

Program Change Request

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Changes proposed by: mherrin

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Program Status Active

Academic Level Law

Type of proposal Major/Field of Study

Select a reason for this modification

Making Minor Changes to an Existing Degree (e.g. changing 15 or fewer hours, changing admission/graduation requirements, adding Focused Study)

Are you adding a concentration? No

Are you adding a track? No

Are you adding a focused study? No

Effective Catalog Year Fall 2018

College/School Code School of Law(LAWW)

Department Code Department of Law(LAWD)

Program Code LAWWJD

Degree Juris Doctor

CIP Code 22.0101 - Law.

Program Title Law, Juris Doctor

Program Delivery Method On Campus

Is this program interdisciplinary?

No

Does this proposal impact any courses from another College/School?

No

What are the total hours needed to complete the program? **90**

In Workflow

1. LAWV Dean Initial
2. Director of Program Assessment and Review
3. Registrar Initial
4. LAWD Chair
5. LAWV Dean
6. Global Campus
7. Provost Review
8. University Course and Program Committee
9. Faculty Senate
10. Provost Final
11. Provost's Office-- Notification of Approval
12. Registrar Final
13. Catalog Editor Final

Approval Path

1. 10/22/17 11:53 am Will Foster (wfoster): Approved for LAWV Dean Initial
2. 10/28/17 3:22 pm Alice Griffin (agriffin): Approved for Director of Program Assessment and Review
3. 11/02/17 10:27 am Lisa Kulczak (lkulcza): Approved for Registrar Initial
4. 11/02/17 10:38 am Will Foster (wfoster): Approved for LAWD Chair
5. 11/02/17 10:39 am Will Foster (wfoster): Approved for LAWV Dean
6. 11/03/17 9:08 am Kiersten Bible (kbible): Approved for Global Campus
7. 11/06/17 7:50 am Terry Martin (tmartin): Approved for Provost Review
8. 11/20/17 2:53 pm Alice Griffin (agriffin): Approved for University

Program Requirements and Description

Requirements

J.D. Courses

The first year at the School of Law consists of a rigorous course of study that you and all your classmates will follow. Starting at new student orientation and continuing throughout your first year, you will begin to learn, write, and think about the law.

The first-year courses are as follows:

Course and Program Committee

Required First-Year Courses

History

1. Jun 10, 2015 by Charlie Alison (calison)
2. Jul 9, 2015 by Charlie Alison (calison)
3. Aug 20, 2015 by Charlie Alison (calison)
4. Mar 21, 2016 by Mary Herrington (mherrin)
5. May 17, 2016 by Lisa Kulczak (lkulcza)
6. May 18, 2016 by Charlie Alison (calison)
7. Jun 28, 2016 by Charlie Alison (calison)
8. Dec 2, 2016 by Charlie Alison (calison)
9. Dec 2, 2016 by Charlie Alison (calison)
10. May 25, 2017 by Charlie Alison (calison)

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| LAWW 4104 | Civil Procedure (Fa) | 4 |
| LAWW 4024 | Contracts (Irregular) | 4 |
| LAWW 4074 | Criminal Law (Irregular) | 4 |
| LAWW 4013 | Legal Research & Writing I (Fa) | 3 |
| LAWW 4113 | Legal Research & Writing II (Sp) | 3 |
| LAWW 4054 | Property (Irregular) | 4 |
| LAWW 4144 | Torts (Irregular) | 4 |
| LAWW 5114 | Constitutional Law (Sp) | 4 |

Required Upper-Level Courses

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| LAWW 5013 | Professional Responsibility (Irregular) | 3 |
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In addition, before graduation, each student is required to ~~complete:~~ **take:**

~~Any course for three credit hours which has been certified by the law faculty as a Skills Course, or any combination of certified Skills Courses which total at least three credit hours, and~~ **a** ~~Any~~ course for at least two credit hours that has been certified by the law faculty as an Upper Level Writing **Course;**

~~Course:~~

~~For students first matriculating in or after the 2016-17 year,~~ a minimum of six credit hours of experiential learning courses as designated from time to time by the **Dean; and**

~~Dean.~~

~~All students first matriculating in or after the 2013-14 year must also complete~~ a non-credit training session based on the Arkansas Mandatory Child Maltreatment Reporter law.

Electives

Most of the curriculum in the second and third year is composed of electives. This elective system allows students to choose courses that interest them and that will be useful in the types of careers they choose. Students are required to consult **a faculty** ~~an~~ adviser before registering for upper-level courses.

Brief descriptions of the courses generally offered at the School of Law are set out below. Credit hours occasionally vary when a course is offered during the summer session.

The curriculum at any good law school is always in the process of being studied and revised. Experimentation in the educational program is necessary to meet the needs of the future. The following pages describe recently offered elective courses at the University of Arkansas School of Law. For the most accurate list of course offerings, please visit law.uark.edu.

