University of Mississippi - Law Graduation Checklist

◊ 90 total hours in law course

*****The “ERN” (earned hours) total on your unofficial transcript and the number of hours you are currently registered for should equal 90 if you are graduating in the current term.

◊ 70 Graded Hours
At least 70 of the total 90 hours should be in classes that receive letter grades (grades other than Z and P). This total is calculated on the transcript.

***Any graded hours during the pass/fail semester of Spring 2020 count in final graded hour total.
***No more than 4 Z graded credit hours of the total 90 hours may come from co-curricular activities.
***Co-Curricular activities (law journals, moot court, trial advocacy, negotiation board, sports law review, journal of space law)

◊ 75 Regularly Scheduled hours

***Externships, co-curricular activities, and individual study do not count as “regularly scheduled” classes. Certain designated clinics do not count as “regularly scheduled” classes. A complete list of “course sections without schedules” are listed at the bottom of the calendar view schedule. It is rare that students fail to meet this requirement.

◊ 6 hours of Skills Credit

***The required 1L Winter Intersession course Law 590 counts as 3 hours of the Skills requirement. Skills courses are listed at the bottom of the calendar view schedule

◊ Writing course (2-3 credit hours)
Writing courses are listed at the bottom of the calendar view schedule

◊ Minimum 2.0 cumulative GPA

◊ Required courses
  o Law 503 Civil Procedure I (3 credits, one semester)
  o Law 507 Constitutional Law (3 credits, one semester)
  o Law 501 Contracts (4 credits, one semester)
  o Law 568 Criminal Law (3 credits, one semester)
  o Law 514 & 515 Legal Research and Writing I & II (6 credits, two semesters)
  o Law 504 Property (4 credits, one semester)
  o Law 502 Torts (4 credits, one semester)
  o Law 577 Civil Procedure II (3 credits, one semester)
  o Law 590 Contract Drafting and Negotiation (3 credits, winter intersession
  o Law 603 Legal Profession (3 credits, upper-level course)
  o Law 600 Evidence- (3 credits, upper-level course)
  o For student who finished their 1L year below a 2.8 GPA, Law 635 Criminal Procedure I, Law 754 Advanced Torts, Law 508 Constitutional Law II
  o For students who finish their 2L year below a 2.8 GPA, Law 591 Bar Exam Skills

◊ Intent to Graduate Form
Submit the Semester before you graduate