



LL.B. BACHELOR OF LAWS (1ST, 2ND ET 3RD YEARS) MAURITIUS

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LLB - Droit

DIPLÔME DÉLIVRÉ: Diplôme d'Université DURÉE DES ÉTUDES: 3 ans / 3 years

MODALITÉS D'ENSEIGNEMENT: Formation initiale

► PRÉSENTATION

About the programme

This LL.B. Bachelor of Laws is offered in Mauritius on the Uniciti Education Hub by Paris-Panthéon Assas-University. This 3-years programme offers a unique blend of Common law, Civil law, Mauritian law and International Law. By emphasizing on core business and international legal issues, it will provide you with an in-depth view of key legal subjects and is undoubtedly a strong basis for any legal career.

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Submission of application form online and required documents to be sent to Paris-Panthéon-Assas University : <u>Submit an application</u>.

► OBJECTIFS

Aims

Launched for the first time in Mauritius in October 2016, this programme is a reflection of the university's willingness to develop its law programmes at the international level.

Created on the model of a French licence (3-years diploma), this LL.B. aims at providing students with a comprehensive training in law. One of the cornerstones of the programme is the consideration of the specifics of the Mauritian legal system as the latter is inspired from both civil and common law. Moreover, while the module titles are often very similar to the ones of the French licence, their content is adapted. In order to maintain coherence and to consider the students' interest, the programme takes into account those Mauritian specifics (the Mauritian civil law is largely drawn from the French law, while the administrative law is derived from English law).

Furthermore, while this programme is mostly geared towards Mauritian students, it also aims at attracting students from the East African and Indian Ocean regions. Hence the inclusion of modules with an international scope, and the use of English (which is also Mauritius' official language) as the medium of instruction for all classes.

In addition, core legal subjects required for any 3-year programme in law are part of the LL.B. curriculum. These include Introduction to Civil Law, Introduction to Public Law, Criminal Law, Business Law, Administrative Law, International Law (Public and Private), Personal & Family Law, Property Law, Law of Contract, Labour Law, Civil





Procedure, Criminal Procedure and Evidence, Revenue Law as well as a number of modules with an international scope.

Last but not least, about 75% of the professors on the programme come from Paris-Panthéon-Assas University's campus in France. The need to maintain a majority of French Faculty is our priority, allowing us to transfer our institution's expertise and to highlight our uniqueness.

► ADMISSION

NIVEAU D'ENTRÉE:

► PROFIL RECOMMANDÉ

Admissions

Admission to the LL.B. programme are to be made by the 20th of September of each year (see Art. 2 of the rules and regulations).

As indicated in the Programme's Rules and Regulations, students eligible to apply are those holding a French Baccalaureate or equivalent level and whose application has been accepted by a commission composed of two Professors from Paris-Panthéon-Assas University.

The following list of documents is required for an application to be reviewed:

- Motivation Letter, which should include: the reasons why you wish to study Law; you future aspirations; extracurricular activities as well as why you chose Paris-Panthéon-Assas University in Mauritius;
- HSC / BAC / IB results (or equivalent) OR Mock results / 1st semester results of Upper 6 / Terminal / Form 7 (or equivalent);

Lower 6 / Classe de première / Form 6 results (or equivalent)

- One Reference Letter (can be Academic or Professional);
- Candidates with more than 3 months' work experience to provide their CV;
- A copy of your National Identity Card or Passport or Birth Certificate;
- Recent passport size photograph to attach to your file.

For candidate eligible for a direct entry in 2^{nd} or 3^{rd} year, the following documents will be required, in addition to the ones above:

- Motivation Letter
- Results from the 1stand/or 2nd year of university

The validation of prior experience can be considered in lieu of the Baccalaureat, to the discretion of a Professors' commission from Paris-Panthéon-Assas University.





► ORGANISATION DE LA FORMATION

Syllabus

The 3-years LL.B. curriculum is organised in 6 semesters. All of the modules are taught in English, and the exams are conducted in English.

