

 <b>FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY</b>	<b>NEW/CHANGE PROGRAM REQUEST</b> <b>Undergraduate Programs</b>	UUPC Approval <u>10-11-21</u> UFS Approval _____ Banner Posted _____ Catalog _____
	<b>Department</b> <sup>N/A</sup> <b>College</b> Wilkes Honors College	
<b>Program Name</b> Concentration in Law and Society	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>New Program</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Change Program</b>	<b>Effective Date</b> (TERM & YEAR) Fall 2021
<b>Please explain the requested change(s) and offer rationale below or on an attachment</b>  Under the Electives:  1) Allow "AMH 2010 or AMH 2020", but not both  2) Add the following courses to Electives: AMH 3630 H American Environmental History (3 cr), CLP 4143 H Psychopathology (3 cr), ECO 2023 H Intro to Microeconomics (3 cr), IDH 3610 H Law, Culture and Human Rights (1 cr), PHI 3653 H Ethics in Bus, Govt, Society (3 cr), PHI 3692 H Artificial Intelligence Ethics (3 cr), PHI 3633 H Biomedical Ethics (3 cr), PHI 3682 H Environmental Philosophy (3 cr), POS 4685 H American Legal Development (3 cr), POT 3113 H Politics and Morality in Film (3 cr), PSY 1012 H Intro to Psychology (3 cr), CCJ 2002 Law, Crime and Criminal Justice, CCJ 3014 Criminology, CCJ 4141 Restorative Community Justice, CCJ 4662 Race, Ethnicity and Criminal Justice, CCJ 4694 Human Trafficking, DSC 4012 Terrorism, CJE 4352 Policing in America, INR 3403 Internl Law, INR 3413 Internl Law of Peace and Diplomacy, INR 3433 Internl Law of Armed Conflict, POS 3703 Research Methods, POS 4697 US Environmental Law and Policy, PHM 3400 Philosophy of Law  3) Remove the following courses from the Electives: EVR 4930 H Environmental Disputes, POS 3734 H Research Methods in PolSci  The total number of credits for this concentration does not change.		
<b>Faculty Contact/Email/Phone</b>  Dr. Mark Tunick tunick@fau.edu 561-799-8670	<b>Consult and list departments that may be affected by the change(s) and attach documentation</b>	
<b>Approved by</b> Department Chair <u>Chris Strain</u> College Curriculum Chair <u>Carmen Canete Quesada</u> College Dean <u>Terje Hill</u> UUPC Chair <u>Daniel Medroff</u> Undergraduate Studies Dean <u>Edward Pratt</u> UFS President _____ Provost _____	<b>Date</b> 4/20/21 4/19/21 4/20/21 10-11-21 10-11-21 _____ _____	

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# CONCENTRATION IN LAW AND SOCIETY

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The concentration in law and society seeks to give students a deep understanding of the role law plays in resolving conflicts within and between societies and in realizing a just political order. The study of law and justice has a rich humanistic tradition and involves reflection on fundamental values from multiple perspectives. Students may address a variety of topics--such as abortion rights, civil rights, environmental protection, euthanasiaprivacy, ~~or~~ the insanity defense--by drawing on disciplines such as political science, sociology, philosophy, economics, literature, history, anthropology, the natural sciences, and psychology. Students also have the opportunity to enhance their communication skills by taking advantage of public speaking opportunities including participation in moot court.

The law and society concentration is excellent preparation for students intending to attend law school. It is not, however, a "pre-law" program. Law schools do not require applicants to have any prior knowledge of the law, and assume that students will learn all they need to know to practice law while in law school. The intention of the law and society concentration is not to provide the knowledge one acquires in law school about the "black letter law," or what the law is in a given jurisdiction, but rather to use the law as a focal point in the students' liberal arts education. Law schools seek applicants with strong critical thinking and communication skills and a commitment to the study of law; completion of a law and society concentration should demonstrate that these criteria are amply met.

Depending on their selection of courses and use of electives outside the concentration, students concentrating in law and society can be prepared to do graduate work in a number of disciplines such as political science, history, or sociology; students considering these options should consult faculty in those areas. A law and society concentration provides excellent preparation for law or business school or careers in fields such as journalism, public affairs, education, and government.

