UCLouvain

MLEG2MC

2023 - 2024

Advanced Master in Forensic Medicine

At Bruxelles Woluwe - 300 credits - 5 years - Day schedule - In French
Dissertation/Graduation Project : **YES** - Internship : **YES**
Activities in English: **NO** - Activities in other languages : **NO**
Activities on other sites : **NO**
Main study domain : **Sciences médicales**
Organized by: **Faculty of Medicine and Dentistry (MEDE)**
Programme acronym: **MLEG2MC** - Francophone Certification Framework: 7

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MLEG2MC - Introduction

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MLEG2MC - Teaching profile

Learning outcomes

This complementary master's programme aims to prepare doctors to become officially recognised holders of the specific professional title of Specialist Doctor in Legal Medecine (Ministerial Decree of 27.02.2002, published on 11.07.2002).

Programme structure

Length of training programme

The full-time training course lasts at least five years and includes theoretical courses on expertise medecine, a full-time practical training period on pathological anatomy lasting at least 18 months and a practical training period of in legal medecine equivalent to a full-time training course of at least 30 months. The apprenticeship project established by the university promoter must be approved by the ministerialvalidation committee for the speciality. These periods of practical training include being on call.

Organisation of the course

Pathological Anatomy

It is recommended to begin the course by means of a practical training period as a specialist assistant clinician doctor candidate in pathological anatomy, equivalent to a full-time training programme of at least 18 months in one or several recognised practical training services, in conformity with the Ministerial Decree of 26th April 1982 which fixes special recognition criteria for specialist doctors, work experience supervisors and services for the specialisation of pathological anatomy. The

recommended length of this training course in pathological anatomy is from 2 to 3 years.

Legal Medecine

The training programme in Legal Medecine is equivalent to at least 30 months full-time training in one or several recognised practical training centres, in conformity with article 3, and includes, among others, a specific training course on legal clinical medecine, thanatology, toxicology, juridical criminology, penal law and analytical techniques in exploring biological traces. This training programme in Legal Medecine may be followed by a "MACCS" in pathological anatomy during the third year of studies.

Expertise Medecine

The theoretical training in expertise medecine is organised in the form of a university certificate in Expertise Medecine and medicine insurance, equivalent to a full-time training programme of at least 12 months, including a course on responsibility rights, expertise procedure, sequelar propaudeutics within the different medical specialities and the evaluation of corporal damage.

MLEG2MC Programme

Detailed programme by subject

CORE COURSES [300.0]

- Mandatory
- Optional
- Not offered in 2023-2024
- Not offered in 2023-2024 but offered the following year
- Offered in 2023-2024 but not the following year
- Not offered in 2023-2024 or the following year
- Activity with requisites
- Open to incoming exchange students
- Not open to incoming exchange students
- [FR] Teaching language (FR, EN, ES, NL, DE, ...)

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

Premier bloc annuel (Formation universitaire spécifique - FUS) (60 credits)

				Year 1	2	3	4	5
WANAP2301	Compléments d'anatomie pathologique 1re année	Christine Galant (coord.)	FR [q2] [60h] [6 Credits]	x				
WANAP2321	Séminaires d'anatomie pathologique 1re année (U ou IU)	Christine Galant (coord.)	FR [q2] [60h] [6 Credits]	x				
WANAP2381	Stages en laboratoire d'anatomie pathologique 1re année, 1re partie		FR [q1+q2] [] [30 Credits]	x				
WANAP2391	Stages cliniques d'anatomie pathologique 1re année, 2e partie		FR [q3] [] [18 Credits]	x				

Deuxième bloc annuel (Formation universitaire spécifique - FUS) (60 credits)

WANAP2302	Compléments d'anatomie pathologique 2e année	Christine Galant (coord.)	FR [q2] [60h] [6 Credits]		x			
WANAP2322	Séminaires d'anatomie pathologique 2e année (U ou IU)	Christine Galant (coord.)	FR [q2] [60h] [6 Credits]		x			
WANAP2382	Stages en laboratoire d'anatomie pathologique 2e année, 1re partie		FR [q1+q2] [] [30 Credits]		x			
WMLEG2382	Stages cliniques de médecine légale 2e année		FR [q1+q2] [] [18 Credits]		x			

Troisième bloc annuel (60 credits)

WSBIM2246	Human toxicology	Caroline Dahlqvist Bénédicte Delire Laure Elens (coord.) Antoine Froidure Sophie Gohy Ludovic Gérard Marie-Cécile Nassogne Alexis Wérion	FR [q2] [52.5h] [6 Credits]			x		
LECRI1504	Elements of Criminal Law and Criminal Procedure	Jean-Marc Hausman Christelle Macq	FR [q1] [60h] [6 Credits]			x		
WMLEG2303	Expertise judiciaire (formation de base) *Pour réaliser cette activité, le candidat suit le Certificat interuniversitaire (UCL/UNamur/USaint-Louis) : Expertise judiciaire : formation de base (https://uclouvain.be/prog-2018-exju2fc)*		FR [q2] [] [10 Credits]			x		
WMLEG2383	Stages cliniques de médecine légale 3e année		FR [q1+q2] [] [30 Credits]			x		
WMLEG2313	Questions spéciales de médecine légale 3e année	Grégory Schmit (coord.)	FR [q2] [] [8 Credits]			x		

Quatrième bloc annuel (60 credits)

