

## **Course Outcome Summary**

## Standard Course

## **BSLW 251 Business Law**

Course Information

Division **Business Division** 

**Contact Hours** 4 Theory **Total Credits** 4

**Prerequisites** ENGL 090 and RDG 090 or qualifying scores on accepted placement tests

**Course Description** This course addresses various legal principles: law of contracts, agency,

negotiable instruments and banking. Some of the more important cases

under these topics will be discussed and explored.

## Course Outcomes

In order to evidence success in this course, students will be able to:

- 1. Describe the basic philosophy of the legal system.
- 2. Outline the relationship between government regulation and business
- 3. Understand the international legal environment
- 4. Articulate the effect of crime on business
- 5. Define and describe the law of torts as it relates to business.
- 6. Identify and define the basic elements of a contract: offer, acceptance and consideration
- 7. Outline the factors of the basic capacity of an individual necessary to enter into a legal contract
- 8. Identify those contracts that must be in writing in order to be enforced
- 9. Describe the rules of contract interpretations
- 10. List and describe the various differences to contract actions
- 11. List the various remedies available in the event of a breach of contract
- 12. Identify and determine the existence of a contract given a factual background
- 13. Outline and demonstrate the ability to formulate a defense to a contract action given a factual background
- 14. Outline and demonstrate the ability to fashion legal or equitable remedy for a breach of contract given factual background
- 15. Explain and demonstrate an appreciation for the need to keep and enforce promise relation to commercial transactions

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