

# American Laws and Justice

## Master of Science

### Description

The **Master of Science in American Laws and Justice** (MSALJ) degree program prepares professionals for careers in the justice system, businesses, government agencies, and NGOs. Students can complete one of two tracks: civil justice or criminal justice by completing 9 credits in that area.

CU's program is multidisciplinary, combining elements of advanced study in various civil and criminal justice disciplines with other cognate areas such as leadership, business, and technology.

### Electives:

Courses from MBA, MS Data Science, MA Leadership or MS Computer Science or other 700 level courses.

### Admissions Requirements

- A high school diploma or GED
- GPA of 2.0 or higher
- Official transcripts from all previously attended schools
- Completed application with Carolina University

### Graduation Requirements

In order to become a candidate for graduation a student:

1. Shall have completed a minimum of 30 credit hours at CU;
2. Shall have maintained a minimum academic average of C (higher for some programs);
3. Shall have passed all courses in his/her curriculum and made a C or better in key courses designated as essential in each program;
4. Shall have completed at least 24 of the final 30 hours with Carolina University.

### Courses

#### Professional Core (18 Credit Hours)

<a href="#">BUS 644 - Human Resources Law</a>	3 Credit Hours
<a href="#">INN 705 - Intellectual Property</a>	3 Credit Hours
<a href="#">JUS 700 - International Human Rights</a>	3 Credit Hours
<a href="#">JUS 701 - The American Legal System</a>	3 Credit Hours
<a href="#">JUS 705 - Criminal Justice Administration</a>	3 Credit Hours
<a href="#">JUS 710 - Evidence-based Practices in Law &amp; Justice</a>	3 Credit Hours
<a href="#">JUS 725 - Legal Theory</a>	3 Credit Hours
<a href="#">LEA 704 - Organizational Communication</a>	3 Credit Hours
<a href="#">LEA 705 - Conflict Resolution</a>	3 Credit Hours
<a href="#">MGT 542 - Managerial Accounting</a>	3 Credit Hours
<a href="#">MGT 660 - Negotiation and Conflict Management</a>	3 Credit Hours
<a href="#">POL 710 - The American Constitution</a>	3 Credit Hours
Electives	12 Credit Hours
<b>Master's Thesis/Project</b>	
<a href="#">RES650 - Master's Thesis/Project I</a>	3 Credit Hours
<a href="#">RES655 - Master's Thesis/Project II</a>	3 Credit Hours