



# LLM DEGREE

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University of Colorado Law School  
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# Earn your LLM degree at the University of Colorado Law School

Our LLM degree program offers advanced education for talented lawyers from diverse backgrounds and countries. Expand your knowledge in a vibrant, innovative, and inclusive environment that prioritizes academic excellence and professional development. Based at the University of Colorado Boulder, our law school is nationally recognized for its excellence in the areas of energy law; environmental and natural resources law; entrepreneurship, intellectual property, and technology law; international law and human rights; and more. We offer six LLM concentrations:

## Entrepreneurship and Business Law

Colorado Law enjoys nationally recognized faculty and scholars in business law with significant experience in transactional practice and corporate and securities litigation. Our classes in traditional subjects such as corporations, securities law, and mergers & acquisitions are enhanced by the law school's focus on startup companies. The student experience is enriched by our Colorado location, ranked by *U.S. News & World Report* as the No.1 state economy in the U.S. in 2018.

## Indigenous Peoples Law

Colorado Law has a long history of research and teaching in the law and policy of American Indians and other indigenous peoples. Faculty and students are engaged in projects with indigenous nations and peoples, the United Nations, other intergovernmental bodies, national governments, NGOs, and companies throughout the Americas and the world. Research and teaching in this area connect with our strengths in other areas, such as international law, natural resources, and intellectual property.

## Intellectual Property, Technology, and Telecommunications Law

Colorado Law students benefit from a broad range of courses and scholars active in a quickly evolving set of fields, including intellectual property, internet law, computer crime, cybersecurity, information privacy, telecommunications, fintech, and regtech. Boulder and the Denver metro area are technology and telecommunications hubs, and our Silicon Flatirons Center connects students with leaders in intellectual property, telecommunications, and technology.

## International Law and Human Rights

Colorado Law offers a comprehensive approach to the study of international law and human rights. Our program for Advanced Studies in International Human Rights provides students with core courses covering international law, international human rights, and international dispute resolution. The program offers an array of electives taught by our nationally recognized faculty and an extensive global network of visiting experts. LLM students will also benefit from networking events and professional opportunities including a postgraduate fellowship opportunity with the Inter-American Commission on Human Rights. Colorado Law is an American Society of International Law partner school.

## Natural Resources, Energy, and Environmental Law

Ranked No. 5 in environmental law in the 2019 law school rankings by *U.S. News & World Report*, Colorado Law gives students the knowledge and skills to impact laws and policies in a range of fields, including oil and gas; mining; ecosystem management; air and water quality; and public and private land management. LLM students benefit from programming at our flagship Getches-Wilkinson Center; multiple national laboratories in the area, including the National Renewable Energy Laboratory; and a diversified energy and mining economy featuring natural gas, renewable, and mining firms, from small startups to large multinational corporations.

## U.S. Law for Foreign Lawyers

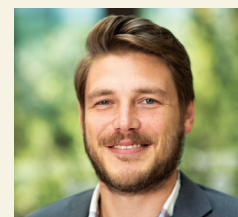
This LLM concentration gives students a foundation in the U.S. legal system. Students may choose from a wide range of Colorado Law courses. In addition to taking core introduction courses to U.S. law and U.S. legal practice, students can select numerous elective courses to best fit their career interests. This LLM concentration is designed for those who need the curricular flexibility to qualify for a U.S. state bar examination.

## Program leadership



**S. James Anaya,**  
Dean and University Distinguished Professor

Dean Anaya is an internationally recognized scholar and author in the areas of international human rights and issues concerning indigenous peoples. He served as the United Nations Special Rapporteur on the rights of indigenous peoples from 2008 to 2014. In addition to his teaching and scholarship, Dean Anaya has litigated major cases involving the human rights of indigenous peoples in domestic and international tribunals. He taught at the University of Arizona from 1999 to 2016 after serving for 11 years on the faculty at the University of Iowa.



**Jimmy J. Iiseng,**  
Director of International Programs

Iiseng has more than a decade of experience serving international students, scholars, and professionals, including service as a U.S. Peace Corps volunteer, coordinating Fulbright and Hubert H. Humphrey fellowship programs at Vanderbilt University, and managing international programs at the University of Texas School of Law.

“I am excited to be leading a law school that is at the cutting edge of **innovation** in legal education and scholarship. Our **vibrant** community of students, alumni, faculty, and staff, and our focus on the practice of law in a **global** society, make Colorado Law an **ideal** institution for international lawyers seeking legal training in the United States.”

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## Boulder, Colorado, USA

### Academic excellence within an inclusive community

The University of Colorado Law School is a vibrant and diverse community of students and scholars dedicated to the vigorous pursuit of ideas, critical analysis, and civic engagement. Home to more than **550** law students from a variety of locations in the United States and around the world, we are committed to creating a community that promotes academic excellence and is welcoming to all. Consistently ranked among the best public law schools in the United States, the University of Colorado Law School is part of a top-tier research university that engages students and faculty in a comprehensive range of academic disciplines.

### Top-tier university

LLM students are also part of the broader University of Colorado Boulder campus, which is recognized internationally for many of its degree and research programs and is ranked **#38** worldwide (Academic Ranking of World Universities, 2018). With more than **3,000** international students from 100 countries, we welcome students from around the world.

### An unparalleled location

Boulder enjoys over **300** days of sunshine per year and a continental climate. In 2016, it was ranked as the healthiest and most active city in America (Niche). In 2017, it was ranked the happiest city in the United States (*National Geographic*) and as the **No. 1** college town in the country (American Institute for Economic Research). Home to approximately **100,000** residents, Boulder is an industry leader in food, technology, entrepreneurship, and outdoor sports.

**300+** miles of bikeways in Boulder

**50+** independent coffee shops in Boulder and Denver

**25+** world-class ski areas

- 40 minutes to Denver, which offers extensive cultural offerings from opera and theater to eight professional sports teams
- Top 10 safest U.S. city for women, (Security Choice, 2017)

### Admissions deadlines

#### October 1

LLM application opens at [Colorado.edu/law/LLM](https://colorado.edu/law/LLM)

#### March 15

Priority application deadline

#### July 15

LLM application deadline





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