

Methods and organization of legal studies

6. Goals. Objectives.

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Goals and objectives

- Goal - the purpose of activity, that directs and addresses
- Often intangible intention, long lasting
- Actions to achieve are generic

Ex.: Success in HR Law

- Objective – purpose, efforts or actions are intended to attain
- Tangible and measurable, short-term
- Actions to achieve are specific

Ex.: Obtaining master's diploma

3 types of goals




- Goals – tasks
- Goals – demands
- Goals – dreams

Define your goals

If you think you can do a thing or think you can't do a thing, you're right.

Henry Ford

3 goals:

-  That is most interesting for you to achieve **and** is topical for you
-  Of current scientific research
-  Of further professional development



5 more types of goals

- To do
- To have
- To know
- To treat
- To be

Models of analysis

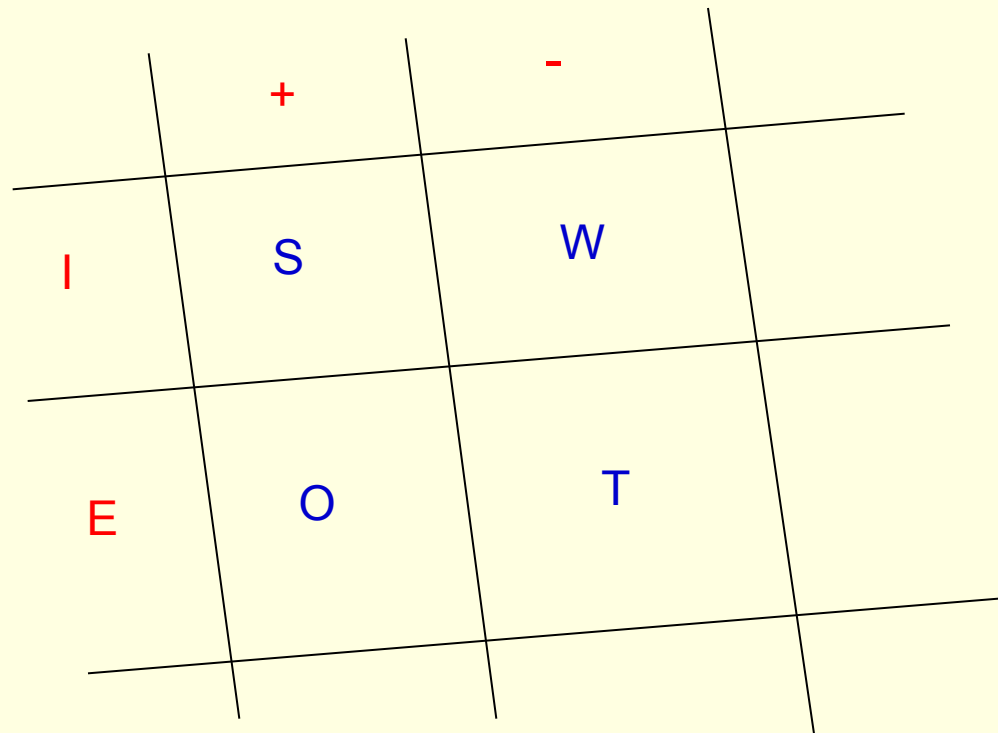
General purpose model

- S.M.A.R.T.

Specific models

- S.W.O.T.
- S.N.W.
- V.R.I.O.

S.W.O.T. (IE Matrix)



What's next?

Next topic disclose:

Information; retrieval of data...

Homework (deadline – 20.10.2013)

“Wish list” exercise.

1. What would you do if you had only one year to live?

*You need to make (write) a list of your wishes **100**-positions long.*

Include to it such spheres as private life, family, job, health, finance, self-development, journeys, etc.

2. Have a rest (from an hour to a day).

3. Mark in previous list those wishes, that could be accomplished within 1 month (if you had only one month to live).

4. From previous shortened list mark those wishes, that could be done within 1 day (if you had only one day to live).

5. Analyze your strategy, choices. Any thoughts?

6. Bring the elaborated lists to the lecture. We will discuss...

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