In accordance with applicable state and federal laws and university policies, the Indiana University Maurer School of Law provides equality of opportunity for all persons, including faculty and employees, with respect to hiring, continuation, promotion and tenure, applicants for or segregation, on the grounds of race, ethnicity, color, citizenship, national origin, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender (including identity and expression), disability, age, marital status, veteran status or other legally protected status. It is the policy of the Law School to seek to have a student body, faculty, and staff that are diverse with respect to race, color, and sex. Law School facilities are open only to employees whose practices employ this policy.
Welcome to Indiana University Maurer School of Law

We are thrilled you are interested in pursuing your legal education in beautiful Bloomington.

We have a special community here at the Law School that dates back more than 180 years. Founded in 1842, we are the ninth-oldest law school in the United States. Our graduates have made their mark in the country’s most respected law firms, from Wall Street to Main Street. They’ve built and nurtured successful businesses that drive today’s global economy, and they’ve chosen careers in public service, on Capitol Hill, and on the front lines of advocacy for those who need it most.

As you get ready to launch your professional career, you will do more than learn law and legal analysis in the classroom. You will also have an opportunity to work closely with faculty, staff, and your classmates on research that aids in our understanding of law and legal institutions and contributes to addressing society’s most important and pressing issues. Through our clinics, projects, student organizations, externships, and pro bono programs, you will also have an opportunity to hone your lawyering skills and make a difference.

Part of our proud legacy is how our alumni have blazed trails on a number of fronts. They include the first Japanese-American admitted to the bar in the US, the first Black judge to serve on any state supreme court, and the first woman chief justices of Wisconsin and Indiana.

The Law School’s global influence is also profound. Every summer we send dozens of students to countries in many corners of the world as part of our unique Stewart Fellows program, where they serve as interns in nongovernmental organizations, law firms, and businesses. We’re home to one of the oldest LLM and SJD programs for international lawyers, and the Law School has strong partnerships with universities throughout the globe. Those connections are just as strong with our Indiana University colleagues. We offer joint-degree programs with the renowned Kelley School of Business and the nation’s top public affairs program at the O’Neill School of Public and Environmental Affairs, among others.

We’re also incredibly proud of our faculty. They aren’t just pathbreaking scholars—they’re gifted and compassionate teachers, too. We’re most known for our strengths in tax law, cybersecurity, intellectual property, international and comparative law, and environmental, criminal, business, and public interest law.

We build on these traditions every year with a new entering 1L class. What do we look for in a future Indiana Law student? We want students who are part of a lively community of intelligent, motivated, and supportive group of classmates eager to learn and make a difference outside the classroom.

If that sounds like you, let’s talk. Better yet, come visit. Bloomington is the quintessential college town, with world-class arts, entertainment, sports, and cultural opportunities. This viewbook provides a brief overview of our great institution, but I’d love for you to come see our school—and campus—in person.

I look forward to meeting you!

Christiana Ochoa
Dean and Class of 1950 Herman B Wells Endowed Professor
BAIER HALL IS THE LAW SCHOOL'S MAIN BUILDING. IT IS LOCATED ON THE CORNER OF INDIANA UNIVERSITY’S FLAGSHIP BLOOMINGTON CAMPUS ADJACENT TO DUNN’S WOODS, BUT ONLY STEPS AWAY FROM SHOPPING, RESTAURANTS, AND FREE BUS SERVICE.

8 new faculty joining the Law School in 2023-24
9
Ninth-oldest law school in the US
18
Tax program ranked 18th
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Ranked 19th among public law schools
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Intellectual property program ranked 28th
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Spivey’s MyRank “Top 50” Law Schools #28
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Legal research and writing program ranked 31st
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Criminal law program ranked 32nd
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International law program ranked 32nd
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Environmental law program ranked 34th
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Constitutional law program ranked 35th
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Contracts and commercial law program ranked 37th
93.7
Class of 2022 employed in a Bar passage required or JD-advantage job within 10 months of graduation
1.5/1
Salary to debt ratio for the Class of 2021, top-15 law schools for high salary to debt ratios (U.S. News & World Report, 2022)
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| **Enrolled**                | **156**  
| **Median LSAT / GPA**       | **164/3.86**  
| **Women**                   | **54%**  
| **Minority**                | **34%**  
| **States represented**      | **26**  
| **Non-resident**            | **55%**  
| **Undergraduate institutions** | **86**  
| **Age range**               | **20-74**  

As of August 15, 2023
AS A LAWYER, YOU WILL SPEND YOUR PROFESSIONAL LIFE SOLVING COMPLEX PROBLEMS THAT SPAN MANY DISCIPLINES. AS AN INDIANA LAW STUDENT, YOU WILL HAVE ACCESS TO THE RESOURCES OF A MAJOR RESEARCH UNIVERSITY THAT WILL PREPARE YOU FOR THE CREATIVE PROBLEM-SOLVING SKILLS REQUIRED OF TODAY’S LAWYERS.

