

Winter 2021 First-Year Electives

It is a J.D. degree requirement that 1L students take a **Mandatory** First-Year Elective (3 or 4 credits) in their second term. Classes that fulfill this requirement have **footnote #16** attached to them on the [Winter 2021 Class Schedule](#). These classes are:

- 751 Accounting for Lawyers (DeSimpelare) (3 credits)
- 748 Art Law (Schneider) (3 credits)
- 616 Bloodfeuds (Miller) (3 credits) IC
- 723 Corporate Lawyer: Law & Ethics (Khanna) (4 credits) PR, NY
- 710 Employee Benefits & Exec Comp (Stumpff) (3 credits) SR
- 609 Employment Law (Crockett) (3 credits)
- 657 Enterprise Organization (Choi) (4 credits)
- 791 Environmental Crimes (Uhlmann) (3 credits) SR
- 669 Evidence (Primus, E.) (4 credits)
- 673 Family Law (Myers) (3 credits)
- 681 First Amendment (Niehoff) (4 credits)
- 670 Gender Law and Policy (Katz) (4 credits)
- 684 Health Law (Bagley) (3 credits) SR
- 687 Immigration and Nationality (Thronson) (3 credits) SR
- 766 International Arbitration (Mortenson) (3 credits) IC
- 682 International Environmental Law & Policy (Daugirdas) (3 credits) IC
- 717 International IP (Daugirdas & Eisenberg) (4 credits) IC
- 724 International Refugee Law (Fisher) (3 credits) IC
- 569 Legislation and Regulation (Deacon) (4 credits) SR
- 569 Legislation and Regulation (Mendelson) (4 credits) SR
- 508 Modern American Legal History (Novak, W.) (3 credits)
- 782 Philosophy of Law: Sel Topics (Hershovitz) (4 credits)
- 560 Property (Cornell) (4 credits)
- 735 Public Control of Land Use (Schneider) (3 credits)
- 652 Secured Transactions (Bartell) (3 credits) SR
- 747 Taxation of Individual Income (Fox) (4 credits) SR
- 760 Trademarks and Unfair Comp (Eisenberg) (3 credits) SR
- 740 Tribal Law (Fletcher) (3 credits) IC
- 975 Workers' Rights Clinic Research (Kohl & Van Hoven) (1 credit) with concurrent enrollment in 974 Workers' Rights Clinic I (Kohl & Van Hoven) (2 credits) EL

PR = fulfills the Professional Responsibility requirement for graduation

IC = fulfills the Int'l or Comparative Law course distribution requirement for graduation

SR = fulfills the Statutory or Regulatory course distribution requirement for graduation

EL = Experiential Learning course

NY = fulfills the New York Bar's ethics requirement

Note: First-year electives do **not** fulfill the Upper-Level Writing requirement for J.D. 1L students

Classes with **footnote #35** on the [Winter 2021 Class Schedule](#) are **Optional** First-Year Electives (can be taken *in addition* to a Mandatory first-year elective).

READ THE FOOTNOTES on the class schedule for vital information such as pre-requisites or co-requisites, special meeting dates, and degree requirement fulfillment.

Not all elective choices will be available to every student due to the varying 1L section schedules.

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The [MLaw Schedule](#) application (a powerful tool to aid students during the class selection process) allows users to sort Winter 2021 classes by the "First Year Elective" category to view all of the first-year electives (Mandatory and Optional).

Visit the Law School's [Office of Student Records](#) website for [Registration Information](#) (under "Class Registration") and [Class Selection Tools & Resources](#) (under "Class Schedules") to prepare for Winter 2021 [Class Bidding](#).

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