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Thomas R. Kline School of Law

The Thomas R. Kline School of Law (http://www.drexel.edu/law/) was established in 2006, and was built on the strengths of Drexel University, including experiential education and the fields of engineering, science, business, and health care.

The School offers the Juris Doctor (JD) degree, which has been designed to prepare law students for the challenges of 21st-century practice. Students can elect to fulfill concentrations in business and entrepreneurship law, health law, intellectual property law, and criminal law. The School also offers a Master of Legal Studies (MLS) program for individuals in other disciplines and professions who would benefit from focused legal knowledge in their field, a Master of Laws (LLM) in American Legal Practice for internationally trained attorneys that offers an optional focus on New York Bar Exam preparation, and specialized LLMs for attorneys who want to dive deeply into one area of practice.

Educational Objectives

The educational objectives of the Thomas R. Kline School of Law include knowledge of the law, training in practical skills, and commitment to professionalism. The Juris Doctor (JD) degree program offers a standard law school curriculum, to ensure that its graduates are well-equipped to pass the bar examination upon graduation and to become competent legal professionals, regardless of their particular practice areas. Students may complete the JD on a full-time basis in either two or three years.

The Master of Legal Studies (MLS) program and associated certificates, designed for individuals who are not seeking to become attorneys, are intended to develop and improve career-related skills through the study of the legal system, legal writing, law, regulation, and policy.

The Master of Laws (LLM) in American Legal Practice allows for a flexible curriculum or specialized tracks to target the student's goals for US practice or legal knowledge. LLM students can take advantage of experiential learning opportunities as well as courses designed to develop proficiency in English legal vocabulary.

The specialized LLMs are designed for practicing attorneys to develop expertise beyond the curriculum offered in their JD programs. The programs are ideal for new and experienced attorneys who are looking for advancement in their organizations or who wish to explore trending areas of law and regulation more deeply.

Accreditation

The Juris Doctor program at the Drexel University Thomas R. Kline School of Law is fully accredited by the American Bar Association (ABA). The ABA does not offer accreditation to non-JD programs, but has acquiesced to the Master of Laws, Master of Legal Studies, and certificate programs offered by the Thomas R. Kline School of Law.

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Admissions Requirements

Admission to the Thomas R. Kline School of Law is determined using a variety of factors evaluated by the law admissions committee. For Juris Doctor (JD) candidates, the committee evaluates the student's LSAT score, academic record (including graduate degrees), work and volunteer experience, and personal background.

To apply, prospective JD students submit the following:

- a resume - describing employment history, including part-time and summer employment.
- a personal statement - essay discussing motivation for attending law school and how the Thomas R. Kline School of Law will help the applicant achieve his or her goals.
- LSDAS registration - all applicants, including those educated abroad, are required to register with the Law School Data Assembly Service (LSDAS). The LSDAS will provide Drexel University with a report containing information important in the admission process.

Visit the Law School Admission Council Website at www.lsac.org (http://www.lsac.org/) for more information and to register.

The report includes an undergraduate academic summary; undergraduate, graduate and law/professional school transcripts; LSAT scores; and letters of recommendation (at least two) processed by the Law School Admission Council (LSAC).

To access the online application (http://drexel.edu/law/admissions/apply/) or for additional guidelines on how to apply, visit the Thomas R. Kline School of Law (http://www.drexel.edu/law/) website.

Students who are interested in the Master of Legal Studies or Certificate programs should visit and apply through Drexel University Online (http://online.drexel.edu/).

Facilities

Located in the heart of the University’s main campus in University City, the Thomas R. Kline School of Law (http://www.drexel.edu/law/) is in a 57,254 square foot facility that includes:
American Legal Practice

Major: American Legal Practice
Degree Awarded: Master of Laws (LLM)
Calendar Type: Semester
Total Credit Hours: 26.0
Classification of Instructional Programs (CIP) code: 22.0101
Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) code: 23-1011

About the Program

The Master of Laws (LL.M.) in American Legal Practice is designed for students who have completed, at a minimum, an LL.B. or its equivalent outside of the United States. The LL.M. provides these students with a sophisticated knowledge of US legal practice and grounds them in a basic understanding of US law.

Admission Requirements

Students must have an earned Bachelor of Laws (LL.B.) or its equivalent. Admissions will be based on applicant grades from their prior institutions. No entry exam is required, except that students who have completed their first law degree program in a language other than English will be required to have a minimum score on the TOEFL or a comparable exam.

Degree Requirements

To earn the general LL.M., students must successfully complete 26.0 semester credits. There are no distribution requirements. Every student will receive individualized academic counseling and the student’s individual program of study will be set up in consultation with an advisor.

New York Bar Concentration Requirements

Students opting to follow the New York Bar concentration within the LL.M. must complete 33.0 semester credits and follow the course plan as described. In addition to the required courses, students are also required to complete 50 hours of certified pro bono work to fulfill the New York Bar Concentration, per state eligibility requirements.

New York Bar Concentration Requirements

LAW 565S  Legal Methods I  3.0
LAW 566S  Legal Methods II  2.0-3.0
or LAW 884S  Contract Drafting  2.0-3.0
LAW 830S  Professional Responsibility  3.0
LAW 886S  Writing Strategies for the Bar  2.0
LAW 970S  Introduction to United States Legal Systems  3.0

One course designated as "Statutory"  2.0-4.0

At least 6 credits from the following menu of courses:

LAW 550S  Torts  4.0
LAW 552S  Contracts  3.0
LAW 554S  Civil Procedure  3.0
LAW 556S  Property  3.0
LAW 558S  Criminal Law  3.0
LAW 560S  Constitutional Law  3.0
LAW 656S  Criminal Procedure: Investigations  3.0

One Experiential course & Seminar from the following menu:

