



# University of San Francisco School of Law

## Fall 2026 Tentative Upper Division Course Offerings

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CRN	Course #	Sec	Course	Professor	Units	Day	Times	Room	Enroll Limit	Grading	Summative Assessment	Prerequisite or Co-requisite	Writing Reqt. Opt	Certificate	Experiential Units	Notes
<b>CLASSROOM COURSES:</b> <i>Enrollees should be prepared to allot a minimum of 2 hours/week of work outside the classroom for each unit of credit. Example: a 3 unit course entails 3 hrs. of class time + 6 hrs. prep time = 9 hrs per week. Note: some classes may have expanded class sessions to accommodate formative assessment during class time.</i>																
<b>J.D. REQUIRED COURSES for Second Year Students</b>																
LAW 614	01		Constitutional Law I	Niles	3	Day				A-F	Final Exam	-	No	-		Required for 2L's. <b>Students should enroll in the same section in both fall and spring for year-long courses.</b>
LAW 614	02		Constitutional Law I	Tirres	3	Day				A-F	Final Exam	-	No	-		Required for 2L's. <b>Students should enroll in the same section in both fall and spring for year-long courses.</b>
LAW 614	03		Constitutional Law I	Tirres	3	Day				A-F	Final Exam	-	No	-		Required for 2L's. <b>Students should enroll in the same section in both fall and spring for year-long courses.</b>
LAW 608	01		Property I	Ibarra	3	Day				A-F	Final Exam	-	No	-		Required for 2L's. <b>Students should enroll in the same section in both fall and spring for year-long courses.</b>
LAW 608	02		Property I	Wachpress	3	Day				A-F	Final Exam	-	No	-		Required for 2L's. <b>Students should enroll in the same section in both fall and spring for year-long courses.</b>
<b>FLOATING REQUIRED COURSES for J.D. Degree (see notes)</b>																
LAW 098	01		Advanced Legal Analysis	Chu	2	Day				CR/NC	Assignments	-	No	-		<b>Required for 3L's.</b> Must be taken in one of a student's last two semesters.
LAW 616	01		Evidence	Devoy	4	Day				A-F	Final Exam	-	No	-		Floating, required course.
LAW 616	02		Evidence	Moran	4	Day				A-F	Final Exam	-	No	-		Floating, required course.
LAW 616	03		Evidence	Mitchell	4	Eve				A-F	Final Exam	-	No	-		Floating, required course.
LAW 630	01		Legal Drafting	Letheule	2	Day			25	CR/NC	Assignments	-	No	-	Exp	Floating required course. Some class sessions may be less than three hours. Special reg priority. See limited enrollment attendance rule below.
LAW 630	02		Legal Drafting	McCoy	2	Eve			25	CR/NC	Assignments	-	No	-	Exp	Floating required course. Some class sessions may be less than three hours. Special reg priority. See limited enrollment attendance rule below.
LAW 617	01		Professional Responsibility	Kim	3	Day				A-F	Final Exam	-	No	-		Floating required course.
TBD	LAW 619		Upper Level Research & Writing Requirement †	Supervising Instructor	0				-	CR/NC	-	-	N/A	-		Requires submission of Writing Requirement Enrollment form signed by the supervising faculty member by the enrollment deadline of 09/04/26. See ABA note below.
Experiential Units Requirement †					Students must satisfactorily complete at least 6 units in approved upper division courses, clinical programs, or externship programs which provide experiential learning. Qualifying courses noted in Experiential Units column. Also see ABA note below.											
<b>†ABA Regs: Students may not use a single course to satisfy both the Experiential Unit requirement and the Upper Level Research and Writing Requirement</b>																
<b>CA BAR SUBJECTS &amp; FLOATING J.D. REQUIRED COURSES</b>																
<b>See degree requirements under Notes.</b>																
LAW 627	01		Business Associations	Neitz	3	Day				A-F	Final Exam	-	No	Bus (req'd) / AI		<b>CA bar essay subject.</b> Must complete <b>three</b> of the following: Business Associations, Community Property, Criminal Procedure II, Remedies, Torts II, or Wills & Trusts. <b>JD-MBA's</b> must take Business Associations in their 2nd year.
LAW 639	01		Criminal Procedure II	Serra	3	Day				A-F	Final Exam	Yes	No	PIL		<b>Prerequisite:</b> Criminal Procedure. <b>CA bar subject.</b> Must complete <b>three</b> of the following: Business Associations, Community Property, Criminal Procedure II, Remedies, Torts II, or Wills & Trusts.
LAW 628	01		Remedies	Brown, C	3	Day				A-F	Final Exam	-	No	-		<b>CA bar essay subject.</b> Must complete <b>three</b> of the following: Business Associations, Community Property, Criminal Procedure II, Remedies, Torts II, or Wills & Trusts.
LAW 629	01		Wills & Trusts	Schwartz	3	Eve				A-F	Final Exam	-	No	-		<b>CA bar essay subject.</b> Must complete <b>three</b> of the following: Business Associations, Community Property, Criminal Procedure II, Remedies, Torts II, or Wills & Trusts.

