

## **Curriculum for the Bachelor's Programme in International Legal Studies**

In its meeting on 25 March 2021, the Senate approved the curriculum for the Bachelor's Programme in International Legal Studies in the following version, which was established by the decision-making Curricula Commission pursuant to § 25 para 8 no 3 and para 10 of the Universities Act (*Universitätsgesetz*) 2002 on 15 March 2021.

The legal basis is the Universities Act 2002 and the section on study regulations of the Statutes of the University of Vienna as amended from time to time.

### **§ 1 Academic objectives and qualification profile**

The aim of the Bachelor's Programme in International Legal Studies at the University of Vienna is to provide an academic preparatory professional education at a high academic and didactic level. On the one hand, a universal legal education is imparted, combining basic knowledge in all subjects with their subject-specific methods with the ability to apply knowledge and methods appropriately. In combination with a corresponding Master's program, this provides a professional preparation for all classical legal professions and other legally oriented professional areas. On the other hand, the students acquire the ability to face the legal challenges of a globalized world. This is achieved in particular through the in-depth study of subjects with cross-border relevance and the large proportion of lessons taught in foreign languages.

Since the education also trains the ability to think, argue and express oneself, critical legal awareness and social skills, the program also forms a basis for professions in which such skills are required. In order to be able to impart this universal legal education and these key competences, the work is increasingly interdisciplinary; the accumulation of specialist knowledge is omitted. Training for all core legal professions also requires that, on the one hand, the curriculum of subjects prescribed by professional law is offered, especially in private and criminal law as well as in public law. Preparation for the legal challenges of globalization is provided in particular by the foreign-language courses offered in the basic subjects, in international and European law, on legal issues of digitalization and in the elective subject area, by the early intensive study of international and European law, by the strong emphasis on private international law within the framework of civil law and by the focus of the elective subject area and the Bachelor's thesis on international law content.

Within the framework of the Bachelor's Programme in Legal Studies at the University of Vienna, independent legal work is promoted in order to achieve the designated universal legal and international legal education and the corresponding key competences. Within the framework of the concept of adult-oriented studies developed at the Faculty of Law of the University of Vienna (e.g. through the use of "flipped classroom" approaches), the students' self-competence is strengthened with a view to future professional challenges. E-learning methods ("blended learning") are also used. Finally, due to the academic standards of the Faculty of Law of the University of Vienna, it is essential to constantly assure and convey the primacy of research-led teaching.

(2) Graduates of the Bachelor's Programme International Legal Studies have a practical legal education which, together with the completion of a Master's Program in Law and, if applicable, further practical training, qualifies them to exercise a legal profession. They have a solid knowledge of the subject areas taught during their studies. They have the ability to think legally on the basis of cases and norms as well as to reflect on the intellectual and social foundations of law, which enables them to cope with legal challenges in a rapidly changing world. Finally, they are particularly qualified to solve cross-border legal problems and to succeed in an international professional environment.

(3) Classes and examinations will be taken in German and English (language level B 2) as well as optionally in other foreign languages, provided that such classes and examinations are offered or the use of such a foreign language is agreed between the examiner and the student.

## **§ 2 Duration and scope**

(1) The workload for the Bachelor's Programme in International Legal Studies is 180 ECTS credits. This corresponds to a planned duration of study of six semesters.

(2) The Programme is completed when 180 ECTS points have been earned in accordance with the provisions in the compulsory modules.

## **§ 3 Admission requirements**

(1) Admission to the Bachelor's Programme in International Legal Studies is granted in accordance with the Universities Act 2002, as amended. Students will be selected on the basis of an admission procedure. More detailed regulations on the admission procedure will be published in an ordinance by the Rectorate of the University of Vienna in the official gazette.

(2) Admission requires proof of proficiency in German at language level C 1 and in English at language level B 2. The rules of the University of Vienna shall apply to the proof of English language proficiency.

