

Nova Southeastern University Shepard Broad College of Law
J.D. Program 2017 Model Curriculum – Part Time Program



First Year

Fall Semester		Credits	Winter Semester		Credits
0662	Legal Research and Writing I	3	0663	Legal Research and Writing II	3
0648	Torts	4	0653	Property	4
0612	Contracts	4	0652	Civil Procedure	4
0523	Legal Study Skills I	0			
			0527	Legal Study Skills II (<i>mandatory if cumulative GPA is below 2.80 for first semester</i>) - <u>Optional for all other students</u>	0

Second Year

Fall Semester		Credits	Winter Semester		Credits
0625	Constitutional Law I	4	0645	Criminal Procedure	3
0670	Criminal Law	4	0635	Family Law <u>or</u>	3
1088	Elements of Legal Analysis I (<i>mandatory if cumulative GPA is below 2.80 in either of the first two semesters</i>)	0	0655	Wills and Trusts	4
0649	Professional Responsibility (<i>taken at any time after first two semesters</i>)	3	1089	Elements of Legal Analysis (<i>mandatory if GPA was below 2.8 in both 1L semesters or after completing the 2L Fall semester, student has a cumulative GPA below 2.80</i>)	0
•	Experiential Learning Credits (Graduation Requirement) Courses include all Workshops, Field Placements/ Clinics Students matriculating Fall 2015 must satisfy 6 credits	6	0649	Professional Responsibility (<i>taken at any time after first two semesters</i>)	3
	Writing Requirement (Graduation Requirement) Students must earn at least a C+ in a designated course, workshop, Supervised Research, seminar class, or Law Review or Law Journal paper		•	Experiential Learning Credits (Graduation Requirement) Courses include all Workshops, Field Placements/Clinics Students matriculating Fall 2015 must satisfy 6 credits	6
•	Additional Bar elective courses (See Below)		•	Writing Requirement (Graduation Requirement) Students must earn at least a C+ in a designated course, workshop, Supervised Research, seminar class, or Law Review or Law Journal paper	
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Third Year

Fall Semester		Credits	Winter Semester		Credits
0516	Business Entities	4	0890	Trial Advocacy (must satisfy Evidence as prerequisite)	3
0629	Constitutional Law II	2			
0614	Evidence	4			
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Fourth Year

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Bar Exam Lab courses must be taken during the final two semesters			Bar Exam Lab courses must be taken during the final two semesters		
1832	Multistate Bar Exam Lab (Graduation Requirement)	1	1832	Multistate Bar Exam Lab (Graduation Requirement)	1
1834	Florida Bar Exam Lab (Graduation Requirement for students taking the Florida Bar Exam)	2	1834	Florida Bar Exam Lab (Graduation Requirement for students taking the Florida Bar Exam)	2
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*******Recommended Bar Courses**

- Family Law (3 Credits)
- Florida Constitutional Law (3 Credits)
- *Juvenile Law (3 Credits)
- Real Estate Transactions (3 Credits)
- Remedies (3 Credits)
- *UCC: Negotiable Instruments Law (3 Credits)
- UCC: Sales (2 Credits)
- *UCC: Secured Transactions (2 Credits)
- Wills and Trusts (4 Credits)

*Newest subjects tested on the bar exam

DIVISION REGISTRATION

Students must register for the following credits:

Fall/Winter Semester

Full-time13 – 18 credits; Part-time ...8 - 12 credits

Summer Term

Full -Time ...maximum 9 Credits; Part-Time maximum 6 Credits

Required Courses	Credits	Required Courses	Credits
Contracts	4	Evidence	4
Criminal Law	4	Con Law II	2
Torts	4	Professional Responsibility	3
LRW I	3	Criminal Procedure	3
Property	4	Experiential Learning	6
Civil Procedure	4	Menu (Wills & Trusts or Family Law) min.	3
Con Law I	4	Writing requirement min.	2
LRW II	3	MBE Lab	1
Business Entities	4	FBE Lab	2
TOTAL		60 Credits	

At least 75 credits must be Classroom Credits;
Maximum of 15 Non-Classroom Credits

Students are not allowed to use the same course to satisfy both the writing requirement and experiential learning requirement.

**TOTAL
90
Credits**