

SCHOOL OF LAW



RULE OF LAW

FOR DEVELOPMENT

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THE PROGRAM

Loyola University Chicago's **Rule of Law for Development Program** will prepare you to tackle critical development challenges and become a leader in the growing rule of law and development field.

We offer two dynamic master's degrees that blend online study with one term at Loyola's Rome Center in Italy, all while connecting you to an engaged network of professionals from over 60 countries.



*Program includes one term at
Loyola's John Felice Rome Center*



**Complete your degree in just
one to two years. We offer:**

- **Master of Laws (LLM) in Rule of Law for Development**
for attorneys
- **Master of Jurisprudence (MJ) in Rule of Law for Development**
for non-lawyer professionals



THE CURRICULUM

Our practitioner-focused curriculum combines rule of law theory with the latest knowledge on how to overcome today's greatest development challenges—violence, human rights violations, environmental destruction, poverty and hunger—and promote sustainable economic growth.

Our courses are taught by renowned rule of law and development practitioners who will empower you with the skills and know-how needed to work effectively in this challenging area. As a student, you will also complete a final capstone project that will enable you to partner with outside organizations to devise solutions to actual rule of law problems.

FELLOWSHIPS

Loyola offers several annual fellowships to support student research and internship opportunities with international rule of law and development organizations.

ALUMNI NETWORK

Of the program's alumni, 99 percent are currently employed in various legal, policy, development and management positions within national governments, international development organizations and United Nations agencies, regional cooperation organizations, multilateral development banks, non-governmental organizations, law firms and corporations, and as faculty and researchers for universities and think tanks.

Our Alumni Network provides professional resources to students and alumni and serves as a forum to foster a strong international rule of law network with close ties to the program.

HOW TO APPLY

The application deadline is August 1. Fall enrollment only.

APPLICATION PROCESS

- [Free online application form](#)
- Official transcripts
- Two letters of recommendation
- Statement of purpose
- Resume or CV
- Official TOEFL, IELTS, Duolingo or PTE score report (international applicants)
- Transcript evaluation from any of the NACES.org member companies (international applicants)

FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Students are eligible to be considered for several generous scholarship opportunities, including our Rule of Law tuition scholarships based on merit and financial need, and the Paul D. Coverdell Fellowship offered to returned Peace Corps Volunteers. U.S. citizens and permanent residents may also qualify for one of the various financial aid programs offered by Loyola.

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