the impersonation of an individual;
- Modifying a graded assessment then submitting it for re-grading; or,
- Assisting or attempting to assist another person to commit any breach of academic integrity.

Sexual Violence and Misconduct

All Members of the University Community have the right to work, teach and study in an environment that is free from all forms of sexual violence and misconduct. Policy B401 defines sexual assault as follows:

Sexual assault is any form of sexual contact that occurs without ongoing and freely given consent, including the threat of sexual contact without consent. Sexual assault can be committed by a stranger, someone known to the survivor or an intimate partner.

Safety and security at the University are a priority and any form of sexual violence and misconduct will not be tolerated or condoned. The University expects all Students and Members of the University Community to abide by all laws and University policies, including B.401 Sexual Violence and Misconduct Policy and B.401.1 Sexual Violence and Misconduct Procedure (found on Policy page <https://www.capilanou.ca/about-capu/governance/policies/>)

Emergencies: Students are expected to familiarise themselves with the emergency policies where appropriate and the emergency procedures posted on the wall of the classroom.