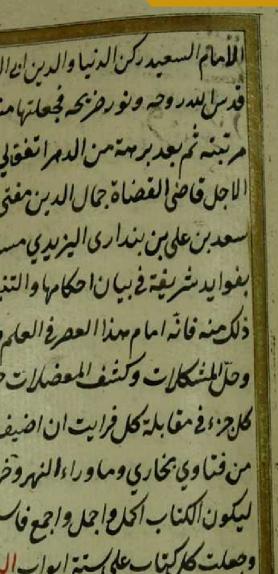


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TWO-YEAR OUTLINE

Year 1 | Fall

Instructional

Uṣūl al-Iftā' wa Ādābuh | 3 hours/week Sharḥ al-Qawāʿid al-Fiqhiyyah w/al-Ashbāh | 4 hours/week Ādāb al-Fatwā: A practical approach to issuing verdicts in the American context | 1 hour/week Ḥujjat Allah al-Bālighah | 1 hour/week English Writing Lab | 1 hour/week Arabic Composition | 1 hour/week

Discussions

The Principles and Codes of Law in Hanafi Fiqh - Mawlānā Ashraf ʿAlī Thānwi

Readings Aḥsan al-Fatāwā (Vol. 1-3) al-Madhhab al-Ḥanafī - Aḥmad al-Naqīb (Vol. 1) al-Hindiyyah (al-Ḥaẓr wa al-Ibāḥah)

Vocational Training

Internship Program at Khalil Center

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Year 1 | Spring Instructional

Sharḥ al-Qawāʿid al-Fiqhiyyah w/al-Ashbāh | 4 hours/week Sharḥ 'Uqūd | 3 hours/week Aḥkām al-Quran | 1 hour/week Nashr al-ʿArf - Ibn ʿĀbidīn | 1 hour/week Ḥujjat Allah al-Bālighah | 1 hour/week English Writing Lab | 1 hour/week Arabic Composition | 1 hour/week

Discussions

Islami Tahdhib wa Tamaddun by Qari Tayyab | 1-2 hours/week

TWO-YEAR OUTLINE

Year 1 | *Spring*

Readings

Aḥsan al-Fatāwā (Vol. 4-6) Al-Madhhab al-Ḥanafī- Aḥmad al-Naqīb (Vol. 2) Fatāwā Qaḍī Khan (Nikāḥ/Ṭalāq)

Vocational Training

American Law | ex., marriage, divorce, estate planning, adoption, custody Civil Divorce Internship Program at Khalil Center

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Year 1 *Short Term*

Instructional

Sharḥ al Qawāʿid al-Fiqhiyyah w. al-Ashbah| 4 hours/week Nashr al-ʿArf - Ibn ʿĀbidīn | 1 hour/week Ḥujjat Allah al-Bālighah | 1 hour/week al-Sirājī | Review

Readings Aḥsan al-Fatāwā (Vol. 7) Al-Madhhab al-Ḥanafī- Aḥmad al-Naqīb (Vol. 2) Fatāwā Qadī Khan (Nikāḥ/Ṭalāq)

Vocational Training

American Law | ex., marriage, divorce, estate planning, adoption, custody Civil Divorce Internship Program at Khalil Center

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TWO-YEAR OUTLINE

Year 2 | Fall

Modules

MATERIAL

CRITICAL

ANALYSIS

CLASS

Islamic Bioethics

Selected Passages from books of Fatāwā regarding medicine

Selected Contemporary papers (MEDLINE and other databases) Islamic Finance

Ethica Handbook of Islamic Finance AAOIFI Standards

Islam aur Jadīd Maʿāshī Masāʾil - Mufti Taqi Papers on Contemporary issues E.g., Takaful, Sukuk, 401k, AAA, Financial contracts, etc

POSITION PAPERS A short paper on a concept of Islamic Bioethics A 5,000-word paper on a topic of Islamic Finance

Readings

Aḥsan al-Fatāwā (Vol. 8-9) Fatāwā Darul Uloom Zakariyya (Vol. 5) al-Majallah Fiqh al-Buyūʿ by Mufti Taqi Usmani

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TWO-YEAR OUTLINE

Year 2 | *Spring*

Modules

CLASS MATERIAL

al-Qaḍā'

al-Iḥkām li al-Qarāfī al-Ḥīlah al-Nājizah

Islamic Politics

Brief understanding of Democracy, U.S. Constitution and Philosophy Izālat al-Khafā' by Shāh Wali Allah

CRITICAL ANALYSIS Study of Current Islamic Judicial Systems

POSITION PAPERS Short essay on any issue of Islamic Law

Various forms of governance, Caliphate, Sharia

Short essay on any issue of Politics

Arbitration Workshop

Readings Aḥsan al-Fatāwā (Vol. 10) Islam and Politics by Mufti Taqi

Istiftā' **Queries** ~45 queries

TWO-YEAR OUTLINE

Year 2 Short Term

Instructional Al-Muwāfaqāt (section on maqāṣid) 4 hours/week A Critical Reading of al-Shāmī 4 hours/week

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Thesis

Thesis on any relevant issue of fiqh is a requirement for graduation

The Ifta' Program begins every fall semester

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