

## Faculty of Law



DROI2

Licence en droit (de jour ou à horaire décalé) (Diploma of the Second Cycle (Licence) in Law (Day-time or Evening course) )



### Programme management

LIDR Commission des licences en droit (DRT)

Responsable académique : Pierre d'Argent

### Study objectives

After the first two-year university study cycle ("candidature"), the "licence" programme in Law has a three-fold objective. It aims, firstly, at further improving the understanding by the future jurist of the technical aspects of different branches of Law : Economic and Social Law, Private Law, Public Law, International Law and Criminal Law. These courses should equip the student with the knowledge he/she shall require in the legal profession.

The second objective consists of promoting a critical reflection about the law, based on the epistemological tools that the students should have acquired thanks to the interdisciplinarity of the "candidature" programme in Law (Philosophy, Economics, History, Sociology and Psychology).

Lastly, the "licence" programme in Law gives the students every opportunity to finish their studies by being, at least, bilingual. Language courses are accessible each year ; law courses in a foreign language are compulsory for all students : the student exchanges between foreign universities are highly encouraged (Erasmus-Socrates programmes and national and international programmes).

### Admission conditions

In order to be entitled to enrol for a "licence" programme in Law, the student must hold a first degree in Law ("candidature en droit") or a diploma recognised as being equivalent by the Faculty.

### Admission procedure

The University admission and enrolment procedures are detailed in the "Access to Studies" section of the WEB page : <http://www.etu.ucl.ac.be/inscriptions.html>

### General structure of the programme

#### Programme content

##### Interdisciplinary course, "Creating a company"

UCL organises an interdisciplinary course, "Creating a Company," which is integrated into the three year "licence" programme in Law.

For students who register for this course :

- the first year in Law includes three modules, each with a volume of 15 hours of lectures and 30 hours of interactive teaching : legal, economic and financial aspects of small and medium-sized companies. These modules replace the two practical exercises of the first year programme in Law.
- the second year in Law includes a seminar : problems linked to creating a company. This seminar replaces the two practical exercises of the second year.
- the third year includes a thesis : the elaboration of a project to create a company. This thesis replaces the seminar of the third year.

DROI21 First year of studies

#### Day-time programme

DROI22 Second year of studies

**Day-time programme**

The individual programme for the second year must comprise a minimum of 360 hours and a maximum of 390 hours of courses.

Bearing in mind the bisannualisation of certain options, students who so wish may add one optional course to their second year programme.

**Compulsory core courses - 300 hours**

The student must include the following courses in his/her second year "licence" programme in Law.

<u>DPRI2201</u>	Contract Law I[30h+18h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Patrick Wéry
<u>DPRI2202</u>	Property law and real security rights[30h+18h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Isabelle Durant
<u>DPRI2203</u>	Family Law I[30h+18h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Jean-Louis Renchon, Jehanne Sosson, Fabienne Tainmont (supplée Jean-Louis Renchon)
<u>DESO2204</u>	Commercial law I[30h+18h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Yves De Cordt
<u>DESO2200</u>	Labour and Social Security Law[60h+18h] (9 credits) (in French)	Jean-François Neven, Bernard Nyssen, Pierre-Paul Van Gehuchten
<u>DESO2207</u>	Tax Law I[30h+18h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Jacques Autenne
<u>PUBL2208</u>	Administrative Law I[30h+18h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Robert Andersen, Marc Verdussen
<u>INT2210</u>	Public International Law I[30h+18h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Pierre d'Argent
<u>INT2211</u>	Private International Law I[30h+18h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Jean-Yves Carlier, Marc Fallon

**Practical workshops (24 hours)**

The student will participate in practical course activities in the two subjects.

He/she will be required to produce one or several pieces of written work in these subjects, in accordance with the teaching method adopted.

**Compulsory in-depth studies in the core courses (60 hours)**

The student must include two of the seven following courses in his second year "licence" programme in Law.

<u>DESO2214</u>	Commercial Law II[30h+18h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Yves De Cordt
<u>DESO2217</u>	Tax Law II[30h+18h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Jacques Autenne
<u>PUBL2218</u>	Administrative Law II[30h+18h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Robert Andersen, David Renders
<u>INT2220</u>	Public International Law II[30h+18h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Pierre d'Argent, Joe Verhoeven
<u>DPRI2221</u>	Contract Law II[30h+18h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Laurent Du Jardin, Isabelle Durant
<u>DPRI2223</u>	Family Law II[30h+18h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Jean-Louis Renchon, Jehanne Sosson, Fabienne Tainmont (supplée Jean-Louis Renchon)
<u>INT2231</u>	Private International Law II[30h+18h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Jean-Yves Carlier, Marc Fallon

**Supervised projects (12 hours)**

The student will participate in supervised projects in one in-depth subject that he/she included in his/her programme.

