

RECOMMENDED COURSES FOR PRELAW STUDENTS FIRST SEMESTER 2015-16

PRELAW MINOR CORE

PHL 302 – Symbolic Logic
POL 301 – American Judicial Process

ESSENTIAL SKILLS COURSES

Writing Skills

ENG 316 – Elements of Style
ENG 370 – Report & Proposal Writing (JRs & SRs)
ENG 371 – Technical Writing
ENG 372 – Business Communication

Quantitative Analysis Skills Courses

ACC 200 – Intro to Accounting (Non-Business majors)
ACC 207 – Intro-Financial Accounting
ACC 208 – Intro-Managerial Accounting
CMM 412 – Statistical Methods of Communication
DSC 210 – Statistics for Business I
DSC 211 – Statistics for Business II
ECO 203 – Principles of Microeconomics
MTH 148 – Introductory Calculus I
MTH 207 – Introduction to Statistics
PSY 216 – Elementary Statistics

Written Research Skills

CJS 447 – Senior Project-CJS
ENG 490 01 – Trauma, Lit & Mid East - 1974
ENG 490 02 – Tom Stoppard
HST 301 – Research Methods Seminar
INS 499 -- INS Senior Capstone
PHL 492 – Directed Research
POL 207 – Political Analysis

Legal Vocabulary and Concepts

CJS – 305 Criminal Law
MGT 201 – Legal Environment of Business
PHL 314 – Philosophy of Law

Experiential Learning

CJS 495 – Criminal Justice Internship
POL 495 – Government Internship
PLW 301 & 302 – Mock Trial
PLW 495 – Legal Internship

COURSES POSSIBLY OF INTEREST

(Check carefully for pre-requisites; consult course descriptions)

ANT 306 – Culture and Power
CJS 322 – Policing & Society
CJS 336 – Comparative Criminal Law
CJS 399 03 – Criminal Evidence
CJS 399 05 – Forensics
CJS 399 06 – Law & Sexualities
CMM 313 – Nonverbal Communication
CMM 350 - Propaganda Analysis
CMM 351 – Public Speaking
CMM 354 – Political Campaign Communications
CMM 355 – Rhetoric-Social Movements
CMM 397 P3 - Speech/Debate
CMM 420 – Comm & Conflict Mgt
CMM – 499 - ST: Faith & Free Exprss
CMS 316 - Intercultural Communication
ECO 204 - Principles of Macroeconomics
FIN 301 – Intro to Financial Mgmt
FIN 450 – Internatl Business Finance (for BUS majors)
HST 251/252 - American History
HST 376 - Social and Cultural History of the US

INS 390 M1 - Model UN
PHL 310 C1 – Social Philosophy
PHL 313, 316, 319 - Various ethics courses
PHL 371 - Philosophy & Human Rights
POL 300-03 – Human Trafficking
POL 333 – Politics of Human Rights
POL 426 – Leadership and Communities
PSY 341 - Social Psychology
REL 368, 369 - Various ethics courses
REL 363 - Faith & Justice
REL 366 - The Holocaust
SOC 325 – Deviant Behavior
SOC 328 – Racial & Eth Minorities
SOC 333 – Sociology of Sexualities
SOC 371 – Sociology of Human Rights
SOC 392 01 Law & Sexualities
SOC 426 - Leadership and Communities
SWK 325 – Child Abuse
SWK 331 – Death, Dying and Suicide
THR 310 - Acting I

Foreign Language Study –language competency is an asset for those considering careers in law