JURIS DOCTOR (JD) / AMERICAN UNIVERSITY, WASHINGTON COLLEGE OF LAW OR MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY, COLLEGE OF LAW) - OUTGOING

As a law school accredited by the Canadian Federation of Law Societies, the Common Law Section of the Faculty of Law offers a full range of courses in public law, private law, litigation and dispute resolution, Indigenous law, international law and human rights, technology law, and environmental law, all with numerous opportunities for experiential learning.

This program is offered in English and in French.

Program Requirements

Requirements for this program have been modified. Please consult the 2024-2025 calendars (https://catalogue.uottawa.ca/en/archives/) for the previous requirements.

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CML 1101	Legal Foundations: Research, Strategy, Analysis	1 Unit
CML 1102	Contracts	5 Units
CML 1106	Dispute Resolution and Professional Responsibility	3 Units
CML 1108	Property	5 Units
CML 1307	Law, Reconciliation and Decolonization	3 Units
One option from	om the following:	16 Units
Option 1:		
CML 1103	Criminal Law and Procedure	
CML 1116	Introduction to Public and Constitutional Law	
CML 1207	Torts	
Option 2:		
CML 1107	Torts	
CML 1116	Introduction to Public and Constitutional Law	
CML 1203	Criminal Law and Procedure	
Option 3:		
CML 1103	Criminal Law and Procedure	
CML 1107	Torts	
CML 1206	Introduction to Public and Constitutional Law	
CML 2309	Civil Procedure I	3 Units
CML 2312	Administrative Law	3 Units
CML 2313	Constitutional Law II ²	3 Units
3 course unit	s from:	3 Units
CML 2302	Business Organizations	
	Special Course in Business Law	
3 course units from: ^{3, 4}		3 Units
CML 2101	Appellate Advocacy	

Students must fulfill the oral advocacy requirement by completing one of			
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The course CML 2313 must be completed by the end of the second year.			
	s are followed during the first and second year.		
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Total:		123 Units	
60 course uni (CML)	its recognized for transfer to common law	60 Units	
	te University, College of Law: ^{8, 9}	60 11 1	
American Uni	versity - Washington College of Law or		
15 optional co	ourse units in common law (CML) ⁷	15 Units	
CML 4305	Advocacy Before International Tribunals		
	Advanced Refugee Law		
	Dispute Resolution Practicum		
	Laskin Moot Court		
	Philip C. Jessup International Moot		
	Clinical Legal Aid III ⁵		
	Clinical Legal Aid II ⁵		
	Dispute Resolution in Family Law		
CMI 2200	Intellectual Property Litigation		
CML 3385	International Trade and Investment Law Practicum		
	Collaborative Family Law Practice		
	Corporate Immigration Advocacy		
	Negotiation		
	Interviewing and Counselling		
	Introductory Legal Aid Clinic Course ⁵		
	Labour Law II		
	Eco-Justice Environmental Law Clinic		
	Arnup Cup		
	Criminal Justice Trial Advocacy		
CML 3154	Trial Advocacy		
CML 3142	Intellectual Property Advocacy		
CML 3140	Canadian Corporate/Securities		
CML 3139	WTO/ELSA WTO Law Moot		
CML 3132	Willms and Shier Environmental Law Moot		
CIVIL 3128	Arbitration Competition		
	Wilson Moot Competition Willem C. Vis International Commercial		
OM 0107	"Speaking With Knowledge		
CML 3125	National Aboriginal Law Moot: Kawaskimhon		
CML 3121	Gale Cup Moot		
CML 3120	Moot Court Competition		
CML 3119	Studies in Oral Advocacy		
CML 2321	Alternative Dispute Resolution Processes		
CML 2320	Mediation Theory and Practice		

Students must fulfill the oral advocacy requirement by completing one of the approved courses.

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These courses may not all be offered every year.

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Six credit course. If taken, 27 optional course credits required.

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Nine credit course. If taken, 24 optional course credits required.

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Students must fulfill the major paper requirement.

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These courses are followed during the third and fourth year. Students maintain registration at the University of Ottawa for the duration of their studies, even while attending the partner university.

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Full time enrolment in the JD program, including all compulsory courses and additional requirements as stipulated by the partner university.