

Record Clearance Project

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE STUDIES



Increase Your Skills... Benefit Your Community

"I feel like a heavy burden has been lifted that I thought I was going to have to carry for a lifetime. Thank you for this life-changing gift."

– RCP client

"It is very rewarding to help clients. I know that by my lending a helping hand to my clients, I truly changed their lives. For that I am deeply grateful, and that is something I will never forget."

– RCP student

JS 140: Record Clearance Project – Practical Legal Skills

3 units; 100 W is a prerequisite

Learn a range of legal skills, including legal analysis, reading a rap sheet, legal research, and working with an interpreter.

Apply those skills in interviewing clients at two community "Speed Screenings" and giving a community presentation on expungement law.

While this class focuses on assisting clients to clear their criminal records, the skills are applicable broadly.

JS 141: Record Clearance Project – Representation

3 units; JS 140 (or comparable experience) is a prerequisite

This class meets the Justice Studies internship requirement

Represent clients seeking to get their criminal convictions dismissed.

Apply interviewing and legal writing skills, and help people change their lives.