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COLLEGE OF ARTS, HUMANITIES, AND SOCIAL SCIENCES
DEGREE CURRICULUM SHEET | 2015-2016 CATALOG
Bachelor of Science - Paralegal Studies

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

Area/Course	Credits	Frequency
Written Composition		
<i>6 credits at or above COMP 1500</i>		
Open Written Composition	3	
Open Written Composition	3	
Mathematics		
<i>6 credits at or above MATH 1040</i>		
Open Mathematics	3	
Open Mathematics	3	
Arts and Humanities		
<i>6 credits in HIST, ARTS, PHIL, HUMN, LITR, THEA, FILM, MUSC, DANC, WRIT, foreign language</i>		
Open Arts & Humanities	3	
Open Arts & Humanities	3	
Social and Behavioral Sciences		
<i>6 credits in PSYC, SOCL, ANTH, ECN, COMM, GEOG, GEST, INST, POLS</i>		
Open Social & Behavioral Sciences	3	
Open Social & Behavioral Sciences	3	
Science		
<i>6 credits in BIOL, MBIO, CHEM, SCIE, ENVS, PHYS</i>		
Open Science	3	
Open Science	3	
Total General Education Credits	30	

OPEN ELECTIVES

Complete 12 elective courses	36
Total Open Electives Credits	36

MAJOR

Course	Credits	Frequency
LEGS 1150 Introduction to Law and the Legal Profession	3	FW
LEGS 2100 Legal Research and Writing I	3	F
LEGS 2200 Computer Applications for the Legal Profession	3	W
LEGS 3050 Criminal Law and Procedure	3	W
LEGS 3260 Real Estate Practice I	3	F
LEGS 3300 Torts and Civil Litigation	3	F
LEGS 3360 Wills, Trusts, and Estates I	3	W
LEGS 3400 Business Relations and Organizations	3	W
LEGS 3550 Family Law	3	F
LEGS 4110 Legal Research and Writing II	3	W
LEGS 4270 Real Estate Practice II	3	F
LEGS 4310 Advanced Litigation	3	F
LEGS 4370 Wills, Trusts, and Estates II	3	W
LEGS 4410 Corporate Regulation and Change	3	W
LEGS 4800 Advanced Practicum Paralegal Studies	3	W
Total Major Credits	45	

MAJOR ELECTIVES

Course	Credits	Frequency
<i>Select 9 credits from the following, a maximum of 6 credits of which can be in Special Topics courses and a maximum of 6 credits of which can be in Internship courses:</i>		
LEGS 4050 Advanced Practices in Criminal Law	3	WE
LEGS 4060 Debtor and Creditor Relations	3	FE
LEGS 4470 Emerging Technologies and the Legal Profession	3	FE
LEGS 4560 Elder Law	3	FO
LEGS 4600 Pleadings and the Courts	3	WO
LEGS 4700 Immigration Law	3	WE
LEGS 4900 Special Topics in Paralegal Studies	3	I
LEGS 4950 Internship in Paralegal Studies	3	FW
Total Major Elective Credits	9	

Frequency Key: F-Every Fall; W-Every Winter; FO - Odd Year Fall; FE - Even Year Fall; WO - Odd Year Winter; WE - Even Year Winter

TOTAL CREDITS: 120



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 SAMPLE FOUR YEAR CURRICULUM | 2015-2016 CATALOG
 Bachelor of Science - Paralegal Studies

Freshman Year			
Fall		Winter	
<u>Course</u>	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Course</u>	<u>Credits</u>
Open Written Composition	3	Open Written Composition	3
Open Mathematics	3	Open Mathematics	3
Open Social and Behavioral Sciences	3	Open Arts and Humanities	3
LEGS 1150 Introduction to Law and the Legal Profession	3	LEGS 2200 Computer Applications for the Legal Profession	3
Elective	3	Elective	3
Total Credits	15	Total Credits	15
Sophomore Year			
Fall		Winter	
<u>Course</u>	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Course</u>	<u>Credits</u>
Open Social and Behavioral Sciences	3	Open Science	3
Open Science	3	Open Arts and Humanities	3
LEGS 2100 Legal Research and Writing I	3	LEGS 4110 Legal Research and Writing II	3
Elective	3	Elective	3
Elective	3	Elective	3
Total Credits	15	Total Credits	15
Junior Year			
Fall		Winter	
<u>Course</u>	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Course</u>	<u>Credits</u>
LEGS 3260 Real Estate Practice I	3	LEGS 3050 Criminal Law and Procedure	3
LEGS 3550 Family Law	3	LEGS 3360 Wills, Trusts, and Estates I	3
LEGS 4270 Real Estate Practice II	3	LEGS 4370 Wills, Trusts, and Estates II	3
Elective	3	Major Elective	3
Elective	3	Elective	3
Total Credits	15	Total Credits	15
Senior Year			
Fall		Winter	
<u>Course</u>	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Course</u>	<u>Credits</u>
LEGS 3300 Torts and Civil Litigation	3	LEGS 3400 Business Relations and Organizations	3
LEGS 4310 Advanced Litigation	3	LEGS 4410 Corporate Regulation and Change	3
Major Elective	3	LEGS 4800 Advanced Practicum Paralegal Studies	3
Major Elective	3	Elective	3
Elective	3	Elective	3
Total Credits	15	Total Credits	15
TOTAL CREDITS: 120			