BETTER OPPORTUNITIES
Opportunity Pathways
Concentrations
Degree programs
Immersive experiences
Moot court
Law reviews
Honors program
Career services

BIGGER IMPACT
The Justice Center
Clinics
Field placements
Veterans Rights Fellowship
Government Law Center
Other centers
Pro Bono Society

LEARNING AT
ALBANY LAW SCHOOL
Curriculum
Writing assistance
Bar success
Campus life
Student organizations
Diversity and inclusion
Health and wellness
Scholarships

LIVING IN ALBANY
The Albany advantage
Capital Region highlights
Cost of living

ALUMNI NETWORK
Alumni Initiative in Mentoring
Notable alumni

ALBANY LAW SCHOOL
IN BRIEF
WE ARE ALBANY LAW.

What makes an Albany Law School student? It is the drive to lead. It is the willingness to seize opportunity. It is the desire to serve—to make an impact.

These traits have defined us since 1851. Our students choose Albany Law School because here they are empowered. Here, they are inspired. Here, they change lives. Here, they make connections far outside the classroom. Here, they become leaders, advocates, change-agents, problem solvers.

If this speaks to you, I hope will consider becoming an Albany Law student. Take a moment to browse these pages; learn more about what we have to offer. Good luck on your journey—and I hope to see you in our hallowed halls.

Alicia Ouellette
President and Dean
Class of 1994
BETTER OPPORTUNITIES

STRETCH BEYOND THE BOUNDARIES. AT ALBANY LAW SCHOOL, YOUR CLASSROOM IS NEW YORK STATE’S CAPITAL—ITS COURTROOMS, ITS LEGISLATIVE CHAMBERS, ITS AGENCIES, ITS THRIVING BUSINESS SECTORS. YOUR CLASSROOMS ARE IN OTHER CITIES AND EVEN OTHER COUNTRIES.

ALBANY LAW SCHOOL ENCOURAGES YOU TO EXPLORE FURTHER, AIM HIGHER, AND THINK BIGGER. AND THAT OPENS A WHOLE WORLD OF OPPORTUNITY.
CUSTOMIZE YOUR EXPERIENCE.

Opportunity Pathways

Bring your future into focus by choosing a pathway to the profession. Albany Law School’s Opportunity Pathways help organize and steer your journey, from orientation to employment in a chosen field. Chart your areas of study, find guidance through mentorship, gain internship and hands-on experiences, participate in related activities, and develop your professional identity. What awaits at the end? An extraordinary career.

The six Opportunity Pathways are:
- Business, Tax, and Financial Market Regulation
- Civil and Criminal Advocacy
- Government, Policy, and Public Service
- Health Law
- Innovation and Entrepreneurship
- Public Interest Law

Concentrations

Lay the academic groundwork to practice in a specific area of law. Many of Albany Law School’s optional J.D. concentrations align with one or more Opportunity Pathways.

The 17 concentrations are:
- Alternative Dispute Resolution
- Business Law
- Civil and Constitutional Rights
- Civil Litigation
- Criminal Law
- Cybersecurity and the Law
- Elder Law
- Environmental Law
- Family Law
- Government Law and Policy
- Health Law
- Intellectual Property
- International Law
- Labor and Employment Law
- Social Entrepreneurship and Law
- Tax Law
- Trusts and Estates Law
STUDY AT YOUR PACE.

For many students, earning a J.D. is a three-year process. But it’s not one-speed-for-all. Some want to accelerate to save a year of tuition and enter the workforce sooner. Those students can apply to Albany Law School’s two-year program, which includes intensive study through the summer sessions. Others see value in taking it slow—in those cases our four-year program is a great option. Albany Law School’s admissions counselors can help find the tempo that works for you.

MASTER YOUR FIELD.

Complement your J.D.: Albany Law School and partner colleges—including our affiliate institution, the University at Albany—offer dual law and master’s programs in several high-demand areas, including business administration, accounting, social work, and bioethics.

