

DUAL DEGREE LL.M PROGRAMME INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC LAW

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Leuphana Law School

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LEUPHANA LAW SCHOOL

Although Emperor Friedrich III already granted permission for founding a Higher School for Law in Lüneburg in 1473, it took over 500 years to open the Leuphana Law School, which was only established in 2013.

Leuphana Law School is the first Law School in a German public research institution that offers interdisciplinary study programs mainly conducted in English.

Leuphana Law School brings together all Leuphana-based legal scholars to deliver teaching and supervision leading to undergraduate and postgraduate degrees (LL.B. / LL.M. / PhD).

Combining law and business issues through a special inter-disciplinary approach, research and teaching at Leuphana Law School is both innovative and internationally focused.

The course of study is practice-oriented with an international focus and key qualifications, such as business negotiations, are an integral part of the programmes.

www.leuphana.de/institute/lis.html



ESSENTIALS

A dual degree based on an integrated vision of graduate study:

- 2-year programme resulting in 2 master degrees, conducted entirely in English
 - Year 1 spent at Leuphana, year 2 at Glasgow (UofG) or Cavehill / Barbados (UWI)
 - Specialised law degrees
 - Proficiency in English
 - Access to global graduate networks
 - A wider horizon
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- Year 1 » Core competence in international economic law
 - Year 2 » Pathway specialisation in a chosen field as part of the LLM course at UofG or at UWI



CURRICULUM

Academic year 1 Lüneburg/Germany		Academic year 2 Glasgow/Scotland or Bridgetown/Barbados	
International Law I [5 ECTS]	International Law II [5 ECTS]	PATHWAY SPECIALISATION / ELECTIVES [40 ECTS]	MASTER THESIS [20 ECTS]
European Law I [5 ECTS]	European Law II [5 ECTS]		
International Economic Law [10 ECTS]	European Economic Law [10 ECTS]		
International Private Law [10 ECTS]	European Private Law [10 ECTS]		

www.leuphana.de/master-iel



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International Law



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Antitrust Law



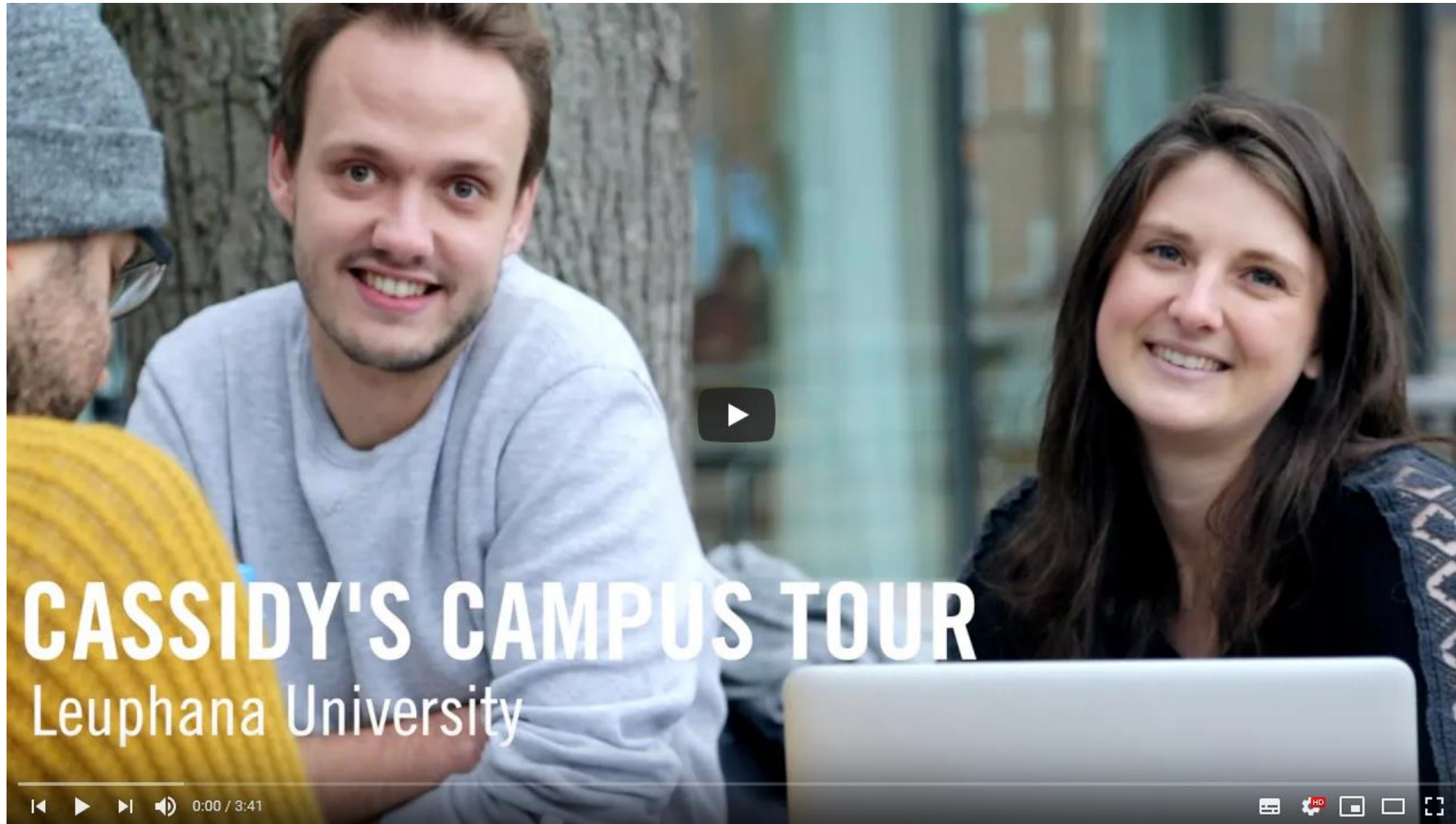
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Law



