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First Assignment Form

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Course	Internet and IP Justice Clinic
Required Text/Reading	1. Go to Chilling Effect website www.chillingeffects.org. Read home page and FAQ's about Chilling Effects and University of San Francisco topics.
1st Assignment (Please be concise)	1. Plan a blog topic. Go to internetjustice.org to see examples from former students. We are looking for something interesting and current relating to Internet law that can be a class presentation and a blog topic to be added to our web page. 2. Here are a few examples from newspapers last term. From NY Times Monday, December 12, 2011: "Privacy Fades in Facebook Era". From SF Chronicle Sunday December 11, 2011: "Free speech online faces suppression worldwide". SF Chronicle Wednesday, November 2, 2011: "Innovation likely victim of bill on online piracy". NY Times Monday November 14, 2011: "Like that vase? Print it. And, no it's not stealing". NY Times November 14, 2011: "Rushdie runs afoul of web's real-name police". "The Computer Fraud and Abuse Act". 3. You may use any of the topics given as examples or a topic of your own choosing----but, email the Clinic lawclinic@usfca.edu and Staff Attorney, Jessica Fajfar jlfajfar@usfca.edu to reserve your selected topic and make sure no one else has taken it. 4. There are almost daily articles involving IP and Internet law. Select something you think is interesting and outline a presentation. The presentation should be about 15 minutes and the topic write-up about 1 1/2 pages. We will select 4 from what you bring to us and divide the class into groups for the presentations. At this point we only want a topic and an outline of what might be included. 5. Email these outlines to Jessica and Adjunct Professor Jon Kerry-Tyerman tyerman@gmail.com **before class on Wednesday, January 9**.
Brief Note to Students (50 words or less)	