**Legal Studies Minor**

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**An Interdisciplinary Minor**

**Our Mission**

The study of law and justice is built on a long and diverse heritage, deeply rooted in the study of the humanities and social sciences. Law is central to all we do in life, and in many ways it defines who we are as a people. In keeping with the Jesuit tradition, the goal of this program is to encourage sustained reflection on fundamental values.

**This program aims to:**

1) Provide students with a broad knowledge of various judicial systems, laws, legal processes and procedures for a fundamental understanding of justice and the law.

2) Provide students with the written, oral, and research skills to communicate effectively in the legal environment and the critical legal reasoning skills to analyze laws and legal opinions.

3) Provide students with an understanding of contemporary issues from an ethical, legal perspective.

4) Provide students with a background in ethics, humanities, and jurisprudence in order to make students effective advocates of social justice.

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**To Minor in Legal Studies, students are required to take:**

* seven courses
* spread across at least three departments
* and at least two colleges
* with no more than two courses from the same department

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**Pool of Courses**

- CLHU U238 Justice in Greek Literature
- CMMN A355 Covering the Courts
- CMMN A401 Law of Mass Communication
- CMMN A451 Media and American Courts
- CRJU C105 Introduction to Criminal Justice Systems
- CRJU C110 Criminology: Fundamentals
- CRJU C220 Recent Supreme Court Decisions
- CRJU C313 Criminal Evidence
- CRJU C345 Seminar: Constitutional Law
- CRJU C380 Ethics and Politics of Criminal Justice
- ECON B330 Law and Economics
- ENGL V234 Literature and Justice
- HIST A230 U.S. Legal History I
- HIST A231 U.S. Legal History II
- HIST A232 Am. Trials
- HIST A305 Medieval Crime and Community
- HIST A360 Punishment and Power in Modern Japan
- HIST A394 The Origins of Law
- LGST B201 Bus. Law I
- LGST B205 Legal Environment of Business
- LGST B310 Law for International Business
- MUIN M205 Legal Issues in the Music Industry
- MUIN M420 Legal Issues II
- PHIL A225 Philosophy of Law
- PHIL V234 Medical Ethics
- PHIL V235 Philosophy of Right
- POLS A212 The Legislative Process
- POLS A218 Courts/Judges/Politics
- POLS A219 Constitutional Law I
- POLS A300 Constitutional Law II
- POLS A340 Law among Nations
- POLS X252 The Bill of Rights
- PSYC A294 Psychology and the Law
- RELS A400 Theology of Vatican II
- RELS U396 Law: Ancient World
- RELS V344 Social Policy and the Christian
- SOCI A215 Criminal Behavior
- SOCI A216 Law and Social Control
- SOCI A333 Correctional Institutions
- SOCI X252 Violence and Society
- SOCI X416 Gender, Law, and Social Control