Sturm College of Law
UNIVERSITY OF DENVER

Corporate & Commercial Law Program (CCLP)
CERTIFICATE REQUIREMENTS

Minimum Credit Requirement: 26
GPA Requirement: Must be in good standing
Faculty Director: Professor Michael Sousa

TO QUALIFY STUDENTS MUST:

1. Complete: Corporations (L4190)

2. Complete three (3) of the following courses:
   - ☐ Agency, Partnership, and LLCs (L4048)
   - ☐ Bankruptcy (L4090)
   - ☐ Mergers & Acquisitions (L4411)
   - ☐ Secured Transactions (L4530)
   - ☐ Securities Law (L4528)
   - ☐ Or can substitute relevant course for one of the above with approval of Faculty Director.

3. Complete an experiential learning opportunity through one (1) of the following options:
   - ☐ Option 1 – (1) Complete a Critical Thinking Seminar (list available below); (2) Complete an approved Corporate & Commercial Law Program Upper Level Writing Requirement course (list available below); and (3) Complete an approved Externship emphasizing CCL.

   - ☐ Option 2 – Complete the full year (12 credits) Community Economic Development Clinic (L4835) and Community Economic Development Clinic Seminar (L4836)

4. Complete at least one (1) additional Business Law course (from list above or below) of not less than 2 credit hours.

5. Complete a minimum of twenty-six (26) credits in the CCLP curriculum.

CCLP Course List:

Critical Thinking Seminar Courses:
- Antitrust and Unfair Competition (L4070)
- International Commercial Arbitration (L4341)
- International Investment Arbitration Practice & Procedure (L4371)
- Negotiating Natural Resources Agreements (L4462)
- Negotiation and Mediation (L4460)
- Private Equity Seminar (L4414)
- Securities Law Seminar (L4552)
- Workplace Law Practicum: Sports & Entertainment Law (L4418)
- Special Topics courses (L4700-4709) as approved by Faculty Director. Approved courses include Corporate Transactions Practicum; International Business Negotiations; Transactional Negotiations; Venture Law.

Corporate & Commercial Law Writing Courses:

- Business Planning (L4110)
- Contracts Drafting (L4178)
- Corporate Drafting Seminar (L4181)
- Negotiation and Drafting in an International Business Context (L4182)
- International Sales (L4346)
- International Trade Law (L4379)
- Special Topics courses (L4700-4709) as approved by Faculty Director.

Other Business Law courses:

- Accounting for Lawyers (L4006)
- Construction Law (L4179)
- Copyright Law (L4214)
- Corporate Social Responsibility (L4133)
- Employment Discrimination Law (L4227)
- Employment Law Survey (L4205)
- Federal Income Taxation (T4000)
- International Business Transactions (L4315)
- International Mergers & Acquisitions (L4351)
- Labor Law (L4355)
- LLCs and Operating Agreements (L4270)
- Patent Law (L4096)
- Privacy Law (L4008)
- Real Estate Transactions (L4095)
- Representing the Marijuana Client (L4416)
- Trademark Law (L4115)
- White Collar Crime (L4674)
- Special Topics courses (L4700-4709) as approved by Faculty Director. Approved courses include: Asset Management Regulation; Compliance; Cybersecurity, Data Privacy, & Incident Response Practicum; Introduction to the Regulation of Cryptoassets; Taxation of Business Entities.
- Or other LAWS or TAX course, or relevant course from the Korbel School for International Studies or Daniels College of Business, with approval of Faculty Director.
- Students may apply a maximum of 2 credits per activity for national business-related moot court competitions taken for credit.

Note: You cannot use a single course to fulfill two separate requirements with the exception that your CCLP Approved Writing Course can also fulfill the general ULW requirement.

To declare your intent to complete the certificate program:

Please complete **this form** to formally declare the certificate. The deadline to declare is the end of the add/drop period in the semester preceding that of your intended graduation, but we encourage you to declare as soon as you decide you intend to complete the certificate. In addition to declaring the certificate, you must also apply to graduate with the certificate at the same time that you apply to graduate with the JD degree. Please contact the SCOL **Office of the Registrar** with any questions/concerns.