

ETHICS AND LEGAL STUDIES, PHD

The Ethics & Legal Studies Doctoral Program at Wharton focuses on the study of ethics and law in business. It is designed to prepare graduates for careers in university teaching and research at leading business schools, law schools, and other programs. Faculty and student interests range over topics including international business ethics and human rights, corporate governance, ethical conduct in business, social impact, environmental law and policy, securities, equality in law and ethics, normative political theory, negotiations, corporate constitutional rights, and corporate criminal law.

For more information: <https://lgst.wharton.upenn.edu/programs/phd/>

View the University's Academic Rules for PhD Programs (<http://catalog.upenn.edu/pennbook/academic-rules-phd/>).

Required Courses

The course of study for the Ph.D. requires the completion of sixteen graduate course units, including courses in statistics. Some graduate-level credit from courses at other universities may transfer to Wharton.

Code	Title	Course Units
Core Requirements		
LGST 9200	Ethics in Business and Economics	1
LGST 9210	Foundations of Business Law	1
Select two additional Legal Studies courses		2
Statistics Requirements		
STAT 5000	Applied Regression and Analysis of Variance	1
STAT 5010	Introduction to Nonparametric Methods and Log-linear Models	1
Economics		1
Ethical Theory		2
Major Disciplinary Cluster		
Select five courses in one of the following disciplines:		5
Management		
Law		
Philosophy		
Additional Coursework		
Select two additional courses		2
Total Course Units		16

The degree and major requirements displayed are intended as a guide for students entering in the Fall of 2024 and later. Students should consult with their academic program regarding final certifications and requirements for graduation.