10+ joint degree programs

Joint degrees with IU’s #22 ranked Kelley School of Business
- JD/MBA
- JD/MBA (Accounting)
- JD/MSA (Accounting)

Joint degrees with IU’s #1 ranked O’Neill School of Public and Environmental Affairs
- JD/MPA
- JD/MSES

Other IU joint degrees
- JD/MA or MS in Telecommunications
- JD/MLS in Library and Information Science
- JD/MA in Journalism
- JD/MPH in Public Health
- JD/MA in Russian and East European Studies
- JD/MS in Cybersecurity Risk Management

Joint degrees with international partners
- JD/MBA with Sungkyunkwan University (Seoul)
- JD/LLM with Université Panthéon-Assas (Paris II)
- JD/LLM with Trinity College Dublin
- JD/LLM with Peking University (Beijing) / PKU School of Transnational Law (Shenzhen)
- JD/LLM with Jindal Global Law School (Sonipat, India)

In addition to these joint degrees, the Law School offers several other formal joint degree programs, or you can create an individually designed joint degree with other schools and departments to meet your learning and career goals. The Law School will coordinate with the other school or department to establish the joint or concurrent program.
Indiana Law faculty are renowned for their passion for teaching and for being caring role models and supportive mentors. In fact, many of them have received Indiana University’s highest teaching honors. Their classroom discussions are rigorous and thorough, and they have a gift for challenging your old ways of thinking as never before. As part of our community, you will be invited — and expected — to join our esteemed professors in fostering the Law School’s vibrant intellectual life.

Our teachers are scholars, too. They are graduates of the nation’s finest law schools — including this one — and their research informs and shapes contemporary legal discourse, from cybersecurity and constitutional reform to patent law and conservation. They include an award-winning documentary filmmaker, acclaimed authors, Fulbright Scholars, a Carnegie Fellow, a US Supreme Court clerk, Wall Street lawyers, accomplished litigators, and members of the Council on Foreign Relations, the American Law Institute, and the American Society of International Law. Our faculty’s research makes them some of the most sought-after experts and influential legal thinkers in the world, which is why we consistently rank very high among all US law schools for downloads of faculty research, according to the Social Science Research Network.

In addition, the Law School attracts impressive adjunct faculty and leading scholars to serve as guest lecturers. Every year we host numerous scholarly conferences that enrich the intellectual life of the Law School.

As an upper-division student, you will be able to work alongside our faculty as an assistant, whether in one of the research centers they direct, or aiding them with their independent scholarship. Either way, you will gain additional skills and knowledge from our talented community of teacher-scholars.

PASSIONATE TEACHERS, INFLUENTIAL SCHOLARS

PROF. AVIVA ORENSTEIN WRITES AND TEACHES IN THE AREA OF EVIDENCE. A LONGTIME MEMBER OF THE INDIANA LAW FACULTY, SHE FOUNDED AND SUPERVISES OUTREACH FOR LEGAL LITERACY, A PROGRAM THROUGH WHICH LAW STUDENTS TEACH CONSTITUTIONAL LAW AND CIVICS TO LOCAL FIFTH-GRADERS.

# all-time SSRN tax law download rank for Prof. David Gamage

New faculty members in 2023-4

Student/faculty ratio

Number of faculty from underrepresented backgrounds hired in past 10 years
HIGHLY CREDENTIALED FACULTY FROM AROUND THE WORLD

Nicholas Almendares, JD, PhD, New York University
Alfred G. Aman, Jr., JD, Chicago
Amy G. Applegate, JD, Harvard
John S. Applegate, JD, Harvard
Valena Beety, JD, University of Chicago
Yvette Butler, JD, George Washington University
Hannah L. Buxbaum, JD, Cornell / LLM, University of Heidelberg
Fred H. Cate, JD, Stanford
Cindy Cho, JD, Indiana (Maurer)
Daniel Cole, JD, Lewis & Clark / JSD, Stanford
Daniel D. Connolly, JD, Ohio State
Stephen A. Conrad, JD, Yale / PhD, Harvard
Paul P. Craig, BCL, Oxford
Yvonne M. Cripps, LLB, LLM, Victoria U. of Wellington, New Zealand / PhD, Cambridge
Laura B. Daghe, JD, Illinois
Kenneth G. Dau-Schmidt, JD, PhD, Michigan
Susan deMina, JD, University of Kentucky
Robert Downey, JD, Indiana (Maurer)
Lisa A. Farnsworth, JD, Indiana (Maurer)
Robert L. Fischman, JD, Michigan
Luis Fuentes-Bohrer, JD, PhD, Michigan / LLM, Georgetown
David Garage, JD, Yale
Charles G. Geyh, JD, Wisconsin
Donald H. Gjekhdnen, JD, William Mitchell / LLM, Yale
Sophia C. Goodman, JD, Case Western
Gabrielle L. Goodman, JD, Chicago Kent
Andrew Hammond, JD, Yale
Norman J. Hedges, JD, Indiana (Maurer)
William D. Henderson, JD, Chicago
Joseph L. Hoffmann, JD, U. of Washington
Sarah Jane Hughes, JD, U. of Washington
Mark D. Janis, JD, Indiana (Maurer)
Dawn E. Johnsen, JD, Yale
Asal Kevvaki, JD, Harvard
Jayanth K. Krishnan, JD, Ohio State / PhD, Wisconsin
Marshall A. Leaffer, JD, Texas / LLM, NYU
Asaf Lubin, LLB, Hebrew University of Jerusalem / LLM, JSD, Yale
Jody L. Madeira, JD, PhD, Penn
João Marinetti, JD, Harvard
Lane McFadden, JD, NYU
Ethan Michelson, PhD, Chicago
Michael Mattioli, JD, Penn
Donna M. Nagy, JD, NYU
Mark E. Need, JD, MBA, Indiana (Maurer)
Christian A. Ochoa, JD, Harvard
Jean Oliva, JD, Georgetown
Aviva A. Orenstein, JD, Cornell
William D. Popkin, LLB, Harvard
Victor D. Quintanilla, JD, Georgetown
CJ Ryan, JD, Kentucky / PhD, Vanderbilt
Steve Sanders, JD, Michigan
Ryan W. Scott, JD, Minnesota
Jeffrey E. Stake, JD, Georgetown
J. Alexander Tanford, JD, LLM, Duke
India Thuesi, JD, Fordham
PhD, University of Witwatersrand
Shana Wallace, JD, Chicago
Timothy William Waters, JD, Harvard
W. William Weeks III, JD, Indiana (Maurer)
Deborah Widiss, JD, Yale
Cynthia Williams, JD, New York University
David C. Williams, JD, Harvard
Susan H. Williams, JD, Harvard

