



RUTGERS

Law School

Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey, celebrated its 250th anniversary in 2016, and legal education at Rutgers traces its history over 100 years of that span. However, the current Rutgers Law School was established in 2015, when the American Bar Association approved the merger of the Rutgers School of Law–Camden and the Rutgers School of Law–Newark into a single school. It is one of the largest public law schools in the country, with more than 1,000 J.D. students and 110 members of the teaching faculty. Its distinctive structure and size offer the advantages of scholarly and teaching depth in various fields such as criminal law, intellectual property, health law, business law, and public interest law, while each of its two locations offers students an intimate learning environment. The distance between the two locations in Camden and Newark is bridged by the “holodeck,” a new immersive digital classroom, which facilitates collaboration across campuses through its capacity to host classes, meetings, and events in both locations at once.

Rutgers Law students have easy access to three of the nation’s ten largest legal markets: New York City, Philadelphia, and New Jersey. The school’s graduates are leaders in the private sector as well as the public-service community. Rutgers Law School’s award-winning pro bono programs and historically prominent clinical programs both provide outstanding preparation for the practice of law while advancing the school’s strong tradition of diversity and social impact.

Rutgers Law students edit seven academic journals, including the Rutgers University Law Review, the Rutgers Journal of Law and Religion, and the Women’s Rights Law Reporter. The Journal of College and University Law is the first faculty-edited journal located at the law school. More information is available at law.rutgers.edu.

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