

# Foothill College

## CA Community Colleges Pathway to Law Initiative

### One-Page Summary

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#### Initiative Purpose

- Diversify the legal profession
- Provide a pathway to law school education for students whose post-secondary education begins at the community college level
- Establish a special partnership between the 6 participating law schools and the 28 Participating colleges

#### 8 Participating Law Schools

1. UC Davis
2. UC Irvine
3. UC LA
4. Loyola Law School
5. Pepperdine
6. Santa Clara University School of Law
7. University of San Francisco of Law
8. University of Southern California Gould School of Law

#### Program of Study

**2 YEARS IN CC + 2 YEARS IN UPPER DIVISION + 3 YEARS AT LAW SCHOOL**

Initiative Program Framework		Proposed Foothill Course	Units
1.	Street Law, Street Law-Based, OR Law Democracy	<b>SOC 15:</b> Law and Society	4
2.	English Composition	<b>ENGL 1A:</b> Composition and Reading	5
3.	Critical Thinking	<b>ENGL 1B:</b> Composition, Critical Reading and Thinking Through Literature	5
4.	Argumentation and Debate OR Persuasion	<b>COMM 1B:</b> Argumentation and Persuasion	5
5.	Statistics	<b>MATH 10:</b> Elementary Statistics	5
6.	U.S. History	<b>HIST 17:</b> History of U.S.	4
7.	Introduction to American Government	<b>POLI 1:</b> Introduction to American Government and Politics	5
8.	Service / Civic Learning	<b>SOSC 79:</b> Introduction to Community Service	1
9.	College Success	<b>CNSL 1:</b> College Success	3
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