



The Southern Reporter

Group-Study Room Policies

Two study rooms are available in the Federal Reading Room area for group studying. The Civil Rights Reading Room can also be utilized unless it has been reserved for classes. The rules for these rooms are as follows:

- A study group is three (3) or more individuals studying together at one time.
- Study group rooms are available on a first-come, first-serve basis.
- Study groups as defined above have first preference for use of Rooms 161 and 162.
- A study group of less than three (3) can hold the study area for a maxi-

mum of 30 minutes, after which time they must surrender the area if their group has not assembled.

- When checking for availability, please do not disturb the current occupants.
- Personal belongings should not be left in an unoccupied study area.
- When a study group leaves the area, the room immediately becomes available for occupancy.
- Food and drink are strictly forbidden. Violation of this policy may result in surrender of the area.
- A group may check with the Reference Librarian on duty or the



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Director of Library Services for additional areas that are suitable for group study.

- The rooms are not sound proof. Maintain your discussions at a level that will not disturb others.
- When leaving the study area, please leave the door open.

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Where Can I Find...

- Bar Exams and Course Exams can be found at the Circulation Desk.
- Materials on how to write for law school exams can be found at the Circulation Desk.
- Louisiana practice forms and Notary Guides can be found in the Reserve Room.
- Rules of Court for each state and the District of Columbia can be found on the second floor of the West Stacks.

Study Aids

Here are some sources that may help you while you are preparing for final exams:

Criminal Law:

- *Criminal Law, sound recording (CD)*, Reserve Desk
- *Siegel's Criminal Law: Essay and Multiple-Choice Answers*, KF 9291.29 S53, Reserve Reading Room

Torts:

- Frank L. Maraist, *Louisiana Tort Law*, KFL 195.M37, Reserve Reading Room

Contracts:

- John D. Calamari and Joseph M. Perillo, *Calamari and Perillo on Contracts*, KF 801.C26

Evidence:

- Bobby M. Harges and Russell L. Jones, *Harges and Jones' Louisiana Evidence*, KFL 540.H37, Reserve Reading Room

Agency and Partnership:

- Melvin A. Eisenberg, *An Introduction to Agency, Partner-*

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1366.E38, East Stacks, First Floor

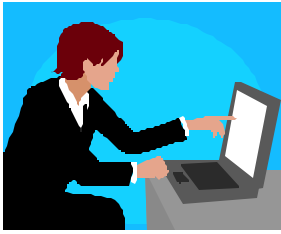
Successions:

- Frederick W. Swain, *Successions and Donations*, KFL 142.S93, Reserve Reading Room

Sales and Lease

- James Brook, *Sales and Leases: Examples and Explanations*, KF 915.Z9 B74, East Stacks, First Floor

Hein Online: Law Reviews and Journals Online



Hundreds of law reviews and journals are available on HeinOnline.

Southern University Law Center Library subscribes to HeinOnline. HeinOnline enables you to find law review articles in over 700 law reviews and journals. You can also retrieve the Federal Register, U.S. Reports and U.S. Treaties and other International Agreements from 1776-1984.

Sources are arranged alphabetically by title. You can click an alphabet on the menu bar to quickly go to a specific set of law reviews by title. You can also

search for articles by title or author's name.

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You can also access the website at home or from your laptop. To log

on to the website at home or on your laptop, you will need the school's user name and password. See a Reference Librarian or the Director of Library Services for this information.

A few of the titles you can access on the website are: *American Journal of Police Science*, *Fletcher Forum of World Affairs*, *Journal of Legal Advocacy and Practice*, *Seton Hall Journal of Sport Law*, and the *Southern University Law Review*.

Quick Reference: Form Books and Practice Aids

Form books and practice aids can be found in the Reserve Reading Room, the Federal Reading Room and in the East Stacks on the First and Second Floors.

The law library has many form books and practice aids in its collection. Books are available for different subjects. There are books for federal courts, state courts, automobile accidents, bankruptcy, business organizations, criminal law, discovery, and malpractice, just to name a few.

Other popular practice aids include *American Jurisprudence Proof of Facts*, found on the second

floor of the East Stacks and *A Basic Louisiana Notary Guide*, located in the Reserve Reading Room.

Need to know how much that injury is worth? Try *Eason's Louisiana Quantum Book* found at the Circulation Desk or *What's It Worth?* found on the first floor of the East Stacks.

