Legal history has long been a curricular priority at the Law School and a strength of its faculty.

UVA’s curriculum places the development of the law in historical context so that students can better understand both the past and present legal landscapes.

With 20 scholars in the Law School and 15 scholars in the Corcoran Department of History all teaching or doing work in legal history, UVA offers an unparalleled variety of lecture courses, seminars and clinics in the field.