

PACE LAW SCHOOL

Westchester County, White Plains, New York



YOUR FIRST STEP TO A SUCCESSFUL CAREER PATH IS CHOOSING THE RIGHT LAW SCHOOL.

Pace Law School combines a rigorous academic curriculum with experiential learning opportunities. Our students participate in a variety of thought-provoking, in-class debates facilitated by dedicated faculty members, and have the opportunity to use their studies hands-on, outside of the classroom, through a variety of clinics, externships, and advocacy competitions.

Pace Law School offers a wide range of programs and courses allowing students to pursue a broad and varied curriculum or focus on a specialized area of study. Our centers, including the Land Use Law Center, Energy and Climate Center, and the Center for Environmental Legal Studies are on the cutting edge of environmental law research, policy and innovation. In addition to environmental law, our signature programs in International Law, Criminal Law and Public Interest Law provide unique learning opportunities for students to take theory into practice throughout the United States, and around the world.

Our campus is a 35 minute commute from New York City and is located in White Plains, the county seat of Westchester County. Westchester is home to federal and state courthouses, government agencies, law firms, public interest organizations and many corporate headquarters, providing our students with networking and career opportunities.

TAKE YOUR FIRST STEP AND CHOOSE PACE LAW SCHOOL.



Welcome to Pace Law School

The hallmarks of a Pace Law School education include experiential learning, faculty mentoring, rigorous skills training and cutting-edge, world class programs. Our graduates are highly experienced innovators with astute legal minds.

Pace Law School's signature programs include our Environmental Law program which is ranked #3 in the nation, as well as our International Law, Criminal Law, and Public Interest Law programs.

Real Mentoring. *Real Relationships.*

Pace Law faculty have an **open-door policy** and consider mentoring one of their primary roles. As seasoned lawyers and leading academics, Pace Law professors teach students not only how to think creatively with a legal mind, but how to apply their legal knowledge to real world situations and multiple **career paths**.

Experiential Learning. *Experience Success.*

Pace Law strikes the balance between legal theory and practice through **engaged learning** opportunities—

Inside the Classroom

- Deliver opening statements and cross-examine witnesses in faculty-supervised **trial advocacy** courses
- **Share and debate recent** cases and events with fellow students and faculty during classroom discussion
- **Draft** corporate and real estate closing **documents** based on actual transactions

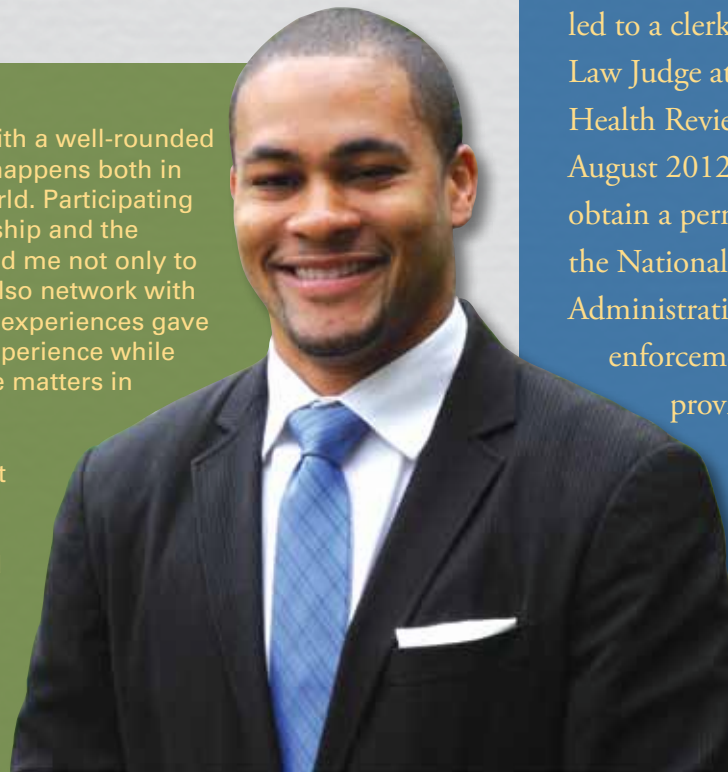
Outside the Classroom

- **Advocate for victims** of predatory lending in mortgage foreclosure cases through the Public Interest Law Center Pro Bono Justice Program
- **Argue** a disputed contract provision at the Pace Law-sponsored annual Vis International Commercial Arbitration Moot in **Vienna, Austria**
- Write and **publish articles** on climate change policy, cyber-bullying, or other significant issues of global and local concern

"Pace Law School provided me with a well-rounded legal education, where learning happens both in the classroom and in the real-world. Participating in the International Trade Externship and the Corporate Law Externship allowed me not only to develop my advocacy skills but also network with experienced practitioners. These experiences gave me the ability to gain practical experience while in law school because experience matters in today's job market.