See page 28 for a list of degree programs.

Graduate degrees that meet your needs.

Albany Law School’s graduate programs include master’s degree, advanced certificate, and LL.M. degree tracks.

Study around your schedule by enrolling in one of our 100% online programs in Financial Compliance and Risk Management, Health Law and Compliance (certificate only), or Cybersecurity and Data Privacy—ranked most flexible in the country by OnlineMasters.com.

Or enroll in an on-campus program to advance your career in government affairs, intellectual property law, international law, health law (master’s and LL.M.), or U.S. law (for international law school graduates). You can also tailor an LL.M. curriculum to your practice area. Learn more at graduate.albanylaw.edu.
IMMERSE YOURSELF.

**Government Law Center Fellowship**

Build your professional identity and prepare for a distinguished career in public service through this unique curriculum and mentoring program. The Government Law Center Fellowship is different at each stage of law school: first-year fellows are given extracurricular opportunities to explore whether public service is right for them; upper-class fellows take specific courses that will help prepare them for public service, and then undertake an experiential capstone project that prepares them directly for practice.

**Innovation Intensive**

Have a hand in advancing the latest tech. Through the new Innovation Intensive apprenticeship clinic, students work on-site in SUNY Polytechnic Institute’s laboratories, tackling the legal issues of technology commercialization in such rapidly evolving areas as nanotechnology, quantum computing, and artificial intelligence.

**Entrepreneurship Law in Emerging Technologies**

Work directly with entrepreneurs, identify their legal challenges, and find solutions. In this hybrid course, students learn the basics of entrepreneurship law and then team up to assist real-life “Idea Champions” with their marketable ideas.

**Sandman Fellowship**

Refine your policy skills while adding to an impressive body of research in aging and health law. For more than two decades, Edgar ’46 and Margaret Sandman Fellows have been producing in-depth legal research and analysis for law- and policymakers nationwide.
GO EXPLORING.

Semester in Practice
Spend a semester working at an approved placement for academic credit. Students in this program have interned at the White House, Pfizer, Federal Defender Service of Tennessee, federal judges’ chambers, and the New York State Attorney General’s Office.

City Semester
Build your network in a community where you might want to work after graduation. The City Semester program gives students the opportunity to study outside the Capital Region of New York State—in cities such as New York City, Washington, D.C., and Boston—through a blend of online and field-placement courses.

Summer in Practice
Earn academic credit between semesters at a judicial, governmental, or law office. Students have the option of a full-time placement for six credits or a part-time placement for four credits.

International Internships
Looking to go global? Through the New York State Bar Association’s Law Student International Internship Program, students from Albany Law School have gained work and cultural experiences in locations such as Vienna and San Jose.

“The Law Student International Internship Program is a great opportunity to get your foot in the door in the field of international law. I’m ecstatic to get to travel to London ... it was actually my first choice of places where I would want to work abroad.”

—Omar Andrew Nimri ‘20
LEVEL UP.

Anthony V. Cardona ’70 Moot Court Program

Hone your courtroom skills. Compete against your classmates. Represent Albany Law School at some of the most prestigious regional, national, and international competitions. Albany Law School’s robust moot court program provides intensive training in legal research, analysis, writing, and oral advocacy, as well as superb networking opportunities for participants.

COMPETE IN:

Trial advocacy | Negotiation | Client counseling

Law Reviews

Collaborate with legal scholars from around the world. Student-edited publications give you the opportunity to engage with scholarship and arrange symposia on pressing legal topics.

Albany Law Review

Contributes critical and analytical thought leadership by judges, lawyers, professors, and other scholars.

Albany Law Journal of Science and Technology

Examines the application and development of the law as it relates to science and technology.

Albany Government Law Review

Publishes scholarly articles centered on current government and public policy issues.

