LA Landscape Architecture

LA 205 HISTORY OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE. (3)
A study of landscape design through past civilizations and how these have influenced our present approach to dealing with our landscape.

LA 206 CONTEMPORARY LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE. (3)
A survey of contemporary landscape architecture, its evaluation and implications for the future of the practice. Prereq: LA 205.

LA 801 LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE DESIGN STUDIO I—DESIGN COMMUNICATION. (6)
Instruction and exploration of design drawing and presentation graphics as it relates to environmental awareness and landscape architectural problem-solving. Lecture, two hours; studio, 12 hours. Prereq: ARC 102 or with consent of the instructor.

LA 802 LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE DESIGN STUDIO II. (6)
Investigation into design principles and processes and their application in solving landscape architectural problems. Includes advanced graphic techniques and examination of landscape architectural projects in the local area. Lecture, two hours; studio, 12 hours. Prereq: LA 801 or with consent of the instructor.

LA 810 LANDSCAPE CONSTRUCTION I. (4)
A study of landscape architecture construction materials such as paving types and their applications. Development of skills in grading, drainage, and preparation of working drawings and materials specifications. Lecture, two hours; studio, six hours. Prereq: CE 100 or equivalent or permission of the instructor.

LA 812 LANDSCAPE CONSTRUCTION II. (3)
A continuation of the study of landscape construction to develop competencies in performing calculations necessary to solve problems of simple structures, subsurface drainage systems, and road alignment. Lecture, two hours; studio, two hours. Prereq: LA 810.

LA 831 LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE DESIGN STUDIO III. (6)
Studio design course emphasizing design process and principles in the development of design solutions for a variety of projects. Lecture, two hours; studio, 12 hours. Prereq: LA 801, 802 and ARC 101, 102 with a minimum grade of C, and HOR 327 and 329.

LA 832 LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE DESIGN STUDIO IV. (6)
Studio design course with emphasis on project-type design and an introduction to large scale site planning. Lecture, two hours; studio, 12 hours. Prereq: LA 831 with a minimum grade of C.

LA 850 LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE GRAPHICS. (3)
A study of landscape architecture graphics including freehand sketching, plan, section, and perspective drawing. Rendering techniques in both black and white and color will be explored with a variety of media including pencil, marker, pastel, and airbrush. Lecture, two hours; studio, two hours per week. Prereq: May not be taken with or after LA 852; non-LA majors must have permission of instructor.

LA 851 STUDIES IN LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE: PLANTING DESIGN. (3)
A detailed study of the use of various ornamental and native plant materials to express the basic design principles and functions in landscape. Lecture, two hours; practicum, two hours. Prereq: One course in ornamental plants or permission of the instructor.

LA 852 DESIGN COMMUNICATIONS. (3)
The course will focus upon the need for effective design communication with an emphasis placed on multi-media presentations. Subject areas include: the role of communication in the design process, preparing presentations, delivering presentations and tools for presentations. Lecture, two hours; laboratory, two hours. Prereq: LA 801 and LA 802 or permission of instructor.

LA 853 TOPICS IN URBAN DESIGN. (3)
Exploration of topics related to urban design, specific topics will be analyzed through case studies of historical and contemporary urban spaces. Lecture, two hours; laboratory, two hours. Prereq: LA 801 and LA 802 or permission of instructor.

LA 854 HISTORIC LANDSCAPE PRESERVATION. (3)
An introduction to historic landscape preservation philosophy, strategies, and methods. Exploration of regional landscape preservation case studies and application of preservation principles and methods to solve landscape preservation problems with an emphasis on process. Lecture, two hours; studio, two hours per week. Prereq: LA 206 and LA 801 or permission of instructor.

LAS Latin American Studies

LAS 201 INTRODUCTION TO LATIN AMERICA. (3)
An interdisciplinary approach to the people, culture and development of the Latin American republics. Attention will be concentrated on significant aspects of the indigenous peoples, geography, economic processes, gender roles, social structures and politics of Latin America, with special attention paid to value structures and value conflicts. Musical, literary and artistic expression in Latin America will also be introduced. Team taught, with a course coordinator from the LAS faculty.

LAS 395 INDEPENDENT WORK IN LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES. (1-6)
Advanced topical studies in landscape architecture allowing for individual research or a work/travel experience coordinated with academic pursuits. May be repeated to a maximum of nine credits. Prereq: Permission of faculty.