**Seminar (30 hours)**

The student will choose his/her seminar at the beginning of the second year of the programme.

The seminar is given during the second year of the programme (for 8 hours) and during the third year of the programme (for 22 hours). The result obtained is ponderated at 40 marks

<u>DPRI2360</u>	Seminar on Family Inheritance Law[30h] (9 credits) (in French)	Jean-Louis Renchon
<u>DESO2361</u>	Seminar on commercial law[30h] (9 credits) (in French)	Pierre Nicaise, François T'Kint
<u>DESO2362</u>	Tax Law Seminar[30h] (9 credits) (in French)	Jacques Autenne
<u>DPCR2363</u>	Criminal Law Seminar[30h] (9 credits) (in French)	Marie-Aude Beernaert
<u>PUBL2364</u>	Public Law Seminar[30h] (9 credits) (in French)	Marc Verdussen
<u>PUBL2365</u>	Seminar of Administrative Law[30h] (9 credits) (in French)	Diane Déom
<u>INT2366</u>	Public International Law Seminar[30h] (9 credits) (in French)	Pierre d'Argent
<u>DPRI2367</u>	Judicial law seminar[30h] (9 credits) (in French)	Gilberte Marchal
<u>DROI2368</u>	Seminar in Legal History -A History of Law and Institutions[30h] (9 credits) (in French)	Xavier Rousseaux, Frédéric Vesentini (supplée Xavier Rousseaux), Alain Wijffels
<u>DESO2369</u>	Seminar on Social Law[30h] (9 credits) (in French)	Pascale Vielle
<u>INT2370</u>	Transport seminar[30h] (9 credits) (in French)	Benoît Goemans, Bernard Hanotiau
<u>DESO2371</u>	Interdisciplinary Seminar on Business Law[30h] (9 credits) (in French)	François T'Kint

<u>PUBL2372</u>	Séminaire de droit des finances et de l'économie[30h] (9 credits) 🇫🇷 (in French)	N.
<u>PUBL2373</u>	Seminar on environmental and land-use planning law[30h] (9 credits) (in French)	Francis Haumont
<u>INT2374</u>	Private international law seminar[30h] (9 credits) (in French)	Marc Fallon
<u>DPRI2375</u>	Insurance law seminar[30h] (9 credits) 🇫🇷 (in French)	N.
<u>DPRI2376</u>	Seminar on the Law of Obligations and Civil Responsibility[30h] (9 credits) (in French)	Bernard Dubuisson (supplée Patrick Wéry), Geneviève Schamps (supplée Patrick Wéry), Patrick Wéry
<u>DESO2377</u>	Seminar on company law[30h] (9 credits) (in French)	Jean-François Tossens
<u>DESO2378</u>	Seminar on national and international arbitration law[30h] (9 credits) (in French)	Guy Keutgen
<u>DROI2379</u>	Seminar in General Legal Theory[30h] (9 credits) (in French)	Philippe Coppens, Jacques Lenoble
<u>PUBL2380</u>	Seminar on public and private contract law[30h] (9 credits) (in French)	Pierre Nihoul, Denis Philippe
<u>DPRI2381</u>	Seminar on Family Law[30h] (9 credits) (in French)	Jean-Louis Renchon
<u>DPRI2387</u>	Séminaire interdisciplinaire de droit patrimonial[30h] (9 credits) 🇫🇷 (in French)	N.
<u>DESO2388</u>	Seminar on Financial Law[30h] (9 credits) (in French)	Georges-Albert Dal, Philippe Lambrecht
<u>DPCR2389</u>	Seminar on Criminal Procedure[30h] (9 credits) (in French)	Henri Bosly
<u>INT2391</u>	European law seminar[30h] (9 credits) (in French)	Marc Fallon
<u>DROI2397</u>	Seminar on Intellectual Property Rights[30h] (9 credits) (in French)	Bernard Remiche

## DROI23 Third year of studies

### Day-time programme

The study programme of the second and third year of the "licence" in Law must total 690 hours of courses.

