

**University of Massachusetts School of Law – Dartmouth**  
**Upper Level Writing Requirement**  
**Certificate of Completion Form**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ ID# \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please Print)

Course \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Supervising Faculty \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please Print)

**Certification of Upper Level Writing Requirement Criteria**

By signing below, the Supervising Professor certifies that the project satisfied the Upper Level Writing Requirement requirements set forth in Section 25(b) of the Student Handbook, including but not limited to the following:

1. The project reflects substantial legal research and critical analysis;
2. The project is well-written and carefully edited;
3. The project contains no fewer than 5,000 words (approximately twenty pages of double-spaced, twelve-point, Times New Roman type), excluding footnotes or endnotes;
  - a. Or, if the project does not meet #3, then the Supervising Professor has determined that the following exceptional circumstances warrant a reduction:  
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4. The project reflects revisions that incorporate the Supervising Professor's critique and suggestions on at least one previous draft;
5. The project earned a grade of B or better from the Supervising Professor.

**Please note the official grade for this class will not be posted until this form is returned to the Law Enrollment Center.**

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**Supervising Prof. Signature**

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**Date**

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**Associate Dean Signature**  
(Required only if Supervising Professor  
is an Adjunct Professor)

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**Date**