Prof. Amy Applegate, who directs the Viola J. Taliaferro Family and Children Mediation Clinic, earned the Stanley Cohen Distinguished Research Award at the Spring 2022 Annual Conference of the Association of Family and Conciliation Courts.
No matter where you attend law school, the first-year curriculum is similar across the board. The foundational knowledge you’ll need to succeed over the next three years—and for decades to come in your professional life—are acquired early on through standard courses like Contracts, Torts, Civil Procedure, Criminal Law, and Property. At Indiana Law, we believe you don’t just need to know the law, you need to know how to be a lawyer. From the moment you take our Professionalism Oath at the start of your 1L year, you are embarking on a unique journey that will prepare you to become the best attorney you can. Here’s how we do it:

Our Innovative Legal Profession Course

In addition to the usual 1L courses, you’ll enroll in a year-long course called The Legal Profession. In the fall of your 1L year, the one-credit Legal Profession I class will introduce you to the profession through weekly classes that alternate between alumni panels and classroom instruction. Students may then choose from among three different approaches to the spring semester’s three-credit Legal Profession II course: one section places more weight on the business side of law; the second section keeps an eye on the international corollaries to U.S. practice; and the third section approaches the material with a heavier emphasis on government and public-interest practice.

This full-year course, embedded in the 1L curriculum, allows students to take ownership of their path into their legal career in a way that would be difficult, if not impossible, if this career exploration were left to their second and third years.

Practice Group Advisors

As a 1L, you will be paired with a practice group advisor, an upper-division student who will work closely with you and a small group of your classmates as you navigate the first year of law school. PGAs will help you prepare for classes, get ready for exams, and assess your interests and abilities as you define your professional goals and aspirations.

Legal and Research Writing

“Writing—the art of communicating thoughts to the mind, through the eye—is the great invention of the world.” Abraham Lincoln acknowledged the importance of writing in the legal profession when he spoke these words in 1859. And they’re more true than ever today. That’s why you should look closely at law schools’ legal writing programs when weighing your options.

At Indiana Law, our distinguished faculty bring decades of trial, appellate, corporate, and clerkship experience to help you develop the writing skills your career requires. During your first year, you will take Legal Research and Writing I and II (LRW), where you will put into practice the doctrine and theory that you’ll be learning in your other classes.

Our LRW program continues into your second and third years to include advanced research, clinics, and externships that put your newly acquired skills to work. In addition, our internal and external transactional, trial, and appellate competitions and our five law journals provide additional outlets for improving your writing ability.

Dean’s Writing Fellows

The school’s Dean’s Writing Fellows bring an added dimension to the LRW program. Each fellow is selected from the second- and third-year classes to work closely with a legal writing professor and one section of the LRW course.

Fellows meet with students during office hours and lead group discussions and group exercises related to the legal writing curriculum. They enhance your experience by helping you refine your writing and burnish your oral advocacy skills while you become accustomed to the rigors of research and legal reasoning.
As an Indiana law student, you can choose from a wide variety of courses in all the areas you would expect from a top-tier law school. The upper-division courses below are grouped by our 17 areas of focus, but you can select the combination best suited to your interests and career goals after you complete the required first-year courses.

**First-year courses**

**Fall semester:**
- Civil Procedure
- Contracts
- The Legal Profession I
- Legal Research and Writing
- Torts

**Spring semester:**
- Constitutional Law
- Criminal Law
- The Legal Profession II
- Legal Research and Writing
- Property

**Upper-division areas of focus**

**Administrative law and government regulation**
- Administrative Law
- American Legal History
- Antitrust Law
- Banking Law
- Employment Discrimination
- Employment Law
- European Union Law
- Immigration Law
- Introduction to Environmental Law
- Land Use Controls
- Lawyering in the Public Interest
- Legislation
- Public Natural Resources
- Representing the State
- Securities Regulation

**Business and commercial law**
- Accounting for Lawyers
- Antitrust Law
- Banking Law
- Bankruptcy
- Business Planning
- Business Reorganization
- Corporate Finance Law
- Corporations
- Deliberative Leadership
- Entertainment Law
- Entrepreneurship Law Clinic
- Financial Institutions
- International Business Negotiations
- International Business Transactions
- International Securities Regulation
- Law and Sports
- The Lawyer as Business Executive
- Legal Issues in Mergers and Acquisitions
- Legal Operations
- Mergers and Acquisitions*
- Negotiable Instruments
- Non-Profit Law Clinic
- Non-Profit Organizations
- Principles of Law and Economics
- Sales
- Secured Transactions
- Securities Regulation
- Seminar in Corporate Law