## **§ 4 Academic degree**

Graduates of the Bachelor's Programme International Legal Studies will be awarded the academic degree "Bachelor of Laws" – abbreviated *LLB*. If this academic degree is used, it is to be placed after the name.

## **§ 5 Structure – Modules with ECTS credit allocation**

(1) The Bachelor's program consists the following modules::

1. Module Introduction to the Law and its International Aspects 10 ECTS
2. Module Einführung in das internationale Recht 6 ECTS
3. Module European and Global Legal History 10 ECTS
4. Module Roman Law and the Civilian Tradition 10 ECTS
5. Module Europarecht 11 ECTS
6. Module International Law 9 ECTS
7. Module Digital Law 8 ECTS
8. Module Criminal law and criminal procedure 16 ECTS
9. Module Civil law 14 ECTS
10. Module Civil law and international private law 11 ECTS
11. Module Corporate law (in a broad sense) 14 ECTS
12. Module Constitutional law 14 ECTS
13. Module Public law 18 ECTS
14. Elective module 21 ECTS
15. Bachelor module 8 ECTS

### **(2) Introduction and Orientation Phase**

The module Introduction to the Law and its International Aspects and the module Einführung in das internationale Recht are set as examinations for the introductory and orientation phase (*Studieneingangs- und Orientierungsphase - StEOP*).

The completion of the StEOP is a prerequisite for further studies. The following modules may be completed prior to the full completion of the introductory and orientation phase: Module European and Global Legal History and Module Roman Law and the Civilian Tradition.

### (3) Module descriptions

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| <b>PM 1</b>                       | <b>Introduction to the Law and its International Aspects (Compulsory module)</b>  | <b>10 ECTS-Points</b> |
| <b>Participation requirements</b> | none  |                       |
| <b>Module objectives</b>          | In this module, students are introduced to the foundations of law, methods and case resolution. Students acquire general knowledge of national and international law, comparative law, the differences between public and private law and the respective methodology. Case resolution in public law, private law and criminal law is learned by means of cases in the context of tutorials with integrated exams.   |                       |
| <b>Module structure</b>           | <p>In preparation for the written module examination</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- VO Introduction to the Law and its International Aspects, 4 ECTS 2 semester hours</li> </ul> <p>Classes with integrated exams:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- UE, Anfängerübung zur Falllösung aus Verfassungsrecht, 2 ECTS, 1 semester hours, integrated exam (pi)</li> <li>- UE Anfängerübung zur Falllösung aus Bürgerlichem Recht, 2 ECTS, 1 semester hours, integrated exam</li> <li>- UE Anfängerübung zur Falllösung aus Strafrecht, 2 ECTS, 1 semester hours, integrated exam</li> <li>-</li> </ul> |                       |
| <b>Record of achievement</b>      | <p><b>Combined module examination</b>, consisting of</p> <p>1) Written module examination Introduction to the Law and its International Aspects (4 ECTS)</p> <p>2) Completion of tutorials (<i>Übungen</i>) (6 ECTS)</p>  |                       |
| <b>Language</b>                   | <b>English (module examination), German (tutorials – <i>Übungen</i>)</b>  |                       |

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| <b>PM 2</b>                       | <b>Introduction to international law (Compulsory module)</b>  | <b>6 ECTS-Points</b> |
| <b>Participation requirements</b> | none  |                      |
| <b>Module objectives</b>          | In this module, students acquire basic knowledge of international law (European law and international law).   |                      |
| <b>Module structure</b>           | <p>As preparation for the module examination, the following courses are available on a voluntary basis:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- VO Grundlagen des Europarechts – Europäisches Verfassungsrecht, 4 ECTS 2 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Grundlagen des Völkerrechts, 4 ECTS 2 semester hours</li> <li>- PUE, Anfängerübung zu den Grundlagen des Europarechts, 2 ECTS 1 semester hours, integrated exam</li> <li>- PUE, Anfängerübung zu den Grundlagen des Völkerrechts, 2 ECTS, 1 semester hours, integrated exam</li> </ul> |                      |
| <b>Record of</b>                  | <b>Written module examination</b> in the subject Introduction to inter-   |                      |

