

SAMPLE SEMINAR SCHEDULE

(Seminar Program is Mandatory – Regular Office Hours are 9:00-4:30 unless attending courses at the law school)

Seminars are generally held Monday, Tuesday and Thursday afternoons. However the first week is more intensive.

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SEMINAR TITLE
Family Court Tour & Court Room Etiquette
Community Tour
Welcome and Introduction to Clinical Law
Introduction to Academic
Community Program. Community Files to be assigned
Introduction to Office Procedures. Students to receive client files
You and Your Supervisor
Interviewing and Counselling, Read Binder and Price Chapters 1, 4, 5 (copy in manual). Prepare for client assignments (materials and schedule in the manual)
Interviewing and Counselling, Read Binder and Price Chapters 8 and 9 (copy in manual)
File Management
Meet with Supervisors to Review Files.
Trial Preparation & Theory of the Case (Case information to be distributed at the seminar)
Negotiation Skills. Read Getting to Yes. Read Menkel-Meadow, Negotiation: The Structure of Problem Solving; Stages of Negotiation (copies in manual)
Professional Responsibility & Time Management. Materials in manual
Negotiation Skills. Read problem in manual (Smith/Williams)
Direct Examination of Witnesses. Read 'The Assignment' in manual. Read the Fundamentals of Trial Techniques – IV Direct; Do's and Don'ts (copies in manual)
Cross Examination of Witnesses. Use the same witness as in Direct. Read the assignment and Carl's information. Read Do's and Don'ts (copies in manual)
Anti Oppressive Seminar – Part 1
Youth Criminal Justice Act
Writing and Drafting Skills – Sample Materials in Manual
Anti Oppressive Seminar – Part II
Family Law 1 – Custody/Access/Maintenance. Materials in Manual
Youth Court Tour
YCJA Sentencing. (Simulations to be scheduled with mentors)
Family Law 2 – Custody/Access/Maintenance
Writing and Drafting Skills – Court Documents. Sample Materials to be distributed at the seminar
Divorce Procedures and Matrimonial Property. Materials to be distributed by supervisor in advance of seminar
Children and Family Services Act. Materials to be distributed by supervisor in advance of seminar
Violence Against Women
Income Assistance
Green Sweaters
Professional Responsibility
Poverty Law – Law Reform through Community Development (Date/Time to be Confirmed)
Mi'kmaq Customary Law Program and Native Court Workers Program
Administrative Boards and Tribunals incl. Residential Tenancies/Small Claims Court
Changeover Seminar