

## WRITING REQUIREMENT CERTIFICATE

TO: Registrar's Office

In my capacity as a full-time faculty member, I hereby certify that \_\_\_\_\_  
has individually researched and written a scholarly legal paper of approximately 20 typewritten  
pages, double spaced including notes, entitled: \_\_\_\_\_

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This student, in compliance with section 501 of the Academic Code, has fulfilled the  
writing requirement through the following method:

**Written Work Performed for Academic Credit.** A student may meet the writing  
requirement by satisfactorily completing a seminar, course or clinical program, taught by a full-  
time member of the faculty, in which the student is required to submit written work of at least 20  
typewritten, double-spaced pages (approximately 5,000 words) in length, including notes. Work  
submitted under this subsection shall be in the form specified by the instructor, and must be  
certified by the instructor as demonstrating substantial achievement in legal writing. The term  
“course” includes Directed Research performed under the supervision of a full-time member.  
(Section 501)(a)).

**Written Work Performed for Membership in a Law Journal.** A student may meet the  
writing requirement by submitting written work prepared for the purpose of maintaining  
membership in one of the Law School law journals. Work submitted under this subsection shall  
be in the form specified by the editorial board of the journal, and must be certified by the board  
and by the faculty advisor as demonstrating substantial achievement in legal writing. (Section  
501)(b)).

**Written Work Performed for Other Publications or in a Writing Contest.** A student  
may meet the writing requirement by submitting written work published in a scholarly  
periodical, journal or treatise, or singled out for honor in a nationally recognized writing  
competition. Work submitted under this subsection must certified by the Dean of Students as  
demonstrating substantial achievement in legal writing. (Section 501(c)).

The Author was registered for \_\_\_\_\_ during the \_\_\_\_\_ semester, 20\_\_\_\_.  
The paper was submitted to me in final form on \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

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Date

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Faculty Member