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| <b>achievement</b> | national law (6 ECTS) |
| <b>Language</b>    | <b>German</b>         |

Uniform assessment standards: In order to ensure uniform assessment standards for the classes with integrated exams within the framework of the StEOP, the governing body responsible for study regulation (after hearing the teachers of these courses) will lay down the content and form of the performance review, the assessment criteria and the deadlines for withdrawal from the classes with integrated exams without sanctions. This determination shall be announced in good time before the start of the classes in the form of an announcement.

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| <b>PM 3</b>                       | <b>European and Global Legal History (Compulsory module)</b>   | <b>10 ECTS-Points</b> |
| <b>Participation requirements</b> | None (StEOP- advance completion)   |                       |
| <b>Module objectives</b>          | In this module, students receive an introduction to the development of the European legal and constitutional systems, the emergence of the science of law, as well as the international, transnational and global references of modern law. The aim of the module is to provide students with the competence to draw comparisons between different legal systems and legal cultures and to understand the historical foundations of legal institutions. In this way, students acquire a deeper understanding of the law that supports them in analysing and critically reflecting on the applicable law. |                       |
| <b>Module structure</b>           | As preparation for the written module examination, the following courses can be attended voluntarily: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- VO European and Global Legal History, 8 ECTS 4 semester hours</li> </ul> Further classes (UE, KU) can also be attended voluntarily in preparation for the module examination.   |                       |
| <b>Record of achievement</b>      | <b>Written module examination</b> in the subject European and Global Legal History (10 ECTS)   |                       |
| <b>Language</b>                   | <b>English</b>   |                       |

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| <b>PM 4</b>                       | <b>Roman Law and the Civilian Tradition (Compulsory module)</b>   | <b>10 ECTS-Points</b> |
| <b>Participation requirements</b> | None (StEOP-advance completion)   |                       |
| <b>Module objectives</b>          | Students are familiarized with the structure and fundamental problems of private property law on the basis of exemplary sources of classical Roman law; they learn to justify decisions dogmatically and to solve cases. In this way, they are taught the foundations of the (European) private law systems based on Roman law ("civil law"). The sources and methods of Roman law and the "civilian tradition" based on it are dealt with in terms of legal history and comparative law. |                       |
| <b>Module structure</b>           | As preparation for the written module examination, the following courses can be attended voluntarily: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- PUE Roman Law of Property, 4 ECTS, 2 semester hours, integrated exam</li> <li>- PUE Roman Law of Obligations, 4 ECTS, 2 semester hours, in-</li> </ul>   |                       |

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| <b>Record of achievement</b>      | <b>Written module examination</b> in the subject Roman Law and the Civilian Tradition (10 ECTS)  |                       |
| <b>Language</b>                   | <b>English</b>   |                       |
| <b>PM 5</b>                       | <b>European Law (Compulsory module)</b>  | <b>11 ECTS-Points</b> |
| <b>Participation requirements</b> | Admission to the oral module examination in European law requires positive completion of the introductory and orientation phase.   |                       |
| <b>Module objectives</b>          | In this module, students acquire knowledge in the subject European law.  |                       |
| <b>Module structure</b>           | <p>As preparation for the oral module examination, the following courses are available on a voluntary basis:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- VO Binnenmarkt und Grundfreiheiten, 3 ECTS, 2 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Europäisches Wettbewerbsrecht, 2 ECTS, 1 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Verfahren vor europäischen Gerichten, 2 ECTS, 1 semester hours und Behörden</li> </ul> <p>Further courses (UE, KU) may also be offered voluntarily in preparation for the module examination.</p> |                       |
| <b>Record of achievement</b>      | <b>Oral module examination</b> in the subject European law (11 ECTS)   |                       |
| <b>Language</b>                   | <b>German or English</b>   |                       |

