

# INTERNATIONAL AND COMPARATIVE LAW, LMI

The breadth and depth of the international and comparative law curriculum at Tulane Law School provide unparalleled opportunities for both US and foreign lawyers to receive a basic foundation in international legal practice. Tulane's program offers courses in public international law, private international law including international business transactions, and comparative law. Tulane's unique perspective in a historically mixed common law-civil law jurisdiction results in an unusually rich experience for students.

Tulane offers its students a strong faculty with significant international experience and training, an outstanding library, and the resources of the Eason-Weinmann Center for Comparative Law, which brings together outstanding legal scholars from various countries and legal systems for seminars and lectures.

## Requirements

Each student's 24 credit hours course of study is at least somewhat dependent upon the background and previous legal education of the individual student and on the student's objectives. For example, US students interested in European legal studies would need exposure to European legal sources and European Community Law. A student from Germany, however, might focus her studies somewhat differently, seeking exposure to common law subjects and to other areas which she would be unlikely to have studied previously. Each student designs his or her course of study with the assistance of a faculty advisor.

### Required Courses for International LLM Students:

Course ID	Title	Credits
4LAW 5600	Intro to Law of the US (for international students only)	1 or 2
4LAW 5910	Legal Reasoning, Research & Writing for LLM Students (for international students only)	2 to 3

### Core International & Comparative Course:

Course ID	Title	Credits
4LAW 5490	International Law-Public	3,4

In addition to fulfilling the General Degree Requirements, all candidates for the LLM in International & Comparative Law are required to enroll in a total of 13 semester hours of international and comparative law courses. All students who have not already taken a public international law course are required to take Public International Law, with the remaining 10 hours of specialized coursework chosen from the following offerings:

Course ID	Title	Credits
3LAW 3370	Comparative Law in Action	1 or 2
4LAW 4360	Civil Law Seminar	2-3
4LAW 4460	Env'L Law:Comparative	3
4LAW 4860	Criminal Law, International	3
4LAW 5030	Env Law-International	3
4LAW 5110	EU: Constitutional Law	1 to 3
4LAW 5200	Foreign Affairs & National Sec	3
4LAW 5450	Int'l Business Transactions	3
4LAW 5470	Int'l Human Rights Law	3
4LAW 5540	Int'l Commercial Arbitration	3
4LAW 5550	Int'l Sale of Goods	3
4LAW 5570	Law of International Institutions	2 or 3
4LAW 5580	Int'l Trade Finance & Banking	3
4LAW 5730	Law of The Sea	3
4LAW 5880	Modern European Legal History	3
4LAW 6110	EU: Energy & Environmental Law	3
4LAW 6270	Compar Private Law	3
4LAW 6290	Products Liability	3
4LAW 6400	Intro Int'l & Comp Energy Law	3
4LAW 6930	World Trade Organization Seminar	2
NCLS 9100	Directed Research (Fedtke, Addis, or Handl)	1-3

Any one-credit mini-courses in international and comparative law



**Program String and Field of Study:** LSLMI\_PR, ILAW

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