

Professional Responsibility

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First Assignment - Ethics

8/26	Introduction; Chapter 1: Regulation of Lawyers; and Chapter 5: Relationships Between Lawyers and Clients	
	<p>Introduction to the course</p> <hr/> <p>Chapter 5: Formation of the lawyer-client relationship Togstad v. Vesely, Otto, Miller & Keefe <i>"You have no case."</i> Lawyers' responsibilities as agents Lawyers' duties of competence, honesty, communication and diligence 5-1 The Washing Machine Competence in criminal cases Strickland v. Washington <i>"Capital case, not enough mitigating evidence"</i> 5-2 A Desire to Investigate</p> <p>Chapter 1: Institutions that regulate lawyers State ethics codes Admission to practice The bar examination 1-1 The New Country</p>	<p>Text: pp. xxxiii –xxxvii And 1-17; Model Rules: Preamble and note on Scope;</p> <hr/> <p>Text: 239-274 Model Rules 1.1, 1.3, 1.4, 6.2 Text: 19-46 Model Rule 8.1</p>