

At Northeastern University School of Law, the times they are a changin’!

We are currently transitioning to a new approach to how we use time – in the classroom and on co-op – to provide the best legal education in the nation. We’ll be sharing more information about this with you in the coming months, but for now here are a few of the highlights about what this means for the Class of 2023:

• LONGER CO-OP EXPERIENCES

Your three guaranteed co-ops will provide you with opportunities for at least 45 weeks of work experience. A semester-length co-op will allow you to more deeply drill down in to the details of your research and writing projects, oral advocacy and other critical skills that will come together to ensure you are a confident and skilled lawyer the day you graduate from law school (or even before!).

• LONGER ACADEMIC TERMS

In an academic semester, you’ll have an extended period over which to explore areas of interest and hone your research and writing skills. This includes longer clinical experiences in the upper level, so more time to work directly for clients and on impact cases under the supervision of our outstanding faculty.

• MORE INTERDISCIPLINARY OPPORTUNITIES

Law doesn’t exist in a vacuum so we want to make sure you have ample opportunities to register for courses in fields that include business, design thinking, criminal justice, public policy, public health and more. By aligning the law school’s calendar with the rest of Northeastern University’s schools and colleges, we’re providing you with increased access to faculty and classes at one of the nation’s top research universities.

• CO-OPS WITH MORE THAN 1,500 EMPLOYERS

Nothing is changing about your access to our more than 1,500 employers. You’ll work side-by-side with lawyers and judges in every field of law across the globe. No other law school comes close to providing the depth and breadth of our co-op program.

• FACULTY AND STAFF WHO ARE COMMITTED TO YOUR SUCCESS

Not one thing is changing about how committed our faculty and staff are to your success. From day one, our faculty and staff are here to advise you on co-op and career paths, opportunities for independent studies and dual degrees, and many other ways to get the most out of your legal education in the most collaborative and community-oriented law school in the nation.

Class of 2023

Patterns of Attendance

	ROTATION A	ROTATION B
1L Year 2020-2021		
Fall '20 semester	Academic Term	Academic Term
Spring '21 semester	Academic Term	Academic Term
2L Year 2021-2022		
Summer '21 semester	Academic Term	Co-op Term
Fall '21 semester	Co-op Term	Academic Term
Spring '22 semester	Academic Term	Co-op Term
3L Year 2022-2023		
Summer '22 semester	Co-op Term	Academic Term
Fall '22 semester	Academic Term	Co-op Term
Spring '23 semester	Co-op Term	Academic Term

**This calendar subject to change.*