LAWYERING SKILLS II
(ALLEVA)

December 28, 2017

Please check the Assignment Board next week for any updates

• **For our first class** (on Tuesday, January 9th from 10:40 am–12:05 pm in Room 203), please:
  
  - Read the Introduction (pp. xix-xx), Chapter 2 (The Ethical, Professional Advocate, pp. 15-22), and Chapter 5 (Appellate Practice, pp. 61-98) from our new book, *AN ADVOCATE PERSUADES* (AAP).
  
  - Review Chapter 6 (Statutes, pp. 65-75) from *NORTH DAKOTA LEGAL RESEARCH* (NDLR).

• **For our second class** (on Thursday, January 11th), please:
  
  - Read AAP Chapter 1 (The Nature of Persuasion, pp. 3-14) and Chapter 6 (Themes for Persuasive Arguments, pp. 99-107).
  
  - Review NDLR Chapter 11 (Cases, pp. 131-44).

  These reading assignments will provide the foundation for understanding the “subtle shift from objective analysis to persuasive argument” (p. xix) and help remind of critical research techniques.

• **Open Memos:** Karen Martin has your Open Memos. At your convenience, sometime before our first class, please review the memo and attached cover sheet. I will spend part of class discussing this assignment.