**Civil rights and equality**
- American Legal History
- Children and the Law
- Civil Rights Statutes
- Constitutional Litigation
- Employment Discrimination
- Feminist Jurisprudence
- Gender and the Law
- Human Rights
- Human Trafficking: Child Exploitation
- Immigration Law
- Law and Education: Advanced School Law*
- Law and Education: Higher Education
- Law and Education: Leadership in Special Education*
- Law and Education: Legal Perspectives on Education*
- Law and Education: Workshop on Problems in Education Leadership*
- Lawyering in the Public Interest
- Native American law
- Poverty Law
- Race, American Society, and the Law
- Seminar in Children and the Law
- Seminar in Comparative Inequality

**Seminar in Administrative Law:**
- Lawyering in the Modern Administrative State

**Seminar in Corporate Law:**
- Financial Regulation
- Seminar in Corporate Law and Practice in the Intelligence Age
- Seminar in Law and Economics
- Transactional Drafting
- Transactional Drafting: The Anatomy of a Deal

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- Seminar in Corporate Law: Financial Regulation
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- Seminar in Law and Economics
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**Seminar in Children and the Law**
- Seminar in Children and the Law

**Seminar in Comparative Inequality**
- Seminar in Comparative Inequality

**Seminar in Education:**
- Seminar in Education

**Seminar in Higher Education:**
- Seminar in Higher Education

**Seminar in Leadership in Special Education:**
- Seminar in Leadership in Special Education

**Seminar in Legal Perspectives on Education:**
- Seminar in Legal Perspectives on Education

**Seminar in Problems in Education Leadership:**
- Seminar in Problems in Education Leadership

**Seminar in Social and Cultural Development:**
- Seminar in Social and Cultural Development

**Seminar in Tribal Law and Sovereignty:**
- Seminar in Tribal Law and Sovereignty
Domestic Relations Mediation  
Evidence  
Federal Circuit Advocacy  
Federal Habeas Litigation  
Federal Jurisdiction  
Judicial Field Placements  
Litigation Drafting  
Mediation  
Negotiations  
Patent Trial Practice  
Pre-trial Litigation  
Pre-trial Litigation: Courtroom Procedure  
Pre-trial Litigation: Criminal Practice  
Pre-trial Litigation: Depositions  
Products Liability  
Protective Order Litigation  
Remedies and Equity  
Representing the State  
Seminar on Judicial Conduct  
Seminar in Litigation: Remedies  
Trial Advocacy  

Property  
Estate Planning  
Land Use Controls  
Law and Philanthropy  
Law and Political Theory: Institutional Analysis and Development§  
Real Estate Finance  
Seminar in Property Law: Rethinking Thinghood  
Transaction Drafting; Real Estate  
Trusts and Estates  

Skill development  
Advanced Appellate Advocacy  
Advanced Legal Research  
Advanced Trial Practice  
Advocacy — Interscholastic  
 moot courts  
Alternative Dispute Resolution  
Appellate Advocacy  
Commercial Arbitration  
Community Legal Clinic  
Conservation Law Clinic  
Criminal Law Externship  
Deliberative Leadership  
Domestic Relations Mediation  
Entrepreneurship Law Clinic  
Family and Children Mediation Clinic  
Federal Circuit Advocacy  
Federal Habeas Litigation  
Family and Children Mediation Clinic  
Intellectual Property Externship  
Intellectual Property Practicum  
Judicial Field Placements  
Lawyering in the Public Interest  
Legal Operations  
Mediation  
Modern Law Practice I  
Modern Law Practice II  
Modern Law Practice: Field Placement Program  
Modern Small Firm Practice  
Negotiations  
Patent Prosecution  
Patent Trial Practice  
Private Practice Externship  
Project Management  
Public Interest Internship  
Semester Public Interest Program  
Trial Advocacy  

Tax  
Core courses:  
Introduction to Income Tax  
Advanced courses:  
Corporate Tax  
Partnership Tax  
Seminar in Tax Policy  
State and Local Tax  
Strategic Business and Tax Planning*  
Tax Policy Colloquium  
Transaction Drafting: Tax  

Allied Law School courses:  
Accounting for Lawyers  
Corporate Finance  

Personal Attention  
With our 8:1 student/faculty ratio and small class sizes, you will have unparalleled access to faculty, both in and out of class.

Typical first-year class section size  
53

Average upper-division class size  
17

% of upper-division classes with 25 or fewer students  
81

* Offered through the IU Kelley School of Business  
† Offered through the IU School of Education  
‡ Offered through the IU Media School  
§ Offered through the IU O’Neill School of Public and Environmental Affairs
RESEARCH CENTERS AND ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

The Law School has four internationally acclaimed research centers and several academic programs. The research centers explore today's most timely and important issues in law and society and provide opportunities for students to work as research assistants to center faculty. Academic programs bring together courses, experiential learning, research, and inter- and intra-disciplinary collaboration in essential areas of the law.

Research centers

The Center for Constitutional Democracy helps people in post-conflict societies build legal institutions that will allow them to live together in peace, justice, and democracy. It is one of the only centers in the world to do active constitutional design consulting.

The Milt and Judi Stewart Center on the Global Legal Profession is focused on the unprecedented challenges lawyers are facing around the world and developing research and training materials to assist current and future attorneys in their understanding of international legal systems.

The Center for Intellectual Property Research trains students who are passionate about innovation and creativity and who seek an intensive experience in IP law—patent, trademark and unfair competition, copyright, design, and information policy.