CAMPUS TOUR LEUPHANA UNIVERSITY



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LEUPHANA CENTRAL BUILDING

The Central Building expresses and symbolizes the development of Leuphana University – in particular its educational concepts and the scientific aspiration of our institution.

„This building is a microcosmic agora that brings together the creativity of Leuphana. It tells us the story of the future and its new directions and energies.“

DANIEL LIBESKIND, Architect and part-time Professor at Leuphana (2007–2016)



<https://www.leuphana.de/en/university/campus/central-building/videos.html>





- Based in the cosmopolitan West End of the city
- Close to a fantastic range of restaurants, bars and amenities
- Compact campus with accommodation within walking distance

Glasgow Campus



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www.youtube.com/watch?v=b3A4LmmmUq0



Our LLMs – choose your own pathway



The commercial track: LLMs in int'l commercial law, competition law & policy, corporate and financial law



The international suite: LLMs in international law and in international security law and international economic law



IP: LLM in intellectual property and the digital economy



Details at
→ <http://www.gla.ac.uk/schools/law/postgraduate/>



Degree structure

- 6 courses running from September to March/April (3 per term)
- Essays accompanying course; written exams in May
- Dissertation to be written over summer – course ends 31 August
- Graduation in November





Key features of the Glasgow LLM

- Relatively small classes - interactive seminars
- You control your curriculum
- Less class-room time – focus on independent learning
- A graduate community – an international ‘feel’ to campus life



UWI-LEUPHANA
LLM DUAL DEGREE

CAVE HILL CAMPUS





ABOUT THE FACULTY OF LAW

Oldest Faculty of Law in the region (celebrating 50 years this academic year) with a strong tradition of legal excellence.

A diverse student population from Bahamas in the North to Belize in the south offering the possibility of lifelong friendships and professional contacts across the region.

An extensive and Influential network of alumni who have made their mark across the globe, (e.g. GG Dame Sandra Mason, CJ Sir Marston Gibson, President of the Caribbean Court of Justice, Justice Adrian Saunders; numerous Attorneys-General and politicians

Automatic law school admission once you successfully complete your LL.B degree.

A Law Library that is unparalleled in the region particularly in respect of Caribbean legal materials. It is also equipped with soundproof study rooms with flat screen monitors for presentations and moot practice.

Modern teaching pedagogy, including multiple assessments (in a wide range of formats), online teaching, and access to extensive online resources. Paperless Faculty. Use of e-learning platform.

LLM REGULATIONS



- Courses are offered in English to small seminars comprised of international and Caribbean students.
- Course instructors in The UWI LLM are hired by individual Campuses, but teach students registered in the course from any Campus
- Online facilities including Moodle (Cross Campus) and Blackboard Collaborate are used to teach in The UWI LLM.
- Course of Study: 36 Credits
 - LLM students must complete thirty-six (36) credit hours (six (6) courses of six (6) credits each).
 - With the permission of the Faculty, candidates may substitute a Research Paper on a topic in Corporate and Commercial Law for one six (6) credit course.
- The courses for the award of The UWI LLM will be assessed by means of one or more of the following:
 - Written final examination of three hours' duration
 - Coursework
 - Take home examination
 - Research Paper.



LLM Public Law

Course Code	Course Title	Course Credits
LAW 6300	Advanced Public International Law	6
LAW 6330	Advanced Public International Trade Law	6
LAW 6460	Competition Law in a Global Economy	6
LAW 6520	Advanced International Environmental Law	6
LAW 6600	Advanced Caribbean Integration Law	6
LAW 6720	Public Law I – Advanced Constitutional Law	6
LAW 6730	Public Law II – Advanced Administrative Law	6
LAW 6750	Advanced International Human Rights Law	6

LLM Intellectual Property Law

Course Code	Course Title	Course Credits
LAW 6200	The Management of Intellectual Property Assets	6
LAW 6201	Copyright Law (The Protection of Creative Assets)	6
LAW 6202	Trade Mark Law (The Protection of Marketing Assets)	6
LAW 6203	Patent Law (The Protection of Technology Assets)	6
LAW 6204	International Intellectual Property Law	6
LAW 6205	International Trade and Intellectual Property Law	6