Elective Courses

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| LAWW 400V | Entertainment Law (Irregular) | 1-6 |
| LAWW 4173 | Criminal Procedure I (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 4294 | Business Organizations (Irregular) | 4 |
| LAWW 4442 | Law & Accounting (Irregular) | 2 |
| LAWW 500V | Special Topics (Irregular) | 1-18 |
| LAWW 5013 | Professional Responsibility (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 502V | Remedies (Irregular) | 3-4 |
| LAWW 5073 | Domestic Relations (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 5083 | First Amendment (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 510V | Law: Study Abroad (Irregular) | 1-6 |
| LAWW 5133 | Real Estate Transactions (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 5163 | Administrative Law (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 520V | Employment Discrimination (Irregular) | 2-3 |
| LAWW 5213 | Business Lawyering Skills (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 5313 | Payment Systems (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 550V | Wills, Trusts, and Estates (Irregular) | 1-4 |
| LAWW 5513 | Labor Law (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 599V | Debtor-Creditor Relations (Irregular) | 3-4 |
| LAWW 602V | Independent Legal Research (Sp, Su, Fa) | 1-3 |
| LAWW 603V | Federal Courts (Irregular) | 1-3 |
| LAWW 6093 | Basic Evidence (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 611V | Interschool Competition Team (Sp, Fa) | 1-2 |
| LAWW 6133 | Antitrust Law (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 6143 | Oil and Gas (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 614V | Board of Advocates Credit (Sp, Su, Fa) | 1-4 |
| LAWW 615V | Elder Law (Irregular) | 1-2 |
| LAWW 616V | Law Review Credit (Sp, Su, Fa) | 1-4 |
| LAWW 618V | Journal of Food Law & Policy Credit (Sp) | 1-5 |
| LAWW 6192 | Workers' Compensation (Irregular) | 2 |
| LAWW 6193 | Workplace Legislation (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 6203 | Trial Advocacy (Sp, Fa) | 3 |
| LAWW 6213 | Product Liability (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 6223 | Oil & Gas Regulation and Agreements (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 6233 | Federal Income Tax of Individuals (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 6243 | Federal Estate and Gift Taxation (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 6253 | Federal Income Taxation of Business Entities (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 6262 | Estate Planning (Irregular) | 2 |
| LAWW 633V | Intellectual Property (Irregular) | 2-3 |
| LAWW 6343 | Conflict Resolution (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 6364 | Legal Clinic: Immigration (Irregular) | 4 |
| LAWW 6374 | Legal Clinic: Federal Practice (Sp, Fa) | 4 |
| LAWW 6393 | Legal Clinic: Transactional (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 6403 | Land Use (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 6453 | American Legal History (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 648V | Special Topics (Skills) (Sp, Su, Fa) | 1-3 |
| LAWW 6513 | Immigration Law and Policy (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 6523 | Employment Law (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 654V | Public Interest Externship (Sp, Su, Fa) | 1-3 |
| LAWW 6613 | Bankruptcy (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 6633 | Criminal Procedure II (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 671V | Judicial Externship (Sp, Su, Fa) | 1-3 |
| LAWW 681V | Legislative Externship (Irregular) | 2-3 |
| LAWW 6814 | Corporate Counsel Externship (Irregular) | 4 |
| LAWW 6822 | Patent Law (Irregular) | 2 |
| LAWW 6913 | Environmental Law (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 6924 | Legal Clinic: Civil Litigation and Advocacy Clinic (Sp, Fa) | 4 |
| LAWW 6943 | Public International Law (Irregular) | 3 |

