

UNIVERSITY OF IOWA COLLEGE OF LAW
REQUEST FOR MORE THAN/LESS THAN
FULL-TIME REGISTRATION

1. Name _____ Telephone _____

2. Student ID# _____ E-Mail _____

3. Semester Requested _____ Class Year _____

If you wish to register for fewer than 10 semester hours or more than 15 semester hours for fall or spring; or more than 12 semester hours for summer, complete this sheet and turn it into the Administrative Office, Room 280. Dean Crain will sign and give the original back to you and a copy to Deb Paul. If there are problems or questions, she will contact you.

Full Time Policy

The faculty believes that students receive a better legal education when they are devoting substantially all of their time to educational pursuits. For this reason, students at Iowa are expected to pursue their law training on a full-time basis. This policy coincides with the accreditation standards of the American Bar Association and the Association of American Law Schools. In certain circumstances, it may be possible for a student to enroll for fewer than 10 hours per semester.

For tuition purposes, taking 12 credits is considered full-time. For insurance and verification purposes, taking 10 credits is considered full-time. Please contact the Financial Aid office if taking fewer than 12 credits.

1. Registration request for _____ hours this semester. Please list the courses:

2. Please list the reason(s) for requesting this course load: _____

3. I need _____ hours to graduate.

4. Have you requested an exception to this policy before? If so, when and for what?

Permission Granted: Yes ___ _____
No ___ Carin N. Crain, Associate Dean

15 Hour Rule:

No student may be enrolled during any fall or spring semester for more than 15 hours, or for more than 12 hours during any two adjacent summer sessions, for credit that will be applicable to the student's J.D. degree. This limit may be increased to no more than 16 in one semester with permission from the Dean of Students (effective with the Summer 2007 entering class). University of Iowa College of Law Faculty Meeting Minutes adopted (Feb. 17, 2005). See also ABA Standard 304(e).