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| <b>PM 6</b>                       | <b>International Law (Compulsory module)</b>   | <b>9 ECTS-Points</b> |
| <b>Participation requirements</b> | Admission to the oral module examination in International Law ( <i>Völkerrecht</i> ) requires positive completion of the introductory and orientation phase.   |                      |
| <b>Module objectives</b>          | In this module, students acquire knowledge in the subject International Law ( <i>Völkerrecht</i> ).  |                      |
| <b>Module structure</b>           | <p>As preparation for the oral module examination, the following courses are available on a voluntary basis:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- VO Völkerrecht, 8 ECTS, 4 semester hours</li> </ul> <p>Further classes (UE, KU) may also be offered voluntarily in preparation for the module examination.</p> |                      |
| <b>Record of achievement</b>      | <b>Oral module examination</b> in the subject International Law (9 ECTS)   |                      |
| <b>Language</b>                   | <b>English</b>   |                      |

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| <b>PM 7</b>                       | <b>Digital Law (Compulsory module)</b>   | <b>8 ECTS-Points</b> |
| <b>Participation requirements</b> | Admission to the written module examination in the subject Digital Law requires positive completion of the introductory and orientation phase.   |                      |
| <b>Module objectives</b>          | In this module, students acquire knowledge of issues relating to the digitalization of the legal system. This is done in two ways. On the one hand, students should understand the influence of digitalization on the shaping and finding of law ("LegalTech") and, on the other hand, |                      |

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|                              | <p>recognize and understand legal issues of digitalization ("Information Law"). In the first area, questions of making legal information accessible and processing it are dealt with; focal points can be placed in particular on online research techniques, electronic legal transactions, electronic forms and signatures, online dispute resolution, smart contracts and the use of AI, for example for the evaluation of large masses of text or simply structured decisions.</p> <p>The second area provides a systematic overview of substantive issues of digitalization with a special focus on contract law, liability law, data protection law, consumer protection law, e-commerce law and intellectual property law.</p> |
| <b>Module structure</b>      | <p>As preparation for the written module examination, the following course is available on a voluntary basis:</p> <p>- VO „Digital Law“, 8 ECTS, 4 semester hours</p> <p>Further courses (UE, KU) may also be offered voluntarily in preparation for the module examination.</p>  |
| <b>Record of achievement</b> | <b>Written module examination</b> in the subject Digital Law (8 ECTS)   |
| <b>Language</b>              | <b>English</b>  |

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| <b>PM 8</b>                       | <b>Criminal Law and Criminal Procedure Law (Compulsory module)</b>   | <b>16 ECTS-Points</b> |
| <b>Participation requirements</b> | Admission to the written module examination in Criminal Law and Criminal Procedure Law requires positive completion of the introductory and orientation phase.   |                       |
| <b>Module objectives</b>          | In this module, students acquire knowledge from the subject of criminal law and criminal procedural law and in particular the competence to work out criminal law case solutions in writing. At the same time, the subject is to be understood in its connection with the other areas of criminal sciences, in particular criminology and criminal policy, as well as in its systematic connection with the other legal subjects..   |                       |
| <b>Module structure</b>           | <p>As preparation for the written module examination, the following courses are available on a voluntary basis:</p> <p>- VO Grundlagen und Allgemeiner Teil I (Lehre von der Straftat), 5 ECTS, 3 semester hours</p> <p>- VO Besonderer Teil, 3 ECTS, 2 semester hours</p> <p>- VO Strafrecht Allgemeiner Teil II (Rechtsfolgen), 2 ECTS, 1 semester hours</p> <p>- VO Strafprozess, 5 ECTS, 3 semester hours</p> <p>Further courses (UE, KU) may also be offered voluntarily in preparation for the module examination.</p> |                       |
| <b>Record of achievement</b>      | <b>Written module examination</b> in the subject Criminal Law and Criminal Procedure Law (16 ECTS)   |                       |
| <b>Language</b>                   | <b>German</b>  |                       |

