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**SECTION E: NY BAR APPROVED COURSE LIST****Duke Law Courses Approved for New York Bar Eligibility by New York Court of Appeals<sup>1</sup>**

- I. **Professional Responsibility (2 credits required)** [Rule 520.6(b)(3)(vi)(a)]
- Ethics and the Law of Lawyering (2 credits)
  - Ethics and the Law of Lawyering in Civil Litigation (2 credits)
  - Ethics in Action (2 credits)
  - Criminal Justice Ethics (2 credits)
  - Ethics of Social Justice Lawyering (2 credits)
  - Ethics in Action: Large Firm Practice (2 credits)
- II. **Legal Research, Writing and Analysis (2 credits required)** [Rule 520.6(b)(3)(vi)(b)]
- U.S. Legal Analysis, Research & Writing for International Students (2 credits)
- III. **American Legal Studies (2 credits required)** [Rule 520.6(b)(3)(vi)(c)]
- Distinctive Aspects of U.S. Law (2 credits)
- IV. **Subjects Tested on the N.Y. Bar Exam (6 credits required)** [Rule 520.6(b)(3)(vi)(d)]

**First-year courses:**

- Civil Procedure (4.5 credits)
- Constitutional Law (4.5 credits)
- Contracts (4.5 credits)
- Criminal Law (4.5 credits)
- Property (4 credits)
- Torts (4.5 credits)

**Upper-level courses:**

- Administrative Law (3 credits)
- Agency Law (2 credits)
- Business Associations (4 credits)
- Commercial Transactions (4 credits)
- Conflict of Laws (3 credits)
- Criminal Procedure: Adjudication (3 credits)
- Criminal Procedure: Investigation (4 credits)
- Evidence (4 credits)
- Family Law (2 credits)
- Federal Courts (5 credits)
- Federal Courts I: Constitution & Judicial Power (3 credits)

**Upper-level courses (continued):**

- Federal Courts II - Public Law Litigation (3 credits)
- First Amendment (3 credits)
- Introduction to Alternative Dispute Resolution (2 credits)
- Principles of Commercial and Bankruptcy Law (4 credits)
- Race, Schools and the Equal Protection Clause\*\*
- Religious Liberty\*\*
- Remedies (3 credits)
- Structuring and Regulating Financial Transactions (3 credits)
- Structuring Commercial and Financial Transactions (3 credits)
- The Business and Economics of Law Firms (1 credit)
- The Federal Prosecutor: A View from the Trenches\*\*
- The Takings Doctrine\*\*
- Trusts and Estates (3 credits)

<sup>1</sup>Updated January 2024. Not all courses are offered each semester; consult the course browser for availability.

\*\* The number of credits may vary yearly depending on the options offered during the academic year.