Attendance rule for "closed" limited enrollment classes: professor may drop any enrollee or wait-llistee with an unexcused absence during the first three weeks of the semester.

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<b>ELECTIVE COURSES</b>																
LAW 646	01		Animal Law	Liebman	3	Day				Opt	Final Exam	-	No	AL (req) / Env / PIL		
LAW 649	01		Antitrust	Varholik	3	Eve				A-F	Final Exam	-	No	Bus (core) / AI / IP / Priv		
LAW 652	01		Appellate Advocacy	Vu	3	Day				CR/NC	Paper	Yes	All	-	Exp	<b>Corequisite:</b> Membership on the 2026-27 advocacy teams. See ABA note (p.1)
LAW 651	01		Applied AI Practice (Online)	Dharap	2	Eve		Zoom	20	CR/NC	Assignments		No	AI prac / Bus prac / TA		See limited enrollment attendance rule below.
LAW 664	01		Biotechnology Law	Norviel	2	Day			20	CR/NC	Assignments	Yes	No	AI / IP		<b>Corequisite:</b> Business Associations. Prerequisite for Freedom to Operate section of CREATE Law Clinic in spring.
LAW 665	01		Blockchain Technology & the Law	Neitz	2	Day			20	A-F	Paper	-	All	AI		<b>Seminar.</b> See limited attendance rule below.
LAW 848	01		CA Land Use Practice	Babich	2	Day			20	CR/NC	Paper	-	No	Env / PIL		
LAW 724	01		Crimmigration in Immigration Practice	Brown, J	1	Eve			20	CR/NC	Assignments	Yes	No	PIL		<b>Prerequisite:</b> Criminal Law, Immigration Law. Meets every other week. See limited attendance rule below.
LAW 737	01		Employment Law	Phillips	3	Day				A-F	Take-Home	-	No	LE (core) / Bus / Priv / PIL		
LAW 742	01		Environmental Law	Abelkop	3	Day				A-F	Final Exam	-	No	Env (req) / AL / PIL		
LAW 740	01		Entertainment Law Practice (Online)	Rudnicki	3	Day		Zoom	20	CR/NC	Assignments	Yes	No	IP prac		<b>Prerequisite:</b> Copyright Law or IP survey. See limited attendance rule below.
LAW 763	01		Federal Courts Seminar	Bach	3	Day			20	A-F	Paper	Yes	All	AL / Env / PIL		<b>Prerequisite:</b> Constitutional Law I. <b>Seminar.</b> See limited attendance rule below.
LAW 765	01		Federal Income Taxation	Rosenberg	3	Day				Opt	Final Exam	-	No	Tax (req)		
LAW 766	01		Federal Tax Controversy & Litigation w/ Practicum	Ho, C.	1	Day		meets off site		CR/NC	Assignments	Yes	No	Tax / Tax prac		<b>Corequisite:</b> co-enrollment in 1-2 unit tax externship (see Externships under Special Programs). Placement in class to be determined by professor after application and interview. Class meets every other week.
LAW 716	01		Financial Services Seminar (Online)	Filler	2	Day		Zoom	20	A-F	Paper	-	1-3	AI / Bus		<b>Seminar.</b> See limited attendance rule below.
LAW 790	01		Immigration Law	Hing	3	Day				A-F	Final Exam	-	No	ICL / PIL		
LAW 792	01		Information Privacy	Freiwald	3	Day				Opt	Final Exam	-	No	Priv (req) / AI / IP / PIL		
LAW 797	01		Intellectual Property Survey	Onda	3	Eve				A-F	Final Exam	-	No	IP (core) / AI / Bus		Prerequisite for CREATE IP Law Clinic
LAW 815	01		International Human Rights Law	Harris	3	Day				A-F	Final Exam	-	No	ICL (core) / AL / PIL		Prerequisite International Human Rights Clinic in spring.
LAW 830	01		Interrogation & Confessions	Leo	3	Day			20	A-F	Paper	Yes	All	PIL		<b>Seminar. Prerequisite:</b> Criminal Law, Criminal Procedure. See limited attendance rule below.
LAW 845	01		Labor Law	Carroll	3	Day				Opt	Final Exam	-	1-3	LE (core) / Bus / PIL		
LAW 861	01		Lefkowitz Team Advocacy Workshops	Killian, Yee	1	see notes				CR/NC	Assignments	Yes	No			<b>Corequisite:</b> Membership on the Spring 2027 Saul Lefkowitz Moot Court Competition team. Meets on two Saturdays, TBD
LAW 922	01		Legal Issues in Sports	Eisenhardt	TBD	Day				A-F	Take-Home	-	No	IP / LE / Priv		Will likely be offered for two units
LAW 860	01		Legislative Drafting	Vapnek	2	Day			14	CR/NC	Assignments	-	No	PIL		See limited enrollment attendance rule below.
LAW 871	01		Mediation	Cummings	3	Eve			20	CR/NC	Assignments	-	No	Bus prac / LE prac / TA	Exp	See limited enrollment attendance rule below.
LAW 880	01		Negotiation	Hutchinson	3	Day			20	CR/NC	Assignments	-	No	Bus prac / LE prac / TA	Exp	See limited enrollment attendance rule below.
LAW 885	01		Patent Law	Dergosits	3	Eve				Opt	Take-Home	-	1-3	IP (core) / AI		
LAW 919	01		Practice of Emerging Capital & Venture Capital (EC/VC) Law	Chang, Knox	2	Eve			20	CR/NC	Assignments	Yes	No	Bus prac		<b>Corequisite:</b> Business Associations. See limited enrollment attendance rule below.
LAW 923	01		State Constitutional Law Seminar	Barry	3	Day			20	A-F	Paper	Yes	1-3	Env / PIL		<b>Prerequisite:</b> Constitutional Law I & II. <b>Seminar.</b> See limited attendance rule below.
LAW 938	01		Trial Practice: Civil Litigation	Arns, Brandi	3	Day/Eve			20	CR/NC	Assignments	-	1-3	TA (core) / Bus prac	Exp	Special registration priority. See limited enrollment attendance rule below.
LAW 942	01		U.S. Asylum Law Seminar	Brown, J; Hing	2	Day			20	A-F	Paper	-	All	PIL		<b>Seminar.</b> See limited attendance rule below. Prerequisite for Immigration & Deportation Defense Clinic in spring.



