

LEGAL ANALYTICS & INNOVATION CERTIFICATE



This is a time of revolutionary change in the way that the law is studied and practiced. Scholars, lawyers, data scientists and entrepreneurs are using machine learning, natural language processing and high-performance computing to analyze legal documents in completely new ways.

The Certificate in Legal Analytics & Innovation is offered through the College of Law Legal Analytics & Innovation Initiative. The certificate gives students an edge as law firms across the country adopt automation tools to achieve more just outcomes. The knowledge of lawyers and data scientists, combined with computer algorithms, can provide insights about what happened in the past and what may happen in the future.

CURRICULUM

REQUIRED COURSES

Students take 9 credits of required legal analytics courses (including 6 hours of experiential courses):

- LAW 7674 Legal Analytics I
- LAW 7675E/MSA 8350 Legal Analytics II
- LAW 7676E Applied Legal Analytics Lab

ELECTIVE COURSES

Students take a selection of analytics and law classes to complete the certificate.

WRITING REQUIREMENT

Students must complete a substantial writing project on a related topic.

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Students may participate in legal analytics extracurricular activities, such as:

- Attend workshops and boot camp training sessions
- Participate in additional client-focused data projects (“sprints”)
- Work with affiliated faculty as a GRA
- Pursue internship placements

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TECH HUB FOR JOB
GROWTH*

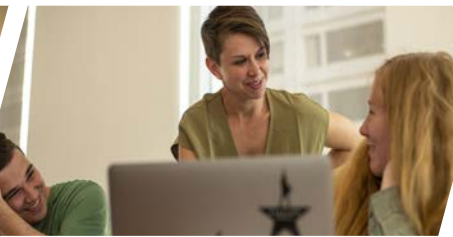
143,000

INVESTMENT COMPANY
DISCLOSURES EXAMINED

69,000

FEDERAL CASES
ANALYZED IN 2019

** Business Facilities 2019*



POTENTIAL CAREERS

- Attorney
- Strategic legal insights attorney
- Data privacy and security attorney
- Legal analyst
- Quantitative analyst
- Counsel, software & analytics
- Client data analyst
- Analytics & risk management

HOW TO ENROLL

Georgia State Law students can enroll in the certificate by visiting law.gsu.edu/certificateform.

Learning the foundations for data analysis has shown me an efficient method to resolve problems that almost all public interest organizations face.

– Laura Steinbach (J.D. '21)

ATLANTA ADVANTAGE

OUR LOCATION GIVES US AN EDGE. Located in the heart of downtown with access to Atlanta's vibrant, diverse and growing tech scene.

A FEW STEPS

- Coca-Cola, Georgia Pacific, Southern Company and other corporate headquarters
- State Capitol
- Federal and state courts
- Other local, state and federal government agencies

A FEW MILES

- Major law firms
- Numerous Fortune 500 headquarters
- 17,000 tech companies
- \$113.1 billion tech industry
- 1,250 multinational corporations

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