BERKELEY LAW L.L.M. CERTIFICATE IN
ENVIRONMENTAL LAW
(LLM) 2014-2015

Berkeley Law LL.M. students have the option of earning a Certificate of Specialization in Environmental Law. The specialized curricular program ensures that students develop a broad background in fundamental areas of law while receiving advanced training in environmental law. Students who meet the requirements are awarded a Certificate of Specialization in Environmental Law at graduation. The Certificate may provide students with an advantage in applying for employment positions in the environmental, land use and natural resources fields.

Candidates for the Certificate must complete:

1. Either Environmental Law and Policy (LAW 271) or International Environmental Law (Law 271.71)
2. Either Administrative Law (LAW 223) or International Law (Law 261);
3. At least two additional environmental law courses that total at least four units (qualifying courses are listed on the form; one of these classes may be a public law class, also listed on the form); and
4. A research paper on an environmental topic.

Students on the course-work-only degree track may fulfill the paper requirement by completing an independent study (Law 299) or another seminar for which the student completes a major research paper. For students on the thesis degree track the LLM thesis should fulfill the paper requirement. The paper must be at least 30 pages in length and
must be revised at least once in response to comments from the supervising professor. In general, this paper should be supervised by a Berkeley Law faculty member with expertise in environmental, land use or natural resource law.

Students who have taken International Law as part of their prior legal training may substitute an advanced international or comparative law class with a focus on environmental law (e.g., Law 271.71 International Environmental Law), for the required International Law class. If this substitute class is International Environmental Law, then the student MUST take Environmental Law and Policy to qualify for the certificate.

Any other exceptions or waivers to these requirements are made at the discretion of the faculty. Questions about exceptions or waivers should be directed to Professor Eric Biber at ebiber@law.berkeley.edu

Students should complete and deliver the attached Application to Lecturer Robert Infelise at rinfelise@law.berkeley.edu

The deadline is March 15, 2015.
APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE IN ENVIRONMENTAL LAW

Applicant information:

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Required Courses: Semester/Year

Administrative Law or International Law or advanced international/comparative environmental law class (specify)

Environmental Law & Policy or International Environmental Law
Other Environmental Law Courses:
(Please check the boxes next to the courses you have completed and passed - 2 courses required)

☐ LAW 270.4 Introduction to Energy Law (1 unit)

☐ LAW 270.6 Energy Regulation and the Environment (3 units)

☐ LAW 270.7 Renewable Energy and Other Alternative Fuels: Law, Policy and Promise (2 units)

☐ LAW 271.5 Environmental Law Writing Seminar (2 units)

☐ LAW 271.71 International Environmental Law (2 units)

☐ LAW 272.1 Water Resources Law (3 units)

☐ LAW 272.3 Climate Change and the Law / Climate Change: Law and Policy (2 units)

☐ LAW 273.1 Land-Use Law (3 units)

☐ LAW 264.1 Ocean Law

☐ LAW 273.63 Public Lands and Natural Resources Law (3 units)

☐ LAW 274.12 Workshop on Development of the Environment (3 units)

Course Total _______________
Other Public Law Courses – Check all that apply:
(Please check the boxes next to the courses you have completed and passed - 1 of these public law courses may be substituted for 1 environmental law course)

☐ LAW 220.6 Constitutional Law

☐ LAW 222 Federal Courts

☐ LAW 223.2 Advanced Administrative Law

☐ LAW 223.8 California Constitutional Law

☐ LAW 225 Legislation

☐ LAW 226.3 Local Government in Action

☐ LAW 286T Race and American Law

☐ LAW 287.8 Constitutional Litigation

☐ LAW 227A Current US Supreme Court Cases

☐ LAW 220SP Advanced Constitutional Law: Separation of Powers

☐ LAW TBD 325 Advanced Constitutional Law: Federalism

Course Total ____________
Research Paper:

(Include the title, the course for which the paper was written, the faculty advisor and the date the paper was submitted; A research paper should be at least 30 pages and should include at least one meeting with the supervising professor and a revision).

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Certificate Checklist

The Certificates are awarded the day before graduation in a ceremony open to family, friends, faculty, students and staff. A faculty member will introduce each recipient and talk at length about that student, drawing upon academic and personal achievements. Don’t worry, only positive achievements are used in introductions! Please help us prepare for the ceremony by:

- Signing the authorization to permit Lecturer Robert Infelise to review your admissions file;

- Attaching as much of your admissions file (i.e., resumes, letters of recommendation, essays, lists of achievements, etc.) as you have in your possession;

- Attaching a current resume; and

- Completing the questionnaire.