Justice and Ethics in the Law Minor

REQUIREMENTS AND COURSE OFFERINGS

SIX courses:
TWO core courses in legal reasoning
TWO ethics-intensive courses
TWO electives within the program.

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Saint Joseph’s University’s Justice and Ethics in the Law minor encourages students to act as informed citizens in their personal and professional lives by understanding how justice is defined in various legal regimes and by comprehending the diverse ways in which ethics underlie legal systems. The minor achieves these objectives through course work in multiple disciplines that emphasizes critical thinking skills, considers definitions of justice in the context of legal systems, and explores the influence of ethical, economic, social, and political structures on law and the administration of justice.

Legal Reasoning (2 courses):
ALL minors must take two courses that expose students to logical reasoning, reading cases, writing briefs, and/or research.

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<th>College of Arts and Sciences (one course)</th>
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*You may take more than 2 legal reasoning courses and count them as electives.
*No more than three courses can be taken in the same department;
*No class may count twice as part of the minor.
Ethics and Electives: Take 2 ethics AND 2 electives (4 total)

*Red fulfills elements of the General Education Program.* Yellow Highlighted courses are NOT reflected in Catalogue and may need to be added manually.

**Accounting:**
ACC 422 Forensic Accounting (pre-req = AC 317 may be waived by chair)

**Communications:**
COM 473 Crime, Justice, and The Media

**English:**
ENG 429 Reading and Writing the Civil Rights Movement (writing intensive, diversity)
ENG 443 Writing and Environmental Justice (writing intensive)
ENG 444 Writing through Race, Class, and Gender
ENG 467 Ethics in Journalism or Communication and the Law
ENG 482 Inside/Out: Dimensions of Freedom
ENG 405 Henry VIII in Life and Literature (ethics intensive, writing intensive)
ENG 490 Journalism Internships
ENG 491 Community Service Internships
ENG 492 Editing Internships
(You must have any internship certified by the JEL director to count as JEL).

**Environmental Sciences:**
ENV 102 Environmental Theory and Ethics Seminar (ethics intensive) (pre-req = ENV105 or ENV106)

**History:**
HIS 204 Latin American-US Migration (ethics intensive)
HIS 319 Reform and Revolution in Europe 1500-1650 (Faith/Reason)
HIS 327 Transformations in Early Modern Europe (1400-1800)
HIS 329 Crime and Punishment in European History (1200-1840)
HIS 341 Genocide and Human Rights in the 20th Century (ethics intensive)
HIS 348 Witchcraft, Law, and the Supernatural in Early Modern Europe
HIS 384 The Civil Rights Movement in America
HIS 472 Justice and Rights in Europe: 500-1527 (writing intensive, ethics intensive)
HIS 472 Seminar in European History: The Inquisition (writing intensive, ethics intensive)
HIS 472 Seminar in European History: Rights and Justice in Medieval Europe (writing intensive, ethics intensive)
HIS 491 The Philadelphia Area Internship (You must have the internship certified by the JEL director to count as JEL.)

**Honors:**
HON 312 Civil Rights: Law and Society
HON/PHL 336 Violence & Non Violence (ethics intensive)
HON/MGT 361 Introduction to Law

**Interdisciplinary Health Services**
IHS 251 Health Care Law & Ethics
IHS 368/THE 368 Just Health Care Developing Nations Study Tour (ethics intensive)

**Linguistics:**
LIN 260 Language and the Law (ethics intensive)

**Management:**
MGT 360 Legal Environment of Business I (Legal Reasoning HSB)
MGT/HON 361 Introduction to Law (Legal Reasoning HSB)
MGT 362 Legal Environment of Business II (Legal Reasoning HSB)
MHC 360 Employment and Labor Law
LEO 210 Business Stakeholders and Ethics (ethics intensive)
LEO 310 Breaking News in Business Ethics (ethics intensive, writing intensive)
IBU 363 International Business Law
FBE 360 Entrepreneurial Law

Marketing:
MKT 352 Sports Law

Philosophy:
PHL 220 Logic or PHL 240 Symbolic Logic
PHL 256 Freedom and Determinism
PHL 262 Freedom, Citizenship, Culture (ethics intensive)
PHL 311 Philosophy of Law
PHL 320 Business, Society, and Ethics (ethics intensive)
PHL 330 Social and Political Philosophy (ethics intensive)
PHL 334 Ethics and Criminal Justice (ethics intensive)
PHL 336 Violence & Non Violence (ethics intensive)
PHL 338 Violence & Reconciliation in Northern Ireland (ethics intensive)
PHL 342 Inside/Out: Dimensions of Freedom

Political Science:
POL 150 Law, Student Liberties, and the Supreme Court (First Year Seminar)
POL 301 Law and Social Change (Legal Reasoning CAS)
POL 310 Constitutional Politics (Legal Reasoning CAS)
POL 311 Constitutional Law: Civil Rights & Liberties (Legal Reasoning CAS)
POL 312 Social Controversy and the Supreme Court (Legal Reasoning CAS)
POL 320 Injustice and the Law
POL 326 Protesting Inequality
POL 331 Latin American Politics (diversity)
POL 351 International Law & Organization
POL 367 Ethics of International Affairs (ethics intensive)
POL 370 The United Nations in Global Affairs
POL 407 Theories of Justice in the Twentieth Century (writing intensive)
POL 411-412 Washington Center (Semester or Summer in Washington DC)
POL 491 Philadelphia Area Internship (writing intensive)*
Washington Center (semester or summer in Washington D.C. some credits may apply to minor)*
* You must have the internship certified by the JEL director to count as JEL.

Psychology:
PSY 236 Ethics in Psychology (ethics intensive)

Sociology:
SOC 225 Introduction to American Criminal Justice
SOC 264 Criminal Courts and Criminal Procedure
SOC 345 Law and Social Policy (Legal Reasoning CAS)
SOC 368 Sociology of Law (Legal Reasoning CAS)
SOC 377 Inside/Out: Exploring Crime and Justice Behind the Walls
Sociology has internships offered through independent study that may accommodate law, justice, and ethics work. Internship must be certified by the JEL director.

Theology:
THE 366 Christian Medical Ethics (ethics intensive)
THE 368/IHS 368 Just Health Care Developing Nations (study tour) (ethics intensive, globalization)
THE 372 Technology Ethics (ethics intensive)
Questions?
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