ANTONIN SCALIA LAW SCHOOL

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For detailed admission, curriculum, and policy information specific to the Antonin Scalia Law School at George Mason University, please see the Law School Catalog (https://www.law.gmu.edu/academics/catalog/)

About Us

• Located in Arlington just a few miles from downtown Washington D.C.
• Provides top-ranked programs in law, including the fourth best part-time JD program in the country.
• Established 1972 as the International School of Law in Washington, D.C.; merged with George Mason University in 1979 to become George Mason University School of Law
• In July 2016, the school was renamed the Antonin Scalia Law School.
• Occupies the 150,000 square-foot Hazel Hall, opened in 1999.
• Accredited by the American Bar Association (https://www.americanbar.org/) (ABA)
• Member of the Association of American Law Schools (https://www.aals.org/contact/) (AALS)
• Host to research programs and centers:
  • Law and Economics Center (http://www.masonlec.org/)
  • Center for Intellectual Property x Innovation Policy (https://cip2.gmu.edu/)
  • Global Antitrust Institute (https://gai.gmu.edu/)
  • C. Boyden Gray Center for the Study of the Administrative State (https://administrativestate.gmu.edu/)
  • National Security Institute (https://nationalsecurity.gmu.edu/)
  • Liberty & Law Center (https://libertycenter.gmu.edu/)
  • Center for the Middle East & International Law (https://cmeil.gmu.edu)

Faculty and Curriculum

• Faculty/student ratio: 4:1
• Full-time faculty: 51; Part-time faculty: 230
• Innovative and demanding curriculum (https://www.law.gmu.edu/academics/jd/) emphasizes the role of economic analysis in law

(Economics for Lawyers is a required first-year course), as well as legal writing skills and substantive preparation for practice

Degrees

• Juris Doctor (JD) (https://www.law.gmu.edu/academics/degrees/jd/)
• Master of Law (LLM) (https://www.law.gmu.edu/academics/llm/)
• Juris Master (JM) (https://www.law.gmu.edu/academics/degrees/jm_program/)
• Dual Degree in Law and Business (https://www.law.gmu.edu/academics/degrees.jd_mba/)
• Joint Degree in Law & Public Policy (https://www.law.gmu.edu/academics/degrees/jd_mpp/)