

PRE-LAW

Pre-Law Advising offers individualized academic advising from the first semester of undergraduate courses and selection of a major to taking the LSAT and applying to law school.

DEGREE OPTIONS

The School of Humanities and Social Sciences provides a variety of majors that are ideal for students planning to pursue law school. By declaring the Pre-Law track, these students gain access to tailored support and guidance to help them achieve their academic and professional aspirations.



AT HOME IN KANSAS CITY

UMKC's location in Kansas City is ideal for pre-law students. Our faculty have connections throughout the metro and assist students seeking internships across the public, private and government sectors. Graduates are employed at Children's Mercy, H&R Bloch, Polsinelli, Shook, Hardy and Bacon L.L.P. and more.



EXPLORE UMKC
PRE-LAW RESOURCES



Children's Mercy
KANSAS CITY



H&R BLOCH



POLSINELLI

SHOOK
HARDY & BACON

ABOUT THE DEGREE

Meeting with a Pre-Law advisor each semester will ensure that you will stay on track toward your goals. The School of Humanities and Social Sciences partners with the UMKC School of Law to offer motivated undergraduates an opportunity to get a head start on their legal education. By overlapping credits, students can shorten their education by as much as one year.

THE 90+ PROGRAM

The 90+ program allows students admission to the UMKC School of Law after completing at least 90 undergraduate credit hours, including major requirements. Students enrolling in the program receive their bachelor's degree after earning the number of law school credits necessary to fulfill their remaining undergraduate electives (up to 30 credit hours). Students must apply and qualify for law school admissions, which is competitive.

GET INVOLVED

Pre-Law students are encouraged to take advantage of extracurricular opportunities available on campus including, but not limited to, the UMKC Pre-Law Society, the UMKC Mock Trial Team, the Criminal Justice and Criminology Club and the UMKC chapter of Pi Sigma Alpha, the National Political Science Honor Society. Students can also apply for the Professional Career Escalators program to network and explore careers in the law and justice career track.



APPLY TODAY!

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