GENERAL BUSINESS  
GBL—General Business and Business Law

Department of Finance
The Eli Broad College of Business  
and The Eli Broad Graduate School of Management

323  Introduction to Business Law
Fall, Spring, 3(3-0): R: Open to students in the James Madison College or in the Agri-business Management major or in the Agri-business Management Specialization or in the Apparel and Textile Design major or in the Apparel and Textiles major or in the Applied Engineering Sciences major or in the Communication major or in the Computer Science major or in the Construction Management major or in the Economics major or in the Food Industry Management Specialization or in the Forestry major or in the Humanities-Prelaw major or in the Interdisciplinary Studies in Social Science: Social Science Education major or in the Interdisciplinary Studies in Social Science major or in the Materials Science and Engineering major or in the Media and Information major or in the Media and Communication Technology major or in the Media Arts and Technology major or in the Natural Resource Recreation and Tourism major or in the Packaging major or in the Retailing major or in the Security Management Specialization. Not open to students with credit in GBL 395 or GBL 395H or GBL 451.

Introduction to the legal system. Basic concepts of constitutional law, torts, contracts, and product liability. Administrative law and government regulations.

393  Introduction to International Business  
Fall, Spring, Summer: 3(3-0): Fall: Abroad. Spring: Abroad. Summer: Abroad. Interdepartmental with Accounting and Finance and Hospitality Business and Management and Marketing and Supply Chain Management. Administered by Marketing. R: Open to students in the Eli Broad College of Business and The Eli Broad Graduate School of Management or in the School of Hospitality Business.

Introduction to the context of international business delivered on-site in foreign settings. Fundamental concepts and principles of globalization such as multinational corporations, foreign markets and economies, internal and external market transactions, international law, cultural influences, and multinational business strategies.

395  Law, Public Policy, and Business  
Fall, Spring, Summer: 3(3-0): R: Open to juniors or seniors in the Eli Broad College of Business and The Eli Broad Graduate School of Management and not open to students in the School of Hospitality Business. Not open to students with credit in GBL 323 or GBL 395H or GBL 451.


395H  Law, Public Policy, and Business -- Honors (W)  
Fall, Spring, 3(3-0): P: Completion of Tier I writing requirement. R: Open to juniors or seniors in the Honors College. Not open to students with credit in GBL 323 or GBL 395 or GBL 451.

Structure of the legal system and basic concepts of constitutional law, torts, contracts, and product liability. Administrative law and government regulation of business.

420  Role of Law and Lawyers in Society (W)  
Fall, Spring, 3(3-0): P: GBL 395 or GBL 395H or completion of Tier I writing requirement. R: Open to juniors and open to seniors in the Eli Broad College of Business and The Eli Broad Graduate School of Management and not open to students in the School of Hospitality Business.


440  Real Estate Law and Finance  
Spring, 3(3-0): P: GBL 395 or GBL 395H or GBL 451: R: Open to juniors or seniors in the Eli Broad College of Business and The Eli Broad Graduate School of Management and not open to students in the School of Hospitality Business.

Fundamentals of real estate law, finance, and real estate development.

451  Law of Commercial Transactions  
Fall, Spring, 3(3-0): R: Open to seniors or graduate students in the Department of Accounting and Information Systems. Not open to students with credit in GBL 323 or GBL 395 or GBL 395H.

Law of contracts and sales, commercial paper, secured transactions, consumer credit, and debtor-creditor relationships.

460  International Law and Business  
Spring, 3(3-0): P: GBL 395 or GBL 395H: R: Open only to seniors or graduate students.

The impact of international law on business practices. Government regulation of international business.

467  Emerging Enterprise Law  
Fall, 3(3-0): P: GBL 395 or GBL 395H or GBL 451: R: Open to juniors or seniors in the Eli Broad College of Business and The Eli Broad Graduate School of Management and not open to students in the School of Hospitality Business. C: MGT 352 concurrently.

In-depth analysis of the law for new ventures. Laws one must follow before, during, and after creation of a company.

480  Environmental Law and Sustainability for Business: From Local to Global (I)  
Spring, Summer: 3(3-0): R: Open to juniors or seniors in the Eli Broad College of Business and The Eli Broad Graduate School of Management and not open to undergraduate students in the School of Hospitality Business and open to undergraduate students in the International Business Specialization or in the Sustainability Specialization.

Environmental law and sustainability for business from a comparative as well as local, national, and international perspectives.

490  Independent Study  
Fall, Spring, Summer: 1 to 3 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 6 credits in all enrollments for this course. P: GBL 395 or GBL 395H.

Current and emerging issues in business law to supplement and enrich existing course.

491  Topics in Business Law  
Fall of even years: 1 to 4 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 9 credits in all enrollments for this course. P: GBL 395 or GBL 395H.

Current and emerging issues in business law to supplement and enrich existing course.

890  Independent Study  
Fall, Spring, Summer: 1 to 3 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 6 credits in all enrollments for this course. P: GBL 395 or GBL 395H.

Faculty-supervised independent study.