2011-2012 Cornell Law School Curriculum
Courses classified as “basic courses in American law” by the NY Court of Appeals

**First Year Courses (credits):**
- Civil Procedure (6, 3 each semester)
- Constitutional Law (4)
- Contracts (6, 3 each semester)
- Criminal Law (4)
- Property (4)
- Torts (4)

**Upperclass Courses (credits):**
- Antitrust Law (3)
- Bankruptcy (3)
- Business Organizations (4)
- Conflict of Laws (3)
- Constitutional Law II – The First Amendment (3)
- Criminal Procedure –Adjudications (2 or 3)
- Criminal Procedure –Investigations (3)
- Education Law (3)
- Environmental Law (3)
- Evidence (3)
- Family Law (3)
- Federal Courts (4)
- Federal Income Taxation (4)
- Financial Institutions (4)
- Insurance Law (3)
- Intellectual Property (3)
- Labor Law, Practice and Policy (3)
- Land Use Planning (3)

**Upperclass Courses (credits) (continued):**
- Law Governing Lawyers (3)
- Legal Ethics – Oxymoron or Principles for a Successful Practice (3)
- Legislation (3)
- Products Liability (3)
- Remedies in Litigation (3)
- Securities Regulation (3)
- Taxation of Corporations and Shareholders (3)
- Trusts and Estates (4)

**Upperclass Problem Courses and Seminars (credits):**
- Estate Planning (3)
- Ethical Issues in Criminal Investigations, Prosecutions and Policy (3)
- Health Care Law (3)
- Labor and Employment Arbitration (3)
- Mergers and Acquisitions (3)

**L.L.M.-specific Courses (credits):**
- Principles of American Legal Writing (3)