

**At Louvain-la-Neuve - 60 credits - 1 year - Day schedule - In French**Dissertation/Graduation Project : **YES** - Internship : **NO**Activities in English: **YES** - Activities in other languages : **NO**Activities on other sites : **optional**Main study domain : **Sciences juridiques**Organized by: **Faculty of Law and Criminology (DRT)**Programme acronym: **DRIN2MC** - Francophone Certification Framework: 7**Table of contents**

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## DRIN2MC - Introduction

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## DRIN2MC - Teaching profile

### Learning outcomes

The Advanced Master in international law is designed to provide students who have completed their studies in law with a specialized high level training in international law, covering both international public law as well as international private law. In line with the tradition established for many years at Louvain, this specialized training in international law is also firmly anchored in European law.

### Programme structure

The Advanced Master in international law is a programme lasting one academic year (60 credits) made up of three main groups of activities : seven compulsory courses (35 credits), two optional subjects chosen from a wide range of option courses (10 credits) and a final assignment done in the context of a special seminar on international law and lectures on current issues (15 credits). These sessions, as well as certain other compulsory courses and some optional subjects, are reserved for students taking the Advanced Master.

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## DRIN2MC Detailed programme

### Programme by subject

#### CORE COURSES

○ Mandatory

△ Courses not taught during 2020-2021

⊕ Periodic courses taught during 2020-2021

⊗ Optional

⊖ Periodic courses not taught during 2020-2021

■ Activity with requisites

Click on the course title to see detailed informations (objectives, methods, evaluation...)

#### ⊗ Filière Public International Law - tout en anglais - partiellement à distance

Possibility to add value (until 20 ects) the following lessons available on edX: - International Investment Law - International Law - International Human Rights Law - International Humanitarian Law - Asylum and Refugee Law

##### ○ Tronc commun

○ LDROI2103	Public International Law	Pierre d'Argent	60h	6 Credits	q1
○ LDREU2211	International Investment Law	Yannick Radi	30h	5 Credits	q1
○ LDROP2091	International Protection of Human Rights	Olivier De Schutter	30h	5 Credits	q2
○ LDROP2162	International Humanitarian Law	Jérôme De Hemptinne Raphael Van Steenberghe	30h	5 Credits	q2
○ LDRIN2001	Theory and History of International Law	Yannick Radi	15h	5 Credits	q1
○ LDRIN2200	Master Thesis			15 Credits	q1+q2
○ LDRHO3406M	Asylum and Refugee Law - Asylum and Refugee Law - MOOC	Jean-Yves Carlier Luc Leboeuf		4 Credits	q2

##### ○ Cours aux choix

⌘ LDROP2182	International Organizations, Peace and Security	Yannick Radi	30h	5 Credits	q2
⌘ LDRIN2002	International, Diplomatic, Consular and Immunities Law	Frédéric Dopagne	30h	5 Credits	q1
⌘ LDROP2161	International Law of the Sea and of the Environment	Philippe Gautier	30h	5 Credits	q2
⌘ LDROP2184	International Disputes Settlement	Pierre d'Argent Philippe Gautier	30h	5 Credits	q2

### ⌘ Filière Public International Law - tout en anglais - sur campus

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#### ○ Cours au choix

⌘ LDROP2091	International Protection of Human Rights	Olivier De Schutter	30h	5 Credits	q2
⌘ LDROP2093	Leading cases of the European Court of Human Rights	Johan Callewaert	30h	5 Credits	q2

### ⌘ Filière Droit international Privé - partiellement en anglais - sur campus

#### ○ Cours obligatoires

○ LDRIN2001	Theory and History of International Law	Yannick Radi	15h	5 Credits	q1
○ LDRIN2002	International, Diplomatic, Consular and Immunities Law	Frédéric Dopagne	30h	5 Credits	q1
○ LDREU2211	International Investment Law	Yannick Radi	30h	5 Credits	q1
○ LDROI2102	Private international law	Jean-Yves Cartier Marie Dechamps (compensates Stéphanie Francq)	60h	5 Credits	q1
○ LDROP2171	European Judicial Law	Eduardo Alvarez Armas (compensates Stéphanie Francq)	30h	5 Credits	q2
○ LDROP2172	Droit international privé et droits fondamentaux	Sylvie Sarolea	30h	5 Credits	q2
○ LDROP2173	Private International Law	Christine Flamand (compensates Stéphanie Francq) Sylvie Sarolea	30h	5 Credits	q2
○ LDRIN2200	Master Thesis			15 Credits	q1+q2

