



CURSO DE INGLÉS JURÍDICO GENERAL

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DESCRIPTION

This legal English course is for civil lawyers and/or those intending to practice civil law. It is designed to be introductory yet comprehensive in nature. It focuses on vocabulary acquisition and utilization of terminology associated with the two dominant legal systems, Civil and Common law. Its substantive focus area is Contracts. It explores formation, analysis and negotiation.

Legal English General Course

OBJECTIVES

Legal English for Contracts focuses on substantive contract law terminology/vocabulary and the language employed in the drafting, interpretation and negotiation of contracts.

There are four (4) Primary Objectives:

1. Increase Legal English Vocabulary
2. Improve ability to understand and interpret contracts in English
3. Improve ability to negotiate contracts in English
4. Improve ability to draft contracts in English

CONTENT

I. Part I – General Overview

- A. Origin of Common Law and English Law
- B. A comparison of legal systems (U.S. and British)
- C. Legalese – Grammar and Vocabulary building

II. Part II – Introduction to Contracts

III. Part III – The Elements of Contracts



- A. Offer
- B. Acceptance
- C. Intention
- D. Capacity
- E. Mistake, Misrepresentation and Undue Influence
- F. Lawful or Unlawful
- G. Consideration

IV. Part IV – Language Building & Case Studies

V. Part V – The Terms of Contracts

- A. Express vs. Implied Terms
- B. Conditions and Warranties

VI. Part VI – Contract Negotiation and Contract Drafting