Department of Legal Studies
UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA

AS Transfer Students

The Legal Studies Department has an entered into an Articulation Agreement with Valencia College. Pursuant to terms of the Articulation Agreement, the Legal Studies Department will permit Valencia College students transferring to UCF with an AS in Paralegal Studies to satisfy **no more than nine (9) hours** of coursework in the major with lower division PLA course substitutions. Below is an explanation of the **nine (9) credits** of substitution. Grades of "D" do not transfer into the major.

PLA Electives

Students are **REQUIRED** to complete **thirty-three (33) hours** of Legal Studies (PLA) Electives. The Legal Studies Department will permit **no more than six (6) hours** of substitutions from students' lower division coursework towards the PLA Elective requirement.

Valencia College coursework will be classified as follows:

Concentrations

Law and Policy					
☐	CJL 2100	CRIMINAL LAW	☐	PLA 2930	SELECTED TOPICS IN PARALEGAL STUDIES
☐	CJL 2102	CRIMINAL EVIDENCE & PROCEDURES			
Advocacy					
☐	PLA 2942	INTERNSHIP IN PARALEGAL STUDIES			
Law and Business					
☐	BUL 2242	BUSINESS LAW II	☐	PLA 2433	BUSINESS ORGANIZATIONS
☐	HFT 2600	HOSPITALITY LAW	☐	PLA 2465C	DEBTOR-CREDITOR/BANKRUPTCY
☐	MNA 2403	HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT LAW	☐	PLA 2601C	WILLS, TRUSTS, AND ESTATE ADMINISTRATION I
Law and Technology					
☐	PLA 2732C	LEGAL TECHNOLOGY *			
Family Matters					
☐	PLA 2800C	FAMILY LAW			
International					

Supporting Courses

Students must complete **three (3) hours** of supporting courses. The Legal Studies Department will permit a lower division PLA elective to satisfy the supporting course requirement.

Legal Studies Core Requirements

The degree requires **fifteen (15) hours** of Core. Course substitutions <u>are not permissible</u> in the Core requirements, period.