

Journal of Consumer and Commercial Law with the determination of publishability to be made by the faculty advisor. The length of any paper submitted to meet the senior writing requirement must be at least 35 pages in length including footnotes. The editor of the law review or journals will submit the names of the students who are qualified to receive course credit for their work on the law review or journal and a separate list for those students who are also seeking course credit for their senior writing requirement. At least one of the faculty advisor(s) to the law review or journal must review all papers that are submitted to meet this requirement, and no paper can satisfy it unless such an advisor states that it is of suitable length and quality. The lists will be maintained in Student Services. Each journal will be responsible for keeping the papers submitted to satisfy the writing requirement on file for at least one (1) year.

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2. The successful completion of a seminar paper meeting the following requirements:

- a) The seminar must earn either two or three credit hours.
- b) The papers, regardless of credit hours, must be a minimum of 35 pages in length including footnotes. Professors have the discretion to require longer papers than the minimum. *(Revised 5/2008)*
- c) Two or more drafts of the paper must be completed.
- d) The paper must be of sufficient quality that it can properly receive a grade no lower than a C.
- e) The paper must be completed during the semester in which the student enrolled in the course. The sponsoring faculty member must submit the grade by the deadline for all other grades in that semester. Students should ensure that their papers are completed and submitted by the professor's required deadline.
- f) The paper must be original and must demonstrate research, analytical, and writing skills.
- g) The paper may not previously have been submitted to any other instructor in connection with any other course at the Law Center or elsewhere, nor may research have been done in whole or in substantial part in connection with a student's outside employment.

3. Planning Completion of the Senior Writing Requirement:

While the senior writing requirement may be completed in the third year, second year students are allowed to take seminars. Seminars are rarely offered during the summer. Students are presumed to have had ample opportunity to select a seminar appropriate to their areas of interest. Students may take more than one seminar during their law school careers.