

CONTRACTS I

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The initial assignments are from Farnsworth & Young Contracts (5th Edition).

Be prepared to discuss the following materials:

Monday 20 August: pp 1-18

In addition to the reading, write and be prepared to submit a copy of answers in brief statements on one page to the following questions regarding Sullivan v. O'Connor (p. 7):

Who is bringing the action?

Against whom?

For what?

From what court is the opinion issued?

What did the court decide?

Were there any previous decisions or rulings in the case?

If so, what were they?

Focusing only on matters material to the result, what happened?

What legal significance did the opinion attribute to these facts?

Do you agree?

Wednesday 22 August: pp 18 - 34

Be prepared to submit a copy of answers to the above questions for Klein v. Pepsico (p 22).

Monday 27 August: 34 - 60

Be prepared to submit a copy of answers to the above questions for Hammer v. Sidway (p 47).

Wednesday 29 August: 60 - 74

Be prepared to submit a copy of answers to the above questions for Feinberg v. Pfeiffer (p 62).

The pace will depend on comprehension. If the entire assignment is not covered, your preparation should include re-reading that material as well as the material assigned for the next class.

By Wednesday 22 August, submit a current resume. It will be collected in class.

A Syllabus and Course Policy Statement will be posted and made available soon. **Please bring a calendar** to the first class to discuss make-up sessions.

Unless there is compelling reason, they will be scheduled on Mondays for the remaining 35 minutes of class in the two hour block assigned--i.e. if the class is from 6-7:15pm, the class will run from 6- 7:50.