Honors Program

Enhance your law school experience. Albany Law School’s Honors Program offers exclusive educational and professional opportunities, including invitations to interact with influencers in the legal community—judges, trustees, and other prominent alumni and professionals. This program is open to select entering students who have demonstrated exceptional ability, outstanding achievement, and inherent capacity to make important contributions to the field of law.
ACHIEVE YOUR GOALS.

Career and Professional Development Center

Start charting your path with a career counselor on Day 1. The Career and Professional Development Center offers personalized services, fostering in students a mindset of career education and exploration. In the process, you will develop professionalism, self-awareness, resourcefulness, resilience, ethical decision-making, and confidence—skills that lead to successful employment outcomes.

First-year students participate in a professional networking event at orientation. Also in the first year, you will be assigned a career counselor and faculty advisor, and you may participate in our Alumni in Mentoring program. (See page 26.)

CAREER AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

- Individualized career counseling and planning
- Job search skills: resume and cover letter writing, networking, and other essentials
- Interview coaching
- On- and off-campus interviews
- Alumni practitioner luncheons, panels, and networking events
- Employer information sessions

CLASS OF 2018* GRADUATES WORK IN:

*J.D. program
BIGGER IMPACT

GO BEYOND THE TEXTBOOK. EFFECT CHANGE IN THE LIVES OF UNDERREPRESENTED CLIENTS BY PERFORMING LEGAL WORK THROUGH THE JUSTICE CENTER, LEND NEIGHBORS A HELPING HAND WITH THE PRO BONO SOCIETY, OR SHAPE POLICY BY RESEARCHING CRITICAL ISSUES FOR THE GOVERNMENT LAW CENTER.

AT ALBANY LAW SCHOOL, YOU WILL GAIN REAL-WORLD, HANDS-ON EXPERIENCE—AND YOU WILL FIND AMPLE OPPORTUNITIES TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE.
CHANGE LIVES.

The Justice Center

Make a lasting difference for underrepresented clients through The Justice Center at Albany Law School. Each year, students in our award-winning clinics represent hundreds of individuals and groups who cannot afford or have no access to legal representation. Students work on actual cases under the close supervision of staff and faculty members, conducting research, interviewing clients, negotiating, arguing before judges, closing deals, and trying cases in court or before administrative tribunals.

In-House Clinics

- Community Development Clinic
- Domestic Violence Prosecution Hybrid Clinic
- Family Violence Litigation Clinic
- Health Law Clinic
- Immigration Law Clinic

Apprenticeships

- Attorney General Litigation Bureau Practicum
- Innovation Intensive: The Technology Commercialization Apprenticeship Program
- Mediation Apprenticeship Clinic

Field Placements

Receive academic credit, gain experience, assist others, and set yourself up for success. Choose one (or several) of more than 140 attorney-supervised field placements in:

- Public interest advocacy
- Not-for-profit organizations
- Criminal defense and prosecution
- Government agencies
- Law firms
- Science and technology companies
- Judicial chambers

Veterans Rights Fellowship

Build the skills to secure the legal rights of veterans, service members, and their families. Albany Law School’s Veterans Rights Fellows receive a stipend for a 10-week internship in an otherwise unpaid position. Past placements include the North Atlantic District of the Department of Veterans Affairs and the U.S. Navy JAG Corps.
When it comes to preparing students for government law careers, *preLaw magazine* says Albany Law School is among the best in the country. (For public interest and criminal law careers, too.)
Government Law Center

JOIN THE NEXT GENERATION OF LEADERS IN PUBLIC SERVICE

The Government Law Center at Albany Law School provides the nonpartisan legal research and analysis that state and local governments need to better serve their communities. By bringing together a diverse and inclusive group of lawyers, law students, scholars, and community partners, the Government Law Center prepares students for careers as skilled and leading attorneys in public service while informing nationwide conversations on government and the law.

Government Law Center Fellowship

GLC Fellows undergo a three-year training process with specially tailored academic programs that prepare them to participate in the Government Law Center’s work. They then work with staff attorneys and affiliated faculty and community partners to help produce the Center’s research, publications, and special events. (See page 6.)