**Available Options:** Concentration in Law and Society; [Minor concentration](#)

## Advisory Board:

[Dr. Mark Tunick](#) | [Dr. Keith Jakee](#)

### CONCENTRATION IN LAW AND SOCIETY

Course #	Course Name	Credits
POS 3691	Honors Law in American Society	3
POS 4603 or POS 4604	Honors Constitutional Law I <i>or</i> Honors Constitutional Law II	3
	Electives ( <i>see below</i> )	24
IDS 4970	Honors Thesis in Law and Society	6
	Total Credits	36

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**Electives:** In addition to POS 3691 and one course in Constitutional law, concentrators must take 24 credits of elective courses with a substantial content in or bearing on law. Except by special petition, at least 12 credits of these must be 3000-level or above courses, and students are reminded that they need 45 credits of 3000 or 4000 level courses to graduate. Students choose from courses listed below. ~~Other FAU courses may be used only with approval of the Concentration Advisor.~~

Up to ~~9-6~~ of the 24 credits may be from courses that provide background within a discipline that is needed to pursue advanced courses in that discipline that have a substantial content in law or serve as preparation for the honors thesis: for example, ~~an honors introductory course in economics ECO 2023 (Honors Introduction to Microeconomics) can be counted if taken as that is a prerequisite for taking for~~ an upper-division course in ~~law and economics and law~~; or ~~an introductory course in psychology that PSY 1012, Honors Introduction to Psychology, may be counted if taken as a is a prerequisite for an upper division course on psychology and the law or that prepares the student to write a thesis on the insanity defense.~~

~~Courses used to satisfy the SBA or CIV requirements of the Honors Core can not be used towards this concentration.~~ Except by ~~special petition~~ approval of the concentration advisor, no more than ~~two~~ three non-Honors courses may be used to satisfy the requirements of the Concentration and they may be counted only when no equivalent course is offered at the Honors College. ~~In addition, non-honors courses must be approved by a member of the~~ Courses not on this list may be counted with approval of the concentration advisory board if not on the list of 'Boca electives' listed below.

*All students concentrating in law and society are strongly encouraged to participate in an internship or study abroad program with a substantial content in law.*

## ELECTIVES

Course #	Course Name	Credits
AMH 2010 <del>or</del> <del>AMH 2020</del>	Honors US History to 1877 <del>or US History Since 1877</del>	3
<del>AMH 2020</del>	<del>Honors U.S. History Since 1877</del>	<del>3</del>
<del>AMH 3630</del>	<del>Honors American Environmental History</del>	<del>3</del>
AMS 4332	Honors Violence in American Life	3
CLP <del>4144</del> <del>143</del>	Honors <del>Abnormal Psychology</del> <del>Psychopathology</del>	3
<del>ECO 2023</del>	<del>Honors Introduction to Microeconomics (only if taken as a prereq for ECP 3451)</del>	<del>3</del>
ECP 3451	Honors Law and Economics	3
EUH 3604	Honors European Intellectual History I	3
EUH 3607	Honors European Intellectual History II	3

Course #	Course Name	Credits
<del>EVR 4930</del>	<del>Honors Environmental Disputes</del>	<del>3</del>
HIS 1933	Honors Civil Rights Movement	3
IDS 3930	Honors Law in the Real World	1
<del>IDS 4933IDH 3610</del>	<del>Honors <u>Law, Culture and Human Rights</u>Anthropology and Law</del>	<del>1 or 3</del>
IDS 3932	<del>Honors Hijab: Women and Boundaries in Islamic Cultures</del> <u>Team taught course with an appropriate law content</u>	<del>1-3</del>
<del>IDS 4933</del>	<del>Team taught course with an appropriate law content</del>	<del>1-3</del>
ISS 4304	Honors Comput Social Sci	3
PHI 2642	Honors Ethics of Social Diversity	3
PHI 3644	Honors Obligations	3
<del>PHI 3653</del>	<del>Honors Ethics in Business, Government, Society</del>	<del>3</del>
<del>PHI 3692</del>	<del>Honors Artificial Intelligence Ethics</del>	<del>3</del>
<del>PHI 3633</del>	<del>Honors Biomedical Ethics</del>	<del>3</del>
PHP 3502	Honors Hegel's Political Philosophy	3
PHH 3100	Honors Ancient Greek Philosophy	3
<del>PHI 3682</del>	<del>Honors Environmental Philosophy</del>	<del>3</del>
POS 2692	Honors Punishment	3
POS 3675	Honors Moot Court	1 or 3
<del>POS 3734</del>	<del>Honors Research Methods</del>	<del>3</del>
POS 4603	Honors U.S. Constitutional Law I	3
POS 4604	Honors U.S. Constitutional Law II	3
POS 3626	Honors Privacy	3
POS 4206	Honors Political Psychology	3
POS 4609	Honors The Judiciary	3