LAW 918S  Law Co-op  5.0-14.0
& LAW 654S  and Lawyering Practice Seminar  3.0
LAW 933S  Co-op Intensive  2.0
& LAW 654S  and Lawyering Practice Seminar  2.0
LAW 924S  Entrepreneurial Law Clinic  2.0
& LAW 653S  and Entrepreneurial Law Clinic Seminar  2.0
LAW 941S  Criminal Litigation Clinic I  2.0
& LAW 654S  and Criminal Litigation Clinic II  2.0
& LAW 656S  and Justice Lawyering Sem  2.0
LAW 943S  Civil Litigation Clinic I  2.0
& LAW 653S  and Civil Litigation Clinic II  2.0
& LAW 656S  and Justice Lawyering Sem  2.0
LAW 947S  Federal Litigation and Appeals Clinic  2.0
& LAW 656S  and Federal Litigation and Appeals Clinic II  2.0
& LAW 656S  and Justice Lawyering Sem  2.0
LAW 950S  Community Lawyering Clinic I  2.0
& LAW 951S  and Community Lawyering Clinic II  2.0
& LAW 656S  and Justice Lawyering Sem  2.0
LAW 925S  Field Practicum  2.0
& LAW 654S  and Lawyering Practice Seminar  2.0

Additional electives as needed  0.0-7.0

Total Credits 26.0-45.0

* Students are required to complete a minimum of 33.0 credits to earn the concentration. Students will need to take as many elective credits as necessary to get to 33.0 total credits, based on the courses they choose to fulfill the other requirements.

Cyber Law and Data Privacy

Major: Cyber Law and Data Privacy
Degree Awarded: Master of Laws (LLM)
Calendar Type: Semester
Total Credit Hours: 24.0
Classification of Instructional Programs (CIP) code: 11.1003
Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) code: 15-1122

About the Program

The LLM degree is designed for experienced domestic and international attorneys who are looking for advanced skills in legal regulatory analysis and policy pertinent to cybersecurity and data/information privacy. As the internet and cyberspace play increasingly important roles in our daily personal and business activities, and as the field becomes more heavily regulated, legal employers, including law firms, government agencies and law departments, seek lawyers with a deeper understanding of the manner in which new and developing cyber-related regulations affect their clients and business interests. LLM students must hold a JD or its international equivalent (LLB). This degree is not designed to prepare students for any Bar Exam.

Additional Information

More information about the Thomas R. Kline School of Law (https://drexel.edu/law/) is available on the School's website.

Admission Requirements

Domestic students must have earned a JD from an ABA accredited law school. International students must have an earned Bachelor of Laws (LL.B) or its equivalent. Admissions will be based on grades from their prior institutions. No entry exam is required, except that students who have completed their first law degree program in a language other than English will be required to have a minimum score on the TOEFL or a comparable exam.

Required Documents

With multiple ways to submit documents, Drexel makes it easy to complete your application. Learn more by visiting our Completing Your Application Guide (https://www.online.drexel.edu/support/supporting-documents.aspx).

- A completed application
- Official transcripts (https://www.online.drexel.edu/support/supporting-documents/transcripts.aspx) from all universities or colleges and other post-secondary educational institutions (including trade schools) attended
- Essay of approximately 500 words
  - Can be a personal statement outlining personal and/or professional goals you hope to achieve through the program, or on another topic that showcases your writing skills
- Resume
  - Quality and quantity of professional experience will be evaluated
- Standardized test score reports (GMAT, GRE, LSAT, MCAT) can be submitted, but are not required.
- Additional requirements for international students (https://www.online.drexel.edu/support/international-students.aspx)
  - International students must have an earned Bachelor of Laws (LLB) or its equivalent. Admissions will be based on grades from prior institutions. No entry exam is required; however, those who have completed their first law degree program in a language other than English will be required to have a minimum score on the TOEFL or a comparable exam.

Degree Requirements

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Global Financial Regulation

Major: Global Financial Regulation
Degree Awarded: Master of Laws (LLM)
Calendar Type: Semester
Total Credit Hours: 24.0
Classification of Instructional Programs (CIP) code: 22.0205
Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) code: 23-1011

Note: This program is not currently accepting applications.

About the Program

The LLM degree is designed experienced for domestic and international attorneys who are looking for advanced skills in legal regulatory analysis and policy pertinent to their practices. As the world continues to become more globalization and the business of banking and finance become more globalized and the business of banking and finance becomes increasingly regulated both domestically and abroad, legal employers including retail banks, investment firms, government agencies and law firms seek lawyers with deeper understanding of the complex interaction between these regulations and the industry to better serve their clients or business interests. LLM students must hold a J.D. or its international equivalent. This degree is not designed to prepare students for any Bar Exam.
Admission Requirements

Domestic students must have earned a JD from an ABA accredited law school.

International students must have an earned Bachelor of Laws (LL.B.) or its equivalent. Admissions will be based on applicant grades from their prior institutions. No entry exam is required except that students who have completed their first law degree program in a language other than English will be required to have a minimum score on the TOEFL or a comparable exam.

Degree Requirements

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Foreign-trained students may also be required to complete one or more of the following:

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**Electives** 18.0

Students will take 18 additional credits of course offerings (or 12 credits of course offerings plus Thesis I & II).

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**Total Credits**: 24.0

Sample Plan of Study

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**Second Year (Part-Time)**

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**Total Credits**: 24

Health Care and Pharmaceutical Compliance

Major: Health Care and Pharmaceutical Compliance

Degree Awarded: Master of Laws (LLM)

Calendar Type: Semester

Total Credit Hours: 24.0

Classification of Instructional Programs (CIP) code: 44.0503

Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) code: 11-9111

About the Program

The LL.M degree is designed for experienced domestic and international attorneys who are looking for advanced skills in legal regulatory analysis and policy pertinent to their practices. As the health care and pharmaceutical industries become increasingly regulated, legal employers, including law firms, hospitals, health systems, government agencies, and multi-national pharmaceutical and medical device manufacturers, seek lawyers with deeper understanding of the complex interaction between these regulations and the industry to better serve their clients or business interests. LL.M students must hold a J.D. or its international equivalent. This degree is not designed to prepare students for any Bar Exam.

Admission Requirements

Domestic students must have earned a JD from an ABA accredited law school.

International students must have an earned Bachelor of Laws (LLB) or its equivalent. Admissions will be based on grades from their prior institutions. No entry exam is required; however, those who have completed their first law degree program in a language other than English will be required to have a minimum score on the TOEFL or a comparable exam.

