



UC Law San Francisco



MSL Intellectual Property Specialization Sample Schedule (Full-Time)

Fall Semester

- Introduction to US Legal Systems (1 credit)
- Introduction to Law (3 credits)
- Legal Writing & Research for Masters Students (2 credits)
- Trademarks & Unfair Competition (3 credits)
- MSL Essentials (1 credit)
- Intellectual Property Law (3 credits)
- Total: 13 credits**

Spring Semester

- Patent Prosecution (2 credits)
- Copyright Law (3 credits)
- Patent Law (3 credits)
- Legal Research for Non-Lawyers (1 credit)
- MSL Writing Seminar (2 credits)
- Total: 11 credits**

The UC Law San Francisco Master of Studies in Law (MSL) is a 24-credit program designed for passionate leaders and innovators who want to make a greater impact in their fields.

The flexible MSL curriculum allows our students to specialize in their area of focus while gaining the knowledge and skills required to think like a lawyer, communicate across disciplines, and evaluate issues from a legal perspective to make more informed decisions.



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SPECIALIZATION AREAS

MSL students may choose to pursue a general course of study, they may design their own specialized course of study with the guidance of their faculty advisor, or they may elect to focus on one of the following 15 areas of specialization:

- Business
- Compliance
- Criminal Justice
- Dispute Resolution
- Employment
- Environmental Law
- Government
- Health Law
- Immigration
- Intellectual Property
- International Law
- Litigation & Legal Process
- Social Justice
- Start-ups & Entrepreneurship
- Tax





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MSL Intellectual Property Specialization Sample Schedule (Part-Time)

Fall Semester

Introduction to US Legal Systems (1 credit)

Introduction to Law (3 credits)

Legal Writing & Research for Masters Students (2 credits)

MSL Essentials (1 credit)

Total: 7 credits

Semester 2

Intellectual Property: Stat (3 credits)

Copyright Law (3 credits)

Legal Research for Non-Lawyers (1 credit)

Total: 7 credits

Semester 3

Advanced Copyright Law (2 credits)

Trademarks & Unfair Competition (3 credits)

Total: 5 credits

Semester 4

Patent Law (3 credits)

Patent Prosecution (3 credits)

Total: 5 credits

"The UC Law San Francisco MSL program provided me the flexibility to tailor my classes to my goals so that I could learn what I needed to have the most value to my constituents.

Professors understood that my goal was not to become an attorney, and they were very helpful and accessible in helping me learn important legal concepts that I could immediately put to use in my professional work.

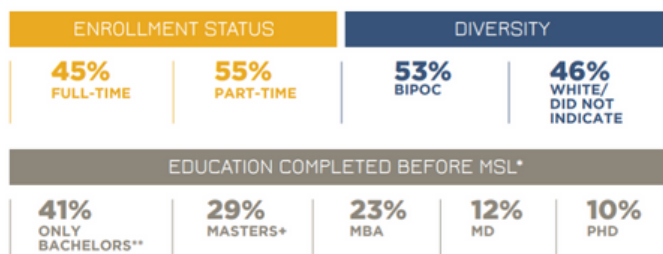
I have most enjoyed the exceptional professors I get to interact with and the amazing staff."

- Melvin Davis, Ed.D., MBA, MSL



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OUR MSL STUDENTS



* Categories exceed 100% as students have earned multiple graduate degrees and all degrees are included
** 7% of student earned an Associate's degree before earning their Bachelor's degree.
+ Includes all types of master's degrees except MBA

