

## Logic and Law

In Unit 7 we will evaluate how argumentation is used in legal contexts. We will consider sample LSAT examination questions, and we will address how logic is an integral part of law school training. We will look at resources for persuasive writing as they could apply to legal argumentation in written briefs and in litigation.

### **Objective:**

Analyzing legal argumentation and sample LSAT questions, practicing persuasive writing and argumentation for litigation.

### **Readings and Multimedia**

There are three readings in Unit 7:

Logic for Law Students: How to Think Like a

Lawyer <http://lawreview.law.pitt.edu/ojs/index.php/lawreview/article/view/117>

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Paralegal Alliance: The Law School Admissions Test "LSAT" –

Arguments <http://www.paralegalalliance.com/the-law-school-admissions-test-lsat-arguments/#axzz3GmtWGGvE>

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Paralegal Alliance: Writing to Persuade <http://www.paralegalalliance.com/writing-to-persuade/#axzz3GmtWGGvE>

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Additional Notes and PowerPoints in Blazeview as Needed

### **Activities:**

Final Exam

At least 2 Unit Discussion Topics

Self-Assessments, Short Multiple Choice Ungraded for Practice within the Unit