

Law and the Japanese American Internment  
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The primary text for the seminar is *Race, Rights, and Reparation: Law and the Japanese American Internment* by Yamamoto, Chon, Izumi, Kang, and Wu (Aspen 2001). Unless otherwise noted, all references are to that book.

### ASSIGNMENT SHEET

Wednesday, August 22 <sup>nd</sup> -Class 1	<i>Introduction</i>
Wednesday, August 29 <sup>th</sup> -Class 2	<i>Race, Rights, and Reparation: An Overview</i> Pages 2-26; <i>An Historical Introduction</i> Pages 31-67.
Wednesday, September 5 <sup>th</sup> -Class 3	Pages 67-90.
Wednesday, September 12 <sup>th</sup> -Class 4	<i>The Internment Cases</i> Pages 95-132.
Wednesday, September 19 <sup>th</sup> -Class 5	Pages 133-176; “Attainder of Blood” Chapter 6 of <i>Laboratory of Justice</i> by David L. Faigman (Times Books 2004)(handout).
Wednesday, September 26 <sup>th</sup> -Class 6	<i>The Internment Camps</i> Pages 193-271.
Wednesday, October 3 <sup>rd</sup> -Class 7	<i>A Meeting with Some Survivors</i>
Wednesday, October 10 <sup>th</sup> -Class 8	The Japanese Latin American Internees- Natsu Taylor Saito, <i>Justice Held Hostage: U.S. Disregard for International Law in the World War II Internment of Japanese Peruvians- A Case Study</i> , 19 B.C. Third World L.J. 275 (Fall 1998)(handout).
Wednesday, October 17 <sup>th</sup> -Class 9	<i>The Coram Nobis Cases</i> Pages 277-378.
Wednesday, October 24 <sup>th</sup> -Class 10	<i>Reparations</i> Pages 389-441.
Wednesday, October 31 <sup>st</sup> -Class 11	<i>Race, Rights, and Liberty: More Contemporary Examples</i> Pages 445-474.
Wednesday, November 7 <sup>th</sup> -Class 12	Student Presentations

Wednesday, November 14<sup>th</sup>-Class 13 Student Presentations

Wednesday, November 21<sup>st</sup>-Class 14      Student Presentations