Other Centers

Students contribute to the success of many Albany Law School centers.

- Center for Excellence in Law Teaching
- Center for Judicial Process
- Cybersecurity and Privacy Law Center
- Institute for Financial Market Regulation
- Saratoga Institute for Equine, Racing, and Gaming Law

Damara Fredette ’19 had no idea what form her role as a Government Law Center Fellow would take when she first joined the GLC in her 1L year. Her exposure to the inner workings of government has been put to incredible use. Damara used these experiences in her fight against sex trafficking and lobbied for a bill which passed in both houses of the state Legislature. “I have developed connections with the Government Law Center Advisory Board and its staff, drawing mentorship, support, and invaluable advice throughout my time as a Fellow.”
At Albany Law School, students have ample opportunities to make a difference through student-led initiatives.

**Pro Bono Society**

Make a meaningful contribution by joining an existing pro bono project—or organize your own based on your interests. Albany Law School’s dynamic Pro Bono Society helps countless community members by providing:

- Tax assistance to low-income families
- Legal education workshops for senior citizens and veterans
- Information on eviction defense to tenants
- Legal research for civil rights organizations
- Voting rights information and registration support to prisoners
- And more

**Recent Pro Bono Society projects:**

- Albany County Family Court Help Desk
- Elder Law Project
- International Refugee Assistance Project (IRAP)
- Immigration Project
- LGBT Rights Project
- Matrimonial and Family Law Project
- Prisoners’ Rights Project
- Kinship Care Project
- Labor Law and Workers’ Rights Project
- Student Animal Legal Defense Fund
- Veterans’ Rights Project
- Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) Project
- Young Advocates

**IMPACT BY THE NUMBERS**

- **52,000** hours of pro bono and public service work by the class of 2019
- **11,000** pro bono hours contributed through the Justice Center’s in-house clinics
- **300+** detained migrants helped by students in the Immigration Law Clinic in 2018-2019
- **100+** senior citizens each year who attend free student-organized workshops
- **12+** active Pro Bono Society projects—and counting
BUILD THE FOUNDATION.

J.D. Curriculum: The First Year*

Your first year includes required courses that form the cornerstone of a legal education.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Fall</th>
<th>Spring</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Contracts I</td>
<td>Contracts II</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Federal Civil Procedure</td>
<td>Constitutional Law</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Property I</td>
<td>Property II</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Torts</td>
<td>Criminal Law</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Introduction to Lawyering</td>
<td>Introduction to Lawyering</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

All students in their first year take Introduction to Lawyering, which combines legal research, legal writing, clinical methodology, and professional skills development to introduce what lawyers do and how the legal system works. In this yearlong course, you will represent a plaintiff or defendant in a simulated lawsuit, from initial client interview to appeal.

J.D. Curriculum: The Second and Third Years

2Ls are required to take Evidence and Constitutional Law II: First Amendment. After that, you have the opportunity to shape your course of study and integrate a range of other experiences to help you reach your professional goals.

*Students in the two- and four-year programs have modified schedules. Contact Albany Law School’s admissions office to learn more.
Writing Assistance Program

This program is available to all students who would like help with written assignments, which can include class papers, law review articles, cover letters, or writing samples.

Bar Success

The bar exam is the final test for becoming an attorney. Albany Law School offers an intensive bar prep program including a diagnostic exam for 2Ls and two Advanced Legal Analysis classes: one involving the analysis of cases from the perspective of multiple bar subjects, and the other to be taken in a student’s final semester as a head start on full-time bar exam preparation. In the weeks preceding the bar exam, graduates can attend daily Q&A lunches—where areas of concern are addressed in detail—as well as several exam-style workshops.

Graduate Program Curriculum

Albany Law School’s graduate programs—master’s, LL.M., and advanced certificate—have multiple start dates throughout the year: six for online students; three for residential students.