## FALL 2026 SPECIAL PROGRAMS for JDs (Non-Classroom Courses)

### Special Program

1. Each non-classroom program sets its own specific requirements to achieve credit, but must include a minimum of 45 hours of program work per unit.

### Notes:

2. Programs require permission to enroll, earn non-classroom credits, and are graded on a Credit/Credit-unsatisfactory/No credit basis.

3. Questions regarding these programs should be directed to the listed program director.

CRN	Course #	Sec	Course	Director	Units	Days	Times	Room	Exp Units	Notes
<b>ACADEMIC SUPPORT</b>										
See Notes	LAW 986	01, 02	Academic Support Program Tutor	Ho, H.	1-2	n/a	n/a	n/a		Tutors in the Academic Support Program. 1 unit - XXXXX, 2 units - XXXXX
See Notes	LAW 986	03, 04	Consulting Tutor	Ho, H.	1-2	n/a	n/a	n/a		Serve as tutors for first doctrinal courses. Selected and supervised by Professor Heidi Ho. 1 unit - XXXXX, 2 unit - XXXXX
TBD	LAW 987	01	Teaching Assistant	Full-time Faculty	1-2	n/a	n/a	n/a		Assist faculty members teaching first-year and req'd classes. Duties determined by each instructor.
<b>INDEPENDENT STUDY</b>										
TBD	LAW 990		Directed Research	Full-time Faculty	1-2	n/a	n/a	n/a		Must submit Directed Research Enrollment form, signed by a full-time faculty member, by 9/04/26. Forms available online and in the Law Registrar's Office.
<b>CLINICS - IN HOUSE</b>										
			<u>Course</u>	<u>Director</u>	<u>Units</u>	<u>Days</u>	<u>Times</u>	<u>Room</u>	<u>Cert</u>	<u>Exp Units</u> <u>Notes</u>
TBD	LAW 963		Immigration Policy Clinic	Hing	2-6	Eve			ICL prac / PIL prac	Exp <b>Corequisite:</b> Immigration Law or US Asylum Law Seminar. Legal policy advocacy on immigration issues. Participants selected the prior semester.
TBD	LAW 964		CREATE Law Clinic	Fajfar	5	Day			AI prac / IP prac / PIL prac / Priv prac	Exp <b>Prerequisite:</b> IP Survey. Participants selected the prior semester. Additional meeting times for Patent component on TBD, via Zoom. Additional meeting times for Licensing component on TBD via Zoom. Licensing component has additional material fees.
TBD	LAW 971		Racial Justice Clinic	Bazon	3-6	Day			PIL prac / TA Prac	Exp <b>Prerequisite:</b> Criminal Procedure. <b>Corequisite:</b> Evidence. Participants selected the prior semester.
<b>EXTERNSHIPS - OUTSIDE AGENCIES</b>										
			<u>Course/Units</u>	<u>Director</u>	<u>Units</u>	<u>Days</u>	<u>Times</u>	<u>Room</u>	<u>Exp Units</u>	<u>Notes</u>
TBD	LAW 956		Civil Externship	Wang	3-12	Day			Exp	Requires pre-approval of Externship Programs Office by August 1, 2026. Mandatory classes meet on four Fridays: TBD
TBD	LAW 957		Criminal Externship	Coleman	3-12	Day			Exp	Requires pre-approval of Externship Programs Office by August 1, 2026. Mandatory classes meet on four Fridays: TBD
TBD	LAW 958		Judicial Externship	Westmore	3-12		(see notes)		Exp	Requires pre-approval by Externship Programs Office by August 1, 2026. Mandatory Judicial Externship Orientation will be held on Saturday, TBD
TBD	LAW 955		Legal Practicum	Wang	1-6	Day			Exp	Open to qualifying Int'l JD and LLM students who do not meet the requirements to participate in the Externship Program. Requires pre-approval by August 1, 2026. Incoming LLM students should contact their academic advisor. Mandatory classes meet on four Fridays: TBD