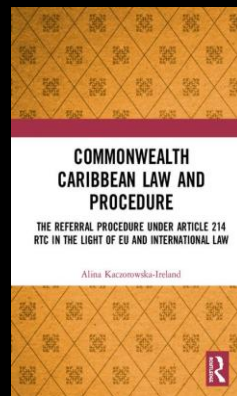
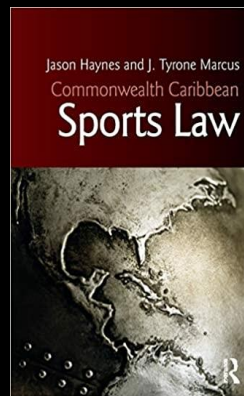
LLM Corporate and Commercial Law

Course Code	Course Title	Course Credits
LAW 6010	Banking Law	6
LAW 6020	E-Commerce Law	6
LAW 6130	Comparative Labour Law in a Corporate Environment	6
LAW 6310	Caribbean Business and Public International Law	6
LAW 6400	Company Law Theory in Modern Commerce	6
LAW 6402	Legal Aspects of Corporate Misconduct	6
LAW 6410	Advanced Insurance Law	6
LAW 6420	Law of Corporate Governance	6
LAW 6430	Advanced Corporate Finance	6
LAW 6450	Offshore Financial Law	6
LAW 6470	Advanced Intellectual Property Law	6
LAW 6490	Advanced Corporate Insolvency Law	6
LAW 6520	Advanced International Environmental Law	6

LLM International Dispute Resolution (FORTHCOMING)

1. International Commercial Arbitration
2. International Commercial Litigation
3. Mediation Practice
4. Investor-State Arbitration
5. Sports Dispute Resolution
6. Construction Dispute Resolution

DYNAMIC, WELL-ROUNDED FACULTY & STUDENTS



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CAREER PROSPECTS

Students will be prepared specifically for management positions in multinational companies, as well as advisory positions in both the public and private sector.

The different opportunities for specialisation allow emphasis on various professional fields as well as for professional careers in academic contexts in research, teaching and administration, such as:

- Financial services companies (particularly private and public banks, credit institutions and insurance companies)
- International companies and business associations
- Legal departments of internationally operating private sector, law firms, international consulting companies as well as auditing and tax consultancy firms
- Management, planning and coordination tasks, particularly in internationally oriented public administration (ministries, municipalities, chambers)
- National, European and international agencies and organizations, NGOs and IOs
- Science (research and teaching) as well as careers in academic and research-related contexts

Interview with Zedlira Kelmendi, graduated in 2019 at www.leuphana.de/en/graduate-school/master/course-offerings/international-economic-law/zedlira-kelmendi-not-many-people-have-something-like-that



ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Bachelor of Laws (LL.B.) or a Bachelor's degree with predominantly legal components, the First State Examination or an international equivalent or successful completion of 81% of the courses of the required total performance of Bachelor's degree.

For applicants whose first language is not English, the awarding universities set a **minimum English Language proficiency level**.

- IELTS Academic: overall score 6.5 with no subtest less than 6.5, or
- ibTOEFL: 92; no sub-test less than 22, Speaking not less than 23, or
- Cambridge C1 Advanced: B minimum, or
- Cambridge C2 Proficiency: C minimum, or
- PTE Academic (Person Test of English, Academic test): 68; minimum 60 in writing.

More information on how to apply and on the selection process can be found at www.leuphana.de/en/graduate-school/master/apply



CONTRIBUTIONS / FEES FOR INTAKE

1st year at Leuphana / Lüneburg (Germany)

approx. 750 Euros

2nd year at the University of Glasgow / Glasgow (Scotland)

10,900 GBP* (incl. 40% discount from the international student fees of year 2023/24)

2nd year at the University of the West Indies / Bridgetown (Barbados)

10,000 USD* for all dual degree students (classes in Barbados are online!)

* Subject to change: Please see the relevant webpages for up-to-date information on tuition fees!



SCHOLARSHIPS

German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) » www2.daad.de/ausland/studieren/stipendium/de/70-stipendien-finden-und-bewerben/?detail=50015190

German Federal Ministry of Education and Research » <https://www.stipendienlotse.de>

Förderwerke » www.leuphana.de/college/studienberatung/studienfinanzierung/stipendium

University of Glasgow » <http://www.gla.ac.uk/scholarships>

UWI » www.cavehill.uwi.edu/financial/financial-aid/scholarships-awards-grants.aspx



AT A GLANCE

Application deadline	1 June
Duration	2 years (120 CP according to ECTS)
Degrees awarded	Master of Laws (LL.M.) degree from Leuphana and Glasgow or UWI (Dual Degree)
Language	English
Locations	first study year in Lüneburg and second study year in Glasgow/Scotland or Cavehill/Barbados
Start date	Every winter term, October
Contribution / Fees:	Year 1: 750 EUR* at Leuphana University of Lüneburg Year 2: 10,900 GBP*, or 10.000 USD* at University of the West Indies



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