

# Intellectual Property, Fall 2007

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Mondays and Wednesdays, 2:10 - 3:40 p.m.

**Required Casebook:** Merges, Menell & Lemley, *Intellectual Property in the New Technological Age*, Fourth Edition (Aspen, 2006) (“MML”).

We will make frequent reference to federal statutes. You may find these online or in the 2007 statutory supplement. Additional online materials will be linked from the course website,

<<http://wendy.seltzer.org/neu/IP/>>.

**First assignment:** For the first class, August 29, please read the introduction, MML pp. 1-31 (you may skip the problems). Think about what you've heard referred to as “intellectual property”: What justifies protecting it by limiting its availability to others?