



Bachelor of Science in Paralegal Studies Pathway UNIVERSITY CALIFORNIA IRVINE

To earn a bachelor’s degree from National University students must complete a minimum of 180 quarter units. Requirements include but are not limited to the university’s general education program (to include upper division and cultural diversity), the preparatory courses listed below, major core coursework and any additional courses necessary to fulfill overall program requirements.

The table below maps National University’s Foundation Paralegal courses to equivalencies identified at **UNIVERSITY CALIFORNIA IRVINE**

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UNIVERSITY CALIFORNIA IRVINE	NATIONAL UNIVERSITY
Equivalent Transfer Course	Preparatory Courses Required
SOCECOL X499 Fundamentals of the Paralegal Profession	PLA 210 Legal Theory & Ethics
ENGLISH X417.1 Legal Writing	PLA 211 English for Professionals
TORTS	PLA 212 Torts
SOC SCI X473.2 Legal Research	PLA 213 Leg Res Wrtg-Briefing/Analysis
MGMT X40919 Contracts	PLA 214 Contracts
No course equivalency	PLA 215 Leg Res. Wrtg-Legal Memo
LAW X401 Technology Practicum for the Paralegal	PLA 216 Computers and The Law
MGMT X485 2 Real Estate Principles	PLA 217 Property
No course equivalency	PLA 218 Leg Res Wrtg. -Persuasive Wrtg.
Requirements for the Major (10 courses; 45 quarter units)	
PLA 303 - Law Office Administration	
PLA 318 - Remedies & Dispute Resolution	
PLA 325 - Litigation I	
PLA 329 - Corporations I	
PLA 333 - Criminal Law I	
PLA 426 - Litigation II	
PLA 430 - Corporations II	
PLA 434 - Criminal Law II	
PLA 495 - Objective Writing Capstone	
PLA 496 - Persuasive Writing Capstone	
UPPER DIVISION ELECTIVES (6 courses; 27 quarter units)	
Students must complete a minimum of 27 quarter units of electives to fulfill the upper-division unit requirements to earn the Bachelor of Science in Paralegal Studies. Students can select from the following recommended electives or choose from any upper-division course in the College of Letters and Sciences or the College of Professional Studies.	
LAW 402 - The Art of Negotiation	ADR 400 - Alternative Dispute Resolution
LAW 430 - Constitutional Law	ADR 405 - Negotiation Fundamentals
LAW 440 - Comparative International Law	ADR 415 - Mediation Fundamentals
	ADR 430 - Ethics and Neutrality

Note: These requirements are subject to change. Please see National University’s Online General Catalog for official record of requirements for the year you are admitted.

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