

Understanding Contract Law

What does it mean to consent? Consent is an essential component of contracts, yet its part in contract law is obscure. Despite its importance, there is no independent doctrine of consent; rather, it plays a key, but ill-defined role in assessing doctrines such as assent or duress. This Article addresses this significant omission in contract law by disassembling the meaning of contractual consent into three conditions: an intentional act or

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manifestation of consent, voluntariness and knowledge. This Article argues that consent can only be understood relative to these three conditions. Accordingly, consent is not merely a conclusion but a process and a dynamic that depends upon a variety of factors, including the relative blameworthiness of the parties, their relationship, third party effects and societal impact. This Article, through an examination of classic and modern cases, demonstrates how the concept of relative consent provides a coherent framework for understanding contract law.

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undergraduate law degree, or for general readers interested in this fundamental area of the law.

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opportunities to apply and solidify their understanding of important concepts. Clear explanatory text, Case Previews, and Case Follow-ups further clarify the doctrine and aid in student understanding. This text begins with a helpful introduction to the study of contract law, providing basic information about the way contracts are governed in the United States. It then introduces formation of contracts, covering offer, acceptance, consideration, and exceptions to consideration. The casebook

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plot basic rules of contract law and selected cases that apply such rules. The flowchart approach helps students sort out the various contracts rules in an organized way. Explains how British law of contract works in today's ever-changing commercial climate, and examines the implications of new technology on contractual interpretation and obligation.

Contract Smart

A Visual Guide to Understanding Contracts

Contract Smart: Understanding contract law in Singapore (2nd Edition)

Contract law is a very complex area, one

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that affects us all, in one way or another. Quite often we find ourselves in need of clear advice which isn't available.

However, this latest edition of The Easyway Guide to Contract Law provides clear and comprehensive answers to all aspects of contract law and the formation of contracts. The book is concise and clear and includes updates to British and European law in 2016.

This resource serves to educate lawyers and business professionals on how to draft the many types of "boilerplate" provisions, a legal term that refers to the standardized, one-size-fits-all provisions of a contract. Each chapter tackles one of 20 provisions and analyzes why it is important, the key legal and business issues raised, and how to draft the provision to suit a particular transaction. Such analysis not only helps readers better understand how to draft these provisions

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in their contracts, but also helps them better understand the other party's process.

This Understanding treatise is designed for first-year law students enrolled in Contracts. The text explains common law principles of contract law using cases and examples that students commonly encounter in this first-year course. It draws illustrations from the Restatement (Second) of Contracts, and from Article 2 of the Uniform Commercial Code as it has been adopted in all fifty states. This edition includes expanded material on the United Nations Convention on the International Sale of Goods, and the UNIDROIT Principles of International Commercial Contracts, appropriate to a basic course in Contracts, and on modern statutes regarding electronic contracting. Understanding Contracts was written with the understanding that

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**Relative Consent and Contract Law
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About the Book: the law of contract in many countries finds its source from the common law of England and the established doctrine of equity. the term Common Law consists of ancient customs and usages of England which have been recognized and given the force of law. The common law of England has been continuously adopted and modified by various statutes of the receptive countries. thus, the principles of England are based on both common law and equity to form the basis of all commercial transactions. given that the acceptable definition of contract is that a ' contract is an

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agreement between two or more persons, which may be legally enforced if the law is properly invoked', it is incumbent upon the reader to readily understand what constitute a valid contract. Thus, in every valid contract, some rights is acquired by the one party and a correlative obligation or liability is undertaken by the other. however, in most contracts, both rights and obligations attach to each party. Invariably, this book objective explores all the essentials of a valid contract and the remedies open to the injured party in the event of actionable breach of contract by the other party. read on [...]

Foundational Principles of Contract Law not only sets out the principles and rules of contract law, it places more emphasis on what the

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principles and rules of contract law should be, based on policy, morality, and experience. A major premise of the book is that the best way to grasp contract law is to understand it from a critical perspective as an organic, dynamic subject. When contract law is approached in this way it is much easier to grasp and learn than when it is presented simply as a static collection of principles and rules. Professor Eisenberg covers almost all areas of contract law, including the enforceability of promises, remedies for breach of contract, problems of assent, form contracts, the effect of mistake and changed circumstances, interpretation, and problems of performance. Although the emphasis of the book is on the principles and rules of contract law, it also covers

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important theories in contract law, such as the theory of efficient breach, the theory of overreliance, the normative theory of contracts, formalism, and theories of contract interpretation.

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In recent years there has been a revival of interest in the philosophical study of contract law. In 1981 Charles Fried claimed that contract law is based on the philosophy of promise and this has generated what is today known as 'the

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contract and promise debate'. Cutting to the heart of contemporary discussions, this volume brings together leading philosophers, legal theorists, and contract lawyers to debate the philosophical foundations of this area of law. Divided into two parts, the first explores general themes in the contract theory literature, including the philosophy of promising, the nature of contractual obligation, economic accounts of contract law, and the relationship between contract law and moral values such as personal autonomy and distributive justice. The second part uses these philosophical ideas to

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make progress in doctrinal debates, relating for example to contract interpretation, unfair terms, good faith, vitiating factors, and remedies.

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applied in jurisdictions throughout the world. With a new chapter examining the impact of globalization on contract law, this new edition also includes recent behavioural research around responses to contract breach. The book's accessibility is enhanced by text boxes defining key concepts and terms, and biographical notes of leading figures and scholars. This ensures that readers are able to gain a clear understanding of the narratives and theories explained in the book, and to appreciate how contract law has evolved. Uniquely, the book is not limited to one jurisdiction, making this an essential text for students wishing to expand their knowledge

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such as: How to make contracts. Deciding on form and formalities in contracts. The parties who have rights under a contract. The nuances in the different types of contractual terms and conditions. The situations that could make a contract voidable or void. How contracts should be performed. Making variations to contracts. The various options if a contract is breached. Dealing with contracts involving parties in other countries.

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