**SPECIAL PROGRAMS CONT'D (Non-Classroom Courses)**

**Special Program** 1. Each non-classroom program sets its own specific requirements to achieve credit, but must include a minimum of 45 hours of program work per unit.  
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**LAW JOURNALS**

Must be approved in advance by faculty advisor.

	<u>Course</u>	<u>Supervising Faculty</u>	<u>Units</u>	<u>Days</u>	<u>Times</u>	<u>Room</u>	<u>Notes</u>
LAW 983	01 Law Review Editor	Flynn	2				Editors earn 2 units per semester. Maximum of 4 units.
LAW 982	01 Law Review Staff	Flynn	1				Staff earn 1 unit per semester, maximum 3 units as follows: 2Ls enroll fall and spring, returning staff members can earn 1 unit in their final year of law school. They have the option to register for this unit in either the fall or the spring semester, depending on when they are completing their work. Exception: 3L write-ons: enroll fall and spring for a maximum total of 2 units.
LAW 980	01 Intellectual Property & Technology Law Journal	Freiwald	2				Approved senior editor positions in final year only earn 2 units each in fall & spring, maximum 4 units.

**MOOT COURT**

All Board members, Case Counsels and Competition Team members must attend sessions on dates and times TBA during the fall and spring semesters.

	<u>Course</u>	<u>Director</u>	<u>Units</u>	<u>Days</u>	<u>Times</u>	<u>Cert</u>	<u>Notes</u>
LAW 977	01 Moot Court Board	Vu	2	TBA	See Notes		Moot Court Executive Board members must attend mandatory program wide meetings on dates TBD.
LAW 978	01 Moot Court Case Counsel	Phillips	1	TBA	See Notes		Assist LRWA professors in developing legal problems for first year oral advocacy requirement. <i>May satisfy the Upper Level Research &amp; Writing Requirement.</i>
LAW 975	01 USF Advanced Moot Court (AMC) Competition	Vu	1	See notes	See Notes		Open to all upper division students. Course plus internal moot court competition. Problem releases late July. Brief writing workshops held via Zoom in early August. In person workshops during the first week of school. Written brief due August TBD. AMC rounds take place in September on dates TBD.

**TENTATIVE FALL TEAMS - Final decisions will be made by the newly appointed Moot Court Board and the Program Director**

LAW 973	01 Gold Cup Mock Trial Competition	Vu	2	TBA	See Notes	TA prac	Mandatory program wide meetings on TBD. Practice sessions will also be held on dates/times tba.
LAW 973	02 National Criminal Procedure Tournament	Vu	2	TBA	See Notes	TA prac	Mandatory program wide meetings on TBD. Practice sessions will also be held on dates/times tba.
LAW 973	03 National Moot Court Competition (NMCC)	Vu	2	TBA	See Notes	TA prac	Mandatory program wide meetings on TBD. Practice sessions will also be held on dates/times tba.
LAW 973	04 National Sports Law Negotiation Competition	Vu	2	TBA	See Notes	TA prac	Mandatory program wide meetings on TBD. Practice sessions will also be held on dates/times tba.
LAW 973	05 SF Trial Lawyers Association Mock Trial Competition (SFTLA)	Vu	2	TBA	See Notes	TA prac	Mandatory program wide meetings on TBD. Practice sessions will also be held on dates/times tba.

**SPRING TEAMS: TBD**