

A photograph of the FSU College of Law building, a large brick structure with a prominent white portico supported by four columns. The building features a large glass entrance and a white dome on top. The text is overlaid on the image.

**FSU**  
**COLLEGE OF LAW**  
**ONLINE JURIS MASTER PROGRAM**

# Your path to continued success begins here.

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## Lead your industry now - and into the future - with a Master's Degree in Law!

In today's workforce, organizations increasingly recognize the importance of leaders who understand and can navigate the intricate legal and regulatory frameworks governing their industries.

Tailored for working professionals, our Juris Master (J.M.) degree is 100% online and can be completed part-time within two years. This advanced 30-credit hour program combines rigorous academic coursework with practical insights to prepare graduates for the challenges of managing legal risks and ensuring compliance within the workplace.

Our flexible master's in law program enables students to tailor their curriculum and enhance their legal expertise in one of our five industry-relevant specializations.

- ✓ Employment Law and HR Risk Management
- ✓ Legal Risk Management, Contracting, and Compliance
- ✓ Cybersecurity, Privacy, and Technology Risk Management
- ✓ Financial Regulation and Compliance
- ✓ Health Care Regulation

## Gain a competitive edge within your industry by earning in-demand legal skills.

The J.M. equips emerging and seasoned professionals with the legal acumen needed for leadership roles - knowledge not usually obtained through traditional graduate or MBA programs.

### Competencies and skills gained through the program:

- **Legal Risk Management, Governance, and Regulatory Compliance:** Proficiency in interpreting complex laws and regulations to ensure organizational compliance through intelligent policy design, contract analysis, risk assessment, and negotiation strategy development.
- **Critical Thinking and Problem-Solving:** Enhanced legal analysis, problem-solving, and critical thinking abilities through careful analysis of compliance and contracting case studies.
- **Negotiation and Communication:** Advanced negotiation and decision-making skills and ability to convey legal implications and strategies to leadership while confidently engaging with legal counsel.
- **Strategic Foresight and Tech-Forward Thinking:** Extensive knowledge of legal and ethical aspects concerning artificial intelligence (AI), privacy laws, and technology risks.

# Specially Designed for Professionals and Business Leaders - in any industry!

The Juris Master Program at FSU is designed for professionals who are working in or aspire to pursue careers in contracting, legal compliance, risk management, and roles that involve close interaction with laws and regulations. Students can promptly apply the career-relevant knowledge and skills acquired during the program to their everyday tasks and responsibilities.

## Why Choose FSU College of Law?

Investing in an our online master's in law program can provide you with the following benefits:



### Flexible, Online Format

The ability to combine the convenience of online education with innovative industry-relevant curriculum, allowing you to advance toward your educational and career goals while remaining committed to your career.



### Top-Rate Faculty

The option to engage in over 50, semester-long, courses taught by highly respected full-time faculty of the College of Law and expert practitioners in their fields.



### Expansive Networking

The opportunity to grow your network and connect with peers across various industries and professions, explore mentorship opportunities, and gain valuable insights within the College of Law Community.



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**Without reservation, I highly recommend FSU's Juris Master Program to anyone seeking to elevate their legal knowledge and expertise and make a meaningful impact in their field!**

*The J.M. Program has armed me with a comprehensive legal foundation, honed my analytical skills, and provided me with the confidence to excel in my career.”*

**Bianca Benjamin-Flanders, J.M. ('23)**

# Personalized support to help you succeed.

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## Return to school with confidence.

At FSU Law, we understand the unique challenges that come with balancing professional responsibilities and academic pursuits. Recognizing that many of our students have been out of the academic environment for some time, we aim to make the transition as smooth as possible.

The J.M. Program is committed to supporting you every step of the way. Our robust support system, including a dedicated team focused on your success, is here to help you navigate any challenges you may encounter.