The Center for Law, Society & Culture promotes and disseminates a multidisciplinary understanding of law through scholarship, teaching, and discussion. The Center produces, presents, and coordinates research conducted by exceptional scholars in schools and departments across Indiana University on law and legal problems.

Academic programs

Business and commercial law brings together a broad range of business-related courses, plus joint degrees with the Kelley School of Business, a clinic, and extracurricular negotiating and drafting competitions.

Criminal law and procedure features the Bradley Fellows Program, which includes curricular, extracurricular, and experiential learning opportunities designed to prepare Indiana Law students for a successful and rewarding career in criminal justice. Student activities include the Incarcerated Individuals Legal Assistance Project and the Protective Order Project.

Cybersecurity and information privacy recognizes the demand for professionals who understand the technical, legal, and policy aspects of cybersecurity risk management and information policy. The Law School is one of three partners in an innovative program focusing on the intersection of technology, business, and law. Degree options include a JD/MS in cybersecurity risk management, including coursework at the Kelley School of Business and the Luddy School of Informatics, Computing, and Engineering.

Environmental law offers access to the nation's #1 O'Neill School of Public and Environmental Affairs graduate program through course offerings or a joint degree; close ties with the conservation community and alumni practitioners, providing learning opportunities in an environmentally engaged community; and faculty expertise across the spectrum of environmental law courses. Students can participate in the Conservation Law Clinic through the Conservation Law Center, Inc.

Law and technology brings together a wide range of expertise from throughout the Maurer School of Law to create an integrated platform for research, academic collaborations, and student experiences. In addition, the program seeks to build a community of like-minded scholars around this emerging field by sponsoring events that advance the important nexus between law and technology in its many facets.

The top-rated tax program comprehensively covers income tax issues applicable to individuals, corporations, and partnerships; transfer taxation and charitable giving; tax policy; and tax procedure. Many of these classes appeal to graduate students in the Kelley School of Business, as well as to law students. The program sponsors a popular tax policy colloquium that features scholars from around the world who lecture on timely topics.

Indiana Law’s Family Office Program provides training for students interested in working for family offices and firms with family-office service practices. The Law School is the first in the United States with a program focused specifically on this growing phenomenon. Family offices are estimated to hold assets exceeding $4 trillion, and a significant number of the most prestigious law firms have established family office practices. By capitalizing on this trend, the Law School is helping meet the growing demand for lawyers by offering a wide range of courses, placements, and mentoring experiences.
INNOVATIVE PROGRAMS, PASSIONATE STUDENTS

The Maurer School of Law has a longstanding record of service to the community, both in Bloomington and across the globe. Through our clinics, externships, projects, and programs, we provide you with outstanding opportunities to make a difference while developing your professional skills.

In many ways, the law school provides one of the most comprehensive offerings of public service programs of any law school in the country. For this reason, PreLaw Magazine awarded us an A rating for being “one of the best schools for doing good.”

As one of the earliest schools to adopt an aspirational pro bono service goal for its students, Indiana Law’s pro bono and clinical programs combine to provide the most extensive network of community legal support in South-Central Indiana. In a typical year, our roughly 500 students log more than 6,500 hours of legal service to local and nearby communities.

Pro bono projects

The Incarcerated Individuals Legal Assistance Project provides legal counsel to inmates at the federal penitentiary in Terre Haute, Indiana.

The LGBT+ Project offers legal services on discrimination, legislation, and education matters on behalf of LGBT advocacy organizations throughout the state. The Protective Order Project helps victims of domestic abuse, sexual assault, and stalking obtain civil protective orders, with the additional goal of preventing further abuse. Students do most of the intake work and document preparation, and can become Certified Legal Interns and appear in court with an attorney.

The Protective Order Project helps victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, stalking, and harassment obtain civil protective orders from the court, with the goal of preventing further abuse, both by restraining the abuser and by empowering the victim.

Clinics

Civil Protection Order Clinic: This new public interest-based clinic provides students with hands-on legal experience representing clients who need legal assistance obtaining or renewing civil protection orders.

Conservation Law Clinic: Serve as an intern in the Conservation Law Center, Inc., a public-interest law firm, and work on matters for clients who need assistance with natural resource conservation issues.

The Protective Order Project volunteers conducted intakes with 35 parties seeking representation in protective order cases in 2022-23. POP provided representation for 20 parties in court.
Elmore Entrepreneurship Law Clinic: Help high-growth ventures become more operational and sustainable as you earn your JD/MBA.

Intellectual Property Law Clinic: Help clients protect their investment in innovation through this hands-on clinic, certified by the US Patent and Trademark Office for both patent and trademark law.

The Reentry Clinic: This innovative collaboration between the Law School and Indiana Legal Services’ Bloomington Office’s Expungement Help Desk provides post-conviction legal services to low-income Hoosiers across the state in obtaining post-conviction expungements, eliminating court-ordered debt, and mitigating the collateral consequences of criminal convictions in Indiana.

Viola J. Taliaferro Family and Children Mediation Clinic: Mediate real-life disputes among families with children in family law cases while you become a fully trained and registered domestic relations mediator.

Exterisons
Our externships offer you ways to earn academic credit while spending from one day a week to an entire semester working under the supervision of a trained legal practitioner. Our externship opportunities can be found throughout Indiana, in the nation’s capital, and many places around the globe.

