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## IPIL MISSIONS

**PROVIDE** legal education of the highest quality in the fields of intellectual property and information law to help prepare law students and lawyers for the challenges of practicing law in a nationally and internationally integrated economy

**ADVANCE** the development of intellectual property and information law by promoting and disseminating research by UH Law Center faculty and by sponsoring excellence in IP and IL scholarship by others

**SERVE** Texas and the Nation by providing an internationally recognized center for the exchange of ideas on intellectual property and information law

**CONTRIBUTE** to international cooperation among scholars and practitioners in these fields from all nations

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DEAN’S MESSAGE

The power of a legal education is seen in the skills and knowledge acquired to facilitate the creative process, whether involving words written on a page or software programs controlling a global communications network. Expansive developments in technology and commerce are continuously transforming the laws of intellectual property and information law.

The time is right to learn from the best, and the place to do that is here at the University of Houston Law Center. Our Intellectual Property & Information Law Institute is consistently ranked in the nation’s Top 10, according to U.S. News & World Report, and is known throughout the world for the strength of its faculty, scholarship, curriculum, and graduates. Students at the Law Center learn against the backdrop of Houston, the nation’s fourth largest city, and benefit from the wealth of intellectual capital in the area as the region thrives as an epicenter of business — domestically and in the global marketplace.

Whether your interest lies in traditional areas of intellectual property law — patent, copyright, trademark, trade secret — or the rapidly evolving field of information law — internet, software, electronic commerce, databases — IPIL/HOUSTON has what it takes to help you realize your goal of a successful career in this growing field.

Please spend a few minutes reading about all we have to offer and then come join us.

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AS PART OF THE UH LAW CENTER, accredited by the American Bar Association, the Institute for Intellectual Property & Information Law (IPIL) is located in one of the largest and most diverse metropolitan areas in the United States. Houston is among the top five markets in the United States for intellectual property and information law, with thousands of these specialists working in corporations, law firms, and universities. Indeed, the Houston Intellectual Property Law Association is among the most influential IP bar organizations in the country, boasting many leaders of national IP groups along with its active amicus and continuing legal education activities.

In addition to world-class law firms serving clients from Houston to Hong Kong and from Silicon Valley to Singapore, Houston hosts numerous multinational corporations and organizations that generate intellectual property: ExxonMobil, Shell, NASA, many information technology companies, and the distinguished institutions of the Texas Medical Center are just a few. UH’s strong presence in the region produces significant research opportunities for faculty and students alike.

For more information on Houston, visit www.houstontx.gov.
APPROXIMATELY THREE DOZEN IPIL-RELATED COURSES ARE OFFERED REGULARLY at the UH Law Center. All of these courses meet the degree requirements for the Doctor of Jurisprudence (J.D.) degree, and most apply to the Master of Laws (LL.M.) degree in intellectual property and information law.

J.D. PROGRAM
The UH Law Center offers both full-time and part-time programs leading to the J.D. degree. J.D. candidates must complete 90 credit hours and may select intellectual property and information law courses that reflect their individual interests. Students interested in applying to the J.D. Program should contact the Office of Admissions for an application at 713.743.2280 or lawadmissions@uh.edu.

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The LL.M. Program provides an academic environment for practicing lawyers who wish to expand their knowledge of intellectual property and information law. Only a limited number of candidates are accepted for full-time or part-time studies, and admission is highly competitive. Applicants from the United States must hold a J.D. degree from a law school accredited by the American Bar Association. Lawyers who hold law degrees from foreign countries must meet academic and English-language standards for admission.

LL.M. candidates must complete 24 credit hours of approved courses (including a minimum of 15 credit hours of IPIL courses), with a qualifying cumulative grade point average. An optional thesis is available. Class scheduling and availability vary from year to year. Most IPIL courses are offered in the fall and spring semesters. Generally, IPIL courses are not available in the summer. For Law Center J.D. students, a joint J.D./LL.M. program is available. Thesis supervision occurs during the fall and spring semesters only. For details about the LL.M. Program, visit www.law.uh.edu/llm.

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Professor Fagundes' scholarship focuses on tangible and intangible property. He joined the Law Center faculty in 2016, and was appointed research dean that same year. In 2019, he was named the Baker Botts LLP Professor. Prior to that, he worked as a professor at Southwestern Law School in Los Angeles, CA; a Bigelow Fellow and Lecturer in Law at the University of Chicago Law School; an associate at Jenner & Block LLP; and a clerk to Judge David S. Tatel of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit. He graduated with honors from Harvard College and Harvard Law School, where he served as an articles editor of the Harvard Law Review. Prof. Fagundes was named the UHLC Order of the Barons Professor of the Year in 2020 and won the University of Houston Excellence in Teaching Award in 2023. He was elected to the American Law Institute in 2020.

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Professor Gebru’s research focuses on issues at the intersection of intellectual property law, innovation policy, and knowledge governance from both domestic and global perspectives. His recent projects examine how intellectual property laws deal with collectively developed innovation and creativity, such as hackathons, memes, dance crazes, and indigenous (traditional) knowledge.

Before joining the University of Houston Law Center, Professor Gebru served as an assistant professor of law at Duquesne University School of Law, a visiting assistant professor at Cardozo School of Law, Yeshiva University, and a Global Post-Doctoral Fellow at New York University School of Law. He has also taught internationally at the University of Ontario Institute of Technology (Canada) and Haramaya University College of Law (Ethiopia).


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Before joining the University of Houston Law Center, Professor Guggenberger was a Lecturer in Law at Yale Law School and Executive Director of the Yale Information Society Project. He held an appointment as the RWTÜV Foundation Assistant Professor at the University of Münster School of Law in Germany and taught at the University of Virginia School of Law and the University of São Paulo Law School. He also served as an advisor on banking and financial markets regulation and monetary and economic policy at the European Parliament in Brussels. He has frequently advised government entities and served as expert witness on technology policy, financial markets regulation, and media law.

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