

# Intellectual Property Certificate Application

You must submit this application before the beginning of your final semester, but preferably much earlier (late in your 1L or early in your 2L year) to discuss your plans with a faculty advisor. Please complete the following information, meet with an IP faculty member for course planning, and obtain \_\_\_\_\_ signatures approving your application toward admission into the Certificate program. The faculty advisors for the IP certificate are Prof. Mark Schultz and Emily Michiko Morris. \_\_\_\_\_ consult with either.

\_\_\_\_\_ Student ID #: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Time \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_ Credits Completed Toward JD: \_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative Law GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Undergraduate School and Degree: \_\_\_\_\_

Graduate School and Degree (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

What area(s) of IP law do you wish to study and practice? \_\_\_\_\_

In what locale would you like to ultimately practice law? \_\_\_\_\_

What type of setting would you prefer? \_\_\_\_\_  
(law firm, government, in house, other)

Do you plan to take / have you taken the Patent Bar Exam? \_\_\_\_\_. If yes, when? \_\_\_\_\_

When do you expect to graduate with your JD? (month/year) \_\_\_\_\_

Once complete, please return this page to Law Student Affairs in the administrative suite to obtain the Assistant Dean's signature. Keep the attached worksheet for planning purposes


You need to take 15 credits of IP Courses selected from the courses listed below and earn a 2.3 or higher cumulative GPA in those courses. Courses may not be offered on a regular basis, and you should discuss with your advisor the likely schedule and plan accordingly.

Choose Option A or Option B.

You should learn about as many fields of IP law as you can. Therefore, we require you to take Fundamentals of IP Law (a survey course covering all major forms of IP law) at least 2 of the 4 core IP courses:

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Survey

	Fundamentals of IP Law	3
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	Patent Law & Policy	3
802	Trademark Law	3
803	Copyright Law	3
804	Trade Secrets	3

Note that additional courses taken from Option B qualify as elective credits all of the above courses in any combination or sequence and apply them toward the certificate, so long as you take Fundamentals of IP Law 2 of the 4 core IP courses.

To round out your IP education, choose from among the following electives. You must take at least 1 credit of internal IP \_\_\_\_\_ marked with \* satisfy the internal requirement. As noted above, you may count any additional Core IP Courses you take as electives once you have fulfilled the General IP Education Requirements.

674	Internal Business Transactions	3
675	Entrepreneurship	3
683	SEED Clinic	2 3
694		2
703	Bioethics	3
805	Licensing IP	3
	Internal IP*	3
	Patent Prosecution	3
	Complex IP Litigation	3
	IP Practicum	3
	Internal Patent Law*	
824	Internal Patent Prosecution*	
825	Antitrust Law	3
827	Patent Office Litigation	3
	Trademark Clinic	2
TBD	Cybersecurity Law	3
TBD	Privacy Law	2 3
TBD	Internal Trade Commission Litigation*	3
TBD	Biotech Exclusivity	3

Other courses if approved by IP Faculty Advisor (to be communicated from IP Faculty advisor to Assistant Dean of Student Affairs)

656	Law Review (Note must be on IP topic)	2
	IP Externship: _____	2
	IP Individual Studies & Research (ISR)	2 3
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