



ST. VINCENT & THE GRENADINES COMMUNITY COLLEGE

SHORT COURSE

Law and Legal Systems

Course at a Glance

Admissions Term: Semester I 2024/2025

Start Date: 14th October, 2024

Modality: Online

Days: Mondays and Wednesdays

Time: 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Duration: 10 weeks

Cost: EC\$500.00

Certificate to be Awarded: Certificate of Completion

Course Overview: This course explores the foundations of the Common Law legal system in the Commonwealth Caribbean, highlighting its English origins. It offers a comparative study of Caribbean legal systems, including St. Lucia's unique hybrid system and Guyana's Roman-Dutch influence. Participants will gain insight into the history, legal reasoning, and the role of statutes and Common Law in shaping modern Caribbean jurisprudence.

Who should take this course?

- Anyone seeking to get an introductory understanding of legal principles and the structure of legal systems.
- Law enforcement professionals.