Business Legal Studies (BLS)

BLS 500 - LAW, ETHICS & BUSINESS
Semester Hours: 3
An analytical review of corporate ethics addressed from a legal and business standpoint. Focus on codes of ethics, integration of integrity into corporate cultures, top management commitment to ethics, civic involvement, employer-employee relations, consumer protection, and international business.

BLS 506 - GOVMT CONTRACT LAW
Semester Hours: 3
Application of the legal principles governing government contracts as developed from common law, statutes, regulations, and court decisions. Includes requests for proposals, negotiation, inspection, acceptance, delivery, warranties, modification of contracts, equitable adjustment, and disputes. Prerequisite: MGT 501 or ACC 540.

BLS 510 - BUSINESS NEGOTIATIONS
Semester Hours: 3
This course is designed to familiarize students with the theories, basic skills, and ethics involved in negotiation. Through a combination of readings, lectures, videotapes, role-play exercises, and discussion, students will develop an understanding of the dynamics of negotiation and the approaches available to a wide variety of business leaders engaged in the negotiation process. The course will include sessions in which students will have the opportunity to gain experience through role playing of simulations taken from actual cases.

BLS 511 - BUS LAW FOR ACCOUNTANTS
Semester Hours: 3
In-depth study of legal principles and problems encountered in practice by professional accountants. This course covers legal topics from a Uniform Commercial Code perspective.

BLS 590 - SPECIAL TOPICS BUSINESS LAW
Semester Hours: 3
Specialized instruction of an area of interest to students in business.

BLS 625 - LEGAL ASPECTS OF ENGRS
Semester Hours: 3
Legal problems and principles relevant to the practice of professional engineers. The legal system, contracts, torts, business organizations, employment law, intellectual property law, and environmental law.