Notice of VLGS Amendment to the Academic Regulations

Effective:	Thursday, March 15, 2025
Students Effected:	Effective immediately upon approval by faculty.
Amendment Type:	Revised Academic Regulations
Academic Regulation:	IV.L.1.b and X.A.2

Amendment Description:

In sum, the proposed amendments add Restorative Justice Special Topics courses to the approved electives list for the MARJ degree as well as the Professional Certificate in Restorative Justice.

NEW LANGUAGE

Append academic regulation section IV.L.1.b by adding the changes in red below to the end of the course table.

Elective Courses	(remaining general elective courses may be chosen from the following approved courses)
ADR6415	Environmental Dispute Resolution (2)
CLI9405	Dispute Resolution Clinic (2)
CRI7313	Capital Punishment Seminar (2)
DIV7610	Race and the Law Seminar (2)
DIV7615	Sexual Orientation and the Law (2)
DIV7620	Native Americans and the Law (3)
ENV5105	Administrative Law (3)
ENV5113	Legal and Policy Writing (1)
ENV5446	Environmental Justice (2)
ENV5902	Environmental Crimes (2)
GPP7817	GPP: Criminal Procedure – Bail to Jail (2)
GPP7827	Improv for Advocates (1)
INT7424	International Human Rights (3)
JUR7350	Women and the Law Seminar (2)
REQ7188	Legislation and Regulation (2)
REQ7186	Legislation and Regulation Survey (3)
RSJ7125	Motivational Interviewing (1)
WRI7900	Independent Research Project (3)
RSJ1-RSJ4	RJ Special Topics (1-4)

Append academic regulation section X.A.2 by adding the changes in red below to the end of the course table.

Elective Courses	
ADR6420	Negotiation (2)
CRI7305	Advanced Criminal Law Seminar (2)
CRI7333	Juvenile Justice and Law (3)
CRI7355	Police Use of Force (3)
CRI7360	Reforming Criminal Justice (3)
CRI7380	Pleas, Sentencing and Accountability (3)
DIV7621	Disability Civil Rights (3)
REQ7140	Criminal Law (3)
REQ7186	Legislation and Regulation (3) or
REQ7186	Legislation and Regulation Survey (3)
RSJ5122/ENV5122	Communications, Advocacy and Leadership (3)
RSJ7110	Restorative Justice Theory and Practice (2)
RSJ7117	Restorative Justice Facilitation (1)
RSJ7140	Applied Criminal Justice (3)
RSJ7210	Adversity, Trauma, and Victimization (3)
RSJ7215	Narrative Writing Seminar (3
RSJ7230	Restorative Justice in Indigenous Communities (3)
RSJ7250	Global Restorative Justice (3)
RSJ7270	Clemency, Pardon, and Expungement (3)
RSJ7280	Drug Policy Reform (3)
RSJ7315	Peacemaking Courts (3)
RSJ7320	New Approaches to Domestic and Sexual Violence (3)
RSJ7325	Advanced Restorative Practices (2)
RSJ7330	Restorative Justice in Educational Institutions (3)
RSJ7340	Race, Crimes, and Restorative Justice (3)
RSJ7345	Teaching Restorative Justice (3)
RSJ7350	Ethics and Restorative Justice (3)
RSJ7360	Advanced Victim Rights Seminar (3)
RSJ7371	Youth Justice Reimaged (3)
RSJ7903	Evidence Based Restorative Justice (3)
WRI7301	Advanced Writing Seminar (3)
RSJ7440	Advocating for Change (3)
RSJ7125	Motivational Interviewing (1)
RSJ7230	Restorative Justice in Indigenous Communities (3)

RSJ1-RSJ4 RJ Special Topics (1-4)

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