2023-24 Guide to the 1L Curriculum for J.D. Students

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Autumn 2023
- Legal Analysis and Writing I (LAW I)
- Civil Procedure I
- Criminal Law
- Torts

Spring 2024
- Legal Analysis and Writing II (LAW II)
- Contracts I
- Legislation & Regulation
- Property

1L Legal Practice and Perspectives Program (LP3)

The 1L Legal Practice and Perspectives Program will allow you to complete two credits of work in elective courses. The 2023-2024 LP3 curriculum has not been finalized. For demonstrative purposes, we present the below list of LP3 courses that were available at least once between Autumn 2020 and Spring 2023. Some of these course offerings will not be available in 2023-2024. Moreover, new offerings may be added to the LP3 curriculum in 2023-2024 and beyond.

- Access to Civil Justice
- Big Tech and the New Brandeisians
- Contractual Due Diligence
- Counseling Start-Up Companies
- Criminal Law in Practice
- Cryptotransactions
- Environmental Justice
- Gender, Race and Tort Law
- Interviewing and Counseling
- Introduction to Advertising Law
- Introduction to Trial Advocacy
- Justice, Democracy and Law
- Law and Economics
- Law and Political Economy
- Law Practice Technology
- Lawyers and Democracy’s Defense
- Lawyers as Effective Communicators
- Legal Issues Surrounding the “Me Too” Movement
- Loving vs. Virginia
- Native Americans and the Law
- Opioids and the Law
- Professional Essentials
- Regulating Work in a Gig Economy
- Researching Client Matters
- Serial, Season Three: Criminal Law in Action
- Social Justice and the Law
- Tax Policy, Inequality, and Distributive Justice
- Trump and the Law