

Faculty of Law Groningen - academic year 2025/26							
List of Law courses in English for Open Courses Law students							
COURSES	PRICE	SEMESTER	LEVEL	EC	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS	LECTURE PERIOD+HOURS+TYPE OF LECTURE (HC or WG)	TYPE OF EXAM
Click on course name for additional information in the course catalogue Ocasys (ocasys.rug.nl)		semester 1=block 1&2	level B1, B2 or B3 = 1st, 2nd or 3rd year bachelor	EC = European Credit (1 EC = 28 hours of work)	All law courses are only open to law students	HC = general lecture WG = working group	Dates of oral exams/papers/assignments must be arranged with the examiner
		semester 2=block 3&4	Ba/Ma level = first phase master level; >150 EC		Specific courses must have been taken at home university or in Groningen before start of course	7x2(4) HC = 7 general lectures of 2(4) hours each 7x2 WG = 7 times working group (tutorial) of 2 hours each	Dates of written exams (and written resits) are set at the beginning of the academic year and cannot be changed !!
		1 semester = 30 EC 1 year = 60 EC	M-level = LLM/master courses		Minimum level English proficiency B2 required for Bachelor courses Minimum level English proficiency C1 required for Master courses and Ba/Ma courses		Almost all written exams are conducted digitally in the Exam Hall
COURSES	PRICE	SEMESTER 1	LEVEL	EC	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS	LECTURE PERIOD+HOURS+TYPE OF LECTURE (HC or WG)	TYPE OF EXAM
Comparative Criminal Law	€ 1.140	block 1	M	6 EC		14x2 HC and in-class discussions (in total 4 hrs per week)	written exam
Comparative Property Law	€ 1.140	block 1	M	6 EC		14x2 HC (in total 4 hrs per week)	written or oral exam, depending on the number of participants
Criminal Procedure and Human Rights	€ 1.140	block 1	M	6 EC		14x2 HC (in total 4 hrs per week)	written or oral exam, depending on the number of participants
Dutch law in a Comparative Perspective	€ 1.140	block 1	Ba/Ma	6 EC		14x2 HC (in total 4 hrs per week)	written (essay questions)
Energy Law and Policy	€ 1.140	block 1	M	6 EC		7x3 HC + one afternoon excursion	written (essay questions)
European Internal Market Law	€ 1.140	block 1	M	6 EC	European Law	14x2 HC (in total 4 hrs per week)	written (essay questions)
Health Law in Context	€ 1.140	block 1	M	6 EC	Public International Law	14x2 HC (in total 4 hrs per week)	written (essay questions)
International Human Rights Law	€ 1.140	block 1	M	6 EC	Public International Law	14x2 HC (in total 4 hrs per week)	written (essay questions)
International Institutional Law	€ 1.140	block 1	M	6 EC	Public International Law	14x2 HC (in total 4 hrs per week) + 7x2 Q&A	written (essay questions)
Law of the European Union	€ 1.900	block 1	B2	10 EC		7x4 HC + 7x2 WG + 7x2 online Q&A	written exam (essay questions)
Property Law	€ 950	block 1	B2	5 EC		7x2 HC + 7x2 WG	written exam (essay questions), resit = oral or written
Advanced International Law	€ 1.140	block 2	M	6 EC	Public International Law	7x2 HC (in total 4 hrs per week)	written (essay questions)
Climate Law	€ 1.140	block 2	M	6 EC		7x3 HC + in-class discussions	written (essay questions)
Comparative Private International Law	€ 1.140	block 2	M	6 EC		14x2 HC (in total 4 hrs per week)	written (essay questions)
Competition Law and Market Regulation	€ 1.140	block 2	M	6 EC	European Law (or Wiki Selfstudy on EU Law via Student Portal)	14x2 HC (in total 4 hrs per week)	written (essay questions)
Contemplating Democracy and the Rule of Law	€ 1.900	block 2	Ba/Ma	10 EC		7x2 HC - mandatory attendance	written (essay questions); or oral depending on number of participants
Cybercrime and Cyber Security	€ 1.140	block 2	M	6 EC		14x2 HC, in-class discussions (in total 4 hrs per week)	written (essay questions)
Data Protection and Human Rights in the Digital World	€ 1.900	block 2	B2	10 EC		14x2 HC (in total 4 hrs per week) + 7x WG	assignment & written (essay questions)