Forms of all type can be found in

the Federal Reading Room, the Reserve Reading Room and in the East Stacks on the first and second floors. Some of these books include *Am. Jur. Legal Forms*, *Nichols Cyclopedia of Legal Forms*, *Warren's Forms of Agreement*, *Fletcher Corporation Forms*, and *West's Legal Forms*. See a Reference Librarian for more information on these and other titles.

Lexis-Nexis and Westlaw News



Telephones in the LexisNexis/Westlaw lab can be used for reference assistance.

The telephones in the LexisNexis/Westlaw lab are for reference assistance. If you are using one of these services and need help developing a query or other assistance, you can pick up the phone and be instantly connected with a reference attorney who can assist you. You can also use the toll free numbers and speak with a refer-

ence attorney.

Handouts are also available to help you use Lexis-Nexis and Westlaw. The handouts are available at the information center at the entrance of the Federal Reading Room. The information shows you how to use these services and what features are available on each website.

Trainings on Lexis-Nexis and Westlaw are available every semester. See your student representatives and Account Managers for more information. When a training is announced, you must sign-up to attend the session. The sign-up sheets for the trainings will be at the Circulation Desk.

Articles of Interest

- Timothy N. Brown, *Dealing with Disasters: Real Estate Lessons from Katrina*, 20 Probate and Property 34 (September/October 2006)
- Assia Dosseva, *North Korea and the Non-Proliferation Treaty*, 31 Yale Journal of International Law 265 (Winter 2006)
- L. Darnell Weeden, *Essay: Does the No Child Left Behind Law (NCLBA) Burden the States as an Unfunded Mandate Under Federal Law?*, 31 Thurgood Marshall Law Review 239 (Spring 2006)
- Clay Moorhead, *Revenue Sharing and the Salary Cap in the NFL: Perfecting the Balance Between NFL Socialism and Unrestrained Free-Trade*, 8 Vanderbilt Journal of Entertainment and Technology Law 641 (Summer 2006)
- Kathleen Hart, *Sticks and Stones and Shotguns at School: The Ineffectiveness of Constitutional Anti-bullying Legislation as a Response to School Violence*, 39 Georgia Law Review 1109 (Spring 2005)
- Rebecca Porter, *Minorities Pay More for Mortgages, Studies Find*, 42 Trial 77 (September 2006)
- Jerry Phillips, *Thirteen Rules for Taking Law Exams*, 72 Tennessee Law Review 797 (Spring 2005)



These articles of interest can be found in the East Stacks on the third and fourth floors or on HeinOnline.

Additions to the Collection

There are more than just books in the Southern University Law Library. Here are some new DVD releases that have been added to the Civil Rights collection:

- *Africans in America*
- *At the River I Stand*
- *Nat Turner: A Troublesome Property*
- *The Complete Blue Eyed*
- *W.E.B. DuBois: A Biography in Four Voices*
- *Ida B. Wells: A Passion for Justice*
- *Race—The Power of an Illusion*
- *Ralph Ellison: An American Journey*
- *Strange Fruit*
- *Long Night's Journey into Day*
- *The Rise and Fall of Jim Crow*
- *The Language You Cry In*
- *A Son of Africa*
- *Freedom on My Mind*
- *February One*
- *Brother Outsider: The Life of Bayard Rustin*
- *Board of Education v. Earls*

We Were There

The staff of the Southern University Law Library attended several trainings and meetings this year. These are a few of the places we went:

- Angela Gaines, Technical Support Specialist, attended the annual conference for LOUIS: The Louisiana Library Network, October 5-6, 2006, at the LSU School of Veterinary Medicine, in Baton Rouge.
- Harold Isadore, Associate Law Librarian, Marie Louis, Cataloging Librarian, and Jean Allen, Acquisitions Librarian, attended the American Association of Law Libraries 99th Annual Meeting, July 8-12, 2006, in St. Louis, MO.
- Jean Allen, Acquisitions Librarian, attended the Baton Rouge Area Association of Law Libraries meeting on August 30, 2006, in Baton Rouge.

Staff have attended trainings and meetings throughout the year.



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Thanksgiving Holiday Hours

*The library will be closed
Thursday, November 23,
and Friday, November 24,
2006, in observance of
the Thanksgiving holiday.
Regular hours will re-
sume on Saturday, No-
vember 25, 2006, at 9 AM.*

*We hope everyone has a
safe and happy holiday!*



Final Examination Schedule

November 27—December 15

*Monday—Thursday
5 AM—Midnight*

*Friday
5AM—10 PM*

*Saturday
9 AM—Midnight*

*Sunday
10 AM—Midnight*

*Friday, December 15
5 AM—5 PM*