



Paralegal Studies

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ACADEMIC MAP

This program is not designed to transfer. 2018-2019



FIRST SEMESTER	Notes	Credits	MC
<input type="checkbox"/> ENGL1010 English Comp I		3	
<input type="checkbox"/> LEGL1316 Intro to Legal Drafting & Software		3	
<input type="checkbox"/> LEGL1300 Intro to Paralegal Studies & Ethics		3	
<input type="checkbox"/> LEGL1301 Legal Ethics & Professionalism		3	
<input type="checkbox"/> PICK ONE: Natural Science or Math		3	

2 SEMESTER CREDITS 15

SECOND SEMESTER	Notes	Credits	MC
<input type="checkbox"/> LEGL1320 Legal Research	Prereq: LEGL1300 with C or better	3	
<input type="checkbox"/> LEGL1340 Family Law	Prereq: LEGL1300 with C or better	3	
<input type="checkbox"/> LEGL1306 Law Practice Management	Prereq: LEGL1300 with C or better	3	
<input type="checkbox"/> ENGL1020 English Comp II		3	
<input type="checkbox"/> PICK ONE: Humanities/Fine Arts		3	

3 SEMESTER CREDITS 14

THIRD SEMESTER	Notes	Credits	MC
<input type="checkbox"/> LEGL2380 Civil Litigation Skills I	Prereq: LEGL1300 & 1320 with C or better	3	
<input type="checkbox"/> LEGL1350 Torts	Prereq: LEGL1300 & 1320 with C or better	3	
<input type="checkbox"/> LEGL1330 Legal Writing	Prereq: LEGL1300, 1316, 1320 & 1340 with C or better	3	
<input type="checkbox"/> COMM2025 Fund of Comm		3	
<input type="checkbox"/> PICK ONE: Social/Behavioral Sciences		3	

4 SEMESTER CREDITS 15

FOURTH SEMESTER	Notes	Credits	MC
<input type="checkbox"/> LEGL2385 Civil Litigation Skills II	Prereq: LEGL1300, 1316, 1320, 1340 & 2380 with C or better	3	
<input type="checkbox"/> LEGL2390 Legal Internship	Prereq: LEGL1300, 1301, 1320, 1330 & 2380 with C or better	3	
<input type="checkbox"/> PICK ONE: LEGL Elective		3	
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<input type="checkbox"/> LEGL2370 eDiscovery	Prereq: LEGL1300, 1316 & 1320 with C or better	3	

To stay on track, these courses must be taken in order. **SEMESTER CREDITS 15**
PROGRAM CREDITS 60



Milestone Courses

Based on prior students' experience, students who do well in these courses are more likely to graduate on time in this program.
LEGL 1300, 1320, 1330, 1340, 2380, 2385, 2390

General Advising Notes

A grade of "C" is required in all Paralegal Studies courses.

LEGL 2390 requires a minimum GPA of 3.0 in Paralegal Studies courses.

Students must complete 120 hours in their internship.

ENGL1010 and ENGL 0810
ACAD 1100 and READ 0810
MATH 0530 and MATH 1530

Helpful Hints

15 to FINISH

Take 15 credit hours a semester to finish your degree in two years.

Program provides a good background for a legal career.

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