

Pre-Law

Minor

Students interested in pursuing admission to law school are encouraged to supplement the major of their choice with the College's Pre-Law minor.

This interdisciplinary course of study is designed to cultivate the skills that are essential in any legal career: the ability to analyze complex and complicated materials, to think logically and clearly, and to write and speak with precision. The Pre-Law minor also helps students develop the research skills that are required by law schools.

The Pre-Law minor consists of three core courses and two electives selected from a list of five courses. Students are also encouraged to complete an internship in a legal setting in order to explore various areas of the law, gain experience completing legal tasks, and strengthen their law school applications.

Core Courses

| Item # | Title | Credits |
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| PO 101 | U.S. Federal Government | 4.0 |
| PH 115 | Introduction to Logic and Critical Thinking | 4.0 |
| PO 379 | Constitutional Law | 4.0 |

Electives

Two courses from the following:

| Item # | Title | Credits |
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| CJ 310 | Criminal Law and Procedure | 4.0 |
| CO 311 | Argumentation & Debate | 4.0 |
| CO 314 | Freedom of Expression | 4.0 |
| EN 208 | Persuasive Writing | 4.0 |
| MG 357 | Business Law | 4.0 |
| Total Credits | | 20 |