Criminal Law: Gain a better understanding of the major issues involved with criminal law practice and the criminal justice system. In addition to legal research and writing tasks, you’ll observe and participate in various criminal court proceedings under attorney supervision. You’ll work in prosecutors’ and public defenders’ offices in south central Indiana.

Indiana Legal Services: Help elderly and low-income people in southern Indiana with legal problems affecting their access to basics such as food, shelter,

Practica
Indiana Law’s practica offer hands-on, real-time experience for academic credit in a variety of fields under the supervision of an experienced practitioner.

Habeas Litigation Practicum: Students become familiar with the fundamentals of federal habeas corpus litigation as they work on real cases. In the summer of 2021, a student in the practicum argued—and won—a case before the Seventh Circuit on behalf of a client’s petition for a writ of habeas corpus.

Independent Film Production Practicum: Gain real-world experience acting as legal counsel on independent film projects while you engage directly with filmmakers and work on multiple discrete projects.

Student Legal Services: Work at a nonprofit law office that provides free legal services to Indiana University students and student groups.

Moot court and trial competitions
A lawyer’s role is, above all else, one of client advocacy. Whether representing clients in a corporate transaction, in tax planning, or in a courtroom trial, proficiency as an advocate is essential. Indiana Law offers several opportunities for you to hone your skills as a litigator. Chief among these is our Sherman Minton Moot Court Competition, where you can participate in argument, legal representation, and jurisprudence by researching and writing an appellate brief and engaging in oral arguments. It is the school’s signature student event, with nearly 75 percent participation. Indiana Law alumni and other legal practitioners and judges from around the country serve as competition judges. The competition is named for Hon. Sherman Minton, class of 1915, who served on the US Supreme Court from 1949-1956.

Other competitions include:

Appellate Moot Court Competitions:
- ABA Nat’l Appellate Advocacy Competition
- AIPPLA Giles Sutherland Rich Competition
- Charleston School of Law National Competition
- Duberstein Bankruptcy Competition
- Fordham Kaufman Securities Law Moot Court
- Global Antitrust Invitational Moot Court
- Indiana State Bar Association Moot Court
- Jessup Int’l Moot Court
- LaHovris (Trademark and Unfair Competition) Competition
- Oxford International IP Law Moot
- Miller (PACE) Nat’l Environmental Law Competition
- Tulane Sports Law Competition
- Wagner Nat’l Labor & Employment Moot Court Competition
- Williams U.C.L.A. Competition
- Vis International Commercial Arbitration Moot

STUDENTS PROVIDED SERVICES FOR 80 INMATES LAST YEAR, PERFORMING LEGAL RESEARCH AND ANSWERING INMATE QUESTIONS.

THE CONSERVATION LAW CLINIC, A CLOSE AFFILIATE OF THE LAW SCHOOL THAT STUDENTS CAN VOLUNTEER WITH, HAS HELPED PROTECT MORE THAN 10,000 ACRES OF LAND, INCLUDING HABITAT FOR DOZENS OF THREATENED AND ENDANGERED SPECIES.
INTERNATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

Lifechanging. That’s how our students describe their Stewart Fellowship experience. For more than a decade, the Law School—thanks to the vision and generosity of Milt ’71 and Judi Stewart—has been sending nearly two-dozen Stewart Fellows on fully paid externships with prestigious law firms, NGOs, and multinational companies every summer. These competitive fellowships are offered in Argentina, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Mexico, Poland, Thailand, and Vietnam. Once back in Bloomington, Stewart Fellows serve as paid research assistants to faculty members conducting research on topics relevant to your country of interest.

If a traditional semester or summer abroad better suits your goals, we offer semester exchange programs with partner universities in Auckland, Barcelona, Beijing, Dublin, Hamburg, Hong Kong, Leiden, Milan, New Delhi, Paris, Rio de Janeiro, São Paulo, Shenzhen, Taipei, and Warsaw. Summer study is available in Hamburg, London, and Paris, among others.

Even if you spend all three years in Bloomington, you will have many international opportunities. We have one of the world’s oldest LLM programs, hosting graduate students from 20 countries each year. You will attend classes with LLM students and share global perspectives. We also offer a JD/LLM if you choose to extend your studies on the international stage.
HELPING INDIANA LAW STUDENTS BECOME PRACTICE-READY

In addition to traditional doctrinal study, you’ll have the opportunity to learn the law in some unusual ways. Here are some examples of the practical experiences you can choose from during your law school years:

- How to negotiate a collective bargaining agreement—complete with going on strike and picketing your professor’s office
- How to take a deposition
- How to become a certified domestic relations mediator
- How to enter an appearance in a criminal law proceeding
- How to run the operations of a successful small law firm
- How to deliver service learning that will help local community organizations while you study the fundamentals of civil procedure

Many of these opportunities are available in our popular Wintersession course, a one-week, pass/fail intensive session for upper-division students offered free of charge just before the spring term begins. These are just a few ways in which Indiana Law integrates hands-on practice tips with rigorous analytical study.

Trial Competitions:
- American Association for Justice Student Trial Advocacy Competition
- ABA Section of Labor and Employment Law Student Trial Advocacy Competition

Transactional Competitions:
- Closest National Transactional Law Competition
- International Patent Drafting Competition
- Venture Capital Investment Competition

LAW JOURNALS: AS AN INDIANA LAW STUDENT, YOU WILL BE ELIGIBLE TO APPLY TO ONE OF OUR HIGHLY REGARDED LAW JOURNALS, WHICH WILL ENABLE YOU TO CONDUCT AND PUBLISH ORIGINAL LEGAL RESEARCH AS WELL AS EDIT WORK BY PROMINENT LEGAL SCHOLARS.

