Fall 2019 – Spring 2020 Priority Registration Statement

Before completing registration, student course selections should be guided by the individual and group priority systems which apply to the registration process. **Priority Groups** have been established to determine the order in which groups of students (i.e. 2FT, 2PT, etc.) can register.

**Priority Groups**

**Standard Priority** With the exceptions noted below, priority for enrollment will be established by reference to the following:

a. the number of years (not semesters) actually completed toward fulfillment of the graduation requirements:
   i. first priority equally to third year full-time (including third-year JD/MBA), fourth year part-time and graduating LL.M. students.
   ii. second priority to second year full-time and third year part-time (day/eve).
      Note: Second year full-time students who converted from the part-time division are prioritized with second year full-time students for all courses EXCEPT Constitutional Law I & II and Property I & II.
   iii. third priority to second year part-time (day/evening) students.

For purposes of applying the foregoing guidelines, "available seats" shall be determined by reference to the schedule of classes, i.e., the capacity of the room in which the class meets or any announced enrollment limit.

**Multiple Section Electives and Floating Required Courses.** Where multiple section electives and/or floating required courses are offered in both day and evening sections, course enrollment priority shall be as follows: priority for the day section(s) shall be given to full-time and part-time day students and priority for the evening section shall be given to part-time evening students, in accordance with the standard priority. Additionally, a policy of establishing parity in enrollment size between courses in the same division will be followed.

Unless noted, graduating LL.M. students have the same registration priority as 3FT and 4PT (day/evening) JD students, **except for the following courses in which JDs have priority:**
- Internet & IP Justice Clinic (qualified JDs will be given priority over LLMs)
- Trial Practice

LL.M.s may **not** enroll in Legal Drafting or Legal Ethics.

**Courses with Special Priorities**

Priorities for certain courses have been specially determined. The courses subject to special priorities appear below:

I. Special priority will be given to JD students as described below for the following courses:
   a. Internet & IP Justice Clinic *(Fall 19 & Spring 20)*
      i. first priority to qualified JD students.
   b. Trial Practice *(Fall 19 & Spring 20)*
      i. first priority to JD students

II. LL.M. students will receive special priority as described below for the following courses:
   a. Copyright Law *(SP20, IP Seminar (SP20), IP Survey (FA19), Patent Law (FA19), and Trademark Law (SP20)*
      i. first priority to Intellectual Property LL.M. students up to 5 seats.
      ii. other applicable priorities.

   b. Corporations *(Fall 19 and Spring 20)*
      i. first priority to International and Comparative Law LL.M. students up to 6 seats.
      ii. other applicable priorities.

   d. Entertainment & Media Law *(SP 20)*
      i. first priority to Intellectual Property LL.M. students up to 5 seats.
      ii. other applicable priorities.