**Required Documents**

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- Official transcripts (https://www.online.drexel.edu/support/supporting-documents/transcripts.aspx) from all universities or colleges and other post-secondary educational institutions (including trade schools) attended
- Essay of approximately 500 words
  - Can be a personal statement outlining personal and/or professional goals you hope to achieve through the program, or on another topic that showcases your writing skills
- Resume
  - Quality and quantity of professional experience will be evaluated.
- Standardized test score reports (GMAT, GRE, LSAT, MCAT) can be submitted, but are not required.
- Additional requirements for international students (https://www.online.drexel.edu/support/international-students.aspx)
  - International students must have an earned Bachelor of Laws (LLB) or its equivalent. Admissions will be based on grades from prior institutions. No entry exam is required; however, those who have completed their first law degree program in a language other than English will be required to have a minimum score on the TOEFL or a comparable exam.
**Degree Requirements**

**Required Courses**

- LSTU 501S Compliance Skills: Auditing, Investigation & Reporting 3.0
- LSTU 507S Risk Assessment and Management 3.0

Foreign-trained students may also be required to complete one or more of the following:

- LAW 970S Introduction to United States Legal Systems
- LSTU 500S Introduction to the Legal System
- LSTU 503S Legal Research and Analysis

**Electives**

Students will take 18 additional credits of course offerings (or 12 credits of course offerings plus Thesis I & II):

- LAW 674S Health Care Fraud and Abuse
- LAW 770S European Union Data Privacy and Protection
- LAW 780S Health Care Quality Regulation
- LAW 781S Health Care Cost and Access Regulation
- LAW 784S Health Care Finance
- LAW 785S Legal Regulation of Pharmaceutical and Medical Device Research and Development
- LAW 787S Legal Regulation of Pharmaceutical and Medical Device Sales and Marketing Practices
- LAW 791S Regulating Patient Safety
- LAW 792S Food and Drug Law
- LAW 792S Health Law Legal Research
- LAW 998S Thesis I – Scholarly Legal Writing: Planning and Preparation
- LAW 999S Thesis II – Scholarly Legal Writing: Writing, Refining, and Presentation
- LSTU 502S Ethics and Professional Standards
- LSTU 504S Health Care Rules and Regulations
- LSTU 505S Health Care Quality, Patient Safety and Risk Management
- LSTU 506S Patients and Privacy: HIPAA and Related Regulations
- LSTU 515S Information Privacy Law

**Total Credits** 24.0

**Sample Plan of Study**

**First Year (Part-Time)**

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**Total Credits** 24

**International Commercial Law**

**Major:** International Commercial Law  
**Degree Awarded:** Master of Laws (LLM)  
**Calendar Type:** Semester  
**Total Credit Hours:** 24.0  
**Classification of Instructional Programs (CIP) code:** 22.0202  
**Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) code:** 23-1011

**About the Program**

The Master of Laws (LL.M.) in International Commercial Law is designed for students who have completed, at minimum, an LL.B. or its equivalent outside of the United States. The LL.M. provides these students with a sophisticated knowledge of international commercial law and gives them competencies in different areas of international commercial practice.

To earn the LL.M., students must successfully complete 24.0 semester credits in a combination of distribution and elective credits. Every student will receive individualized academic counseling and the student’s individual program of study will be set up in consultation with an advisor.

**Admission Requirements**

Students must have an earned Bachelor of Laws (LL.B.) or its equivalent. Admissions will be based on applicant grades from their prior institutions. No entry exam is required, except that students who have completed their first law degree program in a language other than English will be required to have a minimum score on the TOEFL or a comparable exam.

**Degree Requirements**

**Practical Skills (minimum of 3 credits)** 3.0

- LAW 565S Legal Methods I
- LAW 566S Legal Methods II
- LAW 646S Mediation and Arbitration
- LAW 882S Litigation Drafting
- LAW 884S Contract Drafting
- LSTU 503S Legal Research and Analysis

**Ethics (minimum of 3 credits)** 3.0

- LAW 515S Ethics and Social Responsibility: The Lawyer as Ethical Gatekeeper
- LAW 830S Professional Responsibility
- LSTU 502S Ethics and Professional Standards

**Commercial, Financial, and Business Law (minimum of 12 credits)** 12.0

- LAW 514S Banking and Finance Law and Regulation
- LAW 516S Foreign and Domestic Investment in Africa’s Natural Resources: Law, Policy, and Sustainability
- LAW 517S International Commercial Arbitration
- LAW 518S International Trade and Investment: Practice and Law
- LAW 520S Project Finance for Infrastructure Development in Africa
- LAW 700S Business Organizations
- LAW 706S Secured Transactions
- LAW 710S Bankruptcy
- LAW 711S Sales
- LAW 712S Private Equity and Venture Capital Law
- LAW 714S Securities Regulation
- LAW 724S Nonprofit Organizations
- LAW 730S Legal Regulation of Global Financial Crimes
- LAW 734S Legal Regulation of Investment Advisers
- LAW 735S Legal Regulation of Investment Companies
- LAW 736S Broker/Dealer Regulation
- LAW 737S Banking Law
- LAW 760S Copyright
- LAW 761S Patents
- LAW 763S Patent Litigation & Strategy
- LAW 764S Trademarks & Unfair Competition
- LAW 765S Essentials of Intellectual Property Law
- LAW 796S Insurance Law
- LAW 828S International Business Transactions
- LAW 846S Law and Economics
- LSTU 501S Compliance Skills: Auditing, Investigation & Reporting
- LSTU 507S Risk Assessment and Management

**Electives (minimum of six credits)** 6.0

**Total Credits** 24.0
The cooperative education program (co-op) allows upper-level students to gain practical experience in order to graduate. This requirement provides students with the opportunity to work in a professional setting and to reflect on their work and its impact on the community.

In addition to the co-op and clinical requirement, students may also take advantage of a broad selection of simulation courses that involve in-depth trial practice, advocacy, litigation, transactional practice, and alternative dispute resolution.

### About the Concentrations

The Thomas R. Kline School of Law builds on some of the strengths for which Drexel University is nationally known by offering five optional concentrations. These are areas in which there are expanding employment opportunities and a need for specialized knowledge and skills: intellectual property, health, business and entrepreneurship, criminal law, and civil litigation and dispute resolution. These concentrations consist not only of specialized courses taught in the classroom, but also experiential learning opportunities such as co-ops and simulations.

