Bachelor of Science in Paralegal Studies Pathway: WEST LOS ANGELES COLLEGE

To earn a bachelor’s degree from National University students must complete a minimum of 180 quarter units. Requirements include but are not limited to the university’s general education program (to include upper division and cultural diversity), the preparatory courses listed below, major core coursework and any additional courses necessary to fulfill overall program requirements.

The table below maps National University’s Foundation Paralegal courses to equivalencies identified at WEST LOS ANGELES COLLEGE. Click here for NU catalog and detail information about the program.

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<th>Equivalent Transfer Course</th>
<th>Preparatory Courses Required</th>
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<td>PALEGAL 10/010 - INTRODUCTION TO LAW AND LEGAL PROFESSION</td>
<td>PLA 210 Legal Theory &amp; Ethics</td>
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<td>BUS 31/031 - BUSINESS ENGLISH</td>
<td>PLA 211 English for Professionals</td>
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<td>PALEGAL 12/012 - TORT LAW</td>
<td>PLA 212 Torts</td>
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<td>PALEGAL 51/051 - LEGAL RESEARCH</td>
<td>PLA 213 Leg Res Wrtg-Briefing/Analysis</td>
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<td>PALEGAL 41/041 - CONTRACT LAW FOR PARALEGALS</td>
<td>PLA 214 Contracts</td>
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<td>PALEGAL 17/017 - LEGAL WRITING</td>
<td>PLA 215 Leg Res. Wrtg-Legal Memo</td>
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<td>PALEGAL 46/041 - TECHNOLOGY USE FOR PARALEGALS</td>
<td>PLA 216 Computers and The Law</td>
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<td>PALEGAL 19/019 - PROPERTY AND CREDITOR RIGHTS</td>
<td>PLA 217 Property</td>
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<td>No Course equivalency</td>
<td>PLA 218 Leg Res Wrtg. -Persuasive Wrtg.</td>
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Requirements for the Major (10 courses; 45 quarter units)

- PLA 303 - Law Office Administration
- PLA 318 - Remedies & Dispute Resolution
- PLA 325 - Litigation I
- PLA 329 - Corporations I
- PLA 333 - Criminal Law I
- PLA 426 - Litigation II
- PLA 430 - Corporations II
- PLA 434 - Criminal Law II
- PLA 495 - Objective Writing Capstone
- PLA 496 - Persuasive Writing Capstone

Upper Division Electives (6 courses; 27 quarter units)

Students must complete a minimum of 27 quarter units of electives to fulfill the upper-division unit requirements to earn the Bachelor of Science in Paralegal Studies. Students can select from the following recommended electives or choose from any upper-division course.

- LAW 402 - The Art of Negotiation
- LAW 430 - Constitutional Law
- LAW 440 - Comparative International Law
- ADR 400 - Alternative Dispute Resolution
- ADR 405 - Negotiation Fundamentals
- ADR 415 - Mediation Fundamentals
- ADR 430 - Ethics and Neutrality

Note: There requirements are subject to change. Please see National University's Online General Catalog for official record of requirements for the year you are admitted.

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