#### ○ Cours au choix

⌘ LDROP2041	International Business Agreements	Denis Philippe	30h	5 Credits	q2
⌘ LDROP2043	Alternative Methods of Settlement of Commercial Disputes	Jean-François Tossens	30h	5 Credits	q2
⌘ LDROP2091	International Protection of Human Rights	Olivier De Schutter	30h	5 Credits	q2
⌘ LDROP2093	Leading cases of the European Court of Human Rights	Johan Callewaert	30h	5 Credits	q2
⌘ LDRHO3406	Asylum and Refugee Law	Jean-Yves Cartier Luc Leboeuf	30h	5 Credits	q2



## The programme's courses and learning outcomes

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For each UCLouvain training programme, a [reference framework of learning outcomes](#) specifies the competences expected of every graduate on completion of the programme. You can see the contribution of each teaching unit to the programme's reference framework of learning outcomes in the document *"In which teaching units are the competences and learning outcomes in the programme's reference framework developed and mastered by the student?"*

## DRIN2MC - Information

### Access Requirements

*In the event of the divergence between the different linguistic versions of the present conditions, the French version shall prevail.  
Decree of 7 November 2013 defining the landscape of higher education and the academic organization of studies.  
The admission requirements must be met prior to enrolment in the University.*

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#### SUMMARY

- [General access requirements](#)
- [Specific access requirements](#)

### General access requirements

Subject to the general requirements laid down by the academic authorities, admission to the specialized Master's degree programme will be granted to students who fulfil the entry requirements for studies leading to the award of a Master's (second-cycle) degree and who hold a second-cycle diploma, degree, certificate or other qualification issued within or outside the French Community of Belgium, or whose prior learning or experience has been accredited by the Examination Board as being equivalent to at least 300 credits.

### Specific access requirements

#### Specific Admission Requirements

The special admission conditions for this programme are as follows :

Students should preferably have gained a Master's degree in Law, or a foreign degree in law which is considered equivalent, with a high grade. However the Master in International Law is not only reserved for lawyers ; students who have a Master's degree in international relations or political science or any other degree considered to be equivalent with basic courses in law (international) may join the programme if they have gained a high grade for their degree.

Application forms should be submitted in the usual way, with the necessary documents; they are considered by the President and the Secretary of the Advanced Master panel. Students who satisfy academic entry requirements are informed by email straight away.

#### Accessible to adults

As far as possible, the courses for the Advanced Master are grouped together over several weekdays, to make it possible for mature students to attend. In the past, students with professional responsibilities such as lawyers, diplomats serving in Brussels and European officials, have been allowed to stagger their courses: this will continue according to criteria set by the university.

## Teaching method

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A certain number of courses (prefixed MCEU) are specific to the Advanced Master in International Law and the Advanced Master in European law: this gives added reinforcement to the way in which international and European subjects are brought together. This is a long established Louvain tradition.

The final assignment consists of a special seminar on international law throughout the academic year for 2 hours per week starting from the 7th week of classes, as well as a series of lectures on current issues.

The specialized seminar consists of interactive sessions in which students are required to make presentations on specialized points of international public and private law. It mainly deals with recent jurisprudence and other legal documents which students are required to comment on. Each student is assigned different presentations based on the reading that all students have to do. The final written assignment is an overview of these presentations and a critical dissertation relating to the lectures on current issues.

Experience shows that this way of working is more helpful and effective for students, particularly those from foreign countries, than the solitary production of a traditional 'dissertation', possibly in another language.

## Evaluation

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**The evaluation methods comply with the regulations concerning studies and exams (<https://uclouvain.be/fr/decouvrir/rgee.html>). More detailed explanation of the modalities specific to each learning unit are available on their description sheets under the heading "Learning outcomes evaluation method".**

The final assessment is continuously assessed ; there is also an assessment of the written overview and the dissertation. Apart from this, assessment is through written or oral examinations.

## Mobility and/or Internationalisation outlook

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The nature of the programme makes it attractive to foreign students; a large majority of students from foreign universities usually attend.

## Possible trainings at the end of the programme

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Le Master complémentaire en droit international s'inscrit dans la suite du Master en droit, il est accessible aux titulaires d'une formation en sciences juridiques ou d'une autre formation au contenu juridique marqué.

## Contacts

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### Curriculum Management

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Denomination

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- Frédéric Dopagne
- Raphael Van Steenberghe



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