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1991 INTRODUCTION TO LAW SCHOOL  
SCHOOL OF LAW  
GOLDEN GATE UNIVERSITY  
536 MISSION STREET  
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94105-2968

# 1991 INTRODUCTION TO LAW SCHOOL PROGRAM

Designed for those  
considering a  
legal career



July 8-July 25, 1991  
San Francisco, California

**GOLDEN GATE UNIVERSITY  
SCHOOL OF LAW**

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# 1991 INTRODUCTION TO LAW SCHOOL

**A three-week program designed  
to give participants a taste of law school.**

This program affords people who are *considering a legal career* information and experience about what it would be like to attend law school. In addition, the program serves as a *head start for those already admitted to law school* by providing them with an early introduction to the process of legal analysis and the world of law school.

Law School faculty members teach the program using the Socratic method of questioning students and challenging hypotheses. Classes are therefore quite lively and involve a high level of student participation. Participants read actual judicial opinions and advocate positions on behalf of "clients." In addition, participants learn and practice lawyering skills, including interviewing, counseling, negotiation, and dispute resolution. During the program, participants have an opportunity to take a typical law school examination, which is critiqued and returned to the student.

Students also learn about the law school admissions process, financial aid options, employment opportunities, and the personal and social concerns of law students. Students may meet informally with students, faculty, and attorneys working in a wide variety of legal fields. At the end of the program, students receive a Certificate of Completion. Both a day and an evening program are offered.

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***"This is a fantastic idea. I don't know why it's not done elsewhere in the country. Every professional school should offer such a program."***



—1989 participant Juliana Horseman

## THE CURRICULUM

### WEEK I

**Monday - Thursday, July 8-11**

*An Overview of the American Legal System*

- Lectures and readings on the structure of the American judicial system
- Analysis of torts or contracts cases
- Introduction to the techniques of law study and legal analysis;
- Reading and "briefing" cases
- Welcoming reception

**Friday, July 12, 6:15 p.m. - 8:45 p.m.**

*Small Group Workshops*

- All about law school admissions, the L.S.A.T., financial aid
- Students talk about study techniques, extra curricular activities, law school life

### WEEK II



**Monday - Thursday, July 16-19**

*Criminal Law*

- In-depth discussion of some of the fundamental rules of criminal law
- Dilemmas of criminal law practice. Some of the topics to be discussed: "What are the qualities of a competent lawyer?"; "Is it ethical to represent the guilty?"

*Litigation Techniques*

- An examination of the process of litigation from the filing of a complaint through trial

*The Exam Process*

- How to study for and write a law school exam

**Friday, July 19, 6:15 p.m. to 8:45 p.m.**

*The Practice of Law*

- Presentations on working while in law school; job options upon graduation; the daily life of a lawyer

- Meet and speak with distinguished practitioners about the kinds of work that lawyers do. Includes attorneys engaged in such areas as *Immigration Law, Corporate Practice, Family Law, Labor law, Real Estate Law, Criminal Law, Environmental Law and Space Law*

## WEEK III

**Monday - Thursday, July 22-25**  
***Individual Rights***

- Selected legal issues concerning the topic of the right of privacy

### ***Developing Lawyering Skills***

- Proceeding from a given fact situation, participants will interview a potential client in a privacy action, negotiate or argue a case and observe mock court proceeding
- Award of Certificate and reception

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***"A great investment and a lot of fun."***

—1990 participant Kathleen McGinn

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## FACULTY

This course is conducted by *Golden Gate School of Law\** and all professors are *experienced law faculty*. Faculty who have participated in the program include:

**Assistant Dean Elaine Andersson, J.D., U.C., Berkeley.** After graduation she practiced with the firm of Pillsbury, Madison and Sutro. She is the Director of Golden Gate's Academic Support Program, and teaches the Real Estate Clinic.

**Assistant Dean Sally M. Dickson, J.D., Rutgers University.** Currently at Stanford Law School, she was Assistant Dean and Director of the Academic Support Program at Golden Gate from 1982 to 1988. She teaches Administrative Law and Criminal Procedure.

**Professor Janice Kosel, J.D., U.C., Berkeley.** A professor of Contracts, Commercial Law, and Community Property at Golden Gate Law School, she is the author of several books. She has also taught at Santa Clara Law School.

**Professor Myron Moskowitz, J.D., U.C., Berkeley.** Professor Moskowitz has written extensively on landlord-tenant law, criminal law and appellate advocacy. He teaches Criminal Law, Criminal Procedure, Appellate Advocacy, and Landlord-Tenant Clinic at Golden Gate Law School.

**Dean Anthony Pagano, J.D., University of Michigan.** A specialist in Estate Planning and Federal Tax, Dean Pagano has been at Golden Gate Law School for 20 years. He has also taught at the University of San Diego Law School.

**Professor Bernard Segal, J.D., University of Pennsylvania.** A nationally renowned criminal defense specialist and trial advocacy instructor, Professor Segal is also the coach of Golden Gate's mock trial teams.

**Professor Marc Stickgold, J.D., Northwestern University.** He taught at Wayne State University Law School before joining the Golden Gate faculty. He has written on free speech, police surveillance, and clinical legal education. He teaches Constitutional Law, Civil Procedure, Trial Advocacy, and Legal Counseling.

\*Accredited by the American Bar Association; Member of Association of American Law Schools



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***"An exciting opportunity to get a sneak preview of law school"***

—1990 participant Harlan Woodring

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# REGISTRATION FORM: 1991 INTRODUCTION TO LAW SCHOOL

Name \_\_\_\_\_ first  
Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_ middle  
street & no. \_\_\_\_\_  
city/state/zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security No. \_\_\_\_\_  
I wish to enroll in the day  evening  program (check one) Check here if you need housing information:   
College or University attended \_\_\_\_\_  
Major Field of Study \_\_\_\_\_  
Highest Degree Earned \_\_\_\_\_ Year of Graduation \_\_\_\_\_  
If currently employed, please indicate your occupation or profession: \_\_\_\_\_  
Do you plan to attend law school in 1991-92? yes  no  uncertain

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Return this form with payment to: Introduction to Law School Program, Golden Gate University School of Law, 536 Mission Street, San Francisco, CA 94105.  
Application must be received by June 14, 1991.

## WHEN AND WHERE

July 8 through July 25, 1991

Offered *either* as a morning program or an evening program.

Monday through Thursday 10:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. (Day)  
7/8-11, 7/15-18, & 7/22-25 or 6:15-8:45 p.m. (Evening)

Both day and evening programs will also meet on Friday, 7/19, and on Friday, 7/26 from 6:15-8:45 p.m.  
Classes are held on Golden Gate University's main campus in the financial/legal/cultural center of San Francisco.

7/12 7/19

***"I have already recommended this program to my friends."***

—1990 participant Maria Ayerdi

## COST AND HOUSING

\$485.00 (includes books and materials) The cost of housing is not included. However, we can assist in obtaining housing in the area.

## REGISTRATION & INFORMATION

To register for the program, fill in and mail the attached registration form, with a check for \$485 (payable to Golden Gate University) to:

*Introduction to Law School Program  
Golden Gate University School of Law  
536 Mission Street  
San Francisco, CA 94105.*

Registration forms and payment must be received by June 14, 1991, after which date payment is non-refundable. Enrollment is limited. Late registration will be accepted only if openings remain.

For further information, call Robyn Gray,  
Coordinator, at (415) 442-7250