

**International Human Rights Law and Policy Colloquium:
The Rule of Law & Human Rights**

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Law 582
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2 credit hours

First Assignment

Week 1: January 13

Introduction

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Readings:

Jane Stromseth, David Wippman, & Rosa Brooks, Can
Might Make Rights? Building the Rule of Law After
Military Interventions (2006) (available at Barnes &
Noble). Chs. 1-2

Optional Readings: We suggest that you read one of the below books prior to the beginning of class.

1. David Rieff, *A Bed for the Night: Humanitarianism in Crisis* (2002).
2. Kenneth Cain, Heidi Postlewait, & Andrew Thomson, *Emergency Sex and Other Desperate Measures: A True Story From Hell On Earth* (2004).