

# THE GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

WASHINGTON, DC

## College of Professional Studies

### Master of Professional Studies in Paralegal Studies

| Online |

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Welcome to Paralegal Studies. This is your program plan; it sets out what courses you need to take to complete your program of study. You are expected to take your courses as outlined in this plan. If you need to make any changes to your schedule of classes below, please contact your Program Director and Faculty Academic Advisor **Toni Marsh**. Graduate students must maintain a minimum cumulative grade point average of **3.0**.

The **Session** column refers to the part of the semester the course takes place

- **Session A** is the **first** eight weeks of the semester
- **Session B** is the **last** eight weeks
- **Session A/B** runs the **full** semester

Subject	Session	Course Length	Course Title	Credits
<b>Semester 1</b>				
PSLX 6210	A/B	16 Weeks	American Jurisprudence	3
PSLX 6211	A/B	16 Weeks	Legal Research and Writing	3
<b>Semesters 2 and 3 (Take these courses in the semester they are offered – two courses per semester)</b>				
PSLX 6223	B	8 Weeks	Contracts	3
PSLX 6212	A	8 Weeks	Litigation	3
PSLX 6224	B	8 Weeks	Advanced Legal Writing	3
PSLX 6225	A	8 Weeks	Business Entities	3
<b>Semesters 4 and 5 (Take these courses in the semester they are offered – two courses per semester – these courses are offered online only)</b>				
PSLX 6214	A	8 Weeks	Administrative Law	3
PSLX 6215	B	8 Weeks	Government Contracts Law	3
PSLX 6230	B	8 Weeks	Special Topics	3
PSLX 6227	A	8 Weeks	Intellectual Property Law	3
<b>Semester 6 (Capstone – Take these courses together in your last semester)</b>				
PSLX 6294	A/B	16 Weeks	Independent Research in Legal Studies	2
PSLX 6298	A/B	16 Weeks	Paralegal Practicum	0

**Total Program Hours: 32**