Fall 2019 Legal Research - Instruction and Assignments

1. Research Methodologies Lectures with Professor Leslie Newman:
   - August Entry students: Thursday, August 22, 11:30am-12:30pm (Moot Courtroom)
   - May Entry students: Monday, August 26, 12pm-1pm (Room 423)

2. Library-Led Legal Research Instruction during Professionalism Sessions (by Section):
   - Intensive Legal Research One: Tuesday, Aug. 27 (ACE) or Thursday, Aug. 29 (BDF)
   - Intensive Legal Research Two: Tuesday, Sept. 17 (ACE) or Thursday, Sept. 19 (BDF)
   - Intensive Legal Research Three: Tuesday, Sept. 24 (ACE) or Thursday, Sept. 26 (BDF)
   - Intensive Legal Research Four: Thursday, Oct. 24 (ACE) or Thursday, Oct. 10 (BDF)

3. Core Grammar for Lawyers:
   - Core Grammar for Lawyers (www.coregrammarforlawyers.com) is an online learning platform for grammar skills. This is NOT your standard middle school grammar lesson. These are grammar lessons designed for law students and lawyers. This program is not graded but is mandatory. See Enrollment Instructions on the back of this sheet.
   - Assignments:
     - Pre-Test: Estimated time to complete - 45 minutes to 1.5 hours. Complete by August 30, 4 P.M.
     - Modules: Complete all the modules you did not test out of during the pre-test.
     - Post-Test: There is no required minimum score for the post-test. Only take the post-test once. The pre-test, modules, and post-test must be completed by September 20, 4 P.M.

4. Lexis Interactive Citation Workstation (ICW) Exercises:
   - Lexis ICW is an online learning platform on Bluebook citation skills. See Enrollment Instructions on the back of this sheet.
   - Assignments:
     - Fall 2019: Complete all problems in Exercises 1, 2, 3 and 5 by October 11, 2019, 4pm.
     - Spring 2020: Complete all problems in Exercises 6, 7, and 9 by February 14, 2020, 2pm.

5. Lexis Learn
   - Lexis Learn is an online legal research learning platform that includes video tutorials on legal research skills. See Enrollment Instructions on the back of this sheet.
   - Assignments: Exercises 2-7 and 12, by October 25, 2pm.

6. Lawyering & Legal Writing Course TA-Led Citation Sessions:
   - Citation Sessions will be scheduled by Teaching Assistants for individual Lawyering & Legal Writing sections.
Legal Research Platform Vendor Sessions

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Enrollment Instructions for Online Research Platforms

**Core Grammar for Lawyers Student Enrollment Instructions:**

2. Complete the form and be sure to select "New York" for your state and "Yeshiva University - Cardozo School of Law" for your school.
4. Enter your credit card information below, verify the purchase, and continue to create your Core Grammar for Lawyers account.
5. Enter the class code “319-165-7129” in the Class Code field while you are setting up your account to receive credit for your work.

**Lexis Interactive Citation Workstation (ICW) Student Enrollment Instructions:**

1. Sign in/navigate to LexisAdvance and use the “LexisAdvance Research” nine-square icon to navigate to LexisNexis Interactive Citation Workstation (ICW).
2. You will need to assign your course instructor. Click on “Go to Settings” and choose “LexisNexis Interactive Citation Workstation” from the menu on the left. Type “Newman” to see and select Professor Leslie Newman as your instructor.
3. Complete the selected BlueBook Exercises as assigned.

**Lexis Learn Student Enrollment Instructions:**

1. Sign in to www.lexisnexis.com/lawschool and click on Lexis Learn, at the top of your screen.
2. Click ADD CLASS (top right), and then select “Leslie Newman” in the alphabetized listing.
3. Select Professor Newman’s class “Fall 2019 Legal Writing.”
4. You are now enrolled and can access the modules assigned.

For further information about Legal Research, go to the Cardozo Law Library’s “Resources to Improve Your Legal Research and Writing Skills” page at: [https://cardozolaw.libguides.com/LRWSkillsDev](https://cardozolaw.libguides.com/LRWSkillsDev).