

Year 1

COURSES

YEAR 1

- The Nature and Functions of Law
- Legal Families and Traditions, Including Hybrid Legal Systems
- The Reception of Law in the Commonwealth Caribbean and its Historical Context
- Sources of Law
- The Court System and Administration of Justice

LAW 1010

LAW & LEGAL SYSTEMS

EMMA PEROT

- **100% Final Examination**

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LAW 1110

CRIMINAL LAW I

**GRACE
BHAGWANDEEN**

- Nature and Purpose of the Criminal Law
- Proof
- Elements of a Crime-
Actus Reus and Mens Rea
- Strict Liability
- Participation in Crimes
- Causation
- General Defences
- Inchoate Crimes-
Incitement,
Conspiracy, Attempt

- **10% Tutorial
Attendance**
- **10% Online Exercise**
- **20% Multiple Choice**
- **60% Final
Examination**

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LAW 1230

LEGAL METHODS RESEARCH & WRITING

**TYRONE
MARCUS**

- The Basics of Legal Reasoning
- The Case Brief
- The Case Note
- Fundamentals of Effective Legal Writing
- Fundamentals of Legal Research
- Forms of Citation and Elements of Style
- Basics of Editing
- The Office Memorandum/ Opinion
- Writing Essays and Answering Problem Questions
- 100% coursework (This is a year long course)

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TWO ADDITIONAL
FOUNDATION COURSES MUST
ALSO BE DONE (TO BE
ADVISED BY FACULTY)