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**University of Pittsburgh School of Law
Graduation Requirements Checklist for Juris Doctor Degree
CREDITS REQUIRED FOR GRADUATION : 88**

***64 Credits earned "in regularly scheduled class sessions" (for December 2014 graduates and later)**

***6 semesters full time enrollment (minimum of 10 credits per semester)**

***All required first year courses**

***Legal Profession (Ethics):**

***Upper Level Legal Writing Requirement**

***Experiential Learning (for class of 2019 and thereafter) 6 credits of experiential courses.**

*** International/Comparative Law Requirement**

***Foundations of Legal Research**

***Writing Requirement ("W")**

***Certificate and Area of Concentration students should verify with the Program Administrator that they have completed the requisites to be awarded the certificate or concentration upon graduation.**

First Year		
Course	Credits	Contact Hours
Required First Year Courses		
Civil Procedure	4	4
Constitutional Law	4	4
Contracts	4	4
Criminal Law	3	3
Legal Analysis & Writing	4	4
Legislation & Regulation	3	3
Property	4	4
Torts	4	4
Pitt Law Academy		
(zero credit; year-long speaker series)		
Total	30	30

Required Upper Level Courses		
	Credits	Contact Hours
Legal Profession (Ethics)		
course:		
Upper Level Writing Requirement		
course:		
Experiential Learning (at least 6 credits)		
course:		
course:		
course:		
International/Comparative Law Requirement		
course:		
Foundations of Legal Research		
Writing Requirement("W")		
course:		
Total		

Second Year Electives*

*Do Not count Required Upper Level Courses		
Course	Credits	Contact Hours
Total		
Third Year Electives*		
*Do Not count Required Upper Level Courses		
Course	Credits	Contact Hours
Total		

Credits	
Total	

	Credits	Contact Hours
Grand Total Contact Hours		
Grand Total Credit for Graduation		