LAS 901 REGIONAL LAND USE PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT. (6)
An introduction to regional planning principles and their relationship to the physical, social, and visual environment. The application of land use planning methods including use of the computer. Lecture, three hours; practicum, six hours.

LAS 902 ADVANCED LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE STUDIO I. (6)
Application of landscape architecture design principles to solve problems at a variety of scales emphasizing process as well as form generation in a creative and historic context. Lecture, two hours; studio, ten hours. Prereq: LA 832.

LAS 903 ADVANCED LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE STUDIO II. (6)
Advanced work on site design, site engineering, construction, and cost estimating. Students will develop a comprehensive set of working drawings while applying the methods and principles commonly used in the landscape architecture profession. Lecture, two hours; studio, 12 hours. Prereq: LA 902 with a minimum grade of "C" and LA 812.

LAS 951 SENIOR PROJECT. (3)
A major research, investigation or design project to serve as the capstone experience in landscape architecture. Prereq: Senior landscape architecture major and an approved project proposal.

#LA 855 GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS AND LANDSCAPE ANALYSIS. (3)
An introduction to the concepts and methods of compilation, management, analysis, and display of spatially-referenced data. Lectures will be complemented with computer based laboratory exercises. Lecture, two hours; laboratory, four hours per week. Prereq: Fourth/fifth year LA major, upper division or graduate student, or permission of instructor. (Same as NRC/SOC 555.)

#LA 856 ADVANCED GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS AND LANDSCAPE ANALYSIS. (3)
Advance concepts in data base analysis, model development, and ancillary functions in geographic information systems. Lecture, two hours; laboratory, four hours per week. Prereq: LA 855 and either fourth/fifth year LA major, graduate student, or permission of the instructor. (Same as NRC/SOC 556.)
LAW 801 CONTRACTS/SALES I. (3)

LAW 802 CONTRACTS/SALES II. (3)
Continuation of Contracts/Sales I - Statute of Frauds, performance, express and implied conditions, repudiation, impossibility.

LAW 804 LEGAL RESEARCH AND WRITING SKILLS. (3)
Instruction in the use of research materials, in legal writing, in the fundamentals of legal analysis and in the solution of selected legal problems.

LAW 805 TORTS I. (3)
Intentional torts and defenses, negligence, causation, duties of occupants of land, contributing negligence, strict liability.

LAW 806 TORTS II. (2)
A continuation of Torts I - products liability, invasion of privacy, defamation, interference with advantageous relationships.

LAW 807 PROPERTY I. (3)
Rights in personal and real property, gifts, estates, uses and easements.

LAW 808 PROPERTY II. (3)
Leasehold estates, rights of tenant and landlord, land transfers, land contracts, covenants, recording acts.

LAW 809 FEDERAL CRIMINAL LAW. (2-3)
This course will cover federal white collar criminal issues, including RICO, mail and wire fraud, political corruption, bank secrecy laws, and false statement laws.

LAW 810 CRIMINAL LAW. (3)
Jurisdiction; the criminal act, complete and incomplete; criminal intent, actual and constructive; duress and mistake of fact, of law; justification; parties in crime; crimes against the person and crimes against property.

LAW 811 CRIMINAL PROCEDURE I. (3)
This course will cover search and seizure, the privilege against self-incrimination, confessions and identification procedures – in general, the constitutional cases arising out of the conflict between police practices and the Bill of Rights.

LAW 812 CONTRACTS. (4)
Formation of contracts, offer, acceptance, consideration. Statute of Frauds, parol evidence rule, contracts for benefit of third persons, assignments, performance of contracts, express and implied conditions, impossibility of performance, discharge and illegal contracts.

LAW 814 CRIMINAL TRIAL PROCESS. (3)
This course will cover in-depth the criminal trial process from the initial court appearance: grand jury proceedings, pretrial motions, discovery, trial, pleas, sentencing, appeals, double jeopardy and habeas corpus. Students who have taken LAW 813, Criminal Procedure II, may not take this course.

LAW 815 CIVIL PROCEDURE I. (3)
Introduction to the civil action; personal and in rem jurisdiction; service or process and notice; subject matter jurisdiction; venue; choice of law; pleading.

LAW 817 CIVIL PROCEDURE II. (2-3)
Joinder of claims and parties; discovery; summary judgment; right to jury trial; trials and posttrial motions; res judicata and collateral estoppel.

