

General Information:

1. Degree Policies and Procedures are in the Catalog online at www.CCAurora.edu.
2. For more info on CU-Denver, visit their website at www.cudenver.edu.
3. You must apply for graduation by mid-semester prior to your final term. See Schedule of Classes for the exact deadline date.

Important Paralegal Program Info: A paralegal is a person, qualified by education, training or work experience, who is employed or retained by a lawyer, law office, corporation, governmental agency or other entity and who performs specifically delegated substantive legal work for which a lawyer is responsible. Paralegals are not authorized to practice law in any way, as the practice of law is restricted to persons who are licensed by this or any other state. Any act that requires a legal license to perform, unless otherwise authorized by applicable course rules, constitutes unauthorized practice of law.

This program combines an understanding of legal principles, legal analysis and ethical considerations with practical application. Courses lead to an American Bar Association (ABA) approved Paralegal certificate. Students must complete the emphasis requirements and degree requirements, including ENG 121. All Paralegal students must consult with an academic advisor.

This degree program is designed to transfer to the University of Colorado at Denver, Political Science and Sociology majors only. The paralegal course work will transfer as a maximum of 30 credits toward a Political Science major or 26 credits toward a Sociology major. Students wishing to continue in a baccalaureate degree program after completing their associate degree should contact an academic advisor at the University of Colorado at Denver.

**ASSOCIATE OF GENERAL STUDIES--Articulated
PARALEGAL 2006-07**

Transfers to: University of Colorado at Denver

Major: Political Science or Sociology

Career Information: Prepares you for a career in: law, government, and business.

Transfer careers: Pre-law, Political Science,* Sociology,* Management.

*The Paralegal coursework will transfer as a maximum of 30 credit hours for the Political Science major and 26 hours for the Sociology major.

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (34 cr)

English/Speech – (9 credits)

	ENG 121 English Composition I	3 cr.
	ENG 122 English Composition II	3 cr.
	SPE 115 Principles of Speech Comm.*	3 cr.
	OR	
	SPE125 Interpersonal Communications	3 cr.

*SPE115 is recommended

Mathematics – (3 credits) Choose from the following:

	MAT 120 Math for Liberal Arts	4 cr.
	MAT 121 College Algebra	4 cr.
	MAT 125 Survey of Calculus	4 cr.
	MAT 135 Intro. to Statistics	3 cr.
	MAT 155/156 Integrated Math I/II	4/4 cr.
	MAT 201 Calculus I	5 cr.
	MAT 202 Calculus II	5 cr.

Science--(4 credits) Choose from the following:

	AST 101/102 Astronomy I/II	4/4 cr.
	BIO 105 Science of Biology	4 cr.
	BIO 111/112 General College Bio. I/II	5/5 cr.
	BIO 201/202 Human Anatomy & Physiology I/II	4/4 cr.
	BIO 204 Microbiology	4 cr.
	CHE 101/102 Intro to Chemistry, I/II	5/5 cr.
	CHE 111/112 Gen. College Chem. I/II	5/5 cr.
	GEY 111 Physical Geology	4 cr.
	GEY 121 Historical Geology	4 cr.
	PHY 105 Conceptual Physics	4 cr.
	PHY 111/112 Phys: Algebra Based I/II	5/5 cr.
	PHY 211/212 Phys: Calculus Based I/II	5/5 cr.

Social and Behavioral Sciences (HI1, SS1, & SS3 – 9 credits)

Choose 1 HIS course and 2 courses from at least one other category

Category I – History (HI1)

	HIS 101/102 Western Civilization I/II	3/3 cr.
	HIS 201/202 U.S. History I/II	3/3 cr.
	HIS 247 Contemporary World History	3 cr.

Category II – Economic & Political Systems (SS1)

	ECO 201 Principles of Macroeconomics	3 cr.
	ECO 201 Principles of Microeconomics	3 cr.
	POS 105 Introduction to Political Systems	3 cr.
	POS 111 American Government	3 cr.

Category III – Geography (SS2)

	GEO 105 World Regional Geography	3 cr.
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Category IV – Human Behavior & Social Systems (SS3)

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	ANT 101 Cultural Anthropology	3 cr.
	ANT 111 Physical Anthropology	3 cr.
	PSY 101/102 General Psychology I/II	3/3 cr.
	PSY 235 Human Growth & Development	3 cr.
	SOC 101/102 Intro to Sociology I/II	3/3 cr.

Arts & Humanities – (AH1, AH2, & AH3 – 9 credits from at least 2 different categories)

Category I – Arts (AH1)

	ART 110 Art Appreciation	3 cr.
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	ART 111/112 Art History I/II	3/3 cr.
	FRE 211 French III	3 cr.
	GER 211/212 German III/IV	3/3 cr.
	JPN 211/212 Japanese III/IV	3/3 cr.
	MUS 120 Music Appreciation	3 cr.
	MUS 121/122 Intro to Music History I/II	3/3 cr.
	RUS 211/212 Russian III/IV	3/3 cr.
	SPA 211/212 Spanish III/IV	3/3 cr.
	THE 105 Intro to Theatre Arts	3 cr.
	THE 211/212 Development of Theatre I/II	3/3 cr.

Category II – Literature & Humanities (AH2)

	HUM 121/122/123 Humanities I/II/III	3 cr.
	LIT 115 Introduction to Literature	3 cr.
	LIT 201/202 Masterpieces of Literature	3 cr.
	LIT 205 Ethnic Literature	3 cr.
	LIT 211/212 Survey of American Literature I/II	3 cr.
	LIT 221/222 Survey of British Lit. I/II	3/3 cr.

Category III – Ways of Thinking (AH3)

	PHI 111 Introduction to Philosophy	3 cr.
	PHI 112 Ethics	3 cr.
	PHI 113 Logic	3 cr.

General Education Core Credits

34 cr.

PARALEGAL REQUIRED COURSES

	Par 115 Introduction to Law	3 cr.
	PAR 116* Torts	3 cr.
	OR	
	PAR* 205* Criminal Law	3 cr.
	PAR 118 Contracts	3 cr.
	PAR 201 Civil Litigation	3 cr.
	PAR 213 Legal Research & Writing I	3 cr.
	PAR 214 Legal Research & Writing II	3 cr.
	PAR 280** Internship	3 cr.
	OR	
	PAR 285** Directed Study	3 cr.

*Students may take either Torts or Criminal Law to meet the emphasis requirements, or they may take courses, one as an elective.

**Course may not transfer, student should consult with 4year institution.

Paralegal Electives – (9 credits) Select three courses from the following:

	MED 101 Intro to Mediation	3 cr.
	PAR 116* Torts	3 cr.
	PAR 117 Family Law	3 cr.
	PAR 125 Property Law	3 cr.
	PAR 205* Criminal Law	3 cr.
	PAR 206 Business Organizations	3 cr.
	PAR 207 Current Issues in Law	3 cr.
	PAR 208 Probate and Estates	3 cr.
	PAR 209 Constitutional Law	3 cr.
	PAR 216 Employment Law	3 cr.

ASSOCIATE OF GENERAL STUDIES DEGREE, PARALEGAL TRANSFER TO UCD, TOTAL CREDITS

64 CR.