TRANSCRIPT LEGEND – Grading prior to Fall 1986

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UNIT OF CREDIT
The unit of credit (of work) is in terms of the semester hour earned in a course that meets one class period (50 minutes) or its equivalent per week for a semester of sixteen weeks or its equivalent in summer sessions.

Plus and Minus Grading System Effective August, 1986
IE – Incomplete Failure (U)
IP – In Progress (G)

Effective August, 1995
F – Failure
IF – Incomplete Failure (U)

GRADING SYSTEM – Beginning February 1970

A	Superior attainment
B	Above average attainment
C	Average attainment
D	Lowest passing grade (not acceptable for credit for the advanced degree)
S	Acceptable thesis work (Grade)
E	Failure
W	Official withdrawal, no penalty
I	Incomplete, no penalty
X	Incomplete, penalty
CR	Passing grade earned in a course taken for "credit only"
NC	Grade awarded when a passing grade is not to be awarded to a student registered in a course for "credit only"
NG	No grade reported by instructor

GRADING SYSTEM – September 1959 – February 1970

A - D	Same as above
E	Failure
W	Official withdrawal, no penalty
WP	Official withdrawal while passing
WE	Official withdrawal while failing
I	Incomplete, no penalty
X	Incomplete, penalty
AU	No grade or credit given (Audit)
NG	No grade reported by instructor
P	Symbol used for acceptable thesis and dissertation credit

GRADING SYSTEM – Beginning 1926 – September 1959

A - D	Same as above
E	Failure beginning June 15, 1952
F	Failure ending June 15, 1952
G	Incomplete, no penalty
X	Incomplete, penalty
W	Official withdrawal, no penalty
WP	Official withdrawal while passing
WF	Official withdrawal while failing
I	Law School only. Credit withheld until successful completion of succeeding course.

CLASS

1	Freshmen
2	Sophomore
3	Junior
4	Senior
5	Graduate School & Law School Freshmen – 1st year
6	Unclassified
7	Law School Junior - 2nd year (As of September 1971)
8	Law School Senior - 3rd year (As of September 1971)

PRESENT MASTER OF LAWS GRADING SYSTEM and J.D. PROGRAM GRADING SYSTEM – For students entering Law School September 1971 and thereafter

A	Excellent	S	Acceptable passing grade
B+	Very good	E	Failure
B	Good	W	Official withdrawal, no penalty
C+	Above average	I	Incomplete, no penalty
C	Average	X	Incomplete, penalty
D	Unsatisfactory but credit granted	NG	No grade reported by instructor

LAW SCHOOL GRADING SYSTEM – Beginning September 1958

85 - 100	Excellent
80 - 84	Very good
70 - 79	Satisfactory
65 - 69	Unsatisfactory but credit granted
64 and below	Failure
I	Incomplete, credit and grade dependent on completion of succeeding course
G	Incomplete, completion for credit and grade with permission of Dean – Ending September 1961
W	Official withdrawal, no penalty

LAW SCHOOL GRADING SYSTEM – June 15, 1952 – 1958

A - D	Same as rest of University
F	Failure
FR	Failure in course which must be successfully repeated for graduation; both grades included in graduation average
I	Credit and grade dependent on completion of course in succeeding semester (i.e. Contracts 305-306, etc.)

UNDERGRADATE

AS	Arts & Sciences
BU	Business Administration
CE	Continuing Education
CS	Continuing Studies
ED	Education
EA	Architectural Engineering
EB	Architecture (5 Yr. Prog.)
EC	Civil Engineering
EE	Electrical Engineering
EI	Industrial Engineering
EN	General Engineering (no declared major)
EM	Mechanical Engineering
ES	Engineering Science
MU	Music
NS	Nursing
SA	Systems Analysis
SG	General Studies
TR	Transient

GRADUATE

GA	Master of Arts
GB	Master of B.A.
GC	Specialist in Education
GD	Doctoral Ed.D.
GD	Master of Education
GF	Master of Fine Arts
GH	Doctor of Musical Arts
GL	Doctor of Arts
GJ	M.D. – Ph. D.
GK	Diplomate in Collegiate Teaching
GM	Master of Music
GP	Doctoral Ph.D.
GR	Post Masters, Non-Degree
GS	Master of Science
GT	Transient
GU	Certificate Program in RSMAS
GX	Incomplete Credentials
GZ	Post Baccalaureate
LW	Law J.D.
LM	Master of Laws
LT	Law Transient

STATUS AT TIME OF LAST ATTENDANCE
Student is in good standing unless otherwise indicated on the transcript.

GRADE CHANGE CODE EXPLANATION

CE	Computer error
CF	Completed final exam
CW	Completed course work
FC	Failure to complete requirements
IE	Instructor's error
LG	Grade submitted late by instructor
LR	Student registered late
MG	Miscalculation of grade by instructor
RE	Registration error
RG	Grade recalculation by instructor
WC	Student attended wrong course

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