Indiana Law Journal

The ILJ publishes original articles by a distinguished and diverse selection of authors that have included former United States Chief Justice William Rehnquist and US Solicitor General Seth Waxman. Students select, edit, and verify the accuracy and form of cited sources in the articles. The journal also publishes several student-written articles.

Indiana Journal of Constitutional Design

The Indiana Journal of Constitutional Design is the first journal devoted specifically to the emerging field of constitutional design. This new field examines the ways in which basic legal ordering shapes and is shaped by political, economic, and cultural conditions.

Indiana Journal of Global Legal Studies

The Indiana Journal of Global Legal Studies publishes articles by distinguished legal scholars focusing on globalization and international law. Each issue generally contains articles by authors from many different countries. Students edit and proofread articles and verify the accuracy and form of cited sources.

Indiana Journal of Law and Social Equality

The purpose of this journal is to serve as an interdisciplinary academic forum for scholars, practitioners, policy-makers, and students to contribute to society’s understanding of legal and policy issues concerning race, religion, gender, and class.

IP Theory

IP Theory is a peer-edited, online intellectual property law publication hosted by the Law School’s Center for Intellectual Property Research. It is neither law journal nor blog; it is a different sort of publication designed to occupy a niche between the two. IP Theory serves as a forum for essays, book reviews, and reviews of literature in IP and related fields.
Every student’s experience at Indiana Law is bound to be different, but there’s one common thread: a supportive, collegial environment where students work together toward mutual success. From day one, our students realize that the people sitting next to them in class will be their future colleagues (or opponents), and that it pays to treat them with dignity and respect, just as any legal professional should.

Because we are not an urban school with traffic and safety problems, students and faculty like to stay around after class, well into the afternoons and evenings. You’ll find them in the common areas of the library, along with the adjacent first floor lobby of Baier Hall, which serve as the school’s Student Union. On Fridays, you will hear students from IU’s acclaimed Jacobs School of Music perform in the lobby during our lunchtime Live from Baier Hall series.

One hallmark of the Indiana Law community is our large number of student organizations. Whether you are looking for networking opportunities, ways to serve the community, or just a little fun and relaxation, you will find something of interest:

- Access to Justice
- Advocates for Life
- Alternative Dispute Resolution Organization
- American Constitution Society
- Asian Pacific American Law Student Association
- Black Law Student Association
- Business and Law Society
- Christian Legal Society
- Church of the Evidence Fish
- Cybersecurity and Privacy Law Association
- Disabled Law Students Association
- Environmental Law Society
- Federalist Society
- Feminist Law Forum
- Health Law Society
- If/When/How
- Intellectual Property Association
- International Law Society
- Jewish Law Students Association
- Labor and Employment Law Society
- Latina Law Student Association
- LGBTQ+ Project
- Life Experience Then School
- Middle Eastern Law Students Association
- National Lawyers Guild
- OUTlaw
- Outreach for Legal Literacy
- Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity, John Adams Chapter
- Public Interest Law Foundation
- Sherman Minton Executive Advocacy Board
- Space Law Society
- Sports and Entertainment Law Society
- Student Animal Legal Defense Fund
- Student Bar Association
- Tax Law Society
- Women’s Law Caucus

Student life extends well beyond the walls of Baier Hall. Our signature social event, the Raphael M. Prevot, Jr. Barrister’s Ball, brings the community together for a formal evening out every spring. It is sponsored by our Black Law Students’ Association, voted best chapter in the Midwest.

In addition, the IU Bloomington campus presents a world of cultural and athletic opportunities, from Big Ten sports to opera and musicals. Biking, boating, hiking, and camping are just minutes away. And Indianapolis, with its trendy downtown and #15 restaurant-city ranking, is only an hour north of campus. All of this is surprisingly affordable: You can live in Bloomington for much less than other comparable cities and college towns.
WELCOME TO BLOOMINGTON

NESTLED IN THE ROLLING HILLS OF SOUTHERN INDIANA, BLOOMINGTON IS HOME TO 85,000 RESIDENTS AND SERVES AS A HOME AWAY FROM HOME FOR THOUSANDS OF INDIANA UNIVERSITY STUDENTS AND ALUMNI WHO CHERISH THE DYNAMIC ENERGY, SPECTACULAR SCENERY, WORLD-CLASS EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES, BIG TEN SPORTING EVENTS, THRIVING LOCAL BUSINESSES, VIBRANT ARTS SCENE AND UNIQUE SHOPPING AND DINING EXPERIENCES OFFERED THERE.

BLOOMINGTON'S ADMITTEDLY UNIQUE CHARACTER WELCOMES ALL TO PARTICIPATE IN COMMUNITY BUILDING. OUR FRIENDLY, SAFE AND INVITING ENVIRONMENT EMBRACES VISITORS AND IDEAS FROM ACROSS THE GLOBE. BLOOMINGTON IS A CITY OF BOTH DREAMERS AND DOERS.

