

Academic Plan Class of 2020

1. REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS

- Essay uploaded to Symplicity (see #15, below)
- Resume uploaded to Symplicity (see #16, below)
- Course Planning Worksheet uploaded to Symplicity (see #16, below)

2. STUDENT INFORMATION

Name: _____

Student ID: _____

Current Contact Information:

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

E-mail: _____@vandals.uidaho.edu Phone: _____

3. UPPER DIVISION COURSES REQUIREMENT (Catalog/Handbook p. 29)

During 2L year, you must pass

- Law 905 Constitutional Law II
- Law 919 Business Associations
- Law 950 Evidence
- Law 962 Professional Responsibility

During 2L or 3L year, you must pass

- Law 907 Administrative Law

4. EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING REQUIREMENT (Catalog/Handbook pp. 31)

You must pass at least six credits of experiential learning courses. Regular courses approved for experiential credit are currently 855, 917, 932, 958, 971, 975, 976, 978, 986, 994, 995, 996, 997, & 998.

Which course(s) will you use to fulfill the experiential learning requirement?

<u>Course #</u>	<u>Course name</u>	<u>Semester</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

5. UPPER DIVISION WRITING REQUIREMENT (Catalog/Handbook p. 32–33)

You must complete the UDWR by taking 981 Critical Legal Studies Journal, 982 Law Review, 983 Directed Study, or a paper course that is announced shortly before each semester (the faculty has not approved a list of paper courses). The course must be taken no later than one semester before graduation.

Which course do you plan to use to satisfy the UDWR?

<u>Course #</u>	<u>Course name</u>	<u>Semester</u>
_____	_____	_____

If you plan to use Law Review or the Critical Legal Studies Journal to satisfy the UDWR, what is your alternate plan if you are not accepted onto the law journal?

<u>Course #</u>	<u>Course name</u>	<u>Semester</u>
_____	_____	_____

6. PRO BONO REQUIREMENT (Catalog/Handbook pp. 32; www.uidaho.edu/law/academics/practical-skills/pro-bono)

Members of the Class of 2020 must complete 50 hours of pro bono legal service, for which you may not receive either pay or academic credit.

When you do plan to complete the required 50 hours of pro bono legal service?

1L Summer 2L Fall 2L Spring 2L Summer
 3L Fall (May graduates only)

What project(s) do you plan to use to complete the requirement? (specify to your best ability)

7. EXTERNSHIPS (Catalog/Handbook pp. 41–43)

Unless you are a concurrent degree student, you may take up to 12 credits of externships.

When do you wish to participate in an externship?

_____ No externship
_____ Summer externship following 1L year
_____ Summer externship following 2L year
_____ Academic year externship (Semester in Practice), 3L year
_____ Other (specify) _____

8. CLINICS (Catalog/Handbook pp. 40–41, 98–100)

Third year law students may engage in the limited practice of law as legal interns in one of the College's six Clinic. Read the Law Student Handbook for information including prerequisites.

Which (if any) clinics do you wish to participate in as a 3L?

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|-------|-------------------------------------|-------|----------------------------------|
| _____ | No clinic | _____ | General Practice Clinic (Moscow) |
| _____ | Immigration Law Clinic (Moscow) | _____ | Mediation Clinic (Moscow) |
| _____ | Small Business Legal Clinic (Boise) | _____ | Tax Clinic (Boise) |

9. CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES (Catalog/Handbook pp. 43–45)

In which of the following activities do you plan to participate during 2L and 3L year?

- _____ Appellate Advocacy Program (McNichols) (2 non-class credits)
- _____ Moot Court (usually requires McNichols as a prerequisite) (up to 2 non-class credits)
- _____ Mock Trial (tryouts 2L fall; 4-semester commitment; 1 class credit per semester 3L year)
- _____ Law Review (4-semester commitment; 1 non-class credit per semester)
- _____ Critical Legal Studies Journal (1 non-class credit per semester)
- _____ Teaching or research assistant for Professor (give name) _____
- _____ Other employment:
Number of hours/week: _____
Employer name and e-mail: _____
Type of work: _____

10. EMPHASES (Catalog/Handbook pp. 46–53)

Do you plan to pursue any of the following?

- _____ No emphasis
- _____ Business Law and Entrepreneurship (Boise, Moscow)
- _____ Native American Law (Moscow)
- _____ Natural Resource and Environmental Law (Moscow)

11. CONCURRENT DEGREE PROGRAMS (Catalog/Handbook pp. 54–65)

Do you plan to pursue any of the following?

- _____ JD/MACCT (Accountancy, Moscow)
- _____ JD/MBA (Business Administration, Boise)
- _____ JD/MSAT (Accounting-- Tax Emphasis, Boise)
- _____ JD/MS Environmental Science (Moscow)
- _____ JD/MS or PhD Water Resources (Moscow)
- _____ JD/PSM (Professional Science Masters in Natural Resources, Moscow)
- _____ JD/MSBioP (Bioregional Planning and Community Design, Moscow)

12. ANTICIPATED GRADUATION DATE (Catalog/Handbook pp. 29–34)

December 2019 May 2020
 Other (specify) _____

13. BAR PREPARATION (Catalog/Handbook pp. 68–75)

In which state do you plan to take the bar exam? _____

Does this state administer the Uniform Bar Exam (UBE)? _____

If you are taking the bar in a UBE state, look at the list of Uniform Bar Exam Topics on pages 71-72 of the Law Student Handbook. If taking the bar in a non-UBE state, see the state bar examiners' web page for topics tested in that state.

Does your course planning worksheet cover all the topics tested on your state's bar exam? _____

If not, list the bar topics you will **not** cover in law school.

Which commercial bar review course do you plan to take?

BarBri Kaplan Themis Other (specify) _____
 Undecided I do not plan to take a bar review course

14. Faculty Mentor (Catalog/Handbook pp. 36)

List at least two professors with whom you have discussed your academic plans. At least one must be a professor who has not taught any course you have taken, and the professors need not be at your location. We encourage you to talk with professors involved in activities that interest you such as clinics, emphases, or concurrent programs, as well as with professors who teach, have practiced, or have published in areas of law that interest you.

I have received advice on my academic plan and goals from the following two professors:

15. ESSAY

Attach a one-page (approx. 250-word) essay about your academic plan over the next two years. Discuss your choices regarding: externships, emphasis, clinics, concurrent degrees, graduation date, and bar preparation. Please explain how your academic plan will further your educational and career goals.

16. RESUME AND COURSE PLANNING WORKSHEET

Upload to Symplicity as 4 separate documents

- ___ This academic plan
- ___ An approved resume
- ___ Your one-page essay (see #15)
- ___ A course planning worksheet showing the courses you plan to take as a 2L and 3L.

You are not locked into the course plan you attach. Planning your courses early helps the College advise you and helps you control your academic career.

If you have any difficulty uploading materials to Symplicity, please contact Christy Becker at cbecker@uidaho.edu or 208-885-5069.

17. SIGNATURE

I understand that submission of my academic plan does not guarantee I will be able to take a particular course or engage in a particular program of study. I realize there are enrollment limits in courses and at each College of Law location. In addition, I understand I must apply for and be accepted into opportunities such as law journals, moot courts, externships, clinics, pro bono placements, emphases, and concurrent degree programs. I understand the purpose of my academic plan is to help the College advise me, and to help me create a plan that will help me towards my academic and professional goals.

(Signature)

(Date)

*Upload your completed academic plan, including essay and course planning worksheet, to Symplicity no later than **Thursday, March 8, 2018.***