### Joint Degrees

For those law students interested in pursuing expertise in another area of study, the School also offers several joint degrees combining law with other subjects, including Law and Business Administration (JD/MBA), Law and Library and Information Science (JD/MSLIS), (http://catalog.drexel.edu/graduate/collegeofartsandsciences/psychologylaw/), Law and Psychology (JD/PhD), Law and Public Health (JD/MPH), and Law and Public Policy (JD/MSPP). For more details about joint degree opportunities, visit the Thomas R. Kline School of Law Joint Degree (https://drexel.edu/law/academics/jointdegrees/) website.

### Additional Information

For more information about the JD program, visit the the Thomas R. Kline School of Law (https://drexel.edu/law/) website.

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### Additional Requirements:

Students must also complete:

* Any approved Law School class including courses from the three categories above can be used to fulfill these credits.

### Sample Plan of Study

The Plan of Study will depend on whether the student is part-time or full-time, face-to-face or online and will be determined on an individual basis in consultation with an academic advisor.

### About the Program

The Kline School of Law offers a rigorous law curriculum that aims to prepare students for the realities of practice, combining the classic foundation of legal education with the experiential components that are so vital to both Drexel University’s mission and to legal employers today. Students have the option of completing the JD in the traditional three years, or through an accelerated two-year program designed to get students into the legal workforce faster with the same essential skills and knowledge.

Students spend their first year on campus being introduced to the foundations of legal analysis, skills, and professionalism in a diverse learning community. The program includes traditional first-year courses such as contracts, property, and criminal law, as well as a critical introduction to lawmaking and statutory interpretation through a Legislation & Regulation course. The first year also includes a comprehensive legal methods course taught by full-time faculty which instructs students on the fundamentals of legal writing and analysis.

The remaining curriculum exposes students to a broad array of topics relevant to the study of law. Students are required to complete courses in professional responsibility, legal writing and other practice skills, and statutory law. Students must also complete at least 50 hours of pro bono work, documented with the Law School’s Experiential Learning Office ([https://drexel.edu/law/academics/kline-difference/public-interest-law-pro-bono-service/pro-bono/](https://drexel.edu/law/academics/kline-difference/public-interest-law-pro-bono-service/pro-bono/)).

### The Experiential Education Program

Students are required to complete either a co-op placement or a clinical experience in order to graduate. This requirement provides students with an integrated learning experience that prepares them for the complexities of modern-day practice.

The cooperative education program (co-op) allows upper-level students to spend a semester—or in some cases a full year—at a single legal placement. The Kline School of Law has relationships with a wide-ranging selection of co-op partners including judicial chambers, private law firms, in-house counsel offices, and non-profit organizations, but has also assisted many students in creating opportunities in other practice jurisdictions. Students are not paid for their work but will instead receive academic credits for their co-op experiences and for a lawyering practice seminar that must be taken in conjunction with the co-op.

Clinical experiences offer students the chance to represent real clients in a clinical setting. Clinical offerings include a Civil Litigation Field Clinic, Criminal Litigation Field Clinic, Federal Appeals and Litigation Clinic, Community Lawyering Clinic, and an Entrepreneurial Law Clinic. These experiences are paired with a seminar that guides students through reflection on their work and its impact on the community.

In addition to the co-op and clinical requirement, students may also take advantage of a broad selection of simulation courses that involve in-depth trial practice, advocacy, litigation, transactional practice, and alternative dispute resolution.

### About the Concentrations

The Thomas R. Kline School of Law builds on some of the strengths for which Drexel University is nationally known by offering five optional concentrations. These are areas in which there are expanding employment opportunities and a need for specialized knowledge and skills: intellectual property, health, business and entrepreneurship, criminal law, and civil litigation and dispute resolution. These concentrations consist not only of specialized courses taught in the classroom, but also experiential learning opportunities such as co-ops and simulations.

### Joint Degrees

For those law students interested in pursuing expertise in another area of study, the School also offers several joint degrees combining law with other subjects, including Law and Business Administration (JD/MBA), Law and Library and Information Science (JD/MSLIS), (http://catalog.drexel.edu/graduate/collegeofartsandsciences/psychologylaw/), Law and Psychology (JD/PhD), Law and Public Health (JD/MPH), and Law and Public Policy (JD/MSPP). For more details about joint degree opportunities, visit the Thomas R. Kline School of Law Joint Degree (https://drexel.edu/law/academics/jointdegrees/) website.

### Additional Information

For more information about the JD program, visit the the Thomas R. Kline School of Law (https://drexel.edu/law/) website.

### Degree Requirements

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• At least one legal writing course designated as meeting the standard of the Upper-Level Writing requirement [WUL] as indicated by the course materials
• At least one Statutory course as indicated by the course materials

Professional Practice Requirement

To better prepare our students for the legal profession, students are required to complete either a law co-op or a law clinic.

Pro Bono Requirement

Students must fulfill a minimum of 50 hours of qualifying pro bono service, documented with the Law School’s Experiential Learning Office. (https://drexel.edu/law/academics/kline-difference/public-interest-law-pro-bono/)

Sample Plan of Study

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Total Credits 14

In addition to this plan, 52 additional credits - including LAW 830S, an Upper-Level Writing course, an upper-level Statutory course, and a Professional Practice experience - must also be completed in order for students to complete the degree.

School of Law Faculty

Tabatha Abu El-Haj, PhD, LLM, JD (New York University; Georgetown University Law Center; New York University School of Law). Professor. Constitutional law (specifically, First Amendment and election law), popular constitutionalism, administrative law, and the sociology of law.

Bret D. Asbury, JD (Yale Law School) Associate Dean for Academic Affairs. Professor. Civil procedure; law and literature.


Amelia Boss, JD (Rutgers-Camden School of Law). Trustee Professor. Commercial law, including electronic payment systems, bankruptcy and contracts.

Susan Brooks, JD (New York University) Associate Dean for Experiential Learning. Professor. Clinical and co-op education; family law; children’s rights; legal ethics.

Chapin Cimino, JD (University of Chicago Law School). Professor. Contract law; constitutional law; law and humanities; higher education law.

David S. Cohen, JD (Columbia University School of Law). Professor. Constitutional law; civil rights; sex discrimination.

Clare Keefe Coleman, JD (Villanova University School of Law) Director of International Student Programs. Associate Professor. Writing specialist.

