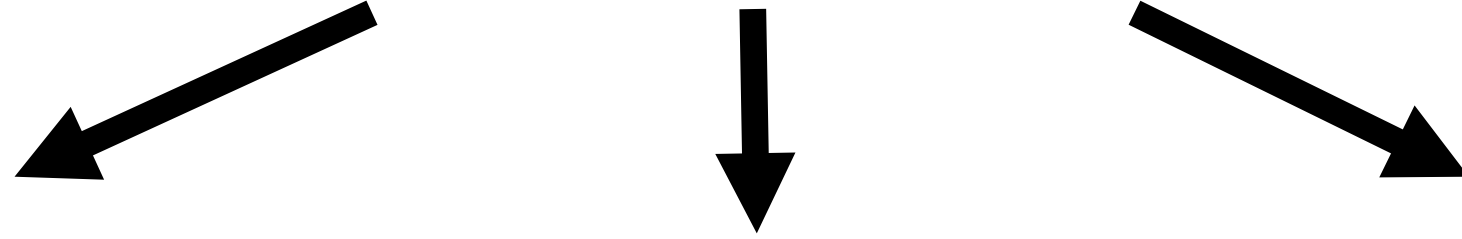


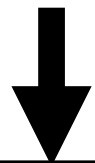
# ROUTE TO A PARALEGAL CAREER



**BA/BS in  
any field**

**AA/AS/AAS or  
any college  
courses**

**AA/AS/AAS (or  
15 credits) in  
paralegal studies**



**Post-  
baccalaureate  
Certificate in  
Paralegal  
Studies**

**BA in Applied  
Studies,  
Management (or  
other) with  
Certificate in  
Paralegal Studies**

**BA in  
Paralegal  
Studies**

A Loyola ABA-approved paralegal credential may be earned through any one of the following tracks:

- Students who already hold bachelor's degrees from regionally accredited colleges or universities may earn a post-baccalaureate Certificate in Paralegal Studies. Four certificates are offered. Three (Litigation Practice Certificate in Paralegal Studies, Corporate Practice Certificate in Paralegal Studies, and a customized Certificate in Paralegal Studies) require 22 credits, while one (Litigation and Corporate Practice Certificate in Paralegal Studies) requires 28 credits.
- Students who already hold associate's degrees in paralegal studies (or have earned at least 15 semester credits in paralegal studies) from regionally accredited colleges or universities may earn a Bachelor of Arts in Paralegal Studies (which includes one of these certificates). Up to 24 semester credits in paralegal studies may be transferrable to the Paralegal Studies major, and the complete BA requires 120 credits.
- All other students may earn these certificates along with a bachelor's degree in another major through the BA degree-completion programs offered by Loyola's School of Continuing and Professional Studies. These students complete the paralegal certificate requirements in their final three semesters of study.