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Bloomington by the numbers

1

#1 city for work-life balance
(Forbes)

3

#3 most beautiful college campus
(Condé Nast Traveler)

3

#3 the decade's hottest schools
(The Daily Beast
[10 Bloomington])

6

#6 best college town
(Business Insider)

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#6 best college town to live in forever
(College Ranker)

100

Perfect score on the Human Rights Commission's Municipal Equality Index
Cost of living index

(BLOOMINGTON = 100)

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An Indiana Law degree is your point of entry to a career with many options. Our alumni — whether five or 50 years out of school — bring honor and distinction to the profession in many ways: as solo practitioners, corporate counsel, large-firm associates, judges, entrepreneurs, and in public service. More than two dozen of them serve on our Young Alumni Steering Committee in 25 cities, ready to help you build your network and get settled after you graduate.

You will meet many of our alumni while you’re still in school. Nearly 900 volunteer in other ways in support of your success — as moot court judges, adjunct professors, and speakers at various events throughout the year. They also provide support as networking contacts and informal mentors.

Our Career Services Office will be at your service during your time in Bloomington and beyond. A team of professionals will help you analyze your options, perfect your résumé, and prepare for interviews. Every year more than 70 firms recruit from major cities, including Chicago, Cincinnati, Detroit, Indianapolis, Minneapolis, and St. Louis. We can also connect you with other employers throughout the country, in a variety of settings.

You will also benefit from on-campus visits from alumni and other friends of the school through various career-oriented programs all year long. If you’re leaning toward public service, our innovative Washington, DC semester externship program offers you course credit while you work in public service and make connections for a full-time position after earning your degree.

Many students aren’t sure about their career goals when they start law school, and those goals can change. For this reason, the Career Services Office offers unique career exploration trips. Every year, students visit law firms and public interest and government organizations in Chicago, Washington, DC, and Indianapolis, where they engage in tours, networking, and panel discussions. Visits include elite firms in Chicago, every major firm in Indianapolis, and the Department of Justice and other federal agencies in Washington. These exploration trips help students sharpen their career focus while getting acquainted with potential employers.

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THESE EMPLOYERS REGULARLY RECRUIT OUR STUDENTS.

Bailey Cavalieri (Columbus, Ohio)
Barnes & Thornburg (Indianapolis, and South Bend, Ind.)
Barrett McNagy (Fort Wayne, Ind.)
Benders Mattox Backs & Salin (Fort Wayne, Ind.)
Burke Costanza & Carberry (Merrillville, Ind.)
Calfee Halter & Grissom (Cleveland, Ohio)
Chapman & Cutler (Chicago)
Church Church Hittle & Antrim (Noblesville, Ind.)
Cook County State’s Attorney’s Office (Chicago)
Cravath Swaine & Moore (New York)
De’Fur Voran (Fishers, Ind.)
Dentons Bingham Greenbaum (Indianapolis)
Dinsmore & Shohl (Cincinnati)
Faegre Drinker Biddle & Reath (Indianapolis)
Faruki Ireland & Cox Rhinehart & Dusing (Dayton, Ohio)
Foley & Lardner (Chicago)
Foster Swift Collins & Smith (Lansing, Mich.)
Fredrikson & Byron, P.A. (Minneapolis)
Frost Brown Todd (Cincinnati)
Goodwin Procter (New York)
Greensyke Lawyer (Indianapolis)
Hall Render Killian Heath & Lyman (Indianapolis)
Joe Miller (Indianapolis)
Indiana Attorney General’s Office (Indianapolis)
Indiana Department of Child Services (Indianapolis)
Jackson Kelly (Charleston, W. Va.)
Kirkland & Ellis (New York)
Knopp Martena, Olson & Bear (Irvine, Calif.)
Krieg DeVault (Indianapolis)
Legal Aid Society of Greater Cincinnati
Lewis Kappes (Indianapolis)
Lewis Roche Rothergater Christie (Phoenix, Ariz.)
Lewis Wagner (Indianapolis)
Locke Lord (Chicago)
Marion County Prosecutor’s Office (Indianapolis)
Mayer Brown (Chicago)
Michigan Court of Appeals (Grand Rapids, Mich.)
Nicolaides Pink Torpe Michaelides Sullivan (Chicago)
Office of the Public Defender, Ninth Judicial Circuit (Orlando, Fla.)
Ohio Attorney General’s Office (Columbus, Ohio)
Parr Richey Frandsen Patterson Kruse (Indianapolis)
Polsinelli (Kansas City, Mo.)
Proskauer Rose (Chicago)
Quarles & Brady (Indianapolis)
Reed Smith (Chicago)
Reinhart Boerner Van Deuren (Milwaukee, Wis.)
Reminger Company (Cleveland, Ohio)
Riley Bennett & Egleston (Indianapolis)
Rothberg Law Firm (Fort Wayne, Ind.)
Rothwell, Figg, Ernst & Manbeck, P.C. (Washington, DC)
Saul Ewing Arnstein & Lehr (Philadelphia, PA)
Schiff Hardin LLP (Chicago)
Scopelitis Gervis Light Hanson & Feary (Indianapolis)
Smith Haughey Rice & Roegge (Grand Rapids, Mich.)
State Farm Companies (Bloomington, Ill.)
Stites & Harbison (Louisville, Ky.)
Stuart & Branigin (Lafayette, Ind.)
Taft Stettinius & Hollister (Indianapolis)
Thompson Hine (Cleveland, Ohio)
Tuesley Hall Konopa (South Bend, Ind.)
U.S. Army JAG (Fort Belvoir, Va.)
Warner Norcross & Judd (Grand Rapids, Mich.)

WHERE IS THE CLASS OF 2022 WORKING?

55% Law firms

20% Government

7% Clerkships

7% Public interest

5% Business and industry

1% Education
COME SEE US

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