THE CASE FOR EXCELLENCE
The University of Houston Law Center is a Tier One law school ranked at No. 56 out of 200 law schools in the nation by U.S. News & World Report, and one of only eight public law schools to offer three or more nationally recognized programs (health law, intellectual property and part-time studies). Students work toward J.D., LL.M. or joint degrees with other graduate schools that allow them to earn two degrees in less time. A globally-recognized faculty and a rigorous, enriching curriculum shape tomorrow’s top lawyers.

HOUSTON’S LEGAL CONNECTION
The Health Law & Policy Institute offers future lawyers supervised field work with government agencies and non-profit health institutions, including the Texas Medical Center. The Environment, Energy & Natural Resources Center conducts research and provides a forum for education and discussion of the most important energy and environmental issues of the day. The Institute for Intellectual Property & Information Law is a recognized global leader in technology and information law, including patent, copyright, trademark and trade secrets law. Clinical programs serve Houston’s low-income residents involved in consumer, immigration and juvenile cases, among others. UH Law Center faculty are called upon regionally and nationally to provide testimony on policy matters.

“It is rare when an institution of the highest quality also stands out for its relatively low cost. Excellence and value are the hallmarks of our law school.”

– Dean Raymond T. Nimmer
ICON OF LEADERSHIP

The bronze statue at the entrance of UH Law Center honors Albert the Great, described historically as a “Man of Universal Knowledge.” The Law Center continues his legacy within its classrooms and beyond. A recent national study by the University of St. Thomas School of Law measured the “collective scholarship” of tenured faculty and ranked the University of Houston Law Center No. 51 out of 200 schools nationwide.

Students have the opportunity to learn the law from true experts and can choose from one of the largest course selections in the country. UH Law Center is committed to a broad and deep curriculum for first-year students. Requirements narrow in the second and third years to allow students to concentrate on specific areas, including practice clinics in Houston communities.

BusinessWeek has named Houston as its “Top City for New College Grads,” and the partnership between one of the largest legal markets in the nation and the Law Center may be the reason 56 percent of our alumni live and practice in Houston.

AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

- UH Intellectual Property and Information Law Institute is ranked 6th nationally by U.S. News & World Report, 2011
- UH Law Center part-time program is ranked 8th nationally by U.S. News & World Report, 2011
- UH Law Center is ranked 56th out of 200 law schools by U.S. News & World Report, 2011
- Ranked 42nd in 2011 by the National Law Journal among “Go to” law schools based on the percent of graduates hired by the top 250 law firms in U.S.
- Ranked 34th in 2010 by Super Lawyers publication based on the number of alumni of the school who have been voted as “super lawyers” in their fields by their peers
- UH Law Center is ranked 39th nationally in 2011 by National Jurist magazine for best standard of living
- The Houston Law Review is ranked 38th worldwide by Washington & Lee University, 2010
- UH Journal of International Law ranked in the top 25% of all law journals by Washington & Lee University, 2010

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