Visit graduate.albanylaw.edu for details.
The words supportive, encouraging, and close-knit don’t always come to mind when you think of law school. That is the Albany Law School difference. From the administration to faculty to your fellow students, we all root for each other. Need to talk? We’re listening. Need help? It is available and accessible.

**LIVE THE (CAMPUS) LIFE.**

Albany Law School shares a 50-acre campus with three other colleges. Walkways and green spaces connect the law school with Albany Medical College, Albany College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences, and Sage College of Albany. Together, the schools attract students from across the country and around the world with diverse interests and backgrounds that enrich the intellectual and social environment for all.

Campus amenities include a fitness center, athletic fields, gymnasiums, an art gallery, and the three-story, 53,000-square-foot Schaffer Law Library.

**GET INVOLVED.**

Connect with your classmates. Elevate our campus culture and community. Student organizations play a key role at Albany Law School, hosting events such as conferences, symposia, and informal sessions on a range of legal topics. Organizations can change from year to year; students often create new groups based on their own interests—academic, athletic, or social.
Student Organizations

- Asian Pacific Law Students Association
- Black Law Students Association
- Business Law Society
- Cardozo Legal Society
- Chord Adjourned
- Criminal Law Society
- Deck Hockey
- Democrats at Albany Law
- Environmental Law Society
- Federalist Society
- Gaelic Law Society
- Health Law Society
- Intellectual Property Law Society
- International Law Society
- Intramural Basketball
- Italian American Law Students Association
- Latin American Law Students Association
- Muslim Law Students Association
- OUTLaw
- Phi Alpha Delta
- Pro Bono Society
- Real Estate Law Society
- Rugby Club (Women’s and Men’s)
- Student Bar Association
- Student Lawyers Guild
- Soccer Club
- Women’s Law Caucus
- Yoga and Wellness Clubs

Visit us!

See it for yourself! Tour our beautiful, historic campus in upstate New York—sit in on a first-year class, walk the halls with a student ambassador, and have an informational interview with an admissions representative.

To schedule a campus tour, contact the Office of Admissions at admissions@albanylaw.edu or (518) 445-2326.
“We want to make sure we leave no stone unturned in making this the most inclusive school ever.”

—Troy Riddle, Assistant Dean for Diversity and Inclusion
BE AMONG ALLIES.

Commitment to Diversity and Inclusion

Diversity is the range of human differences, including—but not limited to—race, ethnicity, gender, gender identity, sexual orientation, age, social class, physical ability or attributes, religious or ethical values system, national origin, and political beliefs. At Albany Law School we believe embracing our differences makes us better. To that end, we are committed to:

- the recruitment, retention, and support of a diverse student body;
- creating opportunities to engage our differences by promoting inclusive programming and networking opportunities;
- and sustaining an environment of inclusive excellence in which students, faculty, and staff alike can thrive.

ACBA Diversity Internship Program

Through the Albany County Bar Association Diversity Internship Program, hundreds of Albany Law School students have received paid internships at law firms in the Capital Region. The program has received awards from the New York State Bar Association and the American Bar Association for its mission to broaden opportunities for minority law students by exposing them to practice in a private law firm setting.

PERFORM AT YOUR PEAK.

Health and Wellness

Albany Law School’s Health and Wellness Program promotes the academic, physical, financial, emotional, and social health of all our students. Wellness initiatives include free, confidential counseling services, and other support services; meditation, yoga, and other recreational activities; educational programming on a variety of health and wellness issues; and more.

Scholarships at Albany Law School

Albany Law School is serious about providing access to legal education. Last year, more than 70% of first-year students received scholarships—up to full tuition.

WE RISE TOGETHER

That commitment is more evident than ever with We Rise Together: The Campaign for Albany Law School, an historic fundraising initiative through which six endowed scholarships have been created—with more on the way. Learn more at albanylaw.edu/RiseTogether.
LIVING IN ALBANY

LIVE THE (CAPITAL REGION) LIFE.

