How to Read Bid Results

Once bids have been processed and you now may review the results by selecting “For Students > Law Bidding > View Bid Results”. Some actions are expressed cryptically as follows:

GOOD – Congratulations! You have bid successfully on the class, and you will be enrolled in the class at the conclusion of bidding. Your bidding “cost” is equal to the lowest successful bid on the course; courses that are open at the end of Round 1 “cost” 1 point.

DENIED – your bid was not successful for one of the following reasons:

- **CRED: Credits** – Enrolling in the class would exceed the ABA limit of 17 credits per semester. If you are denied a class because you have exceeded the 17 credit limit, you will see the message “CRED”.

- **TIME: Time** – Students may bid for classes that have a time conflict, however, the system is designed to consider the class with the higher number of points first and, if successfully enrolled in the course with the higher number of bid points, it will deny the class with the fewer number of points because of the time conflict. If you are denied a class because of a time conflict, you will see the message “TIME.”

- **SEC: Section** – You were successful in another section of the same course on which you bid more points. If you are denied a class because you successfully bid on another section of the same course, you will see the message “SEC”.

- **ENRL: Enrollment** – You were previously enrolled in the class and thus cannot take it again for credit. If you are denied a class for this reason, you will see the message “ENRL”.

- **PREREQ: Pre-Req** – You have not satisfied the pre-requisite for this course. If you are denied a course because you have not satisfied the pre-requisite, you will see the message “PREREQ”.

- **SIZE: Wait List** – Your bid was not high enough to secure a space in the class before it filled and thus you have been added to the waitlist for the class. If the class is full, you should see the message “SIZE” followed by a number (e.g. “001” or “025”); the number is your position on the wait list.

**IMPORTANT NOTE RE WAITLISTS:** Wait list positions “cost” the number of points you bid, regardless of whether you are ever admitted to the course. If you cancel a wait list position after Round 1, you recapture the points, but lose your position on the wait list. You may re-bid the class in Round 2, but your position will be lower on the wait list than those students on the wait list from Round 1. Once on a wait list from Round 1, you will not be superseded by a higher point bid in Round 2.

**IMPORTANT NOTE RE ENROLLMENT CAPS:** Enrollment caps are not subject to increase.