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Course #	Course Name	Credits
<u>POS 4685</u>	<u>Honors American Legal Development</u>	<u>3</u>
POS 4932	Honors Race, Gender, Diversity and Law <u>On an appropriate topic with law content: may be repeated up to three times with different course topics</u>	3
<u>POS 4932</u>	<u>Honors Civil Rights &amp; Rule of Law</u>	<u>3</u>
<u>POS 4932</u>	<u>Honors Political Sociology</u>	<u>3</u>
<u>POS 4932</u>	<u>Honors Women and the Workplace</u>	<u>3</u>
POT 3021	Honors History of Political Theory	3
<u>POT 3113</u>	<u>Honors Politics and Morality in Film</u>	<u>3</u>
<u>PSY 1012</u>	<u>Honors Introduction to Psychology (if used as a prereq for an upper level law-related Psych class)</u>	<u>3</u>
SYG 1000	Honors Introduction Sociology	3
SYD 4792	Honors Race, Gender, Class, Sexuality and Science	3
SOP 3004	Honors Principles of Social Psychology	3
WST 4504	Honors Feminist Theory	3
WST 3015	Honors Introduction to Women's Studies	3
	<b>NON-HONORS ELECTIVES (No more than 3 may be counted towards the concentration; courses not on this list must be approved by the concentration advisor)</b>	
<u>CCJ 2002</u>	<u>Law, Crime and Criminal Justice</u>	<u>3</u>
<u>CCJ 3014</u>	<u>Criminology</u>	<u>3</u>
CCJ 4141	Restorative Community Justice	3
<u>CCJ 4662</u>	<u>Race, Ethnicity and Criminal Justice</u>	<u>3</u>
<u>CCJ 4694</u>	<u>Human Trafficking: Global Justice Issues</u>	<u>3</u>
DSC 4012	Terrorism	3
CJE 4352	Policing in America	3
INR 3403	International Law: Foundations and Institutions	3

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Course #	Course Name	Credits
JNR 3413	International Law of Peace and Diplomacy	3
JNR 3433	International Law of Armed Conflict	3
POS 3703	Research Methods	3
POS 4697	US Environmental Law and Policy	3
PHM 3440	Philosophy of Law	3

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## Minor Concentration in Law and Society

The Law and Society minor concentration is designed to offer students an understanding of the role law plays in resolving conflicts within and between societies and in realizing a just political order. The study of law and justice has a rich humanistic tradition and involves reflection on fundamental values from multiple perspectives. Students take 15 credit hours: at least 9 hours must be at the 3000 or 4000 level; 6 hours may be at a lower level. Students must have at least a 2.0 GPA in courses taken for the minor concentration. At least 50% of upper level credits must be from Honors College courses. No more than 1 class taken for the minor concentration may also be counted towards the student's concentration.

### Requirements:

- POS 3691 Honors Law and American Society (3 credits);
- POS 4603 Honors Constitutional Law I or POS 4604 Honors Con. Law II (3 credits);
- Three Law and Society electives from list below; other courses may be used as electives only with prior approval of Law and Society advisory board above; no more than 1 may be a non-honors course (9 credits).

## ~~MINOR CONCENTRATION IN LAW AND SOCIETY~~

Course #	Course Name	Credits
AMS 4332	Honors Violence in American Life	3
ECP 3451	Honors Law and Economics	3
HIS 1933	Honors The Civil Rights Movement	3
IDS 4933/DH 3610	Honors Anthropology and Law/Law, Culture and Human Rights	3
PHI 2642	Honors Ethics of Social Diversity	3

Course #	Course Name	Credits
PHI 3644	Honors Obligations	3
POS 2692	Honors Punishment	3
POS 4603	Honors U.S. Constitutional Law I	3
POS 4604	Honors U.S. Constitutional Law II	3
POS 3626	Honors Privacy	3
POS 4932	Honors Race, Gender, Diversity and Law	3
POS 4932	Honors Civil Rights & Rule of Law	3
POS 4932	Honors Women and the Workplace	3
POT 3021	Honors History of Political Theory	3

## HISTORY AND PHILOSOPHY ELECTIVES

Course #	Course Name	Credits
AMH 2010	Honors US History to 1877	3
AMH 2020	Honors U.S. History Since 1877	3
HIS 1933	Honors Civil Rights Movement	3
EUH 3604	Honors European Intellectual History I	3
EUH 3607	Honors European Intellectual History II	3
PHH 3100	Honors Ancient Greek Philosophy	3
PHI 3670	Honors Ethical Theory	3

## CULTURE AND SOCIAL THEORY ELECTIVES

Course #	Course Name	Credits
ANT 4930	Honors Islam in World Culture	3

<b>Course #</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Credits</b>
HDS 3932	Honors Hijab- Women and Boundaries in Islamic Cultures	3
HDS 4933	Honors Anthropology and Law	3
SYD 4792	Honors Race, Gender, Sexuality, Science	3
WST 3015	Honors Introduction to Women's Studies	3
WST 4504	Honors Feminist Theory	3
POS 4296	Honors Political Psychology	3
POS 4930	Honors Political Sociology	3
SYG 1000	Honors Introduction to Sociology	3