Whether you prefer urban, suburban, or rural living, the Capital Region accommodates all lifestyles. Theater, sports, museums, outdoor activities—there’s something for everyone.

Albany, New York State’s capital and the heart of Tech Valley, offers students an exceptional quality of life through its cultural, culinary, and commercial institutions, as well as its proximity to popular destinations in the Adirondacks, Hudson Valley, and Western Massachusetts.

Albany Law School is located in a prime section of the city—near the eclectic Center Square and Lark Street neighborhoods—with restaurants, coffee shops, boutique shopping, and Washington Park all within walking distance. Also nearby are the Capitol, the Justice Building, the New York State Bar Association headquarters, and the Court of Appeals—New York’s highest court—not to mention the Egg, the Palace, and the Times Union Center performing arts venues.

Capital Region at a Glance

- 200+ restaurants
- 30 music/performance venues
- 15+ higher education institutions
- 13 museums
- 10+ D-1, pro, and semi-pro sports teams
- 5 state parks
Albany was named one of the top 30 “best places to live” in the country by *U.S. News & World Report* in 2019, outranking all other metro areas in New York State thanks to its high scores in value, job market, and quality of life.

Cost of Living

Albany is amazing—and affordable. Many students find housing through the lists we provide and our roommate notification system. Others live in the UH College Suites, located on the school’s shared campus.

**ESTIMATED EXPENSES FOR ROOM AND BOARD AND COST OF LIVING (2019-20*):**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Category</th>
<th>Cost</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Rent and utilities</td>
<td>$8,300</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Food</td>
<td>$2,500</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Transportation</td>
<td>$1,400</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Personal</td>
<td>$2,100</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Loan fees</td>
<td>$ 988</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

*For an individual living on his or her own over a nine-month period.
ALUMNI NETWORK

GET CONNECTED.

The Albany Law School experience is made more powerful by the National Alumni Association network—more than 10,000 members strong. Alumni step up to support our students by providing mentorship and professional opportunities. Take advantage—and get connected.

Alumni Initiative in Mentoring

Mentoring for law school. Guidance for life. First-year students can sign up for a unique mentorship experience through the revamped Alumni Initiative in Mentoring (AIM) program.

The AIM program offers small group mentorship sessions, one-on-one matching, guest speakers, networking events, and a monthly newsletter to spark discussion with your mentor.

What will you gain? Valuable, real-world insights for success, both during and after law school—and a connection that could last a lifetime.
Notable Albany Law School Alumni: Lawyers, Leaders, Pioneers

William McKinley 1867
25th President of the United States
Robert H. Jackson 1912
Former Justice, U.S. Supreme Court
Anthony Brindisi ’04
U.S. Congressional Representative
Andrew Cuomo ’82
Governor, New York State
Richard Eaton ’74
Senior Judge, United States Court of International Trade
Marie Francois ’99
General Counsel, Ford Models
Michael Garcia ’89
Associate Judge, New York State Court of Appeals
Elizabeth Garry ’90
Presiding Justice, New York State Supreme Court, Appellate Division, Third Department

James Campbell Matthews 1870
First African American judge in New York State
David McCraw ’92
Vice President and Deputy General Counsel, New York Times
Richard Parsons ’71
Former Chair, Citigroup; former Chair and CEO, Time Warner
Leslie Stein ’81
Associate Judge, New York State Court of Appeals
Kate Stoneman 1898
First woman admitted to the New York State bar
Joanna Torsone ’75
Executive Vice President and Chief HR Officer, Pitney Bowes
Thomas Vilsack ’75
Former U.S. Secretary of Agriculture; former Governor, Iowa
Lee Zeldin ’03
U.S. Congressional Representative
ALBANY LAW SCHOOL IN BRIEF

Degree Programs

JURIS DOCTOR (J.D.)
- Two-, three-, and four-year courses of study
- Six Opportunity Pathways; 17 concentrations

