

<b>Course</b>	<b>MNGT 3300 Business Law II</b>
<b>Term</b>	<b>Fall II, Thursday evenings, 5:30 – 9:30 p.m.</b>
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<b>Catalog Description</b>	Analyzes rules controlling all forms of negotiable instruments, and laws regulating corporations, partnerships, agencies, and real estate.
<b>Prerequisites</b>	MNGT 3290 or equivalent Business Law I course
<b>Course Level Learning Outcomes</b>	At the end of this course, the student will be able to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Identify and describe the function of negotiable drafts, checks, and promissory notes.</li> <li>• Explain the nature of the agency relationship, and the liability of each of the parties to that relationship.</li> <li>• Explain the internal management, risks, benefits, and tax implications of doing business in the form of a partnership, limited partnership, limited liability company, limited liability partnership, or corporation.</li> <li>• Describe the effect of collective bargaining on the employer/employee relationship.</li> </ul>
<b>Materials</b>	Barnes-Dworkin-Richards, <i>Law for Business</i> , McGraw-Hill/Irwin, 9 <sup>th</sup> Edition, 2006. ISBN 0-07-3136182. Note first half of book is covered in Business Law I.  Text is available through MBS Direct Books at 1-800-352-3252 or <a href="http://www.mbsdirect.net">www.mbsdirect.net</a> . Checks and credit cards accepted.
<b>Grading</b>	No midterm exam. Final exam will be multiple choice, true/false, some short essay and definitions. The final exam is 80% of the grade. Attendance and participation is 20%.  <b>The UNDERGRADUATE catalog provides these guidelines and grading options:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>A, A-</b> superior work in the opinion of the instructor</li> <li>• <b>B+, B, B-</b> good work in the opinion of the instructor</li> <li>• <b>C+, C, C-</b> satisfactory work in the opinion of the instructor</li> <li>• <b>D+, D</b> passing, but less than satisfactory work in the opinion of the instructor</li> <li>• <b>I</b> incomplete work in the opinion of the instructor</li> <li>• <b>ZF</b> An incomplete which was not completed within one year of the end of the</li> </ul>

	<p>course</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>F</b> unsatisfactory work in the opinion of the instructor; no credit is granted</li> <li>• <b>W</b> withdrawn from the course</li> <li>• <b>IP</b> course in progress</li> <li>• <b>NR</b> not reported for the course</li> <li>• <b>Z</b> a temporary designation given by the registrar indicating that the final grade has not been submitted by the instructor. When the final grade is filed in the Office of the Registrar, that grade will replace the Z.</li> </ul>
<b>Activities</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lecture and discussion</li> <li>• Chapter assignments</li> <li>• Discussions</li> </ul>
<b>Policy Statements: University Policies</b>	<p>University policies are provided in the current course catalog and course schedules. They are also available on the university website. This class is governed by the university's published policies. The following policies are of particular interest:</p> <p><b>Academic Honesty</b> The university is committed to high standards of academic honesty. Students will be held responsible for violations of these standards. Please refer to the university's academic honesty policies for a definition of academic dishonesty and potential disciplinary actions associated with it.</p> <p><b>Drops and Withdrawals</b> Please be aware that, should you choose to drop or withdraw from this course, the date on which you notify the university of your decision will determine the amount of tuition refund you receive. Please refer to the university policies on drops and withdrawals (published elsewhere) to find out what the deadlines are for dropping a course with a full refund and for withdrawing from a course with a partial refund.</p> <p><b>Special Services</b> If you have registered as a student with a documented disability and are entitled to classroom or testing accommodations, please inform the instructor at the beginning of the course of the accommodations you will require in this class so that these can be provided.</p> <p><b>Disturbances</b> Since every student is entitled to full participation in class without interruption, disruption of class by inconsiderate behavior is not acceptable. Students are expected to treat the instructor and other students with dignity and respect, especially in cases where a diversity of opinion arises. Students who engage in disruptive behavior are subject to disciplinary action, including removal from the course.</p>

	<p><b>Student Assignments Retained</b>  From time to time, student assignments or projects will be retained by The Department for the purpose of academic assessment. In every case, should the assignment or project be shared outside the academic Department, the student's name and all identifying information about that student will be redacted from the assignment or project.</p> <p><b>Contact Hours for this Course</b>  It is essential that all classes meet for the full instructional time as scheduled. A class cannot be shortened in length. If a class session is cancelled for any reason, it must be rescheduled.</p>		
<p><b>Course Policies</b></p>	<p>Attendance is crucial to your success in this course, as much of class time is spent discussing and expanding on the readings. An unexcused absence results in a 5-point deduction on your final grade.</p> <p>The schedule below presents an approximate expectation of course progress. The instructor reserves the right to change the schedule if the needs of the class dictate. All such changes will be announced in class.</p>		
<p><b>Weekly Schedule</b></p>	<p>See immediately below.</p>		
	<p><u>Date:</u></p>	<p><u>Chapters to have read for this class:</u></p>	<p><u>Questions to turn in:</u></p>
<p>Monday, 10/27/08</p>	<p>Ch. 23-Liability of Agents to 3<sup>rd</sup> Parties; Ch. 24-Employment Laws; Ch. 25-Choice of Entity</p>	<p>#10, page 423; #9, page 444; #3, page 467</p>	
<p>Monday, 11/3/08</p>	<p>Ch. 26-Partnerships; Ch. 27-Forming and Terminating Corps; Ch. 28-Managing the Corporation</p>	<p>#1, page 493; #5, page 518; #9, page 545</p>	
<p>Monday, 11/10/08</p>	<p>Ch. 29-Financing the Corporation; Ch. 30-Securities Regulation; Ch. 31-Legal Liability of Accountants</p>	<p>#10, page 570; #3, page 590; #10, page 611</p>	
<p>Monday, 11/17/08</p>	<p>Ch. 32-Personal Property-Bailments; Ch. 33-Real Property; Ch. 36-Insurance</p>	<p>#8, page 635; #9, page 666; #1, page 730</p>	

	Monday, 11/24/08	Ch. 37-Negotiable Instruments; Ch. 38-Negotiation-HIDC; Ch. 39-Liability on Negotiable Instruments	#8, page 751; #9, page 775; #10, page 798
	Monday, 12/1/08	Ch. 40-Checks-Electronic Funds Transfer; Ch. 41-Security-Suretyship-Liens; Ch. 42-Security Interests in Personal Property	#1, page 813; #7, page 832; #9, page 857
	Monday, 12/8/08	Ch. 43-Bankruptcy; Ch. 44-Antitrust Laws; Ch. 45-Consumer Protection Laws	#8, page 881; #10, page 910; #7, page 925
	Monday, 12/15/08	Final Exam	
<b>Additional Information</b>	None		