Howard University School of Law Graduation Check List for JD students

 \sim JD-MBA Joint Degree students should consult that academic plan and requirements. \sim

Total Credits: 88 minimum

| 1L YEAR | | | |
|---------------|------------|-----------------|------------|
| Fall Semester | (16 hours) | Spring Semester | (14 hours) |

| Courses | Credits | Grade* | Complete $(\checkmark \text{ or } x)$ | Courses | Credits | Grade* | Complete (✓ or x) |
|-------------------------|---------|--------|---------------------------------------|----------------------|---------|--------|-------------------|
| Civil Procedure I | 4 | | | Constitutional Law I | 3 | | |
| Contracts | 3 | | | Contracts | 2 | | |
| Legal Research, | 2 | | | Criminal Law | 3 | | |
| Reasoning and Writing I | | | | | | | |
| Legal Research, | 0 | | | Legal Research, | 2 | | |
| Reasoning and Writing | | | | Reasoning and | | | |
| I- Research Lab | | | | Writing I | | | |
| Legislation/Regulation | 3 | | | Property | 4 | | |
| Torts | 4 | | | | | | |

^{*}You must earn a passing grade (i.e., a minimum of 60) to receive credit and complete this requirement.

| Upper Level Courses Fill in all courses below. | Credits | Grade* | Complete (✓ or x) |
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| Constitutional Law II | 3 | | |
| Evidence | 4 | | |
| Professional Responsibility | 3 | | |
| Legal Writing II | 2 | | |
| Legal Writing III** | | | |
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*You must earn a passing grade (i.e., minimum of 60) to receive credit and complete this requirement.

**You must earn at least a 75 (LWIII seminar or Independent Study) or at least an 85 (HLJ or HHCR Note or Comment) on the paper to earn LWIII credit. If you are unsure about your grade, and it is not clear on your transcript that you satisfied the grade requirement by earning the LWIII credit, look back in your records about your grade and/or contact your LWIII professor. If your transcript indicates that the LWIII requirement was satisfied, then you earned the minimum paper grade.

| Experiential Courses^ | Credits | Grade | Complete (✓ or x) | |
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[^] Students must earn at least 6 experiential credits. These may include simulation courses, clinics and externships. The course must be designated as one of those three to satisfy the requirement. If you have questions about the designation, consult the Office of Academic Affairs. You may not receive experiential credit and LW3 credit for the same course.

[^] Although there is not a limit on these types of credits, students may **not** count more than 18 credits hours of clinic and externship work towards the 88 credits needed to graduate.