Rose Corrigan, PhD (Rutgers University) Director of the Center for Law, Policy, and Social Action. Associate Professor. Women, public law, American politics and policy.

David DeMatteo, PhD, JD (MCP Hahnemann University; Villanova University School of Law) Director of the JD-PhD Program in Law and Psychology. Professor. Psychopathy, forensic mental health assessment, drug policy; offender diversion.

Roger J. Dennis, JD (Northwestern University School of Law) Founding Dean Emeritus. Professor Emeritus. Corporate law; business organizations; civil procedure; law and economics.

Tracye Edwards, JD (Duke University). Assistant Professor. Human Resources Compliance.

Nicole El, JD (New England School of Law). Supervising Attorney, Criminal Litigation Field Clinic. Criminal litigation.

Robert I. Field, PhD, JD, MPH (Columbia University) Director, JD/MPH Program. Professor. Department of Health Management and Policy. Health policy; public health law; health administration and management; public health ethics.

Daniel M. Filler, JD (New York University School of Law) Dean. Professor. Criminal law and procedure; sentencing and death penalty; law and society; law and humanities.

Richard H. Frankel, LLM, JD (Georgetown University Law Center; Yale Law School) Director of the Federal Litigation and Appeals Clinic. Associate Professor. Appellate litigation, access to justice in areas including consumer, administrative, and immigration law.

Barry Furrow, JD (Harvard Law School) Director of the Health Law Program. Professor. Health law; torts.

Eamon Gallagher, JD (Drexel University Kline School of Law) Director of the Entrepreneurial Law Clinic. Corporate transactional law; entrepreneurship and law.

Alex Geisinger, LLM, JD (Harvard Law School; University of Connecticut School of Law) Associate Dean for Faculty Development and Research. Professor. Environmental law; torts; commercial law; behavioral law and economics.

Deborah Gordon, JD (New York University School of Law). Associate Professor. Trusts and estates, gift tax, legal methods.

Wendy Greene, LLM, JD (George Washington University School of Law; Tulane University School of Law). Professor. Natural hair discrimination; race and the law; employment law.
The Master of Legal Studies (MLS) program is a post-baccalaureate degree designed for individuals to develop and improve career-related skills through the study of the legal system, legal writing, law, regulation, and policy. Ideal candidates include individuals in other disciplines.

Emeritus Faculty

Donald Bersoff, JD, PhD (Yale University, New York University). Professor Emeritus. Law and psychology; mental health law.

Master of Legal Studies

Major: Legal Studies

Degree Awarded: Master of Legal Studies (MLS)

Calendar Type: Semester
Total Credit Hours: 30.0
Classification of Instructional Programs (CIP) code: 22.0203
Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) code: 23-1011

About the Program

As society becomes increasingly regulated, job candidates with advanced skills in legal and regulatory analysis, as well as regulatory compliance, have become highly appealing to many employers. Although many employers do not want to hire additional attorneys, they require employees with sophisticated and narrowly focused exposure to law and legal regulation.

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professionals who would benefit from focused legal knowledge (such as those in the fields of health, college sports, education, human resources, finance, etc.), individuals seeking career changes, and those generally interested in the field of law. Upon completion of each degree program, graduates will understand how the law relates to and impacts their particular areas of interest although they will not be attorneys.

Currently, the following concentrations are offered (optional):

- Criminal Law
- Cybersecurity and Information Privacy Compliance
- Entrepreneurship and Law*
- Financial Regulatory Compliance
- Health Care Compliance
- Higher Education Compliance
- Human Resources Compliance
- NCAA Compliance
- Pharmaceutical and Medical Device Regulatory Compliance

The program is designed to be completed on either a part-time or full-time basis.

*Note: The Entrepreneurship and Law concentration is not currently accepting applications.

**Additional Information**

For more information, visit the the Online Master of Legal Studies (https://www.online.drexel.edu/online-degrees/law-degrees/mls/) website.

**Degree Requirements**

All students must complete the required core curriculum courses, and additional electives or concentration courses, totaling 30.0 semester credits.

Within the program, eight optional concentrations are currently offered:

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**Electives or Concentration**

**Complete LSTU, LAW electives or any combination of electives & concentrations** 11.0-12.0

**Total Credits** 30.0

**Health Care Compliance Concentration**

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**Total Credits** 12.0

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**NCAA Compliance and Sports Law Concentration**

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**Human Resources Compliance Concentration**

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**Higher Education Compliance Concentration**

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** ENTP courses are on the Quarter Schedule. Note that 3 quarter credits = 2 semester credits. Therefore 12 quarter credits = 8 semester credits.

** Financial Regulatory Compliance

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** Pharmaceutical and Medical Device Regulatory Compliance Concentration

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### Legal Studies (Law School) Faculty

**John Cannan, JD (University of Maryland School of Law)**, Adjunct Professor. Legal research and analysis; Masters Capstone.

**James Castagnera, JD (Case Western Reserve Law School)**, Adjunct Professor. Human Resources Compliance.

**Lisa Detwiler, JD (University of Pittsburgh School of Law)**, Adjunct Professor. Financial regulatory compliance.

**Tracye Edwards, JD (Duke University)**, Assistant Professor. Human Resources Compliance.

**Veronica Finkelstein, JD (Emory University)**, Adjunct Professor. Criminal law.

**Jordan Fischer, JD (Drexel University School of Law)**, Assistant Teaching Professor. Cybersecurity and Information Privacy Compliance

**Paul Flanagan, JD (Creighton University School of Law)** Director of the Privacy, Cybersecurity and Compliance Program. Assistant Professor. Compliance; privacy; legal issues in the health care industry.

**Leeza Garber, JD (University of Pennsylvania Law School)**, Adjunct Professor. Cybersecurity and Information Privacy Compliance

**Micheal Gioffre, JD (Delaware Law School)**, Adjunct Professor. Financial Regulatory Compliance

**James Goepel, JD (George Mason University)**, Adjunct Professor. Cybersecurity and Information Privacy Compliance

**Sara Goldstein, JD (Drexel University)**, Adjunct Professor. Health Care Compliance

**David Haendler, JD (University of Chicago)**, Adjunct Professor, Legal Research and Analysis

**David R. Hoffman, JD (University of Pittsburgh)**, Practice Professor of Law. Health Care Compliance, Master Capstone

**Beau Howard, JD, MBA (Rutgers Law School, Monmouth University)**, Adjunct Professor. Financial Regulatory Compliance

**Aaron Hurley, LLM, JD (University of Washington, Gonzaga University)**, Adjunct Professor. Financial Regulatory Compliance

**Daniela Ivancikova, JD (Drexel University)**, Adjunct Professor. Corrections Law, Risk Assessment and Management.

**Laura Jacobs, JD (Santa Clara University School of Law)**, Adjunct Professor. Compliance Skills, Risk Assessment and Management, Compliance Communications.