Pace Law School is unique in that it fosters a close-knit family of students, faculty and staff. We were supported by our peers and encouraged by our faculty."

Caesar Lopez '12
Legal Consultant,
Beirsdorf, Inc.



"At Pace Law School I learned to analyze and think about situations and problems in a completely new way. My experience working at the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Pace Environmental Litigation Clinic, and New York Office of the Attorney General, allowed me to make many connections with people in various fields of law. These opportunities led to a clerkship with an Administrative Law Judge at the Federal Mine Safety and Health Review Commission starting in August 2012. My goal is to eventually obtain a permanent job with the EPA or the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration in a water-related enforcement position. Pace Law School provided me with the strong foundation I need to be successful in this field."

Brittany Tofinchio '12
Clerk to an Administrative
Law Judge,
The Federal Mine Safety and
Health Review Commission

Innovative Internships. Extraordinary Externships.

Every law school has externships and clinics—but what sets Pace Law's apart? **Size and attention.** At Pace Law, explains Professor Gretchen Flint, director of John Jay Legal Services, *"Our externship courses are individualized so we can really provide guidance. We make sure that every student is receiving a great learning opportunity."*

Pace Law School is a leader in practical legal education through its stellar clinics, institutes, and **externship opportunities** in Westchester County, New York City, London, Europe, Brazil, and Africa. Our ground-breaking opportunities in the nation and the world include:

- The first program in the nation on environmental diplomacy in which students work with missions to the U.N. as **diplomatic attachés**, helping small island states develop their climate change capacity.
- The Human Rights in Action program, in which students assist the **prosecution of war crimes** at some of the most challenging and coveted positions for law students in the world: the Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia, the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda, and the International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia in The Hague.

Pace Law School also **places externs** with federal and state judges as well as with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, the NY Department of Environmental Protection, District Attorneys' offices, and in leading corporations.

If you do not see a for-credit learning opportunity you desire, Pace Law faculty and administration will go out of their way to **make your vision a reality.**

January Accelerated Program

This full-time program was designed to meet the specific, individual needs of students who want an accelerated path to their law degree.

Students begin their first courses during the spring semester. From there, students take a 13-week session during the summer, fulfilling the same core requirements as students in the traditional three-year program. Upon the successful completion of the summer session, students join fellow second-year law students in the fall and January class for the next two years in the pursuit of their degree.

With an accelerated curriculum and a truly intimate learning atmosphere, the January Accelerated Program allows students to graduate in just two-and-a-half years, without sacrificing any aspect of an exceptional learning experience.

Two-and-a-Half Year Plan

January 2013	First Semester
Summer 2013* <small>* 13 weeks Core Courses</small>	Second Semester
Fall 2013	Third Semester
January 2014	Fourth Semester
Fall 2014	Fifth Semester
January 2015	Sixth Semester
Spring 2015	Graduation



Leading private and public sector firms, organizations, and corporations where Pace Law School alumni are working

AIU Holdings
ATMI, Inc.
Beveridge & Diamond PC
Bronx District Attorney
Cadwalader Wickersham & Taft LLP
Carter Ledyard & Milburn LLP
Cerussi & Spring, PC
Chadbourne & Parke LLP
City of Yonkers Corporation Counsel
Cuddy & Feder LLP
Deloitte Tax LLP
Ernst & Young
FDIC
Fitzpatrick Cella Harper & Scinto
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer LLP
IBM
Jackson Lewis LLP
Legal Services of the Hudson Valley
Manhattan District Attorney
Milbank Tweed Hadley & McCloy LLP
New York City Law Department
Riverkeeper, Inc.
Robinson & Cole LLP
The Legal Aid Society
The Nature Conservancy
U.S. Department of Justice
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
Wilson Elser Moskowitz Edelman & Dicker LLP

Hands-On Learning. *Hands-Down Careers.*

Pace Law School graduates are among the most marketable in the New York region because they have the opportunity to gain **extensive practical experience** and develop a strong **professional network** before their first job.

