

**HUMR5140 – Human Rights in International and National Law**

**MID-TERM ESSAY 21 September – 2 October 13:00 (1:00p.m.)**

Discuss the scope of the principle of equality before the law under Article 7 of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights (UDHR) and Article 26 of the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights (ICCPR). How is this principle included in other main international human rights treaties and what obligations does it impose on States party to these treaties?