LAW 818 REMEDIES. (3)
Nature of damages; nature of specific relief; personal interests; contractual interests; property interests; specific relief and the government.

LAW 819 THE FEDERAL COURTS AND THE FEDERAL SYSTEM. (3)
The nature of the federal judicial function and its development, distribution of power among federal and state courts, Supreme Court review of state court decisions, the law applied in federal district courts, federal question and diversity jurisdiction, federal habeas corpus, removal jurisdiction and procedure.

LAW 820 CONSTITUTIONAL LAW I. (3)
Judicial interpretation of the Constitution; the federal system; powers of the national government; limitations on the exercise of state powers.

LAW 821 LITIGATION SKILLS. (3)
The skills of litigation, including trial advocacy, interviewing and counseling, negotiation and pleading. Lecture, one hour; laboratory, five hours. Prereq or conc: LAW 890.

LAW 822 CONSTITUTIONAL LAW II. (3)
Protection of individuals and organizations by the Bill of Rights, the fourteenth amendment, and other provisions of the Constitution.

LAW 823 FIRST AMENDMENT LAW. (3)
Survey of the doctrines of freedom of speech, press, association, and religion under the First Amendment to the United States Constitution.

LAW 824 ALTERNATE DISPUTE RESOLUTION. (3)
Methods of dispute resolution other than trial; statutory and judicial regulation; presenting a claim in different formats of ADR.

LAW 825 THE NEGOTIATING PROCESS. (2)
Analysis of the elements of bargaining power; exercises in the negotiating process in various contexts; basic techniques of negotiation; ethical norms of the lawyer-investigator. Lecture, one hour; laboratory, two hours per week.

LAW 826 LEGAL DRAFTING. (2-3)
This course systematically explores drafting process and technique and provides drafting practice. Students complete drafting-related exercises which become the focus of class discussions. Students also complete major drafting projects. These may consist of a will, a contract, a piece of legislation or other common lawyer work product. Major drafting projects are the focus of class discussions and individual or small group meetings with the instructor.

LAW 827 LEGAL MEDICINE. (3)
Legal-medical issues, including medical negligence, regulation of health care providers, aiding and altering reproduction, and defining death.

LAW 828 STATUTORY CIVIL RIGHTS. (3)
This is a survey course designed to cover the entire field of federal antidiscrimination law. Topics to be covered may include employment discrimination (primarily focusing on race, sex, age, and disability issues and possibly affirmative action); housing discrimination (primarily focusing on race, disability, and family issues); other disability discrimination issues under the Americans with Disabilities Act; discrimination in public accommodations and government programs; voting rights litigation issues involving proof (e.g., how cases based on direct evidence of intent, circumstantial evidence of intent, and disparate impact differ from one another), special defenses, and remedies; and a brief survey of the more important questions that arise in Section 1983 litigation. Prereq: LAW 822.

LAW 835 PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY. (2-3)
An examination of the varying roles played by lawyers in society and the conflicting pressures created to each role. Special attention is paid to the Code of Professional Responsibility as a guide and control in the lawyer-client relationship. Also considered at length is the role of law in society and the place of the legal profession in society. Guest speakers are used to bring into focus employment options for lawyers and the viewpoints of varying types of practicing lawyers to the pervasive problems of the legal profession.

LAW 837 PHILOSOPHY OF LAW. (3)
Concept of law; relations between law and morals; nature of legal reasoning; analysis of legal concepts; justification of punishment. Pass/fail basis only for law students. (Same as PHIL 537.)

LAW 839 GENDER DISCRIMINATION. (2-3)
Constitutional aspects of sex discrimination, employment discrimination. A criminal law unit covering women as victims and as offenders.

LAW 850 LEGAL ACCOUNTING. (2-3)
This course is designed to introduce students to general bookkeeping and accounting principles. Class discussion will concentrate on the relevance of accounting judgments to legal issues rather than focusing on technical problems. Students will examine income statements, balance sheets, and other accounting documents. Emphasis will be placed on an understanding of accepted accounting principles (GAAP) and the abuses of GAAP. Students with undergraduate financial accounting can take this course only with permission of the professor.
LAW 851 BUSINESS ASSOCIATIONS. (4)
Legal introduction to business organization; emphasis on nature and structure under modern American business corporation law. Areas: partnership planning (formation, property rights, dissolution and liquidation rights); steps for corporate organizing (including legal consequences of defective incorporation); nature of corporate entity concept; corporate control and management (including problems of close corporation); fiduciary duties of directors and controlling shareholders under state law; nature and characteristics of shareholders’ derivative suit. Prereq: Completion of first year of law study generally is expected.

