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The Ultimate 3 Day Virtual
Learning Experience

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For use in the Ultimate 3 Day Virtual
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ULTIMATE 3 DAY VIRTUAL LEARNING EXPERIENCE OVERVIEW

Course:	Ultimate 3 Day Virtual
Professor:	Lisa M. Blasser, Esq.
Texts:	<i>Nine Steps to Law School Success: A Scientifically Proven Study Process for Success in Law School</i> , Lisa M. Blasser (2020)

Based on the results of our scientific research exploring the study processes of successful law students, the Ultimate 3 Day Virtual Learning Experience adds over a decade of Lisa's practical experience as a law professor in teaching (and adapting to all learning preferences) the Nine Step study process to thousands of law students and law professors across the country.

Learning Experience Methodology

This learning experience meets virtually via Zoom for three consecutive days on the dates/times you selected at the time of your purchase. On Day 1 and 2, class will last approximately 4-5 hours (with breaks). On Day 3, class will last approximately 3-4 hours (with breaks) and will conclude with a one-hour question and answer session with a panel of current and recently graduated law students.

Zoom Meeting Information

You should have received an email confirming your zoom meeting ID and password at your time of purchase on the Law School Success Institute website. If you did not, no worries at all – simply contact Lisa at lisa@lssisuccess.com and we'll be sure to provide same to you prior to the start of your Ultimate 3 Day Virtual Learning Experience.

Course Materials

You should have already purchased a copy of *Nine Steps to Law School Success: A Scientifically Proven Study Process for Success in Law School*. Please be sure to review Chapter 2 prior to the start of the Ultimate 3 Day Virtual Learning Experience. To access your course materials, login to the account you created on our website at the time of purchase (www.lssisuccess.com). You will be directed to a "Student Access" page where you will enter the same email and password you used/created at the time of purchase. You will then have access to a Welcome Introduction video, Workbook Day 1, 2 and 3 (which correspond to the PowerPoints and lectures delivered each day) and other helpful materials we will use throughout our time together in the Ultimate 3 Day Virtual Learning Experience.

Ultimate Learning Experience Objectives

Regardless of your skill level (incoming, struggling, or successful), at the end of this learning experience you will: (1) develop an understanding of the skill required to complete each study step; (2) learn a chronological technique of how to complete each study step; (3) be exposed to several examples illustrating varying completion levels of each study step; (4) complete hypotheticals and sample problems to solidify each study step; and (5) reflect upon your understanding of each study step before moving to the next study step. You will also learn how to calendar the Nine Steps into a weekly semester schedule, write an essay exam using the IRAC formula with element-based analysis and case reasoning analysis and learn a chronological method for taking multiple choice exams. This experience concludes with a simulated class, a 'professor debrief' of the simulated class and a question-and-answer session with a panel of current and recently graduated law students. Upon successful completion of the Ultimate 3 Day Virtual Learning Experience, students will be armed with study skills necessary to succeed in law school, on the bar exam, and as they enter the practice of law!



TOPICS COVERED

DAY 1

- Good Lawyering Deconstructed
- Understanding Your Learning Preferences
- Lifelong Study Groups
- Introduction to the Nine Steps: All of Your Main Topics Covered
- Step 1 (Getting the Big Picture)
- Step 2 (The Main Topic Checklist and Course Outlining)
- Step 3 (Active Reading)
- Step 4 (Traditional Case Briefing)
- Step 5 (Preparing for Class)
- Step 6 (Classroom Learning and the Socratic Method)

DAY 2

- Step 7 (Creating and Using Topic Approaches)
- Step 8 (Writing Practice Essays)
- Introduction to writing with IRAC
- Element-Based Analysis
- Case Reasoning Analysis
- Step 9 (Confirming Approaches with Professor & Study Group Feedback)
- Multiple-Choice Taking Strategies
- Calendaring the Nine Steps
- *Take Home Practice Assignment for Day 3*

DAY 3

- Simulated Class Session
- Simulated Class Professor Debrief
- Law Student Panel Q & A Session



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