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| <b>PM 9</b>                       | <b>Civil Law (Compulsory module)</b>  | <b>14 ECTS-Points</b> |
| <b>Participation requirements</b> | Admission to the oral module examination in Civil Law requires positive completion of the introductory and orientation phase. |                       |
| <b>Module objectives</b>          | In this module, students acquire comprehensive knowledge from all sub-areas of the subject Civil Law.                         |                       |
| <b>Module structure</b>           | As preparation for the oral module examination, the following courses   |                       |

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|                              | <p>are available on a voluntary basis:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- VO Allgemeiner Teil, 3 ECTS, 2 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Verbraucherprivatrecht, 3 ECTS, 2 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Schuldrecht, Allgemeiner Teil, 5 ECTS, 3 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Schuldrecht, Besonderer Teil –<br/>vertragliche Schuldverhältnisse, 5 ECTS, 3 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Schuldrecht, Besonderer Teil –<br/>gesetzliche Schuldverhältnisse, 3 ECTS, 2 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Sachenrecht, 5 ECTS, 3 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Familienrecht, 3 ECTS, 2 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Erbrecht, 3 ECTS, 2 semester hours</li> </ul> <p>Further courses (UE, KU) may also be offered voluntarily in preparation for the module examination.</p> |
| <b>Record of achievement</b> | <b>Oral module examination</b> in the subject Civil Law (14 ECTS)  |
| <b>Language</b>              | <b>German</b>  |

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| <b>PM 10</b>                      | <b>Civil Law and International Private Law (Compulsory module)</b>  | <b>11 ECTS-Points</b> |
| <b>Participation requirements</b> | Admission to the written module examination in Austrian and International Private Law requires positive completion of the module Civil Law.   |                       |
| <b>Module objectives</b>          | In this module, students deepen their knowledge in the subject Civil Law with special consideration of Private International Law, and acquire the competence to work out written case solutions in these subjects.  |                       |
| <b>Module structure</b>           | <p>As preparation for the written module examination, the following courses are available on a voluntary basis:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- VO Allgemeiner Teil, 3 ECTS, 2 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Verbraucherprivatrecht, 3 ECTS, 2 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Schuldrecht, Allgemeiner Teil, 5 ECTS, 3 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Schuldrecht, Besonderer Teil –<br/>vertragliche Schuldverhältnisse, 5 ECTS, 3 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Schuldrecht, Besonderer Teil –<br/>gesetzliche Schuldverhältnisse, 3 ECTS, 2 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Sachenrecht, 5 ECTS, 3 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Familienrecht, 3 ECTS, 2 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Erbrecht, 3 ECTS, 2 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Internationales Privatrecht, 3 ECTS, 2 semester hours</li> </ul> <p>Further courses (UE, KU) may also be offered voluntarily in preparation for the module examination.</p> |                       |
| <b>Record of achievement</b>      | <b>Written module examination</b> in the subject Civil Law and International Private Law (11 ECTS)  |                       |
| <b>Language</b>                   | <b>German</b>   |                       |

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| <b>PM 11</b>                      | <b>Corporate Law (in the broader sense) (Compulsory module)</b>  | <b>14 ECTS-Points</b> |
| <b>Participation requirements</b> | Admission to the oral module examination in Corporate Law (in the broader sense) requires positive completion of the introductory and orientation phase.   |                       |
| <b>Module objectives</b>          | In this module, students acquire knowledge from the subject of corporate law (in the broader sense) and acquire an understanding of the subject in particular in its systematic connection with the subject of |                       |

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|                              | civil law.   |
| <b>Module structure</b>      | As preparation for the oral module examination, the following courses are available on a voluntary basis: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- VO Unternehmensrecht, 6 ECTS, 3 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Wertpapier- und Kapitalmarktrecht, 2 ECTS, 1 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Gesellschaftsrecht, 5 ECTS, 3 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Immaterialgüterrecht, 2 ECTS, 1 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Wettbewerbsrecht, 2 ECTS, 1 semester hours</li> </ul> <p>Further courses (UE, KU) may also be offered voluntarily in preparation for the module examination.</p> |
| <b>Record of achievement</b> | <b>Oral module examination</b> in the subject Corporate law (in the broader sense) (14 ECTS)   |
| <b>Language</b>              | <b>German</b>  |