**Aimée Kahan, JD (University of Pennsylvania School of Law)** Director of Master of Legal Studies Program. Associate Professor. Health care quality, patient safety, and risk management

**Bruce Levine, JD (New York University)**, Associate Clinical Professor. Educational policy, school law, public-private partnerships, intersection of business and education.

**Lisa Lewis, JD (Duke University School of Law)**, Adjunct Professor. Criminal Law

**Laurel Lichty, LLB, LLM (City University London; George Washington University)**, Adjunct Professor. Introduction to the US Legal Systems.

**Jane Massey Licata, PhD, JD (University of Hawaii, Rutgers-Camden School of Law)**, Adjunct Professor. Health Care and Pharmaceutical Compliance
**Trial Advocacy and Dispute Resolution**

**Major:** Trial Advocacy and Dispute Resolution  
**Degree Awarded:** Master of Laws (LLM)  
**Calendar Type:** Semester  
**Total Credit Hours:** 24.0  
**Classification of Instructional Programs (CIP) code:** 22.0101  
**Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) code:** 23-1022

**About the Program**

The LLM in Trial Advocacy and Dispute Resolution will train students to become more effective client advocates in a variety of dispute-related settings. These include client interviewing and counseling, pre-trial advocacy, jury selection, and appellate advocacy. The program is designed to both re-train attorneys whose work has not previously demanded, or taught, such skills, as well as to improve the advocacy skills of attorneys who already work in this area.

The LLM may be taken either part-time or full-time. Students may maintain part-time status by enrolling in a minimum of 5.0 credits per semester. To maintain full-time status, students must enroll in a minimum of 9.0 credits per academic semester. The program is designed to be completed in either one or two years.

Additional information about the Thomas R. Kline School of Law (http://drexel.edu/law/) is available on the school’s website.

**Admission Requirements**

The LLM program is open to applicants who have received a JD, an LLB, or a comparable law degree. International applicants must meet the same requirements for admission as students from the United States. Applicants whose native language is not English must demonstrate the ability to speak, write, and understand the English language by submitting an acceptable score on the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or similar examination. In addition to test scores, telephone or Skype interviews may also be used for foreign applicants.

Applications will be accepted on a rolling basis, but new students will typically begin in the Fall semester.

**Degree Requirements**

The LLM is a 24-credit program, with 17.0 credits made up of required courses:

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**Total Credits** 24.0

* Students may select the version of Advanced Trial Advocacy they did not select in fulfillment of the core requirement.

The LLM degree will be conferred only after the student completes 24.0 credits. A student must maintain a GPA of 2.20 each semester and at program completion.

**Sample Plan of Study**

Students may complete the LLM in one or two years, depending on whether the student chooses to pursue the degree on a full-time or part-time basis. A potential plan of study for a full-time student would be as follows:

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**Total Credits** 24

**School of Law Faculty**

Tabatha Abu El-Haj, PhD, LLM, JD (New York University; Georgetown University Law Center; New York University School of Law), Professor. Constitutional law (specifically, First Amendment and election law), popular constitutionalism, administrative law, and the sociology of law.

Bret D. Asbury, JD (Yale Law School) Associate Dean for Academic Affairs. Professor. Civil procedure; law and literature.

Amelia Boss, JD (Rutgers-Camden School of Law). Trustee Professor. Commercial law, including electronic payment systems, bankruptcy and contracts.

Susan Brooks, JD (New York University) Associate Dean for Experiential Learning. Professor. Clinical and co-op education; family law; children's rights; legal ethics.

Chapin Cimino, JD (University of Chicago Law School). Professor. Contract law; constitutional law; law and humanities; higher education law.

David S. Cohen, JD (Columbia University School of Law). Professor. Constitutional law; civil rights; sex discrimination.

Clare Keefe Coleman, JD (Villanova University School of Law) Director of International Student Programs. Associate Professor. Writing specialist.

Rose Corrigan, PhD (Rutgers University) Director of the Center for Law, Policy, and Social Action. Associate Professor. Women, public law, American politics and policy.

David DeMatteo, PhD, JD (MCP Hahnemann University; Villanova University School of Law) Director of the JD-PhD Program in Law and Psychology. Professor. Psychopathy, forensic mental health assessment, drug policy; offender diversion.

Roger J. Dennis, JD (Northwestern University School of Law) Founding Dean Emeritus. Professor Emeritus. Corporate law; business organizations; civil procedure; law and economics.

Tracye Edwards, JD (Duke University). Assistant Professor. Human Resources Compliance.

Nicole El, JD (New England School of Law). Supervising Attorney, Criminal Litigation Field Clinic. Criminal litigation.

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Daniel M. Filler, JD (New York University School of Law) Dean. Professor. Criminal law and procedure; sentencing and death penalty; law and society; law and humanities.

Richard H. Frankel, LLM, JD (Georgetown University Law Center; Yale Law School) Director of the Federal Litigation and Appeals Clinic. Associate Professor. Appellate litigation, access to justice in areas including consumer, administrative, and immigration law.

Barry Furrow, JD (Harvard Law School) Director of the Health Law Program. Professor. Health law; torts.

Eamon Gallagher, JD (Drexel University Kline School of Law) Director of the Entrepreneurial Law Clinic. Corporate transactional law; entrepreneurship and law

Alex Geisinger, LLM, JD (Harvard Law School; University of Connecticut School of Law) Associate Dean for Faculty Development and Research. Professor. Environmental law; torts; commercial law; behavioral law and economics.
Entrepreneurship; business organizations; corporate law; venture finance; securities law.

Reena E. Parambath, JD (Temple University School of Law) Director of the Co-op Program. Associate Professor.

