

ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED BUSINESS DEGREE

LEGAL OFFICE MANAGEMENT

The field of law offers many opportunities for the skilled legal office manager. With specialized instruction in this field, an attractive career is open to those who qualify. Additional general education courses provide a broad background for the graduate. The sequence of major offerings starts summer and fall quarters.

MISSION STATEMENT:

The Office Technologies Department provides quality instruction to students by preparing them to be successful and productive community and business leaders while emphasizing employability skills and personal attributes.

Curriculum:

108 Credit Hours

Length: 6 Quarters

Technical and Basic Requirements:

73 Credit Hours

AC114 Accounting I/5
BU120 Introduction to Business/3
DP117 Database Applications/3
DP144 Developing Business Presentations/3
DP150 Spreadsheet Applications/3
KY146 Keyboarding I/5
KY147 Keyboarding II/5
MA121 Principles of Management/5
OP149 Records Management/3
OP252 Machine Transcription/3
OP256 Word Language Specialist/3
OP260 Workplace Technologies/3
OP275 Integrated Software Applications/3
OP276 Office Procedures/5
PL100 Introduction to the Legal System/5
PL201 Legal Research and Writing/5
WP138 Introduction to Word Processing Applications/3
WP267 Advanced Word Processing Applications/3
WP273 Advanced Document Processing Concepts/5

General Education Electives:

3 Credit Hours

Choose 100- or 200-level courses from the general education subject categories, which may include Art (AR), English (EN), History (HI), Math (MH), Political Science (PS), Psychology (PY), Religion (RE), Sociology (SO), Spanish (SP), or University Survey (UN).

Note: Elective courses can apply to only one degree level. The same course cannot be re-used to satisfy the elective requirements at the Associate's Degree level and again at the Bachelor's Degree level.

General Education Requirements:

32 Credit Hours

CO179 Introduction to Human Communication/3
EN180 Composition I/5
EN200 Composition II/5
MH169 Business Math/5
OR
MH190 Algebra/5
PY177 Introduction to Psychology/3
OR
SO186 Sociology/3
SC200 Principles of Ecology/3
UN100 First Year Experience/1
UN220 Introduction to Diversity Issues/3
UN292 Portfolio Capstone/1
Any 100- or 200-level AR, EN, HI, RE, or SP course/3