275.3 Introduction to Intellectual Property, Fall 2012

Casebook, First Assignment, and Schedule Update

As previously announced, Introduction to Intellectual Property will not meet on August 23, 27, or 28. For our first class on Thursday, August 30, please acquire our casebook: Merges, Menell, and Lemley, "Intellectual Property in the New Technological Age" (6th edition, 2012). Read pages 1-31 and prepare to discuss the justifications for intellectual property law.

It is important that you get this brand new version of the casebook, just recently available, as it includes a number of new developments in key areas of law. The 2012 statutory supplement is scheduled to be available at the end of this month. I will make statutory materials available on bSpace if necessary in the meantime.

We will have two make-up sessions to replace the missed classes. The first of these will be a patent-law movie night: 5:10-8:00 on Friday, Sept. 28, in Boalt 105.