THEORETICAL PERSPECTIVES REQUIREMENT

2020-2021

• In order to graduate from the Faculty of Law at the University of Calgary, all JD students must complete a “Theoretical Perspectives Requirement” during their second or third year.

• The Theoretical Perspectives Requirement may be fulfilled by satisfactorily completing and achieving a grade of C– or better in one of the following courses:

  • Law 519: Jurisprudence
  • Law 567: Law & Economics
  • Law 569: Law & Literature
  • Law 579.xx: Legal Theory: Residential Schools Litigation
  • Law 579.xx: Legal Theory: Indigenous Legal Traditions
  • Law 579.xx: Legal Theory: Multiculturalism & the Law
  • Law 596: Feminist Legal Theory
  • Law 616: Public Interest Theory
  • Law 624: Environmental Law & Ethics

Or, if approved by the office of the Associate Dean (Academic),

  • Law 653: Directed Research
  • A course on theoretical perspectives completed during a Study Abroad or International Exchange Program

Upon completion of the Theoretical Perspectives Requirement, the student shall provide a Written Declaration indicating that the Requirement has been met and setting out which course or option was used to meet the Requirement and the semester in which it was completed.

Failure to provide the Written Declaration in a timely manner may preclude the student from graduating. It is the student’s responsibility to ensure the Written Declaration is submitted to the Assistant Dean, Student Services upon completion of the Theoretical Perspectives Requirement.
WRITTEN DECLARATION
Theoretical Perspectives Requirement

I, _____________________________, declare and acknowledge that:

I have completed my Theoretical Perspectives Requirement by completing the following:

Law _______
Semester completed: ______________________

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Signature         Date

Note: The submission of misleading or false information on this form will constitute academic misconduct as per Regulation K.5 of the University of Calgary Regulations (http://www.ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/current/k-5.html) and non-academic misconduct as per the University’s Student Non-Academic Policy, section 4 of Appendix 1: Prohibited Conduct (https://www.ucalgary.ca/policies/files/policies/policy-appendix-1-prohibited-conduct_0.pdf). Such conduct will be investigated and may attract University and/or other statutory penalties.