Student Name: _____________________________

Paper (penalty of 1 point for late submissions; 3 deadlines below) Total___/85

Seminar Class Attendance & participation
(May not miss more than 2 classes w/o participation penalty) Total___/15

Total Points for This Student Grand Total _____/100

Paper Scoring Sheet: All papers must be typed in 13 point Arial

Seminar Paper Outline Due Wednesday September 20, 2017 by 5:00 p.m.

Thesis statement – in introduction
REFERENCES INCORPORATED INTO OUTLINE IN PLACES WHERE THEY FIT
References footnoted - appropriate in number and use (minimum 1 popular press, 3 law reviews, 15 cases)
OUTLINE WRITTEN IN COMPLETE SENTENCES
Length adequate to expose content – minimum of 3 pages
Theme logically developed
Organization adequate to expose topic Total___/25

First Draft of Seminar Paper Due Monday November 1, 2017 by 5:00 p.m.

Abstract – 4-5 sentences - cursory
Style (formal and scholarly)
Organization
Transition
Theme development
Grammar (sentence structure, paragraphing, usage)
References adequate in number and scope
Footnoting style
Identify 2 journals for submission
Paper’s Length 20 pages inclusive of footnotes (exception Bar J articles) Total___/25

Final Submission of Seminar Paper Due Last Day of Exams (12/15/17) by 5:00 p.m.

One copy for Professor, copies to submit or evidence of online submission
Stamped envelope(s) correctly addressed – if mailing
Cover letter to go with paper
Abstract
Paper’s overall appearance
Paper’s organization
Adequate substance and conclusion
Adequate Details
Grammar & Transition
Style (sufficiently formal and scholarly)
No typographical errors
Analysis, reasoning and logical development
Paper’s referencing
Paper’s length 20 pages inclusive of footnotes Total___/35

Due dates:
9/20 – paper outline
11/1 - 1st draft of paper
12/15 - final draft paper