# RISING UPPER LEVEL CURRICULUM COUNSELING SESSION FOR SUMMER 2015 STARTERS

Tuesday, October 27, 2015
12:00pm in Courtroom
Associate Dean Hoffmeister
Ms. Shannon Penn, Registrar

## THE BASICS
- 90 Credits required for graduation
- 12-18 Credits per semester

## KEY DATES
- November 11, 8:00 am – Spring online registration begins for students graduating in 2017

## REQUIREMENTS
- Legislation (must be taken in 3rd semester)
- Constitutional Law (must be taken in the 3rd semester if you had ELA this semester)
- Fundamentals of Evidence (offered Fall, Spring, Summer)
- Upper Level Writing Requirement (Appellate Practice & Procedure OR Transactional Drafting) - **Must be fulfilled before taking Capstone in final semester**
- ADR (Choose from ADR for the Litigator, Conflict Management, or Interviewing, Counseling & Negotiation [offered Fall and Spring]) **Please Note: ADR for the Litigator and Conflict Management are duplicative (you can’t take both).**
- Professional Responsibility (offered Fall, Spring, Summer)
- Real Property II
- Criminal Procedure
- Required coursework after the second year: Externship/Clinic and Capstone
- Strongly recommend that you take Bar Passage in your final year

## FILLING OUT THE SCHEDULE: ELECTIVES
- Courses covering subject areas tested on the bar [see handout]
- Prerequisites (*e.g.*, Intellectual Property, Evidence, Business Organization, Income Tax) for courses you may want to take later.
- Courses that interest you. Where do you see yourself going?
- **NEW:** Concentrations with Certification at Dayton Law
  
  [https://www.udayton.edu/law/registrar/concentrations.php](https://www.udayton.edu/law/registrar/concentrations.php)
PLANING AHEAD
Think about how you want to allocate the remaining 59 credits needed for graduation among the remaining semesters. **Please note:** After the Fall 2015 semester, if your cumulative grade point average (CGPA) drops below a 2.5, you are not permitted to take over sixteen (16) credit hours during the spring semester. Also, you must have at least a CGPA of 2.0 at the end of the Fall 2015 semester. If you fall below a 2.0, you will be dismissed.