

LEXSCHOLARS POST-BACCALAUREATE PROGRAM HONOR CODE

The LexScholars Post-Baccalaureate Program is designed to help prepare participants, called Post-Baccalaureate Scholars, for the academic rigors and financial commitment of law school. Scholars are exposed to a range of substantive topics and skills and are expected to demonstrate sufficient levels of engagement and ethical behavior.

The LexScholars Post-Baccalaureate Program Honor Code is a statement describing the standards of intellectual effort and professional integrity required of Post-Baccalaureate Scholars.

Intellectual Effort

The Post-Baccalaureate Program will expose Scholars to new knowledge, concepts, and skills. Scholars will be required to demonstrate proficient acquisition of the covered material. Proficiency will be the outcome of a process of exposure to information; understanding, interpretation, and application of the information; and feedback and assessment.

Scholars are expected to expend high levels of intellectual effort throughout the program. The hallmark of effort is diligence. Examples of diligence include attendance at mandatory live sessions; proactive, responsive, and appropriate interaction with program staff; and timely submission of one's best work on exercises and assessments.

Ethical Behavior

Lawyers are held to high standards of personal and professional ethics. While not yet members of the legal profession, law students are expected to model the ethical behaviors of lawyers. Post-Baccalaureate Scholars, as aspiring law students, will be held to these same heightened ethics standards. Scholars are expected to demonstrate integrity, honesty, and civility. Scholars must undertake and complete their own work. Scholars must adhere to the terms of the Participation Agreement, including the binding nature of the Post-Baccalaureate Program offer.