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- ❑ Interdepartmental Program in Afro-American Studies
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- ❑ Graduate Division Admissions
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- ❑ UCLA Law School
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JOINT M.A./J.D. (LAW) PROGRAM IN AFRO-AMERICAN STUDIES

Joint Afro-American Studies M.A./Law J.D.

- The Afro-American Studies Program and the School of Law offer a joint degree program whereby students may pursue the M.A. in Afro-American Studies and J.D. degrees.
- Applicants are only required to take one exam: the LSAT (not the GRE)
- Applicants interested in the joint program should contact **both**:
 - Afro-American Studies at www.afro-am.ucla.edu
 - The School of Law at www.law.ucla.edu

Application Process

- Students must apply separately to, and meet application requirements for both the UCLA Graduate and Law Schools for the Joint MA/JD Program.
- Students should submit two separate sets of information to the Graduate School and to the Law School. The two application procedures are separate. Please do not assume one school can provide information for the other.

Admission to the M.A. Program

For the M.A. half of the application process:

1. Complete UCLA Graduate Division online application: www.gdnet.ucla.edu
2. Also send the following the following to the IDP in Afro-American Studies (see address on cover)
 - a. Two official transcripts
 - b. Three academic letters of recommendation
 - c. A minimum 3.0 or B average in the junior/senior years of college
 - d. A statement of purpose describing your background in African American studies, proposed program of study, and future career goals
 - e. LSAT score (by Dec. 15th)
 - f. A writing sample (6-8 pgs) from a recent term paper
 - g. May include a resume which demonstrates other relevant accomplishments and activities
3. Check regarding possible application fee waivers. For possible M.A. application fee waivers check with UCLA graduate admissions (310) 825-7290.

4. **Deadline for M.A. Program Admission: December 15th**

(early application is encouraged)

Before the deadline prospective students must:

- a) Apply online at www.gdnet.ucla.edu
- b) Send all supplemental materials to:
Afro-American Studies
153 Haines Hall, UCLA
Box 951545 Los Angeles, CA 90095-1545

Admission to the Law Program

For the Law School half of the application process:

- Check with the Law School for their requirements
- For possible Law School application fee waiver, check with Law School Office of Admissions at (310) 825-2080
- **Deadline for Law School Admission: February 1st**. Contact Law School (see contact information below)

Course Requirements

- First year of the joint program is spent pursuing course work in African-American studies. A total of 12 upper division and/or graduate courses are required for the degree. Nine of these courses will be taken in the first year of study in the M.A. Program.
- Second through Fourth years are spent completing the law degree. The remaining requirements for the M.A. program are satisfied during the years in Law School.

Areas of Study During the First Year

The M.A. portion of the MA/JD program is interdepartmental, with students choosing a concentration from one of the following areas of study to hone their analytical skills and to prepare them for their legal specialty:

- Anthropology
- English
- History
- Linguistics
- Music
- Philosophy
- Political Science
- Philosophy
- Psychology
- Sociology

For more information:

- The M.A. portion of the program: Contact the IDP in African-American Studies at (310) 825-9821 or ldapstaff@bunche.ucla.edu.
- The Law portion of the program: Contact the Law School Office of Admissions at (310) 825-2080 or admissions@law.ucla.edu.