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FIRST-YEAR LAW STUDENTS' EXAMINATION CONTENT MAP – CRIMINAL LAW

The following subject matter outline indicates the scope for criminal law in the First-Year Law Students' Examination (FYLSX). The outline is not intended to list every aspect of a topic mentioned. Although the test items for each FYLSX are developed from these categories, each topic is not necessarily tested on each examination.

100 – Pervasive Issues

110 – Intent (Mental State)

- 111 – Mens rea
 - 111.1 – General intent
 - 111.2 – Specific intent
 - 111.3 – Recklessness
 - 111.4 – Criminal negligence
- 112 – Mistake of fact or law
- 113 – Strict liability offenses
- 114 – Impossibility

120 – Mental capacity

- 121 – Insanity
- 122 – Diminished capacity
- 123 – Intoxication

130 – Actus Reus (Action or Conduct)

- Including omission to act

140 – Causation

150 – Attempt

160 – Solicitation

170 – Conspiracy

180 – Parties – aiders and abettors

190 – Merger doctrine

200 – Crimes against the person

210 – Homicide

- 211 – First-degree murder
- 212 – Second-degree murder
- 213 – Manslaughter

- 214 – Felony Murder
- 215 – Premeditation and deliberation
- 216 – Provocation

220 – Assault and battery
230 – Robbery
240 – Kidnapping
250 – False arrest

300 – Crimes against property

310 – Theft

- 311 – Larceny
- 312 – Embezzlement
- 313 – False pretenses

320 – Burglary
330 – Arson
340 – Receiving stolen property

400 – Defenses

410 – Entrapment defense
420 – Justification defense
430 – Privileges defense
440 – Self defense
450 – Withdrawal
460 – Defense of another/others
470 – Defense of property
480 – Defenses of necessity and duress

999 – Miscellaneous