About Abraham Lincoln University

Located in Los Angeles, ALU began in 1996 as one of California’s first distance education law schools. Today, ALU is an accredited, student-centered online university providing flexible, affordable and high quality undergraduate and graduate degrees and diploma programs with a focus in law, business, arts and sciences and information technology.

Abraham Lincoln University is accredited by the Distance Education and Training Council. The DETC Accrediting Commission is listed by the U.S. Department of Education as a nationally recognized accrediting commission.

Committee of Bar Examiners of the State Bar of California

The School of Law is registered with the Committee of Bar Examiners (CBE) of the State Bar of California as an unaccredited distance learning law school. ALU’s authority to grant a Juris Doctor (J.D.) degree, which qualifies graduates to take the California Bar Examination, is through the Committee of Bar Examiners. ALU students who successfully complete the first year of law study must pass the First-Year Law Students’ Examination (FYLSX).

Graduates from the ALU School of Law Juris Doctor program who meet all bar requirements will qualify to take the California Bar Examination. Students intending to seek admission to practice law in a jurisdiction other than California should contact the admitting authority in that jurisdiction prior to enrolling at ALU.

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As a longtime civil litigator, former federal criminal prosecutor and legal educator, I welcome the opportunity to answer any questions that you may have about ALU degree programs. Whether your interest is in paralegal studies, legal studies, or the School of Law Juris Doctor program, the ALU faculty and staff are fully committed to support you. It is our privilege to provide online, high-quality, affordable academic programs and personalized services to students entering or advancing their career in the legal professions.

Carole J. Buckner, Dean of School of Law

Online Degrees & Programs

School of Law

Professional Degree
(140 quarter credit hours)
- Juris Doctor (Law)

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Diploma Programs
(30 semester credit hours)
- Paralegal Studies
- Criminal Justice

Associate Degrees
(60 semester credit hours)
- Paralegal Studies
- Criminal Justice
- Business Administration
- General Studies

Bachelor’s Degrees
(120 semester credit hours)
- Legal Studies
- Criminal Justice
- Business Administration
- General Studies

Master’s Degrees
(36 semester credit hours)
- Criminal Justice
- Business Administration
- Information Technology

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Experience the Abraham Lincoln University School of Law Difference

- Curriculum. Prepares students to take the California state bar examinations using the same case books as most ABA law schools – designed to fit a busy schedule.

- Technology. Curriculum may be accessed live online, live on campus, as archived video, and as archived MP3 audio files.

- Review. Students can view, listen and review as many times as needed at their own schedule, anytime and anywhere with Internet access.

- Online Attendance. Since students learn through live interactive web casts, and in online chat rooms, physical attendance is not required – no commuting time and expense.

- Scope of Practice. Graduates are qualified to sit for the California Bar Examination - after admission to the bar, graduates have complete scope of practice in California equal to any other California lawyer.

- Affordability and Value. Tuition is much more affordable than traditional law schools – keep working while earning the Juris Doctor degree online.

- GI Bill Eligible. The Juris Doctor and University degrees are approved for all chapters of the Department of Veterans Affairs GI Bill educational benefits.

Academic Excellence

ALU’s Juris Doctor degree serves students preparing to enter or advance their career in legal, business, government, law enforcement, military and other professions. The educational objective of the School of Law is to prepare qualified individuals to gain a comprehensive command of the fundamental areas of law. The objective is primarily met through a curriculum covering courses that are largely similar to the majority of American Bar Association approved law schools. The ALU curriculum, however, is delivered in ways that increase educational effectiveness, including:

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Qualified faculty interact with students via live lectures, live chats and phone. Many faculty members are practicing lawyers and give a real world view of the practice of law.

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