

Application Process:

Send this form along with the following items to the address listed below:

- High school transcript
- Standardized test scores (SAT or ACT)
- Two letters of recommendation from teachers or guidance counselors
- 200 word essay on the following: What are your plans for the future and how might participating in a UNE Early College Program help you solidify those plans?
- Non-refundable application fee of \$25 (check payable to the "University of New England")

Cancellation Policy:

Program fee will be refunded up to two weeks prior to the start of the program. No refund will be given after that date.

Application Due Date: May 1st, 2014

Area of Concentration: _____

Please Print:

Last, First & M.I.: _____

Home Address: _____

City: _____ State/Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____

Student e-mail: _____

Parent e-mail: _____

Age _____ Entering _____ grade in Sept.2014

Your high school: _____

School address: _____

Student signature: _____

Parent signature (required): _____

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UNE Early College Pre-Law/Trial Advocacy Program 2014

Make This Summer Count!



High School Juniors and Seniors

Earn college credit and experience college life in Maine while exploring the American legal system and a career in law.

For program dates, please visit our website:

www.une.edu/occe



The University of New England invites you to apply to the Early College Pre-Law/Trial Advocacy Program:

- Are you looking for a challenging program that will give you insight into the legal profession ?
- Would you like to participate as an attorney or witness in a mock trial?
- Does spending two weeks on a coastal Maine college campus sound exciting?
- Would you like to earn 3 college credits before you even enter college?

Experience college life on the Maine coast this summer in UNE's new Early College Pre-Law Program.

UNE is well-known for cutting-edge research and scholarship. High school juniors and seniors have the opportunity to study the field of law with UNE faculty member and practicing lawyer James Roche and student assistants who are majoring in a related field. It is a summer program to "learn, earn and experience". Where you learn from intensive study with UNE faculty, earn 3 college credits, and experience life on a college campus.

UNE is located on the Saco River estuary between Portland, a major seaport and cultural center, and Kennebunkport, a picturesque Maine village.

Exciting field trips include:

- Destinations chosen to enrich the field of study.
- Portland Sea Dogs game (schedule permitting).
- Portland waterfront and the "Old Port."
- A whale watch out of Kennebunkport.



What will I do in the Pre-Law Program?

You will be introduced to the American legal system and study various types of law, such as Contract Law, Tort Law, Constitutional Law and Criminal Law while gaining an understanding of how the court system operates. You will take trips to visit the Biddeford District or Alfred Superior court to watch a trial, (trial schedules permitting).

After studying the American legal system and case law for background, you will be placed on a mock trial team where they will take on the role of attorneys and witnesses. During the course, teams will learn the basics regarding the rules of evidence, when objections are appropriate, how to direct and cross-examine a witness, and how to prepare opening and closing statements. The course will conclude with each team presenting their case to a Judge and/or Jury.



James B. Roche, Esq.

James B. Roche teaches the following courses at the University of New England: American Law & Politics, Constitutional Law, Business Law, Introduction to Law, Trial Advocacy, U.S. Congress, the U.S. Supreme Court, and Healthcare Law & Policy. He also continues to practice law, which includes litigating cases in both State and Federal Court.

Dorms & Dorm Life

The dorms at UNE are close to your classes and dining hall. This is an opportunity for you to experience dorm life and a roommate. The rooms include two desks, two shelves and two beds complete with linens. A dorm counselor/student assistant will be in residence with you. Much of your weekday evenings will be spent with assignments and projects, but there will be plenty of opportunity to socialize and explore the area.

Tuition & Related Fees

Tuition for the 2-week academic programs, (includes instruction, field trips and extra-curricular activities) is \$1180. A limited number of merit scholarships are available. Please go to www.une.edu/oc for scholarship updates.

Room & Board

2 Weeks/Double room (w/meals) \$770

(12-nights lodging. Meals begin with dinner on the first evening of the program and end with lunch on the final day of the program).

Commuter students:

Lunches are \$175 for the 2-week program.

Total Costs

2-Week Program w/ Room & Board —\$1950

2-Week Program w/ Lunches Only— \$1355

If accepted in a program, a deposit of \$100.00 is required by May 15, 2014 to reserve your place. The balance is due June 1, 2014.