Energy and Climate Law for non-lawyers	€ 1.900	block 2	B3	10 EC		14x2 HC	take home exam, video presentations and a small multiple choice test for a maximum of 4 bonus points
Energy Market Law	€ 1.140	block 2	M	6 EC	European Law	7x3 HC + one afternoon excursion	written (essay questions)
EU External Relations Law	€ 1.140	block 2	M	6 EC	European Law	14x2 HC, in-class discussions (in total 4 hrs per week)	written (essay questions)
International Crimes and Gross Violations of Human Rights	€ 1.140	block 2	M	6 EC		14x2 HC (in total 4 hrs per week) active participation	written (essay questions)
International Health Law	€ 1.140	block 2	M	6 EC	Public International Law	14x2 HC (in total 4 hrs per week); active participation	mid-term assessment (short essay (800 words) that counts for 15%, presentation(s), written exam (essay questions))
Introduction to Common Law	€ 950	block 2	B2	5 EC		7x2 HC	written (essay questions)
Public International Law	€ 1.900	block 2	B2	10 EC		14x2 HC + 7x2 WG = 7x2 Q&A, WG = mandatory attendance (in total 6 hrs per week)	written (essay questions)
The Law of International Peace and Security	€ 1.140	block 2	M	6 EC	Public International Law	14x2 HC, in-class discussions (in total 4 hrs per week)	written (essay questions) or oral exam
COURSES	PRICE	SEMESTER 2	LEVEL	EC	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS	LECTURE PERIOD+HOURS+TYPE OF LECTURE (HC or WG)	TYPE OF EXAM
Administrative Law and Market Regulation	€ 1.900	block 3	B2	10 EC	European Law = compulsory	14x2 HC+ 7x2 WG, WG = mandatory attendance (in total 6 hrs per week)	written (essay questions), bonus points for an assignment
Comparative Tort Law	€ 1.140	block 3	M	6 EC	Constitutional & Administrative Law Course = advised	14x2 HC (in total 4 hrs per week), mandatory attendance	written (essay questions)
European Environmental Law in a Global Context	€ 1.140	block 3	M	6 EC	European Law	7x2 HC - active participation	written or oral exam, depending on the number of participants + paper (each pass grade = 50% of the final grade)
International Humanitarian Law	€ 1.140	block 3	M	6 EC	Public International Law	7x2 HC	written (essay questions) or oral exam, depending on number of participants
Organised and Financial Crime	€ 1.140	block 3	M	6 EC		14x2 HC & in-class discussions (in total 2 hrs per week)	written (essay questions). Resit will be written or oral depending on the number of participants.
Refugee and Asylum Law	€ 1.140	block 3	M	6 EC		7x2 HC, active participation	written (essay questions)
Regulating Cybercrime	€ 950	block 3	B2	5 EC		14x2 HC (in total 4 hrs per week)	written exam (essay questions; 80%) and participation in group presentation (20%)
Cross-border Commercial Transactions	€ 1.140	block 4	M	6 EC	Open to a limited number of law exchange students	14x2 HC, in-class discussions (in total 4 hrs per week)	written (essay questions)
European Human Rights Law	€ 1.140	block 4	M	6 EC	European Law	7x2 HC, in-class discussions	written (essay questions)
International Criminal Tribunals and Courts	€ 1.140	block 4	M	6 EC		14x2 HC (in total 4 hrs per week)	written (open book exam)
Law and Economics of Innovation	€ 950	block 4	B2	5 EC		7x2 HC + 7x2 WG, attendance compulsory	written (essay questions)
Markets and Regulation	€ 950	block 4	B2	5 EC		14x2 HC (in total 4 hrs per week)	written (essay questions)
Private International Business Law	€ 950	block 4	B2	5 EC		7x2 HC	written (essay questions)
Settlement of International Disputes	€ 1.140	block 4	M	6 EC	Public International Law	14x2 HC (in total 4 hrs per week)	written (essay questions)
The Contemporary Value(s) of International Law	€ 950	block 4	B3	5 EC	Public International Law	7 x 2 HC	written (essay questions)
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