

GEORGE MASON SCHOOL OF LAW
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Law 169 Sections 01 & 02

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Text: Accounting for Lawyers
Herwitz and Barrett
Concise Fourth Edition

Section 01 - Rm 225, Monday 2:00 PM
Section 02 - Rm 224, Monday 6:00 PM

Initial Assignment: Please come to the first class having completed the Assigned Reading.

<u>Class Date</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Reading</u>
08/24	Introduction	Preface v-xv Ch. 1 p. 1-50
08/31	Double Entry Bookkeeping	Class Handout
09/07	Labor Day – University Closed	
09/14	Financial Statement Articulation	Ch. 1 p. 50-119
09/21	Development of Accounting Principles	Ch. 2 p.121-148
09/28	Development of Accounting Principles Auditing Standards and the Time Value of Money	Ch. 2 p. 149-204 Ch. 3 p. 205-228
10/05	Financial Statement Analysis – Introduction	Ch. 4 p.229-246
10/12	Fall Recess – University Closed	
10/13	Financial Statement Analysis – Balance Sheet	Ch 4 p. 246-275
10/19	Financial Statement Analysis – Income Statement	Ch 4 p. 246-275
10/26	Financial Statement Analysis – Cash Flows	Ch. 4 p. 275-289
11/02	Balance Sheet – Equity Issues	Ch. 5 p. 291-316
11/09	Revenue Recognition – Part 1	Ch. 6 p. 317-375
11/16	Revenue Recognition – Part 2	Ch. 6 p. 376-438
11/23	Contingencies	Ch. 7 p. 439-490
11/30	Alternative Methods: Accounting for Inventory, Long-lived Assets and Intangibles	Skim Ch. 8 p. 491-535 Ch. 9 p. 537-591