

Application Form

A second or third year student wishing to undertake an independent study project may apply to the Associate Dean (Academic) to do so. Projects may focus on any topic that has a significant legal component. Within this broad range, the exact focus and method of evaluation are to be determined by the faculty supervisor and student, subject to the approval of the Associate Dean (Academic). Students may select this option only once in their law school careers.

This course is designed to give students and faculty supervisors maximum flexibility. It allows students to pursue particular interests within an education framework that meets their needs. The course recognizes that there is a broad range of legitimate educational goals and various means to achieving them. It is envisaged that the projects will not normally include a substantial piece of research and writing. Rather, the written work, if any, might take the form of a book review, critique of legislation, case comment, legal pamphlet, editorial, position paper, or annotated bibliography. The Faculty anticipates that many of the reading and study projects will involve a series of readings and discussions with the faculty supervisor.

Grading for this course is a Pass/Fail basis and is given a weighting of 2 credits.

Any written work and/or papers are **due no later than the last day of classes in the term** in which the Reading and Study program is undertaken.

Student Name [print]: _____

Email: _____ **@uwo.ca** **Student #:** _____

Subject of Study: _____

Supervisor: _____

Term [check one]: **Fall** _____ or **Winter** _____

Detailed Description of Project:

Please attach a detailed description of the proposed project. The description must provide a sufficient basis to assess the academic merit, structure and feasibility of the project. Please indicate the research done to date and the major sources that are to be consulted.

Agreed Plan of Supervision:

Please include a schedule for meetings and deadlines for stages of project.

Student Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Supervisor Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Please return the completed form to Student Services c/o the Admin Office, room 243

Deadlines: Fall Term: Tuesday, September 12, 2017 at 4:00 pm

Winter Term: Friday, February 2, 2018 at 4:00 pm

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<input type="checkbox"/> Approved	Course #: _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Returned for Revisions	PeopleSoft Class #: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Course in OWL
<input type="checkbox"/> Rejected	<input type="checkbox"/> Added Instructor	<input type="checkbox"/> Enrolled student
	<input type="checkbox"/> Notified student	Date: _____ Initials: _____