In the third year, the individual programme of the student must comprise 300 hours of courses.

### Compulsory courses

*According to choice, one of these two compulsory courses :*

DROI2211 Leading Cases of the European Court of Human Rights[30h] (4.5 credits) (in English) Marie-Aude Beernaert

DROI2212 Community and Regional Law[30h] (4.5 credits) (in NL) Arne Vandaele

### Active pedagogy course (30 hours)

Students who enrol on the third year "licence" programme are obliged to include an 'active teaching' course ("cours à pédagogie active") into their programme.

For the academic year 2005-2006, the following options feature on the list of Active Pedagogy courses:

DROI2303 Theory and practice of law in economics[30h] (4.5 credits) N.  
🇫🇷 (in French)

INT2325 International Protection of Human Rights[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French) Olivier De Schutter

DPRI2327 Thorough Patrimonial Family Law[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French) Jean-Louis Renchon, Jean-François Taymans (supplée Jean-Louis Renchon)

DESO2333 Social Security Law: An In-depth Analysis[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French) Pascale Vielle

DESO2334 International Economic Law[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French) Philippe Coppens, Henri Culot (supplée Philippe Coppens)

PUBL2335 Constitutional Litigation[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French) Marc Verdussen

DPCR2344 Comparative Criminal Law and Criminal Procedure[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French) Maria Luisa Cesoni

DPCR2348 Special Topics in European Criminal Law[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French) Marie-Aude Beernaert

DROI2391 Law and Migration[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French) Jean-Yves Carlier

DROI2392 Jurisprudence of the Court of Arbitration in the Different Branches of Law[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French) Anne Roland

DROI2395 Medical Law[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French) Geneviève Schamps

**A programme of optional course activities, composed of eight activities (at least 240 hours), chosen from among the following :**

Of course, a student may not include the two in-depth courses already chosen in his options programme. He/she may, on the other hand, include one or several of the five courses that he has not yet chosen.

<u>DESO2214</u>	Commercial Law II[30h+18h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Yves De Cordt
<u>DESO2217</u>	Tax Law II[30h+18h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Jacques Autenne
<u>PUBL2218</u>	Administrative Law II[30h+18h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Robert Andersen, David Renders
<u>INT2220</u>	Public International Law II[30h+18h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Pierre d'Argent, Joe Verhoeven
<u>DPRI2221</u>	Contract Law II[30h+18h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Laurent Du Jardin, Isabelle Durant
<u>DPRI2223</u>	Family Law II[30h+18h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Jean-Louis Renchon, Jehanne Sosson, Fabienne Tainmont (supplée Jean-Louis Renchon)
<u>INT2231</u>	Private International Law II[30h+18h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Jean-Yves Carlier, Marc Fallon

**Options not given in 2006-2007**

<u>PUBL2338</u>	Public Finance Law[30h] (4.5 credits) ☒ (in French)	N.
<u>DPRI2321</u>	Special and Comparative Questions of Family Law[30h] (4.5 credits) ▲ (in French)	N.
<u>DPRI2322</u>	Detailed and comparative civil laws of obligations and contracts[30h] (4.5 credits) ☒ (in French)	N.
<u>DPRI2254</u>	Credit and Securities Law[30h] (4.5 credits) ☒ (in French)	Denis Philippe
<u>DESO2329</u>	Advanced Tax Law[30h] (4.5 credits) ☒ (in French)	Michel De Wolf
<u>DESO2331</u>	Advanced and comparative commercial law[30h] (4.5 credits) ☒ (in French)	N.
<u>DESO2332</u>	Advanced and comparative labour law[30h] (4.5 credits) ☒ (in French)	Pierre-Paul Van Gehuchten
<u>INT2337</u>	International and European transport law[30h] (4.5 credits) ▲ (in French)	N.
<u>DPCR2339</u>	Criminal Business Law[30h] (4.5 credits) ☒ (in French)	Christian-Paul De Valkeneer, Thierry Moreau
<u>DPCR2345</u>	Issues of Criminal Procedure and International Criminal Law[30h] (4.5 credits) ☒ (in French)	Henri Bosly
<u>PUBL2340</u>	Advanced and comparative public law[30h] (4.5 credits) ☒ (in French)	Marc Verdussen
<u>DROI2394</u>	L'union monétaire européenne[30h] ▲ (in French)	N.
<u>DROI2393</u>	Consumer law[30h] (4.5 credits) ☒ (in French)	Paul Nihoul
<u>DROI2396</u>	Law and nature[30h] (4.5 credits) ☒ (in French)	N.
<u>DESO3210</u>	Introduction au droit américain[15h] (2.5 credits) ☒ (in French)	N.
<u>PUBL2395</u>	Information technology law[30h] (4.5 credits) ☒ (in French)	François Jongen

