TO: All Students

FROM: Carin Crain, Associate Dean for Student and Career Services

RE: Accommodations for Students with Disabilities

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The University of Iowa College of Law provides classroom and examination accommodations to students with physical, mental, and learning disabilities. Appropriate services and modifications are determined on a case-by-case basis. Any student seeking accommodations must schedule a meeting with me. Generally, a student must follow the procedures and submit documents listed below.

- 1. Students must submit written requests for accommodations on Accommodation Request forms.
- 2. Accommodation request forms must be supported by a written Verification Report from a licensed professional or health care provider. Request and Verification Forms are available from Rene-Arps@uiowa.edu.
- 3. Early receipt of requests and supporting documentation is essential to allow sufficient time for review, evaluation, and provision of accommodations pursuant to the Policy on Accommodations for Student with Disabilities found in the Student Handbook. If accommodations are approved for examinations, requests to schedule accommodated exams should be submitted on Exam Request forms no later than 21 days before the exam period or as soon as possible after announcement of any exams given during a semester.
- 4. Accommodations are prospective; retroactive accommodation to adjust deadlines or prior academic performance are not available. Therefore, students with documented disabilities may wish to complete request forms and submit timely verification reports in the even there is need for some accommodation at a later time.
- 5. Students are notified in writing on all requests.
- 6. When appropriate, the College of Law coordinates with The University of Iowa Student Disability Services on the provision of alternative media, assistive technology, and other services.
- 8. Students can find the entire Policy on Accommodations for Student with Disabilities in the Student Handbook.