

PRE-LAW MINOR

Mission

The mission of the Pre-Law minor (<https://www.biola.edu/degrees/u/pre-law-minor/>) is to provide an interdisciplinary liberal arts-based introduction to courses in the law, government, and critical reasoning with an eye to Christian integration as a helpful start toward graduate work for Christians in law and related fields.

Curriculum Requirements

A Pre-law minor is offered with the completion of 18 credits.

Code	Title	Credits
Program Courses		
The Pre-Law student is required to take the following four courses, which represent the four respective core disciplines serving the pre-law minor.		
HIST 360	Economic History of the United States	3
or POSC 360	Economic History of the United States	
PHIL 210	Introduction to Logic	3
or PHIL 218	Introduction to Legal Reasoning and Logic	
POSC 250	Foundations of the American Political System	3
or POSC 256	Virtue, Citizenship, and Politics	
SOCI 336	Unequal Justice: Race, Class, Gender and Crime	3
Elective Courses		
Select 6 credits from any of the following courses:		6
HIST 307	The Colonial Period, American Revolution, 1607–1800	
or HIST 308	American Democracy, Civil War and Reconstruction, 1800–1877	
or HIST 401	The Rise of Modern America, 1877–1920	
or HIST 402	The United States Since 1920	
PHIL 308	Ethics	
or PHIL 440	Theoretical Wisdom: Philosophical Topics	
POSC 410	American Constitutional Law	
or POSC 420	Courts and Public Policy	
or POSC 430	Church and State Relations	
SOCI 333	Criminology	
or SOCI 350	Sociology of Violence	
or SOCI 352	Social Inequality: Race, Class and Gender	
Total Credits		18