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| <b>PM 12</b>                      | <b>Constitutional Law (Compulsory module)</b>  | <b>14 ECTS-Points</b> |
| <b>Participation requirements</b> | Admission to the oral module examination in Constitutional Law requires positive completion of the introductory and orientation phase.   |                       |
| <b>Module objectives</b>          | I In this module, students are familiarized with constitutional law and its European law dimensions.   |                       |
| <b>Module structure</b>           | As preparation for the oral module examination, the following courses are available on a voluntary basis: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- VO Allgemeine Staatslehre und Organisationsrecht, 6 ECTS, 4 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Grundrechte, 5 ECTS, 3 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Verfassungsgerichtsbarkeit und europäische Gerichtsbarkeit, 3 ECTS, 2 semester hours</li> </ul> <p>Further courses (UE, KU) may also be offered voluntarily in preparation for the module examination.</p> |                       |
| <b>Record of achievement</b>      | <b>Oral module examination</b> in the subject Constitutional Law (14 ECTS)   |                       |
| <b>Language</b>                   | <b>German</b>  |                       |

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| <b>PM 13</b>                      | <b>Public Law (Compulsory Module)</b>   | <b>18 ECTS-Points</b> |
| <b>Participation requirements</b> | Admission to the written module examination from the subject Public Law requires positive completion of the module Constitutional Law.  |                       |
| <b>Module objectives</b>          | In this module, students are familiarized with the subjects of constitutional law and administrative law and learn about the systematic connection between the subjects. In the written examination, on the one hand, the competence to comprehensively deal with issues in the field of public law is demonstrated, and on the other hand, the ability to work out case solutions in writing.  |                       |
| <b>Module structure</b>           | As preparation for the written module examination, the following courses are available on a voluntary basis: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- VO Allgemeine Staatslehre und Organisationsrecht, 6 ECTS, 4 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Grundrechte, 5 ECTS, 3 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Verfassungsgerichtsbarkeit und europäische Gerichtsbarkeit, 3 ECTS, 2 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Verwaltungsrecht Allgemeiner Teil, 5 ECTS, 3 semester hours</li> <li>- VO Verwaltungsrecht Besonderer Teil, 5 ECTS, 3 semester hours</li> </ul> |                       |



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|                              | - VO Verwaltungsverfahrenrecht einschließlich Verwaltungsgerichtsbarkeit, 6 ECTS, 4 semester hours<br><br>Further courses (UE, KU) may also be offered voluntarily in preparation for the module examination. |
| <b>Record of achievement</b> | <b>Written module examination</b> in the subject „Öffentliches Recht“ (18 ECTS)   |
| <b>Language</b>              | <b>German</b>   |

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| <b>PM 14</b>                      | <b>Elective module (compulsory module)</b>   | <b>21 ECTS-Points</b> |
| <b>Participation requirements</b> | Admission to the courses of the module requires the positive completion of the introductory and orientation phase.   |                       |
| <b>Module objectives</b>          | In the elective module, students are offered the opportunity to focus their studies according to their own interests and with a view to choosing a career, and to deepen and broaden their competences in the field of international law, building on the basic knowledge they have acquired. If possible, students should also complete courses at foreign universities in the elective module.   |                       |
| <b>Module structure</b>           | In the course of the degree program, the students choose to complete courses with or without integrated examinations from elective subjects to the extent of a total of 21 ECTS, subject to the availability of places. Within the scope of this module, there should also be the possibility to complete internships with international-legal references to the extent of up to 8 ECTS. In addition, students have the opportunity to participate in moot courts.<br>The courses currently eligible for this module are listed in the course catalogue of the University of Vienna. |                       |
| <b>Record of achievement</b>      | Successful completion of all course examinations (npi) and/or classes with integrated examinations (total 21 ECTS)   |                       |

