

# BUSINESS ETHICS CERTIFICATE

## Program Description

Exploring your personal take on the ethics of business and fostering standards for your organization can improve decision making, fortify team culture, and enable you to avoid potential issues and dysfunctions in various business settings.

This certificate program will give you the tools to apply the ethics of business to your organization. Throughout the program, you will break down the role ethics play in society and decision making. By using ethical reasoning, you will be able to anticipate issues that arise in business settings and create plans for avoiding them. You will then determine how to recognize psychological factors in yourself and others that interfere with making good ethical decisions and apply strategies to mitigate them.

The program will culminate in the discussion of research-based blockers that negatively affect work culture ethics at the personal and organizational levels. You will examine responsive strategies for the most common social and organizational factors that exacerbate the human tendency to overlook or misapply ethical analysis. By the end of the program, you'll be prepared to foster the development of a responsible organizational culture and address potential legal and ethical issues, supporting your team in today's complex and ever-changing business landscape.

*For the best experience in this program it is recommended to take these courses in the order that they appear.*

## Key Takeaways

- Identify the role of ethics in society and establish a broad foundation for making good ethical decisions
- Anticipate and apply ethical reasoning to issues that arise in business settings
- Address ethical issues arising from emerging technology
- Avoid pitfalls of psychological factors that interfere with making ethical decisions
- Diagnose and suggest responsive strategies for the social and organizational factors that exacerbate the human tendency to overlook or misapply ethical analysis

## What You'll Earn

- Business Ethics Certificate from Cornell Law School
- 40 Professional Development Hours (4.0 CEUs)

## Who Should Enroll

- Business managers and leaders
- Founders and entrepreneurs
- Anyone looking to work effectively with legal professionals
- Professionals, particularly those working in highly regulated industries

## Total Investment

2 months to complete all courses

## How To Enroll

For more information on how to enroll, please visit Business Ethics (<https://ecornell.cornell.edu/certificates/law/business-ethics/>).

## Courses

Code	Title	Hours
eCornell LAW531	Foundations of Ethical Reasoning	0
eCornell LAW532	Ethics in Business and Technology	0
eCornell LAW533	Psychology in Business Ethics	0
eCornell LAW534	Addressing Dysfunctional Ethical Cultures	0