

Applications to Remington Center's Criminal Appeals Project for 2019-20

The Remington Center's CRIMINAL APPEALS PROJECT (CAP) is accepting applications for next year's course. Students represent actual clients on direct appeal of their Wisconsin criminal convictions while taking a course in Appellate Advocacy. Students work with an assigned partner and supervising attorneys on their cases.

Please note that students must commit to enrolling in BOTH Fall and Spring semesters. Students who are already enrolled in another clinical program may also enroll in CAP.

FALL SEMESTER 2019: Students enroll for 5 total credits (3 credits in Course # 860 - Advanced Criminal Procedure: Representing the Criminal Appellant and 2 credits in Course # 854 -- Criminal Appeals Project). The class meets twice weekly, with 80 minutes per class. [Note: If you are interested in CAP, but cannot attend the scheduled class time, please apply as we may be able to adjust the class time]. Students also have a once-a-week meeting with their small group and supervising attorneys concerning their cases. Classes in the fall focus on issue spotting (both in general and in our particular cases), client management, and post-conviction litigation. Grading is based on case work, assignments, and participation, using S+, S, S- or U. There is no final exam or paper after the fall semester.

SPRING SEMESTER 2020: Students generally enroll for 5 credits (the same two courses listed above for Fall Semester). Class will again meet twice a week for 80 minutes a class and students will again have the additional once-a-week small group meeting. Classes in the spring focus on appellate litigation, including persuasive brief-writing and oral argument. Each student writes at least one appellate brief, along with other writing as required for the particular cases. Grading is based on work on cases, the class brief, other assignments, and participation, using S+, S, S- or U.

TO APPLY: Consent of the instructor is required and is limited to no more than eight students. To apply, you must submit an application form (included below, or available at the Remington Center, Room 4318E in the Law School) electronically to breedlovet@opd.wi.gov and malchowc@opd.wi.gov, or submit a hard copy to the front desk of the Remington Center.

Applications will be accepted beginning April 1, 2019, and are due by 5pm on April 18, 2019. You will be alerted with regard to whether you have been accepted to the program by April 23, 2019.

QUESTIONS? Adjunct Professors Tristan Breedlove and Catherine Malchow work in the Appellate Division of the Wisconsin State Public Defender's Office. Please email any questions to breedlovet@opd.wi.gov and malchowc@opd.wi.gov.

**LAW STUDENT APPLICATION
CRIMINAL APPEALS PROJECT 2019-20
Frank J. Remington Center**

Name _____
Email _____ Phone _____

Are you a 1L or 2L as of the date of application? _____

Have you enrolled in other clinical courses at UW Law? _____ Which? _____

Are you accepted into clinical courses at UW Law for 2019? Which? _____

Briefly state why you are interested in this clinical opportunity:

Please list special skills you may have that would be useful in representing criminal defendants on appeal (include proficiency in languages, other experiences):

Please do not apply unless you are able to enroll in BOTH Fall and Spring semesters.

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