Discussions with Prof. Moore regarding PLEG 104 LIS (2/7/19, 2/13/19)

Mon, January 28, 2019, at 4:15 PM

Hi Prof. Moore,

I will be the Librarian providing instruction to your students in PLEG104.

I noticed your instruction request is centered on using print resources for research. Would you like for me to also provide instruction using NexisUni?

After we meet on Wednesday you can also determine whether or not our print resources will be adequate for research. Some of them might be a little outdated, but I will let you determine their level of usefulness for your course.

Thanks,
Tim Ream

Mon, January 28, 2019, at 7:34 PM

Hi Timothy,

The focus for the library time will only be on the print materials. The students are going to purchase their own Lexis Advance subscription, which I know is different from the school's NexisUni version. I don't want to confuse them, or make them think that they can avoid purchasing the subscription. I understand that the materials may be outdated, but if we ensure the students know how to use the pocket parts to ensure the age of the materials, I can then inform them how to subsequently update the information on their own.

As for the library sessions we have scheduled, where in the library should the students and I meet you the day of the "fieldtrip"? Also, I noticed the calendar event is an hour and a half in duration. Is this the amount of time you need to show them everything the library has to offer? I have an hour carved out of my syllabus for the fieldtrip, but I can adjust my lecture time if need be. Let me know. Thank you again for all of your assistance.

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Tue, January 29, 2019 at 10:59 AM

Hi Prof. Moore,

Focusing on the print materials works fine. Normally we meet in Room 827 (2nd Floor of the Library) I will go through some basics regarding library materials and then we will proceed downstairs to the print collection for the Paralegal Studies program.

We actually only need 50 minutes to an hour total. We just have 90 minutes on the calendar since some classes like to spend at least 30 minutes of the class practicing research skills using our computers in Room 827. So yes, 1 hour is fine.

Thanks,

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Thank you Tim. If using the computers will help with their research skills as it relates to the paralegal materials in the library, I am not opposed to spending a little time to allow the students to become somewhat acclimated.

I will see you tomorrow around 5:15.

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