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## University of Denver Sturm College of Law Achieves Six Top-25 Rankings in 2018 *U.S. News* Survey *National Jurist* Awards Denver Law A+ Grade for Experiential Learning

Six programs at the [University of Denver Sturm College of Law](#) achieved top-25 rankings in the 2018 edition of the [U.S. News & World Report](#) listing of law schools and programs, including Legal Writing (#8), Part-Time Program (#10), Trial Advocacy (#11), Clinical Program (#13) and Environmental and Natural Resources Law (#17). Denver Law ranked #76 among the nation's top law schools, buoyed – among other factors – by its 84% passage rate on the Colorado bar.

The Spring 2017 edition of the [National Jurist](#), entitled “Why Practical Training Matters,” awarded Denver Law an A+ grade for practical learning – the same grade as Yale, the University of Arizona, and the University of Wisconsin – based on a comprehensive assessment of experiential learning opportunities, including clinics, externships, simulations, and interschool competitions. The National Jurist also ranked Denver Law the sixth “greenest” law school in the nation and named Katie Steefel (Class of 2017) as one of its law school students of the year.

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