Every Pace Law student has the opportunity to work on **actual cases** in one of our renowned clinics, attend lectures by leading practitioners and academics, and engage in other networking opportunities through student organizations and career development events. Imagine working in the chambers of a **federal judge**, discussing effects of banking regulation with a practicing **corporate lawyer**, or handling the appeal of an **innocent woman** who has been behind bars for seven years. At Pace Law School these opportunities are real experiences.

Pace Law students excel in the job market because they have experience and a network of practitioners, judges, and academics. Students also take advantage of our location in Westchester County. Westchester is home to several state and federal court houses and many prominent corporations, including:

- AT&T
- Heineken USA
- IBM World Headquarters
- ITT
- MasterCard International
- Nine West Group
- Nokia
- PepsiCo
- Pernod Ricard USA
- Swiss Re
- Verizon

At Pace Law's Center for Career and Professional Development, our counselors are **experienced lawyers** and know the New York legal market and beyond, offering support and guidance in the following areas:

- Coaching in career options and job search skills
- Career workshops, panels and lectures
- Individualized counseling
- Mock interviews
- Networking with alumni and prospective employers
- Professional skills training
- Providing inside tips in proprietary career guides and directly from recruitment directors at popular employers
- Recruiting events (on and off campus)
- Resource guides
- Resume/cover letter review

Real Campus. *Real Community.*

Pace Law School offers a **beautiful** environment for study, only **35 minutes** from Manhattan's vibrant legal world, culture, and nightlife. Pace Law is situated on an idyllic, 12-acre suburban campus that fosters strong community, where students serve as **peer mentors** and meet in study groups.

The **Student Bar Association** and more than 25 **student organizations** create a synergy between academic and extracurricular experience on campus. On-campus and nearby athletic facilities include outdoor and indoor courts, and a 75,000-square-foot fitness center at our Pleasantville campus, a 10-minute drive.

In addition, **on-campus housing** is available for single students, and off-campus referral lists are available through the Office of Admissions.



PACE LAW SCHOOL OFFERS EXCEPTIONAL PROGRAMS.

J.D. Program

Certificate Programs

Environmental Law Certificate
International Law Certificate

Areas of Study

Business, Commercial and Corporate Law
Constitutional Law
Criminal Law
Environmental Law
Family Law and Estate Planning
Health Law and Policy
Intellectual Property
International and Comparative Law
Jurisprudence, Legal History and Social Issues
Labor and Employment Law
Litigation and Judicial Process
Public Interest and Advocacy
Real Estate and Land Use Law
Taxation

Joint Degree Programs

JD/Bachelor of Arts or JD/Bachelor of Science
with Pace University Dyson College of Arts and Sciences
JD/Master of Laws in Environmental Law
JD/Master of Arts in Women's History
with Sarah Lawrence College
JD/Master of Business Administration
with Pace University Lubin School of Business
JD/Master of Environmental Management
with Yale University School of Forestry and Environmental Studies
JD/Master of Public Administration
with Pace University Dyson College of Arts and Sciences
JD/Master of Science in Environmental Policy
with Bard College, Bard Center for Environmental Policy

Graduate Programs

Doctor of Juridical Science (SJD) in Environmental Law
Master of Laws (LLM) in Comparative Legal Studies
Master of Laws (LLM) in Environmental Law
Master of Laws (LLM) in Environmental Law – The Climate Change Track
Master of Laws (LLM) in Environmental Law – Land Use and Sustainable
Development Track
(LLM candidates are eligible for certificates in Environmental Law and
International Law)

Clinics

Environmental Litigation Clinic
Barbara C. Salken Criminal Justice Clinic
Criminal Justice Clinic: Post-Conviction Project
Equal Justice America Disability Rights Clinic
Immigration Justice Clinic
Investor Rights Clinic

Centers and Institutes

Brazil-American Institute for Law and Environment
(BAILE)
Center for Environmental Legal Studies
Criminal Justice Center
Energy and Climate Center
Institute of International Commercial Law
Land Use Law Center
Public Interest Law Center
Theodore W. Kheel Center on the Resolution
of Environmental Interest Disputes
Women's Justice Center

Externship & Study Abroad Opportunities

Corporate Law Externship
Environmental Law Externships in NY and DC
Family Court Externship
Federal Judicial Extern Honors Program
Honors Prosecution Externship
Human Rights in Action Summer Externship Program
International Commercial Law Internship Abroad
Program
International Trade Externship
Legal Services/Public Interest/Health Law Externship
Prosecution Externship
State Court Judicial Externship
United Nations Environmental Diplomacy Externship



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