LAW 855 CORPORATION FINANCE LAW. (3)
A study of selected problems in advanced corporation law, including corporate promotion and capitalization (with special emphasis on senior securities and their characteristics); corporate distributions (dividends); recapitalizations (elimination of accrued dividends); public regulation of security issues (Securities Act of 1933 and state Blue Sky laws).

LAW 856 BUSINESS PLANNING. (3)
This course involves the planning of business transactions and combines the applicable corporate, tax, and securities considerations of such transactions in a single course. Emphasis will be on some of the more important types of corporate transactions, such as the organization of a private corporation and a public corporation, conflicts between stockholders of a close corporation, and corporate combinations. Course is limited to third-year students who have had a background in corporations and income tax. Knowledge of securities regulation and corporate tax is desired.

LAW 860 TAXATION I. (3-4)
Problems in federal and state income taxation.

LAW 861 TAXATION OF BUSINESS ENTERPRISES I. (4)
Federal income taxation of transactions between partners and their partnership and shareholders and their corporation; organization of partnerships and corporations; taxation of distributions of operating profits, liquidations, and sales of interests. Prereq: LAW 860.

LAW 863 TAXATION OF BUSINESS ENTERPRISES II. (3)
Advanced problems of federal income taxation of corporations and partnerships; mergers and acquisitions; reorganizations, recapitalizations, affiliated corporations; consolidated returns. Prereq: LAW 860 and LAW 861.

LAW 865 ESTATE AND GIFT TAXATION. (3)
Donative transfers of property, including inter vivos transfers and wills; income; estate, and gift tax consequences of the various methods of disposition; administration of estates.

LAW 866 ESTATE PLANNING SKILLS. (2-3)
This course offers practical experience in advanced estate planning; interviewing, counseling, planning and drafting wills, trusts and related documents. Prereq: LAW 865 and LAW 876.

LAW 867 TAX PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE. (3)
An advanced tax elective dealing with administrative practice before the IRS; court procedures governing judicial resolution of tax controversies; civil and criminal tax penalties; and the ethical standards governing tax practice. Prereq: LAW 860.

LAW 870 MINERAL LAW. (3)
An examination of legal problems connected with coal, oil, and gas. The course will cover: ownership and conveyances of mineral interests, the laws affecting mine development and operations, coal mine employment, sale and marketing of extracted materials, and legal issues affecting the use of minerals.

LAW 872 LAND USE PLANNING. (2-3)
A comprehensive survey of the basic legal devices to control the use of land, theories of land use planning, nuisance, private agreements, zoning and zoning procedure, the role of the federal government in land planning, exercise of eminent domain, and selected Kentucky problems, such as rural zoning and proposed New Towns for Appalachia.

LAW 873 LAND TRANSFER LAW. (3)
An elective course for second-year law students. A basic study of the body of land development law, including: land transfers, land sales contracts; deed covenants; recording acts; title insurance; contemporary landlord and tenant law; and public utility, subdivision and zoning regulations. The indicated problem areas are treated together to illuminate the lawyer’s role in the land development process.

LAW 874 BANKING LAW. (2-3)
History of banking; overview of agencies which regulate bank activities; formation and regulation of bank holding companies; bank mergers and acquisitions; branch banking; antitrust considerations; trust operations conducted by banks; impact of securities legislation on bank loans and bank financing; the FDIC and its impact on a failing bank.

LAW 875 SECURITIES REGULATION. (3)
The law governing the issuance, distribution and trading of securities under the Securities Act of 1933 and the Securities Exchange Act of 1934; the obligation to register securities; public offerings by issuers; secondary distributions; and registration requirements growing out of mergers, definition of a “security” and the exemptions from registration requirements; insider trading prohibitions; antifraud provisions in tender offers, self tenders, proxy solicitations and the purchase and sale of securities.

LAW 876 TRUSTS AND ESTATES. (4)
An elective course for second-year law students. Examination of rules governing intestate distribution of property; formal requirements governing execution, alteration and revocation of wills; requisite elements of express trusts and requirements for their creation; special rules relating to charitable trusts and spendthrift trusts; rules concerning construction of wills and trusts and general rules governing administration of decedents’ estates and trusts.

