

### 2015–2016 COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF DENVER PARALEGAL

3 semesters\*\*
(33 credit hours)

### Job Opportunities:

Entry-Level Paralegal in law firms, government agencies, city attorney offices, district attorney/ public defender offices, courts, not-for-profit agencies, corporate legal departments

Salary Range:

entry level: \$17.50/hour with experience: \$25/hour



### Certificate

Classes Required:

PAR 115 Introduction to Law

PAR 201 Civil Litigation

PAR 202 Evidence

PAR 209 Constitutional Law

PAR 211 Legal Research

PAR 212 Legal Writing

PAR 280 Internship: Paralegal

PAR 289 Capstone: Paralegal Synthesis

#### Plus, Select 2 Electives

CIS 135 Complete Word Processing

PAR 116 Torts

PAR 117 Family Law

PAR 118 Contracts

PAR 125 Property Law

PAR 126 Administrative Law

PAR 205 Criminal Law

PAR 206 Business Organizations

PAR 208 Probate and Estates

PAR 210 Sexual Orientation and the Law

PAR 217 Environmental Law

PAR 218 Bankruptcy Law

The Paralegal Program at Community College of Denver offers a clear pathway so you can reach your educational goals. Start by earning a certificate to become a General Paralegal, then you can move on to earn an Associate of Applied Science Degree in Paralegal, or an AAS degree that transfers to the University of Colorado Denver to earn a 4-year degree. Your job options grow with each step, as does your earning potential!

CCD... Start here. Go Anywhere!

Find out more at ccd.edu/Paralegal or contact Center for Performing Arts, Behavioral & Social Sciences at 303-352-3061

See our costs and tuition information at ccd.edu/tuition

Colorado Resident Student Example

Tuition & Fees per semester taking 5 classes (15 credit hours): \$2458.16 Average financial aid award per semester: \$1875.81.\*\*\*



# 2 additional semesters \*\* Taking 9 more classes (27 additional credit hours)

### Job Opportunities:

Mid-Level Paralegal in law firms, government agencies, city attorney offices, district attorney/ public defender offices, courts, not-for-profit agencies, corporate legal departments

Salary Range:

Mid-level: \$25/hour

with experience: \$37.50/hour

# **Paralegal** Associate of Applied Science Degree

COM 115 Public Speaking ENG 121 English Composition I\* MAT 107 Career Math or MAT 120 or higher

#### Select Guaranteed Transfer Courses

One Arts & Humanities

One Social & Behavioral Sciences

Plus, Select 4 Electives (must select different courses than taken during certificate) CIS 135 Complete Word Processing

PAR 116 Torts

PAR 117 Family Law

PAR 118 Contracts

PAR 125 Property Law

PAR 126 Administrative Law

PAR 205 Criminal Law

PAR 206 Business Organizations

PAR 208 Probate and Estates

PAR 210 Sexual Orientation and the Law

PAR 217 Environmental Law

PAR 218 Bankruptcy Law

### Paralegal Associate of Applied Science Transfer Degree

COM 115 Public Speaking

ENG 121 English Composition I\* ENG 122 English Composition II\*

Select Guaranteed Transfer Courses

One Math Course\*
One History Course\*

One Natural/Physical Science Course w/Lab\*

Two Arts & Humanities Courses\*

Two Social & Behavioral Sciences Courses\*

## Plus, Select 2 Courses Electives (must select different courses than taken during

certificate)

CIS 135 PC Word Processing/Word

PAR 116 Torts

PAR 117 Family Law PAR 118 Contracts

PAR 125 Property Law

PAR 126 Administrative Law

PAR 205 Criminal Law

PAR 206 Business Organizations

PAR 208 Probate and Estates

PAR 210 Sexual Orientation and the Law

PAR 217 Environmental Law PAR 218 Bankruptcy Law

# 3 additional semesters\*\* taking 10 more classes

(37 Additional Credit Hours)

This Degree prepares you to transfer to University of Colorado Denver to study Sociology, Political Science, or Criminal Justice.

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Salary Range:

Mid-level: \$25/hour

with experience: \$37.50/hour