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**INTRODUCTION TO AMERICAN LAW**  
**(COURSE OF THREE SEMINARS)**

**LOCATION:** GERMAN CONSULATE GENERAL

1960 JACKSON STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94109

**TIME:** EVERY THIRD THURSDAY OF THE MONTH, 2.45 - 4.00 PM

**1. PRETRIAL PROCEDURES AND DISCOVERY**  
**(CIVIL/CRIMINAL)**

**January 15<sup>th</sup>, 2009, 2.45 – 4.00 pm**

CIVIL DISCOVERY, DEPOSITIONS

REQUESTS FOR DOCUMENTS, INTERNATIONAL CONVENTIONS,  
MOTIONS, CRIMINAL DISCOVERY AND PROCEDURES

**2. JURY TRIAL**

**February 19<sup>th</sup>, 2009, 2.45 – 4.00 pm**

RIGHT TO TRIAL BY JURY

COMPOSITION OF CIVIL AND CRIMINAL JURIES,  
VOIR DIRE (JURY SELECTION), ROLE OF JUDGE, ATTORNEYS, AND JURORS,  
BURDEN OF PROOF AND EVIDENCE, JURY INSTRUCTIONS,  
GENERAL AND SPECIAL VERDICTS

**3. COURTS, RESEARCH & IN PERSONAM JURISDICTION**

**March 19<sup>th</sup>, 2009, 2.45 - 4.00 pm**

CALIFORNIA STATE COURTS,

LIMITED/UNLIMITED TRIAL COURTS, COURT OF APPEALS, SUPREME COURT

UNITED STATES FEDERAL COURTS, DISTRICT COURTS,  
CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS, UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT,  
BASIC LEGAL RESEARCH,  
ANNOTATED STATE AND FEDERAL CODES, COMMENTARIES,  
CASE CITATION SYSTEM, SHEPARDIZING RESEARCH

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