

UNIVERSITY OF SAN DIEGO SCHOOL OF LAW
APPROVAL TO ENROLL FOR LAW REVIEW CREDIT

(STUDENT NAME - PRINT LAST, FIRST)

(STUDENT I.D. NO.)

I propose to write for or serve on the editorial board for Law Review credit on the following basis:

___ Casenote: a 1-semester endeavor to be earned: ___ Fall ___ Spring ___ Summer 20__

___ Comment: a 2-semester, year-long endeavor with registration for 20__/___:

___ 2 units Fall/0 Spring

___ 1 unit Fall/1 Spring

___ Board: a 2-semester, year-long endeavor with registration for 20__/___:

___ 3 units Fall/0 Spring ___ 1 unit Fall/1 Spring

___ 2 units Fall/1 Spring ___ 1 unit Fall/0 Spring

___ 2 units Fall/0 Spring ___ 0 units Fall/1 Spring

Registration for this credit and this completed form must be submitted to the Records Office by the deadline to register or add courses for the appropriate academic term. Only the approving full-time faculty member for Casenote and Comment credits and the Law Review Faculty Advisor can award academic credit. The work must be submitted in final form to the appropriate faculty member by no later than the last day of classes of the completing semester, or such earlier date as the professor shall specify. **Should no satisfactory work be submitted by the designated date, the grade will be a WITHDRAWAL FOR THE WHOLE ENDEAVOR.**

I have read all of the information on this form and agree to the conditions of the awarding of academic credit.

STUDENT SIGNATURE

DATE

I approve the above-named student's registration for Casenote or Comment credit as indicated above with the final draft of the article to be submitted to me no later than:

___ the last day of classes **or** ___ an earlier date _____

DATE

PRINT NAME OF FULL-TIME FACULTY MEMBER

SIGNATURE

DATE

I approve the above-named student's registration for Law Review credit as indicated:

PRINT NAME OF LAW REVIEW FACULTY ADVISOR

SIGNATURE

DATE

SEE OTHER SIDE FOR RULES GOVERNING LAW REVIEW CREDIT Isr0201

Rules Governing Law Review Credit (Academic Rule I.A.2.b., c. and e.)

"I. DEGREES CONFERRED

A. Juris Doctor

2. Non-course credit may be earned from the following sources:

[a. Governs Independent Research.]

b. Law Review Writing. A student may earn up to two credits during any semester...for preparing written work for the Law Review. No more than one credit may be granted for preparation of a casenote; no more than two credits for preparation of a comment. No credit is available under this paragraph for editorial work, proof-reading, etc.

c. Law Review Editing. A student who is a member of the Law Review Editorial Board may earn up to three credits for editorial efforts. The three credits may be earned in the Fall semester or two credits may be earned in the Fall semester and one credit in the Spring semester. The Managing Editor shall not be awarded credit unless the Managing Editor also performs sufficient editorial functions to justify academic credit. The Editor-In-Chief shall summarize the activities of each member of the Law Review Board who is registered for credit, and shall recommend to the approving faculty member the number of credits the Editor-In-Chief believes that each Board member has earned.

[d. Governs Moot Court Team.]

e. Administration....Law Review Writing and Editing...shall be governed by the following administrative rules:

(1) Each shall be graded on a pass/fail basis.

(2) The student will enroll for the credit during the normal enrollment period.

(3) Except in the case of Law Review Editing..., enrollment may only be effected after a full-time faculty member volunteers to supervise the research project. The full-time faculty member may enlist the assistance of others with expertise in the field chosen.

(4) Credit is to be awarded when the approving faculty member certifies to the Dean that credit has been earned. The fact that a student's contribution is...deemed publishable by the Law Review Board, or is recommended by the Editor-In-Chief of the Law Review, will not prevent the approving faculty member from refusing to certify the project for credit.

(5) The projects for which credit is awarded shall be made available to other students and to the faculty generally.

(6) The 'approving faculty member' in the case of...Law Review writing [is] the supervising faculty member; in the case of Law Review Editing, such member of the Faculty Law Review Advisory Committee as the Dean shall designate. If the faculty member designated believes that he or she should not make such decisions with respect to any person, the Dean shall designate another member of the committee to decide that person's award of credit.

(7) A student may earn no more than a total of six credits toward the J.D. Degree under this rule I.A.2."