LAW 877 FUTURE INTERESTS. (2)
An advanced elective course for third-year law students treating in-depth future interests of ownership in property, including the kind of future interests, rules as to class gifts, the rule against perpetuities, and powers of appointment with emphasis on the lawyer’s use of future interests in estate planning and the pitfalls relating thereto.

LAW 879 COMMERCIAL LAW I. (3)
A study of problems involved in the sale of goods as governed by the Uniform Commercial Code. Attention is given to statutory methodology.

LAW 880 BASIC UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE. (4)
A study of problems involved in secured transactions and the exchange of commercial paper as governed by the Uniform Commercial Code.

LAW 881 PAYMENT SYSTEMS. (2-3)
This course examines the law relating to various means of payment or insuring payment including checks, electronic funds transfers, and letters of credit. Bodies of law covered include Articles 4, 4A, and 5 of the Uniform Commercial Code, the Federal Electronic Fund Transfers Act, and federal regulations relating to check collections and the availability of funds. Successful completion of Basic Uniform Commercial Code is a prerequisite. Prereq: Basic Uniform Commercial Code.

LAW 883 BUSINESS BANKRUPTCY. (2)
A study of the issues relative to business bankruptcies, including defining the estate; claims against the estate; trustee’s power to enhance the estate; preservation of the estate; priorities; and reorganization under Chapter Eleven.

LAW 885 COMMERCIAL DEBTOR-CREDITOR RELATIONS. (2-3)
Minimizing risk of loss through bankruptcy by business creditors and debtors; Uniform Commercial Code versus the federal Bankruptcy Act; nonbankruptcy creditors’ and debtors’ remedies in commercial context, including assignments and arrangements under state law; commercial bankruptcy; rehabilitation under Bankruptcy Act.

LAW 887 INSURANCE. (2-3)
Nature of contract, insurable interest, making the contract, concealment, representations, warranties, implied conditions of forfeiture, waiver and estoppel, rights under the contract, and construction of the policy.

LAW 890 EVIDENCE. (4)
Rules of admissibility, real, circumstantial, testimonial and documentary evidence, witnesses, hearsay rule and its exceptions, procedure of admissibility, law and fact, judge and jury, burden of proof and presumption, judicial notice, and parole evidence rule.

LAW 898 ENVIRONMENTAL LAW. (3)
The role of the legal system in regulating the interrelated subsystems within the physical environment, including water and air pollution, solid waste disposal, and strip mining. Emphasis on: constitutional limitations on the public’s power to implement planning proposals; relationships between federal, state and local governments; structure of agencies regulating environmental quality; standards for administrative discretion; the openness of administrative hearing procedures; and the scope of judicial review of administrative decisions. Prereq: None directly, although completion of first-year law courses is expected for second- and third-year elective courses.

LAW 900 LAW SPECIAL COURSE. (2 or 3)
Interdisciplinary, topical or experimental courses to be approved by the faculty and Dean of the College of Law. A particular course may be offered no more than twice under the LAW 900 number.

LAW 905 CONFLICT OF LAWS. (3)
Nature of the subject, penal laws, procedure, judgments, domicile, capacity, form, particular subjects, litigation, family law, inheritance, foreign administrators.
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LIN 211 INTRODUCTION TO LINGUISTICS. (3)
Introduction to the scientific study of human language. Emphasis on the fundamental
principles of linguistic theory; applications of these principles in the investigation of
grammatical structure, language change, regional and social dialect variation, and the
acquisition of language by children. Credit will not be given to students who already
have credit for either ANT 215 or ENG 414G. Prereq: Two college semesters or two
high school years of a foreign language. (Same as ENG 211.)

LIN 395 INDEPENDENT WORK. (3)
Study of special problems in linguistics under the direction of an instructor in the
linguistics program. Prereq: LIN 211; major and 3.0 in linguistics or consent of
instructor.

LIN 515 PHONOLOGICAL ANALYSIS. (3)
An investigation of speech-sounds and systems of speech-sounds. Articulatory
phonetics, analysis of phonological systems, phonological theories. Includes fieldwork
on the phonology of a non-Indo-European language; within a given academic year, the
same language serves as the basis for fieldwork in ANT/ENG/LIN 515 and ANT/ENG/
LIN 516. Prereq: ENG/LIN 211 or equivalent. (Same as ANT/ENG 515.)