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN LEGAL STUDIES (M.S.L.S.)
- Cybersecurity and Data Privacy (100% online)
- Financial Compliance and Risk Management (100% online)
- Government Affairs and Advocacy
- Health Law and Healthcare Compliance

MASTER OF LAWS (LL.M.)
- Advanced Legal Studies
- Cybersecurity and Data Privacy (100% online)
- Financial Compliance and Risk Management (100% online)
- Governmental Administration and Regulation
- Health Law
- Intellectual Property Law
- International Law
- LL.M. for International Lawyers

ADVANCED CERTIFICATE
- Cybersecurity and Data Privacy (100% online)
- Financial Compliance and Risk Management (100% online)
- Health Law and Compliance (100% online)

DUAL AND COLLABORATIVE DEGREE PROGRAMS
OFFERED IN CONJUNCTION WITH PARTNER COLLEGES
- J.D./Master of Arts in Criminal Justice
- J.D./Master of Arts in History
- J.D./Master of Arts in Women’s, Gender, and Sexuality Studies
- J.D./Master of Business Administration
- J.D./Master of Business Administration in Healthcare Management
- J.D./Master of Public Administration
- J.D./Master of Public Health
- J.D./Master of Regional Planning
- J.D./Master of Science in Accounting
- J.D./Master of Science in Bioethics
- J.D./Master of Social Work

AFFILIATION WITH THE UNIVERSITY AT ALBANY

Albany Law School and the University at Albany work together to collaborate on programs and activities for the benefit of students at both schools. The affiliation allows Albany Law School—small and independent—to draw on the strengths of a major research university.

These collaborative programs and courses center on: financial markets; law and history; law and cybersecurity; law and community development; social entrepreneurship; justice and health; drone law; women’s, gender, and sexuality studies; and much more.
TUITION
$49,624

CHARACTER
Hallmarks of an Albany Law education include a supportive learning environment, a broad array of opportunities and hands-on experiences, and programs in which students make an immediate, real-world impact.

LOCATION
Albany Law School is the only law school in the capital city of New York State. The school takes full advantage of its location, as the hometown law school of New York’s highest court, Albany-area federal courts, the state Legislature, and the Capital Region’s strong and diverse business sector.

FACULTY
Faculty have earned distinction as practicing lawyers, legal scholars, and skilled educators.
Visit albanylaw.edu/faculty to learn about our professors and their accomplishments.

CENTERS
- Center for Excellence in Law Teaching
- Center for Judicial Process
- Cybersecurity and Privacy Law Center
- Government Law Center
- Institute for Financial Market Regulation
- The Justice Center
- Saratoga Institute for Equine Racing, and Gaming Law

SCHOLARSHIP AND FINANCIAL AID
- More than 70% of students receive scholarships, up to full tuition
- Total offered (2018-19): $19.5 million

ACCREDITATION
- American Bar Association
- Middle States Commission on Higher Education (candidate status)

APPLYING TO ALBANY LAW SCHOOL
- Visit albanylaw.edu/admissions
- Select your program to learn more about application instructions, deadlines, and requirements.

QUESTIONS?
Albany Law School’s Office of Admissions is dedicated to assisting you through the application process. We are available to answer your questions—contact us at admissions@albanylaw.edu or (518) 445-2326.
ABA ACCREDITATION
Albany Law School is approved by the Council of the Section of Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar of the American Bar Association, 321 North Clark Street, Chicago, IL 60654, (312) 988-6738.

MIDDLE STATES COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION
Albany Law School is a Candidate for Accreditation of its LL.M. and M.S.L.S. programs by the Middle States Commission on Higher Education, an institutional accrediting agency recognized by the U.S. Secretary of Education and the Council for Higher Education Accreditation.

MEMBER
Association of American Law Schools
1201 Connecticut Avenue NW, Suite 800, Washington, D.C. 20036
(202) 296-8851