



Cornell ILR Online Labor Studies Credit Certificate Program

Register today!

The Cornell ILR Online Labor Studies Program provides busy union activists with an opportunity to take college credit courses without regard to their location or work schedules. While there is no physical classroom there is considerable student-to-student and student-to-instructor interaction, making for lively discussions and group learning.

Courses advance students' knowledge about the issues that matter most to their day-to-day roles and include Collective Bargaining, Labor History, Labor/Employment Law, Contemporary Labor Issues and Contract Administration.

Participants can earn a [Certificate and an Advanced Certificate of Labor Studies](#).

Adjunct faculty are proud members of the Cornell Adjunct Faculty Alliance, NYSUT, AFT, AFL-CIO. Courses and credits earned in Extension Division programs are not automatically accepted as transfer credits or as a basis of admission to the resident Cornell-ILR programs in Ithaca. Student applications and course transfers are evaluated by universities and colleges on an individual basis.

Requirements

A Certificate of Labor Studies can be earned by successfully completing 18 credits (6 classes) in the following areas

- Law (Labor Relations in the Public Sector, Labor Law **or** Employment Law) - one course
- History (Labor History **or** Labor & Film)
- Bargaining (Collective Bargaining **or** Contract Administration) one course
- Electives (Labor, Communications, conflict resolution, Unions & Diversity, and others)- 3 courses

Each course carries 3.0 undergraduate college credits.

Our online credit classes are structured so that you can log-on at anytime or day throughout the week. The system is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Registration

Each online 3.0 credit course is \$625.00.

To register (866) 470-1922 or 212 340-2815 or

ilrcustomerservice@cornell.edu

Questions contact Art Wheaton at 716.777.0303, for call or TEXT. You can also download the [2020 Course Schedule and Registration Form \(PDF, 1 MB\)](#)

and fax to (212) 340-2890.

ILR Worker Institute

Labor Studies Certificate Program Current Calendar from Spring 2021 to Spring 2022

2021 Online Labor Studies Course Offerings

Spring 2021

February 22 to May 10th

LS255 Labor History (Alex Blair)

LS267: Introduction to Health and Safety (Nellie Brown)

Summer 2021

June 7 to August 8 (8 weeks accelerated courses)

LS265 Cultural Diversity (Susan Woods)

LS254 Private Sector Labor Law (Art Wheaton)

Fall 2021

September 20 to December 6th (September 29 last day to add)

LS238 Labor Relations in the Public Sector (John Moody)

LS252 Advanced Collective Bargaining (Art Wheaton)

2022 Online Labor Studies Course Offerings Spring 2022

February 21 to May 9th

LS214 Labor and Film (Alex Blair)

LS256 Managing Conflict (Susan Woods)

LS116 Internet Literacy for Unionists: Social Media Tools and Online Research for Unionists (Art Wheaton)

OVERALL DESCRIPTION OF LABOR STUDIES CERTIFICATE:

Labor Studies Credit Certificate: 18.0 Credits (six 3.0 Credit Classes) that include three core subjects

Core Requirements ONE class in each of 3 areas:

Law (LS238 Labor Relations in Public Sector or LS254 Private Sector Labor Law)

History (LS214 Labor and Film or LS255 Labor History)

Collective Bargaining (LS200 Intro to CB or LS252 Advanced CB or LS253 Contract Administration)

Advanced Labor Studies Certificate: 27.0 Credits including Core requirements and one Concentration

Optional Curriculum organized in concentrations

Union Building: (Core LS214 or LS255) Total 3 classes in concentration

LS214 Labor and Film

LS255 Labor History

LS239 Building Effective Unions

LS210 Leadership in Unions

LS265 Cultural Diversity

LS100 Unions Role in Lives of Workers;

LS249 Effective Communications at Work

LS118 Online Communications and Zoom Presentation Skills

LS116 Internet Literacy for Unionists (Social Media Tools and Online Research for Unionists)

Collective Bargaining: (CB Core LS200 or LS252 or LS253/ LAW Core LS238 or LS254)

Concentration in CB requires 4 courses including two core classes (One from CB and One from Law)

COLLECTIVE BARGAINING:

LS256 Managing Conflict

LS200 Intro to CB

LS252 Advanced CB

LS253 Contract Administration

LAW:

LS238 Labor Relations in Public Sector

LS254 Private Sector Labor Law