

# Certificate Programs at Fordham Law School

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Take advantage of Fordham Law School's innovative certificate programs! Located in the heart of Manhattan, Fordham Law is just steps away from Lincoln Center for the Performing Arts, Central Park, and the theaters, clubs, museums, shopping, and restaurants that make New York City the nation's cultural capital.

Join us in the winter, summer, or fall to learn more about the U.S. legal system and to have a one-of-a-kind experience with a faculty that features some of the country's most prominent legal scholars.

*For non-Fordham housing options for all programs, visit [law.fordham.edu/nonjdhousing](http://law.fordham.edu/nonjdhousing).*

## FORDHAM LAW LEGAL ENGLISH INSTITUTE

*January-May or August-December*

Join our newest program, the semester-long Legal English Institute (LEI), and study the foundations of U.S. law and the U.S. legal system while developing your legal English and lawyering skills.

Participants may enroll in a non-credit option or receive credit to be applied toward the Fordham LL.M. degree.

### PROGRAM COST

- **Credit option:** Posted LL.M. tuition and fees
- **Non-credit option:** Introductory fee of \$6,000

*No on-campus housing is available for this program.*

### COURSES (subject to change)

- Introduction to the U.S. Legal System and Law Study
- Foundations of Private Law
- Working with Contracts
- Fundamental Lawyering Skills
- Legal Professional Persona
- Communication Pragmatics for Lawyers

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## FORDHAM LAW WINTER INSTITUTE

*January 3-11, 2018*

The Winter Institute provides an intensive introduction to the U.S. legal system.

Participants study side-by-side with master's students from around the world.

### PROGRAM COST

- \$1,500

*No on-campus housing is available for this program.*

### TOPICS COVERED (subject to change)

- Overview of the U.S. Legal System
- Reading, Briefing, & Analyzing Case Law
- U.S. Constitution: Articles & Amendments
- Constitutional Interpretation
- U.S. Judicial Systems: The Federal & State Courts
- Sources of Law
- Precedent and *Stare Decisis*
- Preparing a U.S. Style Resume and Cover Letter

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## FORDHAM LAW SUMMER INSTITUTE

*July 2-20, 2018*

Launched in 2007, the Fordham Law Summer Institute provides foreign-trained lawyers and students with an introduction to the U.S. legal system and various topics of U.S. law that are most important for lawyers in today's global economy.

### PROGRAM COST

- \$2,750

*Dormitory-style housing is available at Fordham Law School's Lincoln Center campus for an additional charge.*

### TOPICS COVERED (subject to change)

- Bankruptcy Law
- Civil Procedure
- Constitutional Law
- Contract Law
- Corporate Law
- Defamation and Privacy
- Evidence and Trial Practice
- Information Technology Law
- Intellectual Property Law
- International Arbitration
- Labor & Employment Law
- Tax Law & Policy
- U.S. Legal System  
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