

Students in Professor Lonny Hoffman's Procedure Class for Fall 2017:

Before our first class on August 22, read the assignments that are listed below. All of these readings are in the Course Materials, available electronically [here](#). Hard copies of the Course Materials are also available for you to pick up from my administrative assistant. Her office is located next to mine, in the faculty suites in Bates Law Building (BLB) on the first floor, just across from the deans' offices. At the same link I just gave you, you will also find the course syllabus, past exams, and some links to general law school advice that I've collected that may be useful to you. I look forward to meeting everyone. Until then, enjoy the rest of your summer.

Reading for August 22

Mary Brigid McManamon, *The History of the Civil Procedure Course: A Study in Evolving Pedagogy* (CM 1-6)

Paul MacMahon, *Proceduralism, Civil Justice and American Legal Thought* (CM 7-8)

Lonny Hoffman, *A Parting Reprise* (CM 9-23)

Stephen Shapiro, *Teaching First-Year Civil Procedure and Other Introductory Courses by the Problem Method* (CM 24-26)

Federal Judicial Center, *The U.S. Legal System: A Short Description* (CM 27-30)

Suggested (optional) additional assignment in advance of Aug 22 class: Watch *Full Faith and Credit*, video by Columbia Law Review students, at

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0XgObo75Y0Q> (warning: if this were a movie, it would surely be given an R rating).