



Law

For nearly 70 years, UW Law School has been a beacon for international students interested in taking courses in American law. Our Law-in-Action approach to teaching and learning has made UW Law School well-known around the world. Law in Action means we don't just teach the basics of legal rules; our students learn why those rules evolved to address social concerns and how those rules operate in the real world.

Program Overview

As a member of the VISP Law thematic track program, you will be able to enroll in courses at a top U.S. law school. UW Law recognizes that what inspires people to take law courses can vary. That is precisely why we allow VISP students to design their studies around the areas of law they want to focus on. The program allows students to select electives in the J.D. curriculum across a variety of topics.

Open to undergraduates pursuing an LL.B. or those who have completed a significant number of law credits. Credits earned in the VISP Law thematic track program may be used to meet requirements for the LL.M. graduate degree program. Admission to the graduate program is a separate process and is not to be considered a guaranteed element of the VISP thematic track program offering.

Student Support

From the time you apply to the end of your stay, the VISP staff is here to assist you. As a VISP participant, you have full access to all of UW–Madison’s academic and student support services, such as libraries, computer labs, clubs and sports facilities. You are also encouraged to attend VISP-sponsored social and cultural events. Upon completion you will receive an official UW–Madison transcript.

The University of Wisconsin Law School will also provide guidance and assistance during your participation, such as additional advising support, orientation, networking events and skills workshops.

Academics

Law School staff will advise students on their course selection and approve enrollment in selected courses. Representative courses include:

- Intro to American Law
- Legal Sources
- Contracts
- Constitutional Law
- Torts
- Criminal Law & Procedure
- Administrative Law
- Business Organizations
- Intro to Intellectual Property
- International Trade Law

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