

# INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY CERTIFICATE



The Certificate in Intellectual Property (IP) Law Program gives students the skills necessary to thrive in the rapidly changing world of creations of the mind. Students will learn about legal issues and challenges involving intellectual property in biotechnology, computer science, media, sports and the arts.

Current J.D. students learn how to apply foundational legal concepts in diverse intellectual property settings, including litigation, transactional work and prosecution.

Georgia State Law's core IP courses, electives and various programmatic opportunities enrich our students' understanding of the many facets of the IP field and prepare students for successful careers as well-rounded, problem-solving lawyers who can adapt to new challenges.

## CURRICULUM

### REQUIRED COURSES

- Choice of either
  - LAW 7010 Administrative Law
  - LAW 7101 Corporations
- LAW 7158 Copyrights
- LAW 7417 Patent Law
- LAW 7478 Trademarks and Unfair Competition Law

### EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Students must complete the Intellectual Property Law Society's Student Mentoring Program.

### ELECTIVE COURSES

Students choose three courses from the elective course list.

15+

COURSES IN  
INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY  
& RELATED AREAS

NETWORK

WITH ALUMNI THROUGH  
THE GEORGIA INTELLECTUAL  
PROPERTY ALLIANCE

FACULTY  
ADVISING

TAILORED TO STUDENTS'  
PROFESSIONAL GOALS



## POTENTIAL CAREERS

- Copyright litigation
- Copyright registration
- Copyright licensing
- Copyright clearance
- Trademark prosecution
- Trademark portfolio management
- Trademark licensing
- Trademark clearance
- Trademark litigation
- Patent prosecution
- Patent litigation
- Patent licensing
- Patent portfolio management
- Museum work
- Media companies
- Sporting events and arena staff
- Television studios
- Motion picture studios
- Internet companies
- Arts organizations
- And others...

## HOW TO ENROLL

Georgia State Law students can enroll in the certificate by visiting [law.gsu.edu/certificateform](http://law.gsu.edu/certificateform).

## ATLANTA ADVANTAGE

**OUR LOCATION GIVES US AN EDGE.** Located in the heart of downtown with access to Atlanta’s landmarks, professional sports, global cuisine, cultural events and more.

### A FEW STEPS

- State Capitol
- Federal and state courts
- Atlanta Regional Commission
- Local, state and federal government agencies
- Major law firms and Fortune 500 companies
- Georgia State University Creative Media Industries Institute

### A FEW MILES

- AT&T
- Regional offices for Google, Pandora and Amazon
- Cox Communications
- Georgia Volunteer Lawyers for the Arts
- Woodruff Arts Center (third largest arts center in the country)
- CNN
- Georgia Institute of Technology (Georgia Tech)

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