JURIS DOCTOR (JD) / MASTER OF ARTS (INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS) - CARLETON UNIVERSITY

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, aboriginal 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

During their 3rd or 4th year of the program, students must register for CML 4203 for a total value of 6 units in order to satisfy the requirements of the Norman Paterson School of International Affairs’ program.

Requirements for this program have been modified. Please consult the 2019-2020 calendars (https://catalogue.uottawa.ca/en/archives/) for the previous requirements.

University of Ottawa - Common Law

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 1109 First-Year Thematic Course: Public International Law 3 Units

One option from 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

45 optional course units in common law (CML) 45 Units

Carleton University - Norman Paterson School of International Affairs

Normal MA first year (required course work, including a half-unit course taught jointly by NPSIA and Common Law) 8

Two half-unit courses from the Norman Paterson School 9

Total: 93 Units

Note(s)

1. These courses are followed during the first, third and fourth year.
2. The course CML 2313 must be completed by the end of the second year.
3. Students must fulfill the oral advocacy requirement by completing one of the approved courses.
4. These courses may not all be offered every year.
5. Six credit course. If taken, 27 optional course credits required.
6. Nine credit course. If taken, 24 optional course credits required.

Students must fulfill the major paper requirement.

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