**Options given in 2006-2007 and in 2007-2008**

<u>ECRI2102A</u>	Protection de la jeunesse: institutions et pratiques (première partie)[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	N.
<u>IDAP2104</u>	Federalism and local authorities[30h] (3 credits) (in French)	Diane Déom
<u>DROI2300</u>	Aspects actuels du droit européen de l'intégration - Chaire de droit européen[30h] (5 credits) (in French)	Stéphanie Francq
<u>DROI2301</u>	Legal Theory[30h+15h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Olivier De Schutter
<u>DROI2302</u>	Theoretical and Practical Aspects of the Function of Judging[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Jean-François Van Drooghenbroeck
<u>DROI2305</u>	Philosophy of law[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Jacques Lenoble
<u>DROI2306</u>	General theory of State[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Yves Lejeune
<u>DROI2311</u>	European Competition Law[30h] (4.5 credits) (in English)	Paul Nihoul
<u>DROI2312</u>	Free movement of goods, services and capital within the European Union[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Marc Fallon
<u>DROI2314</u>	Status of Individuals within the European Union[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Jean-Yves Carlier

<u>DROI2315</u>	Specific issues in European institutional law[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Paul Nihoul, Melchior Wathelet
<u>DPRI2320</u>	Judicial Law : special procedures, seizure means[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Christian Panier
<u>DPRI2323</u>	Insurance Law[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Bernard Dubuisson
<u>DPRI2324</u>	Advanced Civil Liability Law[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Bernard Dubuisson
<u>DPRI2328</u>	Legislation on Property - thorough study[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Diane Déom, Isabelle Durant
<u>INT2326</u>	Special Issues in Private International Law[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Jean-Yves Carlier, Marc Fallon
<u>INT2342</u>	Advanced Study of Public International Law[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Philippe Couvreur, Joe Verhoeven
<u>DPCR2343</u>	Criminal Law (Offences)[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Maria Luisa Cesoni
<u>DESO2347</u>	European and International Social Law[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Pascale Vielle
<u>DROI2389</u>	Deontology of Legal Professions[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Georges-Albert Dal
<u>AMCO2955</u>	Aspects juridiques de l'urbanisme et de l'aménagement du territoire[30h] (3 credits) (in French)	Francis Haumont
<u>PUBL2346</u>	Public regulation of the economy (EU and Belgian law)[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Philippe Maystadt, Philippe Maystadt
<u>ENVI3006</u>	Droit de l'environnement[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Francis Haumont
<b>Options given in 2006-2007</b>		
<u>DESO2330</u>	Banking and stock exchange law[30h] (4.5 credits) ⊕ (in French)	Philippe Lambrecht
<u>DESO2336</u>	Intellectual Property Rights[30h] (4.5 credits) ⊕ (in French)	Mireille Buydens, Bernard Remiche
<u>DESO3211</u>	Introduction to the American Law[15h] (2.5 credits) ⊕ (in French)	Paul Nihoul (coord.)
<u>PUBL2341</u>	Administrative Litigation[30h] (4.5 credits) ⊕ (in French)	Robert Andersen
<u>PUBL2390</u>	Media and information law[30h] (4.5 credits) ⊕ (in French)	François Jongen

### Courses from other study programmes

Students may request authorisation to follow, under the status of optional courses, one or two courses from the programme of the Criminology School of UCL, from the Law Faculty of KULeuven or from another UCL Faculty.

### Language courses given at the Institute for Living Languages (ILV)

Students who wish to add an ILV language course to their study programme must introduce a written, justified request, mentioning the course code and the name of the lecturer.

However, beyond cases justified by an exchange project with a foreign language institution, authorisation to follow a language course will only be granted to students on an exceptional basis.

This language course will not be counted in the 240 hours of options but will be added to the student's programme and will be taken into account during the deliberation on the same level as the other courses on the programme.

### Internship in legal practice (optional)

Students selected by the Faculty will carry out an internship in legal practice during the third year of the programme. This internship, of a duration of 120 hours, carried out under the control of the Faculty, is equivalent, for students who are enrolled, to 60 hours of options. The result obtained is pondered at 40 points. Students may not enrol both for such an internship and for a student exchange programme.

