

UCI Law

Structural Change in Public Education Full-Time Externship

Contacts

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Credit Breakdown & Grading

| | Credits | Grade type |
|------------------|-----------|------------|
| Classroom | | |
| Seminar | 3 | A-F |
| Project | 10 | P/F |
| Total | 13 | |

Eligibility

A Maximum of 2 students from UCI Law can participate in CPRL per semester. Only 2L and 3L students can participate, but students can apply during their 1L year.

Tuition and Fees

Students do not pay extra tuition to participate in the program, students continue to pay tuition to your home institution. UCI Law students are required to pay Columbia the same facilities, student activities, and health services fees that Columbia students pay, which is approximately \$1,400 in total (fee amounts subject to change; see below for 2024-25 semesterly fee breakdown as an example). To account for this, non-Columbia universities and graduate programs with which CPRL partners typically waive their comparable fees for the semester in which their students are in residence at Columbia. If UCI Law will not waive these fees and you are having trouble covering the cost, please contact us at opscprl@columbia.edu. UCI Law students can apply for the CPRL Scholar Award and/or Housing Support via the [application](#) by the application deadline.

| Fee | Fee Amount (\$) | Payer |
|--|-----------------|--|
| Columbia Health & Related Services | \$694 | Visiting Student |
| Columbia Student Activities | \$170 | Visiting Student |
| Columbia University Services and Support | \$602 | Visiting Student |
| Student Health Insurance* | \$2,478 | Visiting Student, can be waived (cost varies per semester) |
| Total Fees: | \$3,944 | |

*All full-time domestic students and all international students, regardless of registered credits, are automatically enrolled in the Columbia Student Health Insurance Plan (the Columbia Plan). In order to request a waiver from mandatory enrollment in the Columbia Plan, students must have alternate coverage that meets the University requirements. Students must provide sufficient information regarding their alternate health insurance plan to allow independent verification that the alternate plan meets the University requirements.

Recent Alumni

Check out some of our recent alumni, don't hesitate to reach out directly or send us a note for an email introduction.

- Dana Matsunami, CPRL '22, dmatsun1@lawnet.uci.edu
- Anna Wood, CPRL '22, annawood430@gmail.com
- Adelaida Brown, CPRL '23, adelairb@lawnet.uci.edu