



UCD Sutherland
School of Law



LLM European Law & Public Affairs (One Year Full Time)

This programme offers a genuinely interdisciplinary approach to European studies, in order to analyse how our understanding of the nature of the EU is shaped by our particular disciplinary perspectives. Students take at least one module in politics to broaden their understanding of the EU.

Leading this analysis and discussion, the faculty members in the UCD Sutherland School of Law have engaged in major research across the disciplines.

Research topics by faculty have included the institutional structure of the EU, to critiques of existing areas of EU law such as competition law and environmental law. This interdisciplinary programme is directed at well-qualified graduates in law, politics and associated disciplines.

Graduate Employability Rankings place UCD **Number 1 in Ireland** and **75th in the World** (QS World University Rankings)

Graduate exchange programme available

The UCD Sutherland School of Law gives its students the opportunity to spend a semester abroad as part of the Comparative, International and European Law (CIEL) graduate exchange programme with our partner Universities.

Why UCD Sutherland School of Law?



Tradition

Established in 1911, the School of Law has over 100 years of teaching & research excellence



Global profile

UCD Sutherland School of Law is ranked in the Top 100 Law Schools in the World



Bespoke Law School

The Sutherland School of Law offers a world-class university experience in a modern, state-of-the-art building



Global community

Over 8,000 international students from 139 countries study at UCD



Global careers

Degrees with high employability; dedicated careers support; Two-year stay-back visa for Non-EU students

Course Content and Structure

90 credits
taught masters

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60 credits
taught modules

+

30 credits
dissertation

Students choose the following two core modules:

- Law and Governance of the EU
- Politics of European Governance

Students choose four of the following optional modules:

- International Tax Law
- International Competition Law
- European Environmental Law
- Immigration and Asylum Law
- Law of the ECHR
- Corporate Governance
- Climate Change Law and Policy

Programme offered in September and January. Please see online for a full list of modules.





Career Opportunities

This programme is designed to enable you to specialise in law, public policy and government. It is an ideal platform from which to pursue a career in the European public service, e.g. European Commission and European Courts of Justice.

Several UCD careers events are held throughout the year, including dedicated law careers fairs which are attended by top employers. For specific careers advice, the UCD Sutherland School of Law has a faculty member responsible for careers.



Graduate Profile

Eduardo Venturin, LLM ELPA Graduate

The qualities and features of the programme ensure that it attracts many international students, giving you the opportunity to learn from the perspective of students from all around the world. The programme is delivered by academics from different fields. This demonstrates the wide range of career options that are available for students to pursue after they graduate. This diverse atmosphere also contributes to the suitability of the programme for students with distinct professional objectives. The modules selected for the programme provide an interdisciplinary learning process and offer varied perspectives on diverse subjects. This integrated environment allows students to analyse the matters being studied from multiple angles, helping us to construct a plural and comprehensive base of knowledge. I recommend the LLM European Law & Public Affairs programme to anyone interested in learning more about the functioning of the EU institutions and the effect of its provisions on national law, applying it in the context of public, private or third sector.

Fees

Fee information at www.ucd.ie/fees

Scholarships

Information on the scholarships on offer to graduate law students can be viewed here:

EU Students:

www.ucd.ie/law/study/scholarships

International students:

www.ucd.ie/international/scholarships

Entry Requirements

- This programme is intended for applicants with a Law degree, or an interdisciplinary degree in which law was a major component. An upper second class honours, or international equivalent is required.
- Applicants holding a Graduate Diploma in Law can be considered.
- Exemption may be given to those with significant, relevant, practical experience or those with a relevant graduate qualification.
- Applicants whose first language is not English must also demonstrate English language proficiency of IELTS 6.5 (no band less than 6.0 and 6.5 or above in reading and writing), or equivalent.

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