

Assistant or Associate Professor of Business Law

Company:

University of Connecticut

Location:

United States / Storrs

Discipline:

Business Law

Employment Type:

Permanent Full-time

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University of Connecticut

School of Business

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The University of Connecticut School of Business invites applications for a full-time, tenure-track or tenured faculty position in Business Law at the rank of Assistant or Associate Professor. The anticipated start date is flexible and may be Fall 2026, Spring 2027, or Fall 2027.

Although we will consider candidates with a range of relevant curricular and scholarly expertise in the field of law, we are specifically seeking candidates with research and teaching interests in business law. We are especially interested in receiving applications from candidates who will add to the diversity of our faculty and community. We welcome applications from underrepresented groups and other candidates with experiences, backgrounds, and viewpoints that will enrich our community and further our mission.

Founded in 1881, UConn is a Land Grant and Sea Grant institution and member of the Space Grant Consortium. It is the state's flagship institution of higher education and includes a main campus in Storrs, CT, four regional campuses throughout the state, and 13 Schools and Colleges, including a Law School in Hartford, and Medical and Dental Schools

at the UConn Health campus in Farmington. The University has approximately 10,000 faculty and staff and 32,000 students, including nearly 24,000 undergraduates and over 8,000 graduate and professional students. UConn is a Carnegie Foundation R1 (highest research activity) institution, among the top 25 public universities in the nation. Through research, teaching, service, and outreach, UConn embraces diversity and cultivates leadership, integrity, and engaged citizenship in its students, faculty, staff, and alumni. UConn promotes the health and well-being of citizens by enhancing the social, economic, cultural, and natural environments of the state and beyond. The University serves as a beacon of academic and research excellence as well as a center for innovation and social service to communities. UConn is a leader in many scholarly, research, and innovation areas. Today, the path forward includes exciting opportunities and notable challenges. Record numbers of undergraduate applications and support for student success have enabled the University to become extraordinarily selective.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- Earned JD degree by the time of appointment from an accredited U.S. law school or equivalent U.S. or foreign terminal degree.
- Evidence that reflects the potential for effective teaching of business law and/or significant experience in the practice of law in areas related to business.
- Oral and written communication skills.
- Applicants for the rank of associate professor should possess an excellent record of research, teaching performance, or service to the university or discipline.

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS

- Demonstrated record of published excellent scholarship in the field of business law.
- A research agenda that complements departmental needs.
- A record of effective teaching experience at the higher or executive education level.
- Applicants for the rank of associate professor: demonstrate evidence of service to the university, the field, or the profession through leadership in professional organizations, editorial activities, or successful involvement in undergraduate or graduate curriculum development.

APPOINTMENT TERMS

This is a full-time appointment for a tenure-track or tenure-at-hire position. Applicants seeking tenure must meet University requirements for appointment at the rank of associate professor, with tenure. Salary and rank will be highly competitive and commensurate with background, qualifications, and experience. Benefits include health insurance, retirement annuities, and research support. For additional information regarding benefits, visit UConn [Health Benefits](#).

The successful candidate's academic appointment will be at the Storrs or Stamford campus. Faculty may also be asked to teach online or at one of UConn's regional campuses as part of their regular workload.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT

Employment of the successful candidate is contingent upon the successful completion of a pre-employment criminal background check.

TO APPLY

Please apply online at [Faculty and Staff Positions](#), **Search #499584** and submit the following application materials:

- A **cover letter** specifically addressing your credentials relative to the minimum and preferred qualifications listed above.
- **Curriculum vitae.**
- One page **scholarship statement** reflective of your substantive research focus.
- One page **teaching statement** reflective of your teaching philosophy and teaching interests.
- **Teaching evaluations** (if applicable, for the last three years).
- **Sample working paper, journal article, book chapter, or other publication,** and
- Names and contact information for **three professional references.**

The review of applications will begin immediately and remain ongoing until the position is filled. Any questions about application materials may be directed to [Nancy White](#).

At the University of Connecticut, our commitment to excellence encompasses a commitment to building a culturally diverse community.

This position will be filled subject to budgetary approval.

All employees are subject to adherence to the [State Code of Ethics](#).

All members of the University of Connecticut are expected to exhibit appreciation of, and contribute to, an inclusive, respectful, and diverse environment for the University community.

The University of Connecticut aspires to create a community built on collaboration and belonging and has actively sought to create an inclusive culture within the workforce. The success of the University is dependent on the willingness of our diverse employee and student populations to share their rich perspectives and backgrounds in a respectful manner. This makes it essential for each member of our community to feel secure and

welcomed and to thoroughly understand and believe that their ideas are respected by all. We strongly respect each individual employee's unique experiences and perspectives and encourage all members of the community to do the same. All applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, gender, gender identity or expression, sexual orientation, national origin, genetics, disability, age, or veteran status.

The University of Connecticut is an AA/EEO Employer.

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