

Professor Huffman Externship Supervisions

Please read the below to determine the requirements for Professor Huffman to supervise an externship (or analogous program) for course credit. **These requirements are additive and non-negotiable!**

Existing Institutionally-Approved Externship

Professor Huffman is the primary faculty supervisor for one or more existing externship programs. Currently this includes:

- US Bankruptcy Court Externship

Professor Huffman will work with the placement to identify an appropriate candidate for existing externships, which will in the ordinary course be offered in the fall and spring terms for 2 or 3 credit hours. Students must apply for these externships through the Externship Administration process managed by Ms. Mullis in the Externship Office. Appropriate candidates possess the following characteristics:

- Have completed no fewer than 45 credit hours of study at the time of beginning the externship;
- Have earned a cumulative GPA of not less than 2.8;
- Have completed with a grade of B or higher, or are currently enrolled in, one or more courses directly relevant to the subject matter of the externship (preference will be given to students with more than one such course);
 - For Bankruptcy Court: Bankruptcy Law, Secured Transactions, Corporate Reorganizations
- Have researched the placement and as part of the application process expressed a particularized interest in the placement and subject matter;
- Otherwise meet all the institutional requirements for externship credit.

Supervised Externship Placement

Professor Huffman is willing to supervise SEPs on an occasional basis during the fall and spring semesters, in appropriate circumstances, and only when the subject matter of the SEP relates to **antitrust, bankruptcy law, consumer law, commercial law, or corporate law**. Professor Huffman will not supervise a SEP with a placement that already hosts an institutionally-approved externship.

In addition, considering institutional goals of diversity, equity, and inclusion, Professor Huffman will not generally be inclined to supervise SEPs that involve opportunities made available to students with “connections” in the legal community. The ideal SEP is an opportunity a student has sought and earned in full and fair competition with her or his colleagues.

Students seeking to earn credit through a SEP must meet the following requirements:

- Have completed no fewer than 45 credit hours of study at the time of beginning the SEP;
- Have earned a cumulative GPA of not less than 2.8;
- Have completed with a grade of B or higher, or are currently enrolled in, one or more courses relevant to the subject matter of the externship;

- As a general matter this means antitrust, consumer law, bankruptcy, or one of the UCC or corporate law sequence, as appropriate to the placement
- Have researched the placement and expressed a particularized interest in the placement and subject matter;
- Otherwise meet all the institutional requirements for earning credit through a SEP.

ACRE/Other

McKinney offers other experiential learning opportunities including the Advanced Course Related Experience. Professor Huffman will supervise these in appropriate circumstances analogous to those outlined above for externships and SEPs.