WSBIM2159	Forensic approach: forensic pathology in toxicology	Grégory Schmit (coord.) Jessica Vanhaebost	FR [q1] [30h] [3 Credits]				x	
WMLEG2314	Questions spéciales de médecine légale 4e année	Grégory Schmit (coord.)	FR [q2] [] [11 Credits]				x	
WMLEG2304	Expertise médicale et médecine d'assurance (module 1 et 2) *Pour réaliser cette activité, le candidat suit le Certificat d'université : Expertise médicale et médecine d'assurance (https://uclouvain.be/prog-2018-exme2fc)*		FR [q2] [] [16 Credits]				x	
WMLEG2384	Stages cliniques en médecine légale 4e année		FR [q2] [] [30 Credits]				x	

Cinquième bloc annuel (60 credits)

WMLEG2315	Questions spéciales de médecine légale 5e année	Grégory Schmit (coord.)	FR [q2] [] [7 Credits]					x
WMLEG2305	Expertise médicale et médecine d'assurance (module 3) *Pour réaliser cette activité, le candidat suit le Certificat d'université : Expertise médicale et médecine d'assurance (https://uclouvain.be/prog-2018-exme2fc)*		FR [q2] [] [8 Credits]					x
WMLEG2385	Stages cliniques de médecine légale 5e année		FR [q1+q2] [] [30 Credits]					x
WMLEG2375	Mémoire de médecine légale (publication)		FR [q2] [] [15 Credits]					x

The programme's courses and learning outcomes

For each UCLouvain training programme, a reference framework of learning outcomes specifies the the skills expected of every graduate on completion of the programme. Course unit descriptions specify targeted learning outcomes, as well as the unit's contribution to reference framework of learning outcomes.

MLEG2MC - 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.

Unless explicitly mentioned, the bachelor's, master's and licentiate degrees listed on this page are to be understood as those issued by an institution of the French, Flemish or German-speaking Community, or by the Royal Military Academy.

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SUMMARY

• General access requirements
• Specific access requirements

General access requirements

Translated from https://www.gallilex.cfwb.be/fr/leg_res_01.php?ncda=39681&referant=l02

Art. 112. of the "Décret définissant le paysage de l'enseignement supérieur et l'organisation académique des études" :

§ 1. In accordance with the general requirements established by the academic authorities, students who have:

1. a master's degree;

2. an academic degree similar to the one mentioned in the preceding paragraph awarded by a higher education institution in the Flemish Community or the German-speaking Community, or by the Royal Military Academy, by virtue of a decision of the academic authorities and in accordance with any additional requirements they may establish;

3. a foreign academic degree recognised as equivalent to those mentioned in paragraphs 1 and 2 pursuant to this decree, a European directive, an international convention or other legislation, in accordance with the same requirements.

The additional admission requirements referred to in paragraph 2 are intended to ensure that the student has acquired the knowledge and skills required for the studies in question. When the additional admission requirements consist of one or more additional course units, these may not represent more than 60 additional credits for the student, taking into account all the credits that he or she may otherwise use for admission. These course units are part of the student's study programme.

§ 2. In accordance with the general requirements established by the academic authorities, a student who holds a title, diploma, degree or certificate of higher education, in the French Community or outside it, which does not grant him or her eligibility for admission to a specialised master's course by virtue of the preceding paragraph, may nevertheless be admitted by the jury of the course in question, in accordance with the additional requirements that it establishes, if the totality of the higher education that he or she has completed or the expertise that he or she has acquired is valued by the jury to be at least 240 credits.

§ 3. By way of derogation from these general requirements, the academic authorities may also admit to a specialised master's course holders of a title, diploma, degree or certificate awarded outside the French Community which, in that system of origin, grants direct eligibility for postgraduate studies, even if the studies sanctioned by these credentials are not organised into distinct degree courses or within a time period of at least five years.

Specific access requirements

Specific Admission Requirements

Admission conditions

• The applicant must hold the degree title of Doctor in Medecine or be a Doctor from a member country of the European Union authorising medical practice in Belgium.

• The applicant must be in possession of a document attesting that, at the end of the selection exams, he was retained as a specialist candidate in Legal Medecine, in a Belgian medical faculty.

The juridical context and practical procedures regarding these selection tests can be obtained from the secretary's office. Degree holders from outside the European Union are only allowed to register on the programme in the context of procuring a university certificate for partially specialised training for the duration of two years (if they are in the process of doing a specialisation in their country of origin) or for an in-depth specialised training course for the duration of one year (if they are already recognised as specialists in their own country).

The Royal Decree of the 30.05.2002, relating to the planning of the medical offer for the public, published on 14.06.2002, does not apply to those candidates wishing to obtain the title of specialist doctor in Legal Medecine (those candidates are thus not counted among the generalist or specialist candidates in the context of the numerus clausus).

Admission procedures

Applications for admission must be addressed to the academic supervisor. The organisation of the entrance selection tests is arranged in accordance with the calendar and the general examination rules and regulations.

Specific professional rules

These studies lead to a professional title subject to specific rules or restrictions on professional accreditation or establishment.

You will find the necessary legal information by clicking here.

Evaluation

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".

Further to the application of the Royal Decree of 16 March, 1999, at the end of the first two years of training, the candidate will receive an attestation proving that he has successfully accomplished a specific university training course. Upon fulfilment of the above-described training requirements, the teaching committee will award the academic title in Legal Medecine.

This title does not replace official recognition by the ministerial validation committee. It attests the successful completion of an academic and scientific study programme in the context of specialised training leading to this validation. The university certificate in medical expertise is awarded to candidates who have succeeded in their theoretical studies, participated in the seminars and the practical work experience periods and successfully defended a thesis. It can constitute a

specific form of training, independent of the recognition as a specialist doctor in Legal Medecine.

Contacts

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