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Classes are offered from
10:00-10:45 a.m. on days indicated

- **Beginning WESTLAW**—Learning to use the WESTLAW databases for simple legal research. How to retrieve cases using natural language searches, use cite checking tools, and formulate simple search requests.
- **Advanced WESTLAW**—Learn to use specialized searching tools. Advanced Boolean searching, using field restrictors to focus search results
- **Legal Research on the Internet**—Review of basic legal web sites for federal and state statutes, case law and regulations. Review of blogs, meta-search engines, and portal sites relevant to legal issues. (Basic, for beginners)
- **Comparing Search Engines** —Review of four of the most commonly-used search engines on the Web, comparing results and strengths (Advanced, for those with some experience using web sites and web search engines)
- **HeinOnline for Law Reviews** —A quick overview of this database, which includes historical law review articles.
- **Federal Legislative History** - Using HeinOnline's historical statutes and congressional materials to search for background on federal statutes.
- **Self-Help Web Sites**—A brief overview of web sites useful to the general public
- **BarBooks**—Learn basic navigational skills for using OSB's BarBooks (CLE Handbooks) service; includes use of Word formatted forms
- **Using Online Shepards**—Introduction to using Shepards Citations online.
- **Verifying Sources Online** - How to evaluate websites and web-based information resources..

*Please contact a member of the library staff (682-4113) in advance of the date a class is offered, so that you can be added to the schedule.

Please call 682-4337 for information on future classes.

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