PATHWAY to the LAW

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Robert H. McKinney School of Law
Ever wondered about going to law school?

The Indiana University Robert H. McKinney School of Law, the IUPUI School of Liberal Arts, and the O’Neill School of Public and Environmental Affairs at IUPUI present this online pipeline program to increase opportunities for students whose backgrounds are under-represented in the legal profession.

The Pathway will help undergrads like you develop skills in:

» Critical thinking
» Reading comprehension
» Legal writing
» Logic and legal analysis
» Study and test preparation

You will also come out with a broader understanding of the legal profession, along with access to mentors and networking opportunities as early as possible.

The curriculum is designed for students who are graduating in December 2021 or later.

Is this program right for you?

☑ Are you considering going to law school?

☐ Are you interested in graduate professional education, but not quite sure?

☐ Do you want to improve your writing, reasoning, test-taking skills and learn a little about the law in the process?

☐ Do you want to join a cohort of ambitious students for a unique online learning experience?

If you checked any of these boxes, you should apply!

This program is funded and supported by the American Bar Association, the world’s largest association of lawyers.

» Applications available online now:
  http://go.iu.edu/pathway
IF SELECTED FOR THE PROGRAM:

> You will take four online courses, offered by the School of Liberal Arts or SPEA (or both), taught by faculty from the IU McKinney School of Law and the School of Liberal Arts. The sequence includes:

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> You will begin to develop your professional network by working with a law student and an attorney mentor.

> You will visit the law school for social events and get to know law students, law professors, law school admissions officers, and local judges and lawyers.

> Completing the Pathway curricular sequence puts you in a good position to complete the requirements for a minor in Legal Studies at Liberal Arts or a minor in Public Policy, Criminal Justice, or Civic Leadership at SPEA.

For answers to questions regarding this program or more information, please contact pathway@iu.edu.

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