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| LAWW 697V | Legal Clinic: Advanced Federal Practice (Sp, Fa) | 2-3 |
| LAWW 7012 | Juvenile Justice Seminar (Irregular) | 2 |
| LAWW 706V | Sports Law (Irregular) | 2-3 |
| LAWW 7073 | Mediation in Practice (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 7243 | Health Law (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 760V | Bankruptcy - Business Reorganizations (Irregular) | 2-3 |
| LAWW 7612 | Advanced Consumer Bankruptcy (Irregular) | 2 |
| LAWW 7662 | American Indian Law (Irregular) | 2 |
| LAWW 770V | Advanced Writing in Agricultural and Food Law (Sp) | 1-4 |
| LAWW 771V | Independent Research in Agricultural and Food Law (Sp, Su, Fa) | 1-2 |
| LAWW 796V | Agriculture and the Environment (Fa) | 1-3 |
| LAWW 7773 | Water Law (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 778V | Agricultural Labor Law (Sp) | 1-2 |
| LAWW 786V | Food Law and Policy (Irregular) | 1-3 |
| LAWW 406V | Upper Level Writing (Sp, Su, Fa) | 1-3 |
| LAWW 445V | Mastering Legal Analysis (Irregular) | 1-2 |
| LAWW 4233 | Upper Level Writing: Crime and the Supreme Court (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 4182 | Upper Level Writing - Business Drafting (Irregular) | 2 |
| LAWW 5041 | Oil and Gas Title Examination (Fa) | 1 |
| LAWW 5053 | Energy Law (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 5122 | ABOTA Trial Practice Lecture Series (Sp) | 2 |
| LAWW 5191 | Deposition Practice (Irregular) | 1 |
| LAWW 5252 | International Commercial Arbitration (Irregular) | 2 |
| LAWW 527V | Law and Economics (Irregular) | 2-3 |
| LAWW 5293 | Cyber Crime (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 5673 | Nonprofit Corporations (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 5303 | International and Domestic Sales and Leasing (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 5351 | Arkansas Constitutional Law (Irregular) | 1 |
| LAWW 5363 | Securities Regulation (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 5382 | Employment Discrimination (Irregular) | 2 |
| LAWW 5391 | Effective Corporate Compliance Program (Irregular) | 1 |
| LAWW 5451 | Environmental Torts (Irregular) | 1 |
| LAWW 547V | State and Local Government (Irregular) | 2-3 |
| LAWW 5523 | General Practice Capstone I (Fa) | 3 |
| LAWW 5533 | General Practice Capstone II (Sp) | 3 |
| LAWW 5600 | Law Research Assistant (Sp, Su, Fa) | 0 |
| LAWW 5613 | Capital Punishment (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 4132 | Upper Level Writing: Gender-Based Violence & Human Rights Policies & Procedures (Irregular) | 2 |
| LAWW 4212 | Upper Level Writing: Police Discretion (Irregular) | 2 |
| LAWW 6292 | Advanced Corporations (Irregular) | 2 |
| LAWW 631V | Interschool Competition Team (Sp, Fa) | 1-2 |
| LAWW 6323 | Poverty Law: Theory and Practice (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 660V | Government Externship (Sp, Fa) | 1-3 |
| LAWW 673V | Criminal Defense Externship (Irregular) | 1-3 |
| LAWW 683V | Criminal Prosecution Externship (Irregular) | 1-3 |
| LAWW 686V | Corporate Counsel Externships (Irregular) | 1-4 |
| LAWW 714V | The Right to Food (Irregular) | 1-3 |
| LAWW 676V | Capstone Externship (Irregular) | 1-12 |
| LAWW 794V | Business, Human Rights, & Corporate Social Responsibility (Irregular) | 1-3 |
| LAWW 7031 | Regulation of Livestock Marketing and Sales (Sp) | 1 |
| LAWW 6413 | Legal Clinic: Advanced Criminal Practice (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 5643 | International Criminal Law (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 5692 | Rule of Law Colloquium (Irregular) | 2 |
| LAWW 5701 | Baseball and the Law (Irregular) | 1 |
| LAWW 5771 | Mergers and Acquisitions Drafting Lab (Irregular) | 1 |
| LAWW 5881 | Arkansas Landlord Tenant Law (Irregular) | 1 |
| LAWW 6063 | Advanced Evidence (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 607V | Conflict of Laws (Irregular) | 2-3 |
| LAWW 6173 | Introduction to Intellectual Property Law (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 635V | Arkansas Law Notes Credit (Irregular) | 1-4 |
| LAWW 6424 | Legal Clinic: Criminal Practice Clinic (Irregular) | 4 |
| LAWW 646V | Student Coordinating Attorney (Sp, Fa) | 1-3 |
| LAWW 6562 | Legal Clinic: Advanced Immigration (Sp, Fa) | 2 |

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| LAWW 6702 | Copyright Law (Sp, Su, Fa) | 2 |
| LAWW 6843 | Legal Clinic: Advanced Civil Litigation and Advocacy Clinic (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 6873 | Legal Clinic: Advanced Transactional Clinic (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 5622 | Essential Legal Research (Sp, Fa) | 2 |
| LAWW 5662 | Mergers and Acquisitions (Irregular) | 2 |
| LAWW 6553 | Arbitration Skills (Irregular) | 3 |
| LAWW 7042 | Federal Regulation of Food Labeling (Fa) | 2 |
| LAWW 5031 | Basic Title Examination (Fa) | 1 |
| LAWW 741V | Food, Farming and Sustainability (Fa) | 1-3 |
| LAWW 744V | Selected Issues in International Food and Agriculture (Sp) | 1-3 |
| LAWW 7872 | Federal Regulation of Food Safety (Fa) | 2 |

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| Estimated Student Demand for Program | No | Are Similar Programs available in the area? |
| Scheduled Program Review Date | 2020-2021 NA | |
| Program Goals and Objectives | <p style="text-align: center;">Program Goals and Objectives</p> <p>NA</p> | |
| Learning Outcomes | <p style="text-align: center;">Learning Outcomes</p> <p>NA</p> | |

Description and justification of the request

| Description of specific change | Justification for this change |
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| Update course list to reflect recently offered electives. Slight modification of language describing elective course selection. Update graduation requirements (i.e., change from 3 credits of "certified skills" to 6 credits of "experiential learning") | Necessary to reflect current offerings and program requirements. |

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Reviewer Comments **Alice Griffin (agriffin) (10/28/17 3:21 pm)**: Entered scheduled program review date.

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