



"I found this week to be honestly life-changing."
- 2018 Fellow, Wake Forest Law School

"The Fellows program was probably the most intellectually-stimulating week of my life. Being surrounded by smart Christian students and speakers caused me to see my faith in a new light and experience for the first time what it was like to be among people who think like me and share the same beliefs as me."
- 2019 Fellow, University of Georgia School of Law

"Connecting with others who are pursuing law as a calling to be used for God's glory and for the aid of those around us provides the double blessing." - 2020 Fellow, University of San Diego School of Law

"Can you be a lawyer and still remain a Christian? These people show that the answer is yes!! Grateful to the Lord Jesus for learning and growing alongside these great group of people this week."
- 2023 Fellow, Georgia State University School of Law

CATCH A NEW VISION FOR LAW SCHOOL AND PRACTICE!

CLS' Law School Fellows program is a week-long summer program designed for law students seeking a deeper understanding of the nature and sources of human law.

Beginning with the understanding that the law is not simply a human artifact and that law practice is about more than just social engineering, the Fellows program provides training, scholarly interaction, and fellowship in order to help build-up students to better see the interactional nature of law and religion. In the context of Christian scholarly community, students and faculty will explore the implications of the fact that God is the source of order and justice, and that moral formation is necessary to professional integrity.

WORLD-CLASS FACULTY AND INSTRUCTION

Students will engage with world-class professors and successful practitioners across a broad range of topics:

- Jurisprudential & Theological Foundations of Law
- The Life of Integrity as the Foundation for Moral Formation and Professional Identity
- The Doctrine of Vocation in the Context of Law Practice and Study
- Loving Our Neighbors in Ordinary Practice
- Mentoring and Fellowship

Students will be equipped to recognize and resist the negative shaping power of the legal academy that can result in cynicism, arrogance, and unhealthy competitiveness. Fellows will become attorneys who see law practice as a means of loving their neighbors and fostering the common good.

THE LEGAL PROFESSION NEEDS THIS PROGRAM

In today's legal academy, law is seen merely as a tool for social engineering and attorneys are the engineers. Law students no longer receive training in moral formation as part of their professional training because it is not seen as important or even possible. The legal profession and American society have suffered as a result of these false views of law and lawyering. In response to these challenges, the Fellows program was created to help raise up a new generation of professionals committed to integrity and faithfulness as central to lawyering.

Equipping Law Students to Walk with Integrity

WHO CAN APPLY?

The program is designed for students who are currently in their first or second year of law school.

WHAT WILL IT COST?

All travel to and from DC, lodging, meals, and living expenses are covered for every student.

HOW DO I APPLY?

Visit CLSFellows.org for further information or to apply! Applications accepted November 1st through March 8th. Successful applicants will receive notification of their acceptance by March 29th.

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THIS ISN'T JUST ANOTHER WEEK IN THE CLASSROOM

Students will spend time in a classroom setting, but the Fellows program is not just a conference or seminar, it is a scholarly community. Students will spend time with professors, mentors, practitioners, and one another in social settings, small groups, and discussion roundtables. Morning devotionals and worship will be part of our time together. In addition, we will tour the U.S. Supreme Court, the Capitol, and enjoy some late-night fun on the town.

YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE ON YOUR CAMPUS

As part of their training, Fellows will be equipped to model servant-leadership on their campus and in their profession—walking in integrity and using their gifts in service to God and love of neighbor. Whether doing justice work, serving in the nonprofit world, or representing ordinary clients in an ordinary law practice, Fellows will understand law as a calling and the substance of the law as a key part of God’s work.



“I agree with others...this program was definitely undersold.... I was not expecting such an incredible week to meet people who are like-minded. I highly recommend this week and applying for the Fellows program.... I can’t think of a more unique experience.”
- 2022 Fellow, Pepperdine Caruso School of Law



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