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| <b>PM 15</b>                      | <b>Bachelor module (compulsory module)</b>  | <b>8 ECTS-Points</b> |
| <b>Participation requirements</b> | Admission to the courses of the module requires the positive completion of the introductory and orientation phase.  |                      |
| <b>Module objectives</b>          | In this module, students write a Bachelor's thesis within the framework of a seminar and thus demonstrate their ability to work independently in an academic manner.  |                      |
| <b>Module structure</b>           | Students write their Bachelor's thesis within the framework of a seminar from one of the subjects of modules 3 to 14 or within the framework of a moot court. The Bachelor's thesis is to be dedicated to an international topic.<br><br>The chosen course is upgraded by 8 ECTS points by writing the Bachelor thesis. |                      |
| <b>Record of achievement</b>      | Successful completion of the seminar or moot court including the bachelor thesis (upgrading of the course by 8 ECTS)  |                      |

## § 6 Bachelor's thesis

The Bachelor's thesis is to be written within the framework of a seminar from one of the subjects of modules 3 to 14 or within the framework of a moot court. The respective class will thereby be upgraded by 8 ECTS points.

## § 7 Mobility in the Bachelor's program

(1) Students are recommended to complete a semester abroad. In principle, semesters abroad can be completed in any semester after the StEOP. Depending on the classes and examinations offered by the foreign university, it is recommended that the modules European and Global History (PM 3), Roman Law and the Civilian Tradition (PM 4), Digital Law (PM 7) or the elective module (PM 14) be completed abroad.

(2) The recognition of the credit points completed abroad is carried out in accordance with the university regulations by the body responsible for study regulations.

## **§ 8 Classification of course types**

(1) The following types of courses are defined for classes without integrated exams:

Lecture (*Vorlesung* – VO): Lectures are designed to impart knowledge on the basis of the lecture by the lecturer(s). Students are introduced to the essential concerns of the subject, its structure and main content, whereby its authoritative institutions, questions of order, contexts of meaning and methods are presented.

(2) Classes with integrated exams (pi) are offered as the following course types:

Tutorials (*Übung* – UE, pi): Tutorials are courses with integrated exam, which convey the ability to practically apply the acquired theoretical subject matter. Tutorials devoted to procedural law can also be offered in the form of trial simulation. The performance assessment is carried out by means of several partial performances.

Seminars (*Seminare* – SE; pi): Seminars serve to develop theoretical and methodological competences in an advanced study phase. The focus is on independent academic work and adequate presentation of the results (written and oral). The performance assessment is carried out by means of several partial performances.

Courses (*Kurse* – KU): Courses are designed to teach the content, methods and applications of a subject area. They are classes with a lecture or conversation character, in which students are required to prepare the material on the basis of given readings in order to be able to use the course to deepen their understanding of the material through the increased opportunity for questions and discussion. The performance assessment is carried out by means of several partial performances.

(3) Classes preparing for examinations are marked with a prefix "P" (e.g. for tutorials: "PUE") and serve as preparation for the module examination. They can be attended by students according to availability. The ECTS points specified for them are not part of the Bachelor's performance scope of 180 ECTS points. In this case, the evidence of achievement required for the curriculum is provided by completing the module examination.

## **§ 9 Restrictions on Participation and Registration Procedure**

(1) Unless external circumstances such as the available rooms or their technical equipment force a lower number of participants, at least the following numbers of participants must be admitted:

1. in courses 40,
2. in tutorials 50,
3. in seminars 20.

(2) As far as the places for certain courses in a subject are allocated centrally, an equal distribution of interested students may also lead to a lower number of participants than the minimum number specified in para. 1.

(3) The procedure for registering for courses and examinations and for allocating seats for courses shall be governed by the provisions of the Statutes.

