# <u>Certificate in Intellectual Property,</u> <u>Media, and Information Law</u>

Brooklyn Law School offers a certificate for students interested in practicing in areas involving intellectual property, the media, and/or information law. To earn the certificate, students must satisfactorily complete at least **seven** total courses from the various course listings below, broken down as follows:

- at least 1 course from among the following three foundation courses:
  - o Copyright Law
  - o Patent Law
  - o Trademarks and Unfair Competition
- at least 1 other foundation course;
- at least 3 additional courses selected from among the foundation or advanced courses; and
- at least 2 skills and practice-based courses.

## **Foundation Courses**

Copyright Law (IPL–200)
First Amendment Law (CLT–200)
Internet Law (IPL–220)
Mass Media Law (IPL–250)
Patent Law (IPL–210)
Trademarks and Unfair Competition (IPL–215)

#### Advanced Courses<sup>1</sup>

Advanced Copyright and Trademark Law Seminar (IPL-315)

Antitrust Law (RLP–210)

Art Law Seminar: Advanced Problems (IPL-475)

Comparative Mass Media Law Seminar (IPL-350)

Entertainment Law (IPL-300)

Fashion Law Seminar (IPL-320)

First Amendment Seminar (CLT-405)

Human Rights & IP Seminar (IPL-270)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This list includes currently offered courses. From time to time, different courses focusing on topics relating to IP, media law, or information law may be offered to satisfy the requirement.

# Advanced Courses (continued)

Ideas of the First Amendment (CLT–201)

Information Privacy Law (IPL-230)

IP Biotechnology Law (IPL-246)

IP Colloquium (IPL-330)

IP Seminar: Challenges and Reforms (IPL-460)

IP Transactions Seminar (IPL-450)

International IP (IBL-370)

Newsgathering and the Law (IPL–352)

Media Law and Policy Seminar (IPL-425)

Patent Prosecution (IPL-310)

Privacy and the Workplace (LEL-220)

Sports Law (BOL-280)

Telecommunications Law (RLP-290)

Trade Secrets Workshop (IPL-445)

## **Skills and Practice-Based Courses**

# **Externships**

Civil Practice Externship (in pertinent placement)<sup>2</sup>

#### Clinics

BLIP (Brooklyn Law Incubator & Policy) Clinic and Advanced BLIP Clinic (CLN–214, CLN–216)<sup>3</sup>

### **Simulation Courses**

Drafting Technology Agreements (IPL-325) Entertainment Law Workshop (IPL-301) Litigating an Intellectual Property Case (IPL-260) Litigating a Patent Case (IPL-261)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Many government agencies, trade associations, standard-setting bodies, and other groups will provide relevant externship experiences. For example, students have worked for the Computer and Communications Industry Association; the New York Attorney General's Office, Internet Division; and the NYC Department of Information Technology and Telecommunications; the Dramatists' Guild; many entertainment industry companies (e.g., SONY, MTV).

Other relevant externships in business organizations, media outlets, watchdog groups, government offices, nonprofit organizations, and other settings may satisfy this requirement.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Two-semester clinics count as two skills courses.