

Advanced Criminal Law Seminar: The Use of Force

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Readings for First Class

Text: Richard M. Hough, *The Use of Force in Criminal Justice* (Routledge 2018) (“Hough”)

Hough: Preface & Ch. 1

O.W. Wilson, *Police Authority in a Free Society*, 54 *J. Criminal Law and Criminology* 175 (1963), which is available at:

<https://scholarlycommons.law.northwestern.edu/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?article=5154&context=jclc>

Please consider and come to class prepared to discuss the following preliminary questions: 1) what is the role of civilian law enforcement in our society; 2) as citizens, what expectations do we have of those who are members of civilian law enforcement; and 3) what are factors that influence our expectations?