Some of the classes or seminars may be taught in French, not exceeding 25% of the number of hours per semester. For these classes, the exams will be conducted in French.

► PROGRAMME

Course structure

YEAR 1

Modules

Semester 1

Legal System 1 | Basic Rules and Principles of Law [+ 15 hours of practicals] - (30h, 6 ECTS)

Legal System 2 | Legal Sources and Reasoning [+ 15 hours of practicals] - (30h, 6 ECTS)

Legal System 3 | Historical Foundations of Legal and Political Systems- (30h, 5 ECTS)

Legal System 4 | Comparative Legal and Judicial Systems - (30h, 5 ECTS)

Public Law 1 | Comparative Constitutional Law (30h, 5 ECTS)

Legal Research, Skills and Methods (15h, 3 ECTS)

Semester 2

Property Law [+ 15 hours of practicals]- (30h, 6 ECTS)

Personal and Family Law [+ 15 hours of practicals]- (30h, 6 ECTS)

International Affairs - (30h, 5 ECTS)

Legal System 5 | English Legal System - (30h, 5 ECTS)

Public Law 2 | Mauritian Constitutional Law (30h, 5 ECTS)

Legal Research, Skills and Methods (15h, 3 ECTS)

YEAR 2

Modules

Semester 1

Criminal Law 1 | Foundations of Criminal Law [+ 15 hours of practicals] (30h, 6 ECTS)

Public Law 3 | Administrative Law (30h, 6 ECTS)

Global Economic Law (30h, 6 ECTS)

Public International Law (30h, 6 ECTS)

Stream 1

Law of Contract [+ 15 hours of practicals] (30h, 6 ECTS)

Stream 2

Law of Obligations [+ 15 hours of practicals] (30h, 6 ECTS)

Semester 2

Labour and Industrial Relations Law [+ 15 hours of practicals] (30h, 6 ECTS)





International and Regional Organizations (30h, 6 ECTS)

Criminal Law 2 | Criminology and Criminal Procedure (30h, 6 ECTS)

Stream 1

Law of Tort [+ 15 hours of practicals] (30h, 6 ECTS)

Commercial Law - (30h, 6 ECTS)

Stream 2

Law of International Trade [+ 15 hours of practicals] (30h, 6 ECTS)

Business Law (30h, 6 ECTS)

YEAR 3

Modules

Semester 1

Intellectual Property Law - (30h, 6 ECTS)

Private International Law - (30h, 56ECTS)

Law of Evidence [+ 15 hours of practicals] (30h, 6 ECTS)

Taxation Law (30h, 6 ECTS)

Stream 1

Civil Procedure [+ 15 hours of practicals] (30h, 6 ECTS)

Stream 2

European Union Law [+ 15 hours of practicals] (30h, 6 ECTS)

Semester 2

Commercial and International Arbitration [+ 15 hours of practicals] (30h, 6 ECTS)

Company Law [+ 15 hours of practicals] (30h, 6 ECTS)

International Human Rights Law (30h, 5 ECTS)

Technology and Law (30h, 5 ECTS)

Communication Skills for Lawyers / Moot Court (30h, 3 ECTS)

Dissertation - (5 ECTS)

In Years 2 and 3, students will be asked to elect between Stream 1 or Stream 2 modules. All students who wish to apply for admission to the Vocational Courses conducted by the Council for Vocational and Legal Education SHOULD elect for Stream 1.

► POURSUITES D'ÉTUDES

Further studies

Based on the modules covered during the 3-years, a student holder of the LL.B. Bachelor in Laws should be able to pursue his/her studies or career:

- in Mauritius:
- in France, and especially in Paris-Panthéon-Assas University (provided that the student's level allows it, based on his/her results);
- in the United Kingdom.





► CONTACT

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- Academic Dean of LL.B. : Anthony MERGEY, professor

► PLUS D'INFORMATIONS

http://www.assas-universite.fr/en/courses/programs-taught-english/llb-bachelor-laws-1st-2nd-et-3rd-years-mauritius

► INTERNATIONAL CAMPUSES

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Mauritius

Paris

Singapore