### The student exchange programme (optional)

Students selected by the Faculty will carry out their exchange programme during the second quadrimester of the third year of studies. Exchanges conducted at the Complutensia University of Madrid and in Utrecht have a duration which corresponds to the whole academic year.

The study programme followed in the host university, duly approved by the academic exchanges supervisor, is equivalent to 150 hours of options.

### Supplementary courses

For students who have not yet proven to have passed these subjects :

DROI2001 Questions of Religious sciences : Christian faith[15h] (2 credits) (in French) Philippe Goffinet

or

DROI2002 Questions of Religious Science - The Bible and its Message[15h] (2 credits) (in French) Claude Lichtert (supplée André Wénin), André Wénin

**Evening programme**

The Faculty organises a "licence" programme in Law with a staggered timetable, destined for law candidates who are unable to follow the ordinary day time-programme for a valid reason (e.g., because of a professional activity).

This is a full university programme which leads to an academic degree in Law and is spread over three academic years.

All the courses of the "licence" programme in Law on this staggered timetable are triennial and are grouped into three modules according to subject classification. The modules are taught successively and are followed by all the students during the year they are taught. In any case, two courses are taught each year and are reserved for 1st year students.

The courses are given Mondays to Thursdays from 6 00 p.m. to 9 00 p.m.

DROI21 HD First year of studies

DROI22 HD Second year of studies

DROI23 HD Third year of studies

**Specific courses per programme****1st year****2nd year**

ESPO2220 Globalisation of the economy and of society[30h] (4 credits) Pierre Defraigne  
(in French)

or

SPOL2122 Economic structures of Belgium[30h] (3.5 credits) (in French) Guillaume Pierre Wunsch

15 hours of practical workshops in Obligation Law

15 hours of practical workshops in Civil Procedure

**3rd year**

Seminar for the course module

15 hours of practical workshops in International Public Law

15 hours of practical workshops in Criminal Law

**Core courses per trisannual modules****Modules A "Private Law"**

*This will be given in 2007-2008*

DPRI2354 In-depth study of the law of obligations and the law of contracts[30h+30h] (in French) Isabelle Durant

DPRI2257 Family Law[60h+30h] (in French) N.

DPRI2255 Property Law and Security Rights[30h+15h] (in French) N.

INT2259 Private international law[30h+15h] (in French) N.

*3rd year students will attend the following seminar :*

DPRI2382 Seminar on Private Law[30h] (in French) Denis Philippe

**Module B "Public, Penal and International law"**

*This will be given in 2005-2006*

PUBL2358 Public and Administrative law[60h+30h] (in French) N.

INT2260 Public International Law[30h+15h] (in French) N.

INT2256 European Union law[45h+15h] (in French) N.

DPCR2158 Criminal Procedure[15h+30h] (in French) N.

DPRI2253M Séances d'enseignements pratiques en droit judiciaire (module B)[30h] (in French) N.

*3rd year students will attend the following seminar :*

DROI2383 Seminar in public, criminal or international law[30h] (in French) N.

**Module C "Economic and Social Law"**

*This will be given in 2006-2007*

DESO2251 Commercial law[60h+30h] (in French) Christine Bruls

DESO2257 Tax law[30h+30h] (in French) Philippe Malherbe

DESO2255 Social Law[45h+15h] (in French) Jacques Van Drooghenbroeck

<u>DESO2259</u>	Accounting Law[15h+15h] ⊕ (in French)	Hugues Fronville
<i>3rd year students will attend the following seminar :</i>		
<u>DESO2384</u>	Seminar on Economic and Social Law[30h] ⊕ (in French)	Pierre-Paul Van Gehuchten
<i>According to choice:</i>		
<u>DROI1281</u>	Nederlandse rechtstaal (Néerlandais juridique)[30h] (3 credits) (in NL)	Marc Lahousse
<u>DROI1282</u>	Legal English (Anglais juridique)[30h] (3 credits) (in English)	Alain Wijffels
<u>DROI1283</u>	Deutsche Rechtssprache (Allemand juridique)[30h] (3 credits) (in D)	Karl-Heinz Lambertz

*No student can claim to be a university graduate ("licencié") without having furnished proof that he has passed an exam on the knowledge of Dutch, English or German legal terminology.*

*One course on Religious Sciences must be added to the programme for students who have not taken one in a previous programme.*