Pammela Quinn, JD (Duke University School of Law). Associate Professor. International law and enforcement of legal norms at the international and domestic levels.

Rebecca Rich, JD (University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign; Boston College Law School) Director of the Legal Research Center. Assistant Teaching Professor. Disability law; law and technology; administrative law; bioethics.

Jared Rosenblatt, JD (Hofstra University School of Law) Associate Director of Trial Advocacy Program. Associate Professor. Criminal law, trial advocacy, evidence, professional responsibility, sports law

Terry Jean Seligmann, JD (New York University School of Law) Arlin M. Adams Professor of Legal Writing Emerita. Professor Emerita. Legal methods; education and special education law.

Arly Smith-Pearson, JD (Tulane University School of Law) Supervising Attorney. Civil Litigation Field Clinic. Civil litigation.

Norman P Stein, JD (Duke University School of Law). Professor. Pension law; employee benefits; tax law.

Gwen Roseman Stern, JD (Temple University School of Law) Director of Trial Advocacy Program. Professor. Medical malpractice and product-liability law, trial advocacy and community awareness of legal procedures.

Donald F. Tibbs, PhD, LLM, JD (Arizona State University; University of Wisconsin Law School; University of Pittsburgh School of Law). Associate Professor. The overlapping issues of law, civil rights, criminal procedure, race and punishment and professional responsibility.

Lisa Tucker, JD (Harvard Law School). Associate Professor. Legal methods; United States Supreme Court practice, family law.

Emily B. Zimmerman, JD (Yale Law School) Director of the Criminal Law Program. Professor. Legal methods; criminal law and procedure.

Emeritus Faculty

Donald Bersoff, JD, PhD (Yale University, New York University). Professor Emeritus. Law and psychology; mental health law.

Graduate Minor in Law

About the Graduate Minor

A graduate minor in Law allows students from other academic units to benefit from education around legal regulation of healthcare, pharma/med device development, the practice of medicine, and other legal areas of interest.

Admission Requirements

3.0 cumulative GPA

Program Requirements

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Total Credits 9.0

* Depending upon a student’s particular graduate program, other relevant Kline courses may be made available, as appropriate, toward completion of the Graduate Minor.

Certificate in Criminal Law

Certificate Level: Graduate

Admission Requirements: Bachelor’s degree

Certificate Type: Post-Baccalaureate

Number of Credits to Completion: 15.0

Instructional Delivery: Online

Calendar Type: Semester

Expected Time to Completion: 1.5 years

Financial Aid Eligibility: Not aid eligible

Classification of Instructional Program (CIP) Code: 45.0401

Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) Code: 19-3041

About the Program

The certificate in Criminal Law is a post-baccalaureate, non-degree program designed for individuals to develop and improve career-related skills in the diverse fields that relate to criminal law, such as law enforcement, probation and parole, corrections, social work, immigration and customs, and the military. The program includes a core of legal compliance and risk assessment classes and study of central issues in criminal law.

Admission Requirements

- A completed application
- Official transcripts from all universities or colleges and other post-secondary educational institutions (including trade schools attended)
- Resume
- Additional requirements for international students

This program is designed to be completed on a part-time basis and requires 15.0 semester credits. Students usually finish this program in 1.5 years. If a student needs to decelerate, they should not exceed 2.5 years. Students may apply for transfer in to the Master of Legal Studies program prior to completing their certificate, and apply all earned credits toward the Master of Legal Studies (p. 9).

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Certificate in Cybersecurity and Information Privacy Compliance

Certificate Level: Graduate
Admission Requirements: Bachelor's degree
Certificate Type: Post-Baccalaureate
Number of Credits to Completion: 15.0
Instructional Delivery: Online
Calendar Type: Semester
Expected Time to Completion: 1.5 years
Financial Aid Eligibility: Not aid eligible
Classification of Instructional Program (CIP) Code: 11.1003
Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) Code: 15-1122

About the Program
The certificate in Cybersecurity and Information Privacy Compliance is a post-baccalaureate, non-degree program designed for individuals to develop and improve career-related skills in the highly regulated and ubiquitous area of cybersecurity and information privacy regulation. The program includes a core of legal compliance and risk assessment classes and in-depth study of crucial issues in cybersecurity and information privacy regulation. Ideal candidates include individuals working in any field that handles private information, be it health, financial, or educational, among others. As our world becomes increasingly technological and interconnected, this program will provide focused legal knowledge regarding cybersecurity and information privacy compliance for students working in a broad and diverse array of industries.

Admission Requirements
- A completed application
- Official transcripts from all universities or colleges and other post-secondary educational institutions (including trade schools attended)
- Resume
- Additional requirements for international students

This program is designed to be completed on a part-time basis and requires 15.0 semester credits. Students usually finish this program in 1.5 years. If a student needs to decelerate, they should not exceed 2.5 years. Students may apply for transfer in to the Master of Legal Studies program prior to completing their certificate, and apply all earned credits toward the Master of Legal Studies (p. 9).

Certificate in Financial Regulatory Compliance

Certificate Level: Graduate
Admission Requirements: Bachelor's degree
Certificate Type: Post-Baccalaureate
Number of Credits to Completion: 18.0
Instructional Delivery: Online
Calendar Type: Semester
Expected Time to Completion: 1.5 years
Financial Aid Eligibility: Not aid eligible
Classification of Instructional Program (CIP) Code: 22.0205
Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) Code: 33-1011

About the Program
The certificate in Financial Regulation Compliance is a post-baccalaureate, non-degree program designed for individuals to develop and improve career-related skills in the focused area of financial services compliance. The program includes a core of legal compliance and risk assessment classes and in-depth study of crucial issues in financial services regulation. Ideal candidates include individuals working in the financial services industry in mutual funds, brokerage firms, banks, and other financial institutions who would benefit from focused legal knowledge regarding financial regulations compliance, as well as individuals seeking career changes into these fields.

