The Honors Legal Scholars Program, a collaboration of the Florida State University Honors Program and Florida State University College of Law, introduces undergraduate students to law school and gives them insight to legal education.

Why apply?

Honors Legal Scholars become members of the law school community as early as their freshman year of college and enjoy the benefits of that relationship throughout their undergraduate years. Honors Legal Scholars have unique advantages as they begin their studies. They have opportunities to learn about law school and the legal profession, meet professors and admissions professionals, observe law classes and shadow current law students. They also receive special invitations to attend law school events and lectures.

Am I eligible?

Applicants to the Honors Legal Scholars Program must first be accepted into the Florida State University Honors Program. Students admitted to the Honors Program will receive access to the Honors Legal Scholars Program Application. The application for the Honors Legal Scholars Program includes a resume, personal statement and current transcript(s). Applicants are selected on a competitive basis and will be notified at the end of April each year. The application for the Honors Legal Scholars program becomes available each September and must be submitted by mid-February.

There are many competitive applicants to the Honors Legal Scholars Program each year with limited available openings. We highly encourage anyone not admitted to the program to reapply in subsequent years. All majors are eligible to apply.

What are the requirements for admission to Florida State University College of Law?

Honors Legal Scholars who graduate from Florida State University will be automatically admitted to Florida State University College of Law provided they:
1) Complete a Florida State University College of Law application before the posted deadline.
2) Have an LSAT score of at least 162.
3) Have an undergraduate GPA of at least 3.6.
4) Prior to matriculation at the College of Law, have a bachelor’s degree from FSU and a record that reflects the fitness of character to study law.
5) Be an active or alumni member in good standing with the Honors Legal Scholars Program.

More information

For more information about the Honors Legal Scholars Program, contact the Florida State University Honors Program at 850.644.1841 or honors@fsu.edu. For more information about Florida State University College of Law, visit www.law.fsu.edu.