



Fall 2010 Executive Paralegal Certificate Program in Tampa

TUITION: Tuition for the program is \$4995. Books and materials are approximately \$550.

COURSE DATES: The course will begin on Thursday, September 23, 2010 and the last day of class is Tuesday, February 8, 2011. **Graduation is scheduled for Thursday, February 10 at 6:30 p.m.** The graduation ceremony is open to friends and family and will be held at the classroom facility.

CLASS TIMES: Tuesday and Thursday from 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.; however, approximately 10 – 15 hours of additional independent on-line study are required to successfully complete the course. All classes are held at the Chester H. Ferguson Law Center, 1610 N. Tampa Street, Tampa, FL 33602. Classes are in the Yerrid Conference Center on the first floor.

TEXTBOOKS: Please visit www.books.miamiparalegalstudies.com to purchase your materials for the course. The Tampa program requires the Essential Skills for Paralegals bundle, Torts and Personal Injury Law, and Essentials of Contract Law. Purchase the Essential Skills bundle **new**, however, a **used** copy is fine for the other texts. In addition, the Florida Rules of Court are required and can be downloaded for free or purchased for \$49.95.

PAYMENT PLAN: A multi-part payment plan is available. Students who choose the payment plan must make an initial deposit/payment of \$1,250 to complete their registration. Further monthly payments are spread over the duration of the course. Failure to make payments on time will mean immediate dismissal from the program. **See details in Promissory Note.**

PRIVATE EDUCATION LOANS

- Since the UM Paralegal Certificate program is a non-degree program and less than half time, traditional financial aid is not available for the course. Private education loans are the only option for private financing.
- Offered by a variety of lenders including but not limited to Wells Fargo, Sallie Mae, Chase, Wachovia.
- Loans are based on the credit worthiness of the borrower. A co-signer can help improve the approval of the loan.

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