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*J.M. program administrators are readily available and supportive, ensuring students receive the guidance and assistance they need throughout their academic journey. Despite being an online program, the J.M. Program creates a strong sense of community among students, facilitating connections and collaboration.”*

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*The J.M. team is the greatest strength of the program. They are invested in the success of the program and its students. They are very responsive and as a student, it's great to know you are encouraged to reach out with questions or concerns. The team gives many opportunities to receive student feedback or to offer supportive resources.”*

## Resources available:

### Student Success Program

At the heart of our commitment to your academic success, our Student Success Program offers comprehensive support tailored to your needs. This includes personalized coaching to enhance your legal comprehension and writing skills, workshops designed to improve your time and stress management, and a variety of other resources aimed at helping your academic performance and personal well-being.

### Personalized Advising

Our dedicated team is here to assist you in creating a course schedule that accommodates your professional commitments while ensuring steady progress toward your degree. They will work with you each semester to tailor your academic plan to meet your career goals and personal interests.

### Professional Development

Our Career Center provides a range of services including career counseling, resume workshops, career fairs, and networking opportunities. These resources are designed to help you leverage your J.M. degree to advance your career or transition to new opportunities.

# Gain strategic foresight and tech-forward thinking.

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## Cybersecurity, Privacy, and Technology Risk Management

Florida State University's Juris Master Program in Cybersecurity, Privacy, and Technology Risk Management offers an industry-relevant curriculum at the nexus of law and technology. No prior Cybersecurity, Technology expertise, or prerequisites are required to complete the program.

Supplementing foundational legal and regulatory core courses, students will enhance their legal expertise within specialized areas such as:

- Cybersecurity: Implementing Policies and Procedures
- Cybersecurity Breach Response: Investigation, Mitigation, and Remediation
- Data Analytics and Regulatory Compliance
- Intellectual Property Risk Management
- Technology Fundamentals for Cybersecurity, AI, and Beyond
- Financial Privacy and Cybersecurity
- Healthcare Privacy and Cybersecurity
- Workplace Privacy and Cybersecurity
- Vendors and Other Third-Party Risk Management
- Government Contracting

A comprehensive list of courses can be found at [law.fsu.edu/jmonline](http://law.fsu.edu/jmonline).

## Professional Outcomes

J.M. graduates specializing in Cybersecurity, Privacy, and Technology Risk Management have pursued a variety of roles, including:

- ✓ Compliance Analyst
- ✓ Executive Director, Technology
- ✓ Information Risk Analyst
- ✓ Security Officer
- ✓ Senior Crime Intelligence Analyst
- ✓ Senior Security Risk, Compliance & Privacy Analyst
- ✓ Senior Vice President
- ✓ Information Systems Manager
- ✓ Systems Project Analyst

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**The FSU Juris Master in Cybersecurity, Privacy, and Technology Risk Management Program is very relevant for anyone looking to excel at the intersection of law and technology.** *The practical, hands-on approach to learning has enhanced my legal skills, preparing me to tackle contemporary legal, cybersecurity, and privacy challenges. This experience has advanced my career and shaped my perspective on the vital role of law in tech innovation!*

**Dr. Natalie Foster Johnson, J.M. ('24)**

# Acquire legal expertise to navigate the complex field of HR.

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## Employment Law and HR Risk Management

Florida State University's Juris Master Program in Employment Law and HR Risk Management offers a career-focused curriculum specially designed for HR professionals and business leaders.

Taught by top-ranked law professors and industry leaders at the forefront of their fields, our customizable HR legal risk management curriculum allows students to combine their current HR expertise and build their legal acumen in areas such as:

- Employment Law and HR Compliance
- Employment Discrimination Law
- HR Documentation, Policies, and Procedures
- Conducting Workplace Investigations
- Employee Benefits and Compensation
- Workplace Safety and Wellness
- Workers' Compensation Law
- Enterprise Risk Management
- Workplace Privacy and Cybersecurity
- Contract Risk Management
- Governance, Risk Management, and Compliance
- Vendors and Other Third-Party Risk Management

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FSU College of Law's Juris Master Program is recognized by SHRM to offer Professional Development Credits (PDC) for SHRM-CP® or SHRM-SCP® recertification activities.

The use of the official seal confirms that this Program has met HR Certification Institute's (HRCI) criteria for re-certification credit pre-approval.