LIN 516 GRAMMATICAL ANALYSIS. (3)
Emphasis on the systematic interrelationships of morphemes within words and
sentences. Practical training in the writing of grammars and exposure to various theories
of grammatical description. Includes fieldwork on the morphology and syntax of a
non-Indo-European language; within a given academic year, the same language serves as
the basis for fieldwork in ANT/ENG/LIN 515 and ANT/ENG/LIN 516. Prereq: ENG/LIN
211 or equivalent. (Same as ANT/ENG 516.)

LIN 517 SPECIAL TOPICS IN LINGUISTICS (Subtitle required). (3)
The focus will be on intensive study of problems and issues that do not fall under
linguistics course headings. These may have an interdisciplinary emphasis, or they may
concentrate on some special topics of current research. All topics will be subject to review
by the director of the program. May be repeated under different subtitles to a maximum
of six credits. Prereq: Consent of instructor.

LIN 519 HISTORICAL LINGUISTICS. (3)
Language change; reconstruction of linguistic systems; language classification; com-
parative linguistics; temporal, spatial, and social context of language change. Prereq:
ANT 215, ENG/LIN 211, or ENG 414G; or equivalent. (Same as ANT 519.)

LIN 617 STUDIES IN LINGUISTICS (Subtitle required). (3)
A comprehensive investigation of some designated topic in general or applied
linguistics. May be repeated to a maximum of nine credits under different subtitles.
Prereq: An introductory course in linguistics (ANT 215, ENG/LIN 211, or ENG 414G)
or permission of instructor. (Same as ENG 617.)

LIS Library and Information Science

LIS 504 INFORMATION IN SOCIETY. (3)
An introduction to the nature of information (both utilitarian and aesthetic) in
contemporary society, and to the role played by libraries and other information
organizations in disseminating that information. Emphasis is on developing perspec-
tive.

LIS 510 CHILDREN'S LITERATURE
AND RELATED MATERIALS. (3)
A survey of children’s literature, traditional and modern. Reading and evaluation of
books with multimedia materials with emphasis on the needs and interests of children.
Covers media for use by and with children from preschool through grade six.

LIS 513 LITERATURE AND RELATED
MATERIALS FOR EARLY ADOLESCENCE. (3)
A study of integrated media to support the curriculum of the middle school. Emphasis
is placed on evaluating literature appropriate for early adolescent problems and interests.

LIS 514 INFORMATION RESOURCES
AND SERVICES FOR YOUNG ADULTS. (3)
A consideration of the special characteristics and needs of young adults approximately
12-20 years old. Emphasis given to the literature and information resources and services
in all types of libraries designed to meet their needs.

LIS 530 INFORMATION SOURCES AND SERVICES. (3)
An introduction to basic information sources and services provided by libraries and
information organizations. Consideration is also given to the ethics of information
services, the user-system interface including question-negotiation and the formulation
of effective search strategies, and the evaluation of information sources and information
services.

LIS 535 INFORMATION STORAGE AND RETRIEVAL. (3)
An introduction to principles and practices of information analysis, organization,
storage, retrieval and dissemination. Examines the structure of bibliographic records,
indexing processes, indexing languages, catalogs and files, storage media, retrieval
strategies and information delivery systems.

LIS 547 ADMINISTRATION OF SCHOOL MEDIA CENTERS. (3)
Examines the philosophy of the modern school, the leadership responsibilities of the
librarian, and the librarian’s role in implementing effective information services.
Considers methods of assisting faculty in the effective use of information in all media,
the relation of the individual school to the district materials center, and the type of
personnel, equipment and collections which are needed in each.

LIS 550 INTRODUCTION TO
CATALOGING AND CLASSIFICATION. (3)
Introductory study of types of bibliographic records and the fundamentals of bibliographic
description and subject analysis of print and nonprint information. Includes brief
introduction to online cataloging.

LIS 556 MANAGEMENT IN LIBRARY
AND INFORMATION SCIENCE. (3)
An introduction to the basic elements of management and how these are applied to the
effective administration of information systems. Focus will be placed on two major roles
in a system, the person who is supervised as well as the manager or supervisor.
Examination of the functions of planning, organization, staffing and controlling as well
as the theories of management and the effective use of these in an information system.