(4) For courses whose comprehension requires special background knowledge, the lecturers may require proof of this background knowledge in the form of a positive assessment in one or more examinations or in another appropriate form as a prerequisite for registration.

### **§ 10 Examination regulations**

(1) Proof of achievement in courses

The course instructor shall make the necessary announcements in accordance with the provisions of the Statutes.

(2) Examination material

The examination material relevant for the preparation and holding of examinations shall correspond in scope to the specified ECTS points. This shall also apply to module examinations. The head of the degree program shall determine the duration of written module examinations in advance.

(3) Examination procedure

The regulations of the Statutes shall apply to the examination procedure.

(4) Examination results are to be assigned to the corresponding module with the announced ECTS value; it is not permissible to divide the results into several certificates.

(5) Prohibition of dual use

Courses and examinations already completed for another compulsory or elective module of this degree program may not be used again in another module of the same degree program. This shall also apply to recognition procedures.

### **§ 11 Entry into force**

This curriculum shall enter into force on 1 October 2021 after its announcement in the Official Gazette of the University of Vienna.

### **§ 12 Transitional provisions**

(1) This curriculum shall apply to all students who begin their studies in the winter semester 2021/22.

(2) If, in the later course of studies, courses which were compulsory on the basis of the original study plans or curricula are no longer offered, the body responsible under the organizational regulations of the University of Vienna shall, ex officio (Equivalence Ordinance) or at the request of the student, determine which courses and examinations are to be completed instead of these courses.

## Annex

Recommended path through the study program:

### 1. Semester

Module Introduction to the Law and its International Aspects 10 ECTS

Module Einführung in das internationale Recht 6 ECTS

Module European and Global Legal History 10 ECTS

### 2. Semester

Module Roman Law and the Civilian Tradition 10 ECTS

Module Europarecht 11 ECTS

Module International Law 9 ECTS

### 3. Semester

Module Digital Law 8 ECTS

Module Straf- und Strafprozessrecht 16 ECTS

### 4. Semester

Module Bürgerliches Recht 14 ECTS

Module Bürgerliches Recht und Internationales Privatrecht 11 ECTS

### 5. Semester

Module Unternehmensrecht 14 ECTS

Module Verfassungsrecht 14 ECTS

### 6. Semester

Module Öffentliches Recht 18 ECTS

Bachelor module 8 ECTS

Elective subjects, 21 ECTS

from StEOP (without semester allocation)

Englische Übersetzung der Titel der Module:

| Deutsch  | English  |
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| Pflichtmodul Introduction to the Law and its International Aspects | Compulsory module: Introduction to the Law and its International Aspects |
| Pflichtmodul Einführung in das Internationale Recht                | Compulsory module: Introduction to the International Law                 |
| Pflichtmodul European and Global Legal History                     | Compulsory module: European and Global Legal History                     |
| Pflichtmodul Roman Law and the Civilian Tradition                  | Compulsory module: Roman Law and the Civilian Tradition                  |
| Pflichtmodul Europarecht   | Compulsory module: European Law  |
| Pflichtmodul International Law                                     | Compulsory module: International Law                                     |
| Pflichtmodul Digital Law   | Compulsory module: Digital Law   |
| Pflichtmodul Straf- und Strafprozessrecht                          | Compulsory module: Criminal Law and Procedure                            |
| Pflichtmodul Bürgerliches Recht                                    | Compulsory module: Civil Law   |
| Pflichtmodul Bürgerliches Recht und Internationales Privatrecht    | Compulsory module: Civil Law and Private International Law               |
| Pflichtmodul Unternehmensrecht                                     | Compulsory module: Business Law  |
| Pflichtmodul Verfassungsrecht                                      | Compulsory module: Constitutional Law                                    |
| Pflichtmodul Öffentliches Recht                                    | Compulsory module: Public Law  |
| Pflichtmodul Wahlfachmodul   | Compulsory module: Elective Module                                       |
| Pflichtmodul Bachelormodul   | Compulsory module: Bachelor Module                                       |