## Professional Outcomes

J.M. graduates specializing in Employment Law and HR Risk Management have pursued diverse roles such as:

- ✓ Chief Human Resource Officer
- ✓ Senior HR Business Partner
- ✓ Talent Acquisition Partner
- ✓ Human Resource Specialist
- ✓ Director of Human Resources
- ✓ HR Analyst
- ✓ HR Generalist
- ✓ Senior Manager, Employee Relations
- ✓ Office Manager

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**I would recommend this program to anyone who would like to expand their legal knowledge and become more of an asset to their organization!** The J.M. Program's Employment Law track provides a wealth of legal knowledge through its diverse course offerings that prepare HR professionals. As an HR professional, decisions are often made that impact hiring, firing, and overall employee relations.”

Sherline Lexime, J.M. ('21)



# Lead with your knowledge of the law.

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## Financial Regulation and Compliance

Florida State University's Juris Master Program in Financial Regulation and Compliance offers a set of robust course offerings that allow students to align their legal studies with issues governing and impacting the financial industry.

To expand students current industry knowledge and expertise, students will have the opportunity to enhance their legal acumen in:

- Bank Secrecy Act and Anti-Money Laundering Compliance
- Compliance Failures: Investigation, Reporting, and Remediation
- Consumer Compliance: Deposits, Operations, and New Products
- Consumer Compliance: Lending
- Risk Management for Financial Compliance
- Financial Privacy and Cybersecurity
- Cybersecurity Breach Response: Investigation, Mitigation, and Remediation
- Data Analytics and Regulatory Compliance
- Intellectual Property Risk Management

A comprehensive list of the curriculum can be found at [law.fsu.edu/jmonline](http://law.fsu.edu/jmonline).

## Professional Outcomes

J.M. graduates who specialize in Financial Regulation have pursued various roles, including:

- ✓ BSA Officer
- ✓ Chief Financial Officer
- ✓ Chief Compliance Officer
- ✓ Compliance Risk Manager
- ✓ Crypto Monitoring Analyst
- ✓ Director of Compliance
- ✓ Director of Finance
- ✓ Internal Auditor
- ✓ KYC Compliance Analyst



“The J.M. program came at the perfect time for me during my transition from investigations to corporate compliance. The program's knowledge, combined with my career experience, offered an immersive regulatory and compliance learning journey that fast-tracked my progress in this new field. This affordable program has already proven its value and I highly recommend it to anyone in the regulatory and compliance sector, whether just starting out or a seasoned professional.”

Justin Taylor, J.M. ('22)

# Grow in the ever-evolving health care field.

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## Health Care Regulation

As the health care industry continues to evolve, the demand for professionals who can understand and navigate the legal and regulatory frameworks governing health care also grows. Tailored for healthcare practitioners and administrators, the Juris Master (J.M.) Program in Health Care Regulation provides students with the necessary legal skills and practical knowledge to advance in their health care professions.

While engaging with esteemed College of Law Faculty and leading experts in healthcare law and administration, students have the opportunity to enhance their knowledge through our extensive curriculum, which includes:

- Health Care Fraud and Abuse
- E-Health and Telemedicine
- Medicare, Medicaid, and Managed Care
- Medical Malpractice
- Patient Safety and Quality
- Health Care Payer-Provider Relationships
- Health Care Privacy and Cybersecurity
- Health Care Disability Law: Mental, Physical, and Age-Related
- Public Health Law
- Drug Regulation and Compliance

A comprehensive list of courses can be found at [law.fsu.edu/jmonline](http://law.fsu.edu/jmonline).