LIS 575 PROFESSIONAL FIELD EXPERIENCE. (1-12)
Professional field experience in a library or other information-related organization.
Student assumes entry level professional duties and responsibilities in an operational
setting under the close supervision of an information professional. Available only to those
students lacking similar experience and may not be repeated. Requires minimum of 140
hours of experiential learning, and the completion of a term paper or special project under
the direction of the course coordinator. Prereq: Completion of 18 hours of graduate work
in library and information science and consent of course coordinator.

LIS 576 SCHOOL MEDIA PRACTICUM. (1-12)
Supervised experience at the elementary and secondary levels in school library media
centers. Required for students seeking certification as school/media librarians in
Kentucky. Experience will be under the joint supervision of college faculty and
cooperating media librarians. Prereq: Admission to Teacher Education Program and
consent of instructor.

LIS 604 LIBRARY AND BOOK HISTORY. (3)
Development of libraries and books from earliest time to the present with special reference
to their relationship to contemporary social, economic, cultural and political trends.
Emphasis is given to American library and book history.

LIS 608 METHODS OF RESEARCH
IN LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE. (3)
Basic tools, techniques and methods of research. Consideration is given to the role and
purpose of research in library and information science and its relationship to research
in other disciplines. Includes critical evaluation of current research in library and
information science and the development of a research proposal.

LIS 609 CURRENT PROBLEMS
IN LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE. (3)
A seminar which examines current philosophical and managerial issues in library and
information science. Focus is on the analysis, origins, evaluation and current status of
these issues. Prereq: LIS 530, LIS 550, and LIS 560.

LIS 610 CREATIVE LIBRARY PROGRAMS FOR CHILDREN. (3)
A study of the oral tradition and its place in the cultural heritage of today. An introduction
to the principles of storytelling, selection of stories, practice in telling, program planning,
and development of creative visual forms. Prereq: LIS 510 and permission of instructor.

LIS 611 CRITICAL ANALYSIS OF CHILDREN’S LITERATURE. (3)
Advanced study of book evaluation, literary criticism, children’s book publishing,
awards, and current trends in the field. Individual projects require extensive critical
reading. Prereq: LIS 510 and permission of instructor.
LIS 618 ADULT INFORMATION NEEDS AND SERVICES. (3)
The study of adult reading and information needs, interests and abilities; developmental psychology and life-long learning concepts. Selection and evaluation of materials and their use in designing and implementing an effective program of library services to adults.

LIS 622 SOCIAL SCIENCE INFORMATION. (3)
The content and structure of bibliographic and other information resources in the social sciences. Consideration of formal and informal communication within the social sciences with emphasis on information sources and services in anthropology, history, business, law, political science, psychology, economics, education, geography, sociology, and other closely related subjects. Prereq: LIS 530.

LIS 623 INFORMATION IN THE HUMANITIES. (3)
The content and structure of bibliographic and other information resources in the humanities. A consideration of formal and informal communication within the humanities with emphasis on information sources and services in religion, philosophy, literature, linguistics, visual arts, music, dance, theatre, film and other closely related subjects. Prereq: LIS 530.

LIS 624 INFORMATION IN SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY. (3)
The content and structure of bibliographic and other information resources in science and technology. A consideration of formal and informal communication in science and technology with emphasis on sources and services in agriculture, astronomy, biology, chemistry, mathematics, natural resources, zoology, and other closely related subjects. Prereq: LIS 530.

LIS 626 GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS. (3)
Study of the nature and scope of government documents, including problems and methods of acquisition, organization, and reference use of federal, state, local and international publications. Prereq: LIS 530 or equivalent.

LIS 630 ONLINE INFORMATION SYSTEMS AND SERVICES. (3)
Focus on online information systems and services and their management in libraries and information centers. Consideration given to concepts of online information retrieval, major commercial information services, online public access catalogs, CD-ROM-based information systems, and basic online search techniques and strategies. Prereq: LIS 530; prereq or concur: LIS 535.

LIS 636 MICROCOMPUTERS IN LIBRARIES AND INFORMATION CENTERS. (3)
Examines microcomputer software applications commonly used in libraries and information centers. Consideration given to the structure of microcomputer operating systems, and the elements of software evaluation.

LIS 637 INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY. (3)
Study of computer and communication technology used in modern information storage and retrieval systems. Consideration also given to managing microcomputer services, hardware evaluation and selection, and system security.

