

Name: KEY! Date: October 11, 2022 Score: 20 / 20**QUIZ 2: Court systems!** (M&M ch. 6) via Blackboard

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Instructions: This quiz must be completed on Blackboard on Tuesday, October 11, 2022, between 10am-5pm, in one hour, and in one sitting. So, once you start the quiz, you must complete and submit it before logging off Blackboard. Choose the best answer to each question. Each response is worth 2 points. Good luck! Prof. C.

- D 1. The federal court system consists of: (A) United States Supreme Court (B) United States District Courts (C) United States Circuit Courts of Appeals (D) all of the above
- C 2. In the federal court system, these courts are trial courts. (A) local courts (B) circuit courts (C) district courts (D) case courts
- D 3. A lawsuit between citizens of different states provides a basis for a federal court to hear the case, based on: (A) concurrent jurisdiction (B) federal question jurisdiction (C) exclusive jurisdiction (D) diversity jurisdiction
- D 4. Most cases that reach the United States Supreme Court do so by: (A) direct appellate review (B) requesting a hearing en banc (C) right of appeal (D) requesting a writ of certiorari
- B 5. If the U.S. Supreme Court "grants" a writ of certiorari concerning a Circuit Court of Appeals decision, that means: (A) the plaintiff wins the case (B) the Supreme Court will review the Circuit Court's decision and decide if it was correct (C) the Supreme Court affirms (agrees with) the Circuit Court's decision (D) the Supreme Court will not consider the Circuit Court's decision; it will just let the decision stand as it is.
- D 6. John Doe was convicted of larceny from a building. His attorney believes that the evidence which was admitted against John violated his Fourth Amendment rights. John's attorney should present the case to a(n) ___ for review. (A) probate court (B) trial court (C) bankruptcy court (D) appellate court
- C 7. Courts with original jurisdiction consider only: (A) criminal cases (B) cases in which the parties are residents of the same state (C) cases being heard for the first time (D) lower courts' decisions, to decide whether they were correct
- D 8. Courts with appellate jurisdiction consider only: (A) civil cases (B) cases in which the parties are residents of the same state (C) cases being heard for the first time (D) lower courts' decisions, to decide whether they were correct
- D 9. Which of the following is an appellate court in the federal (U.S.) court system? (A) U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of NY (B) U.S. Supreme Court (C) U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit (D) choices B and C only

BONUS! (1 point each—ONLY IF you answer ALL of questions 1-10!)

In every state, the highest appellate court is called the Supreme Court. (A) True (B) False

Not in NY!!

What is the "other" requirement for a federal court to have diversity jurisdiction over a case (in addition to the parties being citizens of different states, as noted in question 3)?

Amount in controversy over \$75,000!