## Professional Outcomes

J.M. graduates specializing in Health Care Regulation have pursued diverse roles such as:

- ✓ Medical Director/President
- ✓ Director of Corporate Responsibility
- ✓ Clinical and Medical Investigator
- ✓ Director of Risk Management
- ✓ Compliance & Risk Manager
- ✓ Clinical Incident Analyst
- ✓ Chief Compliance and Privacy Officer
- ✓ Medical Claims Adjuster
- ✓ Chief Nursing Officer

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**Florida State University's College of Law Juris Master program is truly one of a kind!** *The program offers insightful courses with professors and staff, promoting your success throughout the program. I can confidently say the J.M. program with a concentration in Health Care Regulation has prepared me for all my future career goals and aspirations. I highly recommend this program to anyone, especially those in the healthcare field!"*

**Makayla Griffin, J.M. ('20)**





# Enhance your legal and regulatory skills.

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## Legal Risk Management, Contracting, and Compliance

In order to successfully operate within today's heavily regulated economy, organizations increasingly rely on their industry leaders to possess the essential legal compliance, and regulatory expertise to remain compliant and informed regarding industry standards, laws and regulations.

To strengthen their understanding of legal and regulatory compliance, students can take specialized courses that cover a range of topics such as:

- Compliance Failures: Investigations, Reporting, and Remediation
- Civil Litigation Fundamentals
- Business Organizations
- Contract Risk Management
- Enterprise Risk Management
- Government Contracting
- Governance, Risk Management and Compliance
- Program and Project Management: Governance, Contracting, and Compliance
- Workplace Privacy and Cybersecurity
- Intellectual Property Risk Management
- Negotiations & Bargaining: Theory and Practice

A comprehensive list of courses can be found at [law.fsu.edu/jmonline](http://law.fsu.edu/jmonline).

## Professional Outcomes

J.M. graduates with a specialization in Legal Risk Management, Contracting, and Compliance have pursued a variety of roles, including:

- ✓ Business Operations Manager
- ✓ Compliance Manager
- ✓ Contract Analyst/Specialist
- ✓ VP of Operations and Strategy
- ✓ President/CEO
- ✓ Principal Specialist, Supply Chain Management
- ✓ Quality Assurance Specialist
- ✓ Risk Manager/Analyst
- ✓ Project Engineer



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**I would recommend FSU's J.M. Program to anyone seeking legal knowledge to make an immediate impact on the organization they work for!** *There are very few universities with the pedigree of FSU that offer an executive-level Juris Master Program that's both flexible and accessible. The J.M. provides professionals looking to deepen their understanding of legal concepts and principles the ability to apply and impact their current working environments."*

**David Van Doren, J.M. ('22)**



# Begin your journey today.

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### Tuition Information

#### ***Competitively Priced & Affordable***

Florida State is consistently rated one of the nation's **best value law schools** by *National Jurist* magazine and is rated a "good value" by *U.S. News & World Report*. We are proud of our ability to provide an excellent law school education at an affordable and reasonable cost to our students.

**In-State**

**\$683.05**  
per credit hour

**Out-of-State**

**\$1,083.33\***  
per credit hour

*\*after scholarship is applied.*

### Financial Aid Information

Graduate students have the option to utilize the Federal Direct Loan Program. More information regarding Financial Aid can be found at [law.fsu.edu/juris-master-online-tuition](http://law.fsu.edu/juris-master-online-tuition).

### Academic Common Market (ACM)

Students living in one of these states may be eligible to reclassify for in-state tuition through the Academic Common Market (ACM): AL, AR, DE, GA, KY, LA, MD, MS, OK, SC, TN, TX, VA, WV. **Learn More.**

### FSU is committed to veteran and military student success.

The Juris Master Program has been fully approved for all VA benefits. More information can be found at <https://veterans.fsu.edu/>.

### Admission Procedures

The minimum requirements to be considered for admission to the FSU College of Law Juris Master Program include:

- **A bachelor's degree** from a regionally accredited college or university. International applicants must possess an equivalent degree.
- **Completed Graduate School Application**
- **Resume or CV**
- **Supplemental Application Form**
- **Copy of bachelor's degree transcript** (unofficial or official)
- **\$30.00 application fee.**

**No GRE or years of professional experience are required** to apply for admission to the Juris Master program!

More information can be found at <https://law.fsu.edu/juris-master-procedures>.

**Apply Now**

### You're Invited!

Join us for our next information session to learn more about the program and speak with the J.M. Team: [law.fsu.edu/jmonline](http://law.fsu.edu/jmonline).

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