LIS 640 HEALTH SCIENCES LIBRARIES. (3)
A survey of health sciences libraries including a study of information needs, sources, and services in the health sciences. Consideration is also given to technical services functions in health sciences libraries, the management of health sciences libraries, and current trends and developments. Prereq: LIS 530.

LIS 641 LAW LAWRIANSHIP. (3)
A study of the materials of legal research and reference work. Emphasis is placed on the methods of effective research and the actual use of legal materials in the solution of practical reference problems. The selection, cataloging, classification, and storage of materials in a law collection are considered. The specialized requirements of law librarianship and law library administration are treated. Prereq: Consent of instructor.

LIS 643 ARCHIVES AND MANUSCRIPTS MANAGEMENT. (3)
This course is designed to cover the management, care, and servicing of manuscript and archival material. Attention will also be given to criteria for building an archival/manuscript collection in a repository and to the description and interpretation of its holdings in guides and catalogs for the use of researchers. Prereq: LIS 535 or consent of instructor.

LIS 645 PUBLIC LIBRARIES. (3)
An analysis of public library objectives and of the services provided and techniques employed to achieve them. Some attention is given to special problems of public library management and to trends in public library development. Prereq: LIS 504.

LIS 646 ACADEMIC LIBRARIES. (3)
History, aims and functions of university and college libraries including organization, collection building and evaluation, finance and personnel. Recent trends in national and regional cooperation. Undergraduate libraries, community colleges and the “library college” will also be reviewed. Prereq: LIS 504.

LIS 647 CURRENT TRENDS IN SCHOOL MEDIA CENTERS. (3)
An intensive study of trends in school media centers with emphasis upon research and current programs. Prereq: School library media experience.

LIS 650 TECHNICAL PROCESSING SYSTEMS. (3)
A survey of manual and computer-based technical processing systems in libraries. Consideration given to circulation, acquisitions, cataloging and serial control systems. Trends and developments in technical processing, files and records management, and technical processing procedures and activities are examined. Prereq: LIS 550 and LIS 560.

LIS 651 LIBRARY AND INFORMATION NETWORKS. (3)
An analysis of the structure and governance, topology, technology, and service functions of networks based on electronic telecommunications and technology. Examines the impact of networks on information users, settings, and organizations nationally and internationally. Prereq: LIS 535 or consent of instructor.

LIS 655 DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGING. (3)
An advanced study of principles and standards of bibliographic description for print and nonprint information. Emphasis will be on the Anglo-American Cataloging Rules and on the description of monographic and serial publications. Prereq: LIS 550 or consent of instructor.

LIS 656 SUBJECT CATALOGING AND CLASSIFICATION. (3)
An advanced study of subject analysis of library materials, including subject cataloging and subject classification. Prereq: LIS 550 or consent of instructor.

LIS 659 COLLECTION DEVELOPMENT. (3)
Intellectual and administrative aspects of building, maintaining and evaluating library collections. Topics include: library cooperation; national standards; the writing and implementation of collection policies; strategies of selection and evaluation; contemporary publishing and the book trade. Prereq: LIS 530.

LIS 660 ADMINISTRATIVE BEHAVIOR IN LIBRARY MANAGEMENT. (3)
An emphasis upon human behavior in library administration including an understanding of group process, interpersonal relationships, communications, motivation, leadership, and developing an awareness of self in the administrative process. Prereq: LIS 560.

LIS 668 INFORMATION SYSTEMS DESIGN. (3)
Study of concepts and methods of information system design and development with particular relevance to library and information center applications. Emphasis is given to modeling of system functions, data, and processes of computer-based information systems including the development of small scale information systems. Prereq: LIS 636.

LIS 690 SPECIAL TOPICS IN LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE. (1-3)
Intensive study of one aspect of library and information science under the leadership of an authority in the area. May be repeated to a maximum of six semester hours when topics vary.

LIS 695 INDEPENDENT STUDY IN LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE. (3)
Opportunity for directed study in a subject, issue, or problem of professional interest to the student, and which is not treated in a regular course. Student may structure independent study as independent research or as independent reading, and a substantial written report is required in either case. May be repeated to a maximum of six credits. Prereq: Consent of instructor.

LIS 748 MASTER’S THESIS RESEARCH. (0)
Half-time to full-time work on thesis. May be repeated to a maximum of six semesters. Prereq: All course work toward the degree must be completed.

LIS 768 RESIDENCE CREDIT FOR THE MASTER’S DEGREE. (1-6)
May be repeated to a maximum of 12 hours.