

Paralegal Studies Program

- ✓ Began in early 1980's by Dr. Paul Weber and Joel Goldstein.
- ✓ Associate Degree. Later both Associate and Bachelor's
- √1 Faculty Full Time Staff Member. All faculty-Part Time practicing attorneys and paralegals.
- ✓ Successful placement.
- ✓ Numerous attorney's and paralegals.
- ✓ American Bar Association Approved Program. (ABA)
- ✓ Director resigned in September 2016.

"I am really upset about **UofL's closure of the paralegal** program and just cannot believe that a city the size of Louisville can't support a liberal arts education that includes a paralegal studies program. The job market seems pretty strong as there are always new jobs posted on both associations' website job banks."

Melissa Reynolds, Former President of the Louisville Association of Paralegals and the Kentucky Paralegal Association. Current Director of Certification for the Kentucky Paralegal Association.





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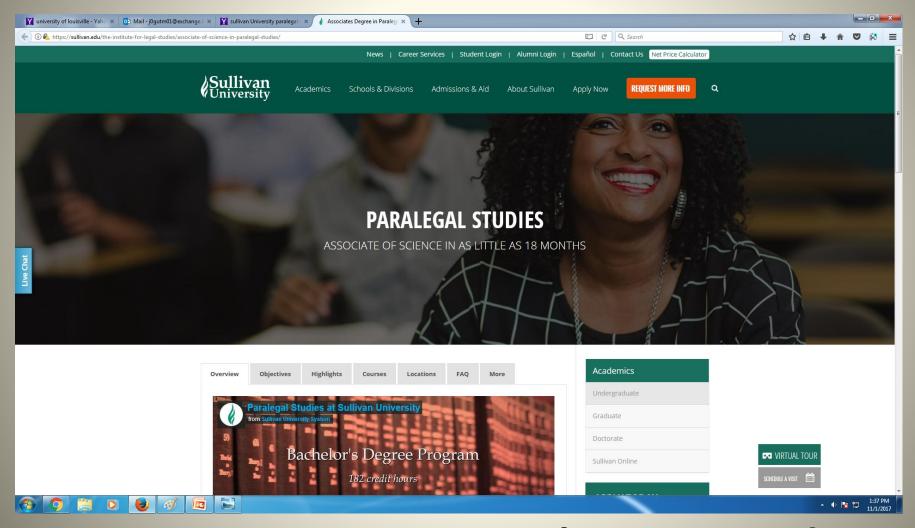
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Paralegal

In the past, paralegals primarily assisted attorneys in preparing documents. However moving forward more companies use paralegals to do much of the work that attorneys did previously. With a projected growth rate of about 28 percent over the 10 years, becoming a paralegal has exceptional opportunities. "There are several ways to become a paralegal. The most common is through a community college paralegal program that leads to an associate degree. Another common method of entry, mainly for those who already have a college degree, is earning a certificate in paralegal studies. A small number of schools offer bachelors' and masters' degrees in paralegal studies."

Sullivan's Program is Thriving!



Tuition is approximately 33% more!

- Estimate 60-65% of our students are women.
- Estimate 20-25% of our students are minorities.