Admission Requirements
- A completed application
- Official transcripts from all universities or colleges and other post-secondary educational institutions (including trade schools attended)
- Resume
- Additional requirements for international students

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Sample Plan of Study

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Certificate in Health Care Compliance

Certificate Level: Graduate
Admission Requirements: Bachelor's degree
Certificate Type: Post-Baccalaureate
Number of Credits to Completion: 15.0
Instructional Delivery: Online
Calendar Type: Semester
Expected Time to Completion: 1.5 years
Financial Aid Eligibility: Not aid eligible
Classification of Instructional Program (CIP) Code: 51.0717
Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) Code: 13-1041

About the Program

The certificate in Health Care Compliance is a post-baccalaureate, non-degree program designed for individuals to develop and improve career-related skills in the focused area of health care compliance. The program includes a core of legal compliance and risk assessment classes, and in-depth study of crucial issues in health care regulation. Ideal candidates include individuals working in the health care field who would benefit from focused legal knowledge regarding compliance, as well as individuals seeking career changes.

Admission Requirements

- A completed application
- Official transcripts from all universities or colleges and other post-secondary educational institutions (including trade schools attended)
- Resume
- Additional requirements for international students

This program is designed to be completed on a part-time basis and requires 15.0 semester credits. Students usually finish this program in 1.5 years. If a student needs to decelerate, they should not exceed 2.5 years.

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Total Credits 15

Higher Education Compliance

Certificate Level: Graduate
Admission Requirements: Bachelor's degree
Certificate Type: Post-Baccalaureate
Number of Credits to Completion: 15.0
Instructional Delivery: Online
Calendar Type: Semester
Expected Time to Completion: 1.5 years
Financial Aid Eligibility: Not aid eligible
Classification of Instructional Program (CIP) Code: 13.0403
Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) Code: 11-9039

About the Program

The goal of the certificate in Higher Education Compliance is to train professionals to understand and respond to legal issues within this specialized and highly regulated environment. While a historical approach is valuable in understanding the context of the legal issues, this program offers a compliance focus that will allow students a chance to look at issues in higher education through the lens of the law.

Admission Requirements

- A completed application
- Official transcripts from all universities or colleges and other post-secondary educational institutions (including trade schools attended)
- Resume
- Additional requirements for international students

This program is designed to be completed on a part-time basis and requires 15.0 semester credits. Students usually finish this program in 1.5 years. If a student needs to decelerate, they should not exceed 2.5 years.
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**Certificate in Human Resources Compliance**

**Certificate Level:** Graduate  
**Admission Requirements:** Bachelor's degree  
**Certificate Type:** Post-Baccalaureate  
**Number of Credits to Completion:** 15.0  
**Instructional Delivery:** Online  
**Calendar Type:** Semester  
**Expected Time to Completion:** 1.5 years  
**Financial Aid Eligibility:** Not aid eligible  
**Classification of Instructional Program (CIP) Code:** 52.1099  
**Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) Code:** 13-1071

**About the Program**

The certificate in Human Resources Compliance is a post-baccalaureate, non-degree program designed for individuals to develop and improve career-related skills in the focused area of human resources compliance. The certificate program includes a core of legal compliance and risk assessment classes, and in-depth study of crucial issues in human resources rules and regulation. Ideal candidates include individuals working in human resources and related fields who would benefit from focused legal knowledge regarding compliance, as well as individuals seeking career changes.

**Admission Requirements**

- A completed application  
- Official transcripts from all universities or colleges and other post-secondary educational institutions (including trade schools attended)  
- Resume  
- Additional requirements for international students

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**Certificate in NCAA Compliance**

**Certificate Level:** Graduate  
**Admissions Requirements:** Bachelor's degree  
**Certificate Type:** Post-Baccalaureate  
**Number of Credits to Completion:** 15.0  
**Instructional Delivery:** Online  
**Calendar Type:** Semester  
**Expected Time to Completion:** 1.5 years  
**Financial Aid Eligibility:** Not aid eligible  
**Classification of Instructional Program (CIP) Code:** 31.0504  
**Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) Code:** 25-1193

**About the Program**

The certificate in NCAA Compliance is a post-baccalaureate, non-degree program designed for individuals to develop and improve career-related skills in the focused area of compliance with NCAA—National Collegiate Athletic Association—rules and regulations. The certificate program includes a core of legal compliance and risk assessment classes, and in-depth study of crucial issues in NCAA regulatory compliance. Ideal candidates include individuals working in collegiate sports programs who would benefit from focused legal knowledge regarding compliance, as well as individuals seeking career changes.

**Admission Requirements**

- A completed application  
- Official transcripts from all universities or colleges and other post-secondary educational institutions (including trade schools attended)  
- Resume  
- Additional requirements for international students

The program is designed to be completed on a part-time basis and requires 15.0 semester credits. Students usually finish this program in 1.5 years. If a student needs to decelerate, they should not exceed 2.5 years.
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Program Requirements

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LSTU 507S Risk Assessment and Management 3.0
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LSTU 512S NCAA Rules II and Enforcement Process 3.0

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Certificate in Pharmaceutical and Medical Device Regulatory Compliance

Certificate Level: Graduate
Admission Requirements: Bachelor’s degree
Certificate Type: Post-Baccalaureate
Number of Credits to Completion: 15.0
Instructional Delivery: Online
Calendar Type: Semester
Expected Time to Completion: 1.5 year
Financial Aid Eligibility: Aid eligible as of Fall 2020 term
Classification of Instructional Program (CIP) Code: 44.0503
Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) Code: 11-9111

About the Program

The certificate in Pharmaceutical and Medical Device Regulatory Compliance is a post-baccalaureate, non-degree program designed for individuals to develop and improve career-related skills in the highly regulated field of pharmaceutical and medical device manufacturing, marketing, and sales. The program combines a core of legal compliance, risk assessment, and data privacy classes with in-depth study of the industry regulators, including the Food and Drug Administration, and their approach to regulation around research, development, sales, and marketing of pharmaceuticals, biologics, and medical devices. Ideal candidates include individuals working in and around pharmaceutical, biologic, or medical device research, manufacturing, and sales, among others.

Admission Requirements

• A completed application
• Official transcripts from all universities or colleges and other post-secondary educational institutions (including trade schools attended)
• Resume
• Additional requirements for international students

This program is designed to be completed on a part-time basis and requires 15.0 semester credits. Students usually finish this program in 1.5 years. If a student needs to decelerate, they should not exceed 2.5 years. Students may apply for transfer in to the Master of Legal Studies program prior to completing their certificate, and apply all earned credits toward the Master of Legal Studies (p. 9).

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