



Higher Degree Programmes

FACULTY OF LAW



LEUPHANA
UNIVERSITÄT LÜNEBURG

UWI-Leuphana Double LLM Corporate and Commercial Law and International Economic Law

Where an eligible candidate wishes to pursue a double LLM degree from The University of the West Indies and from the University of Leuphana (Germany), with particular interest in international commercial and economic law, he or she can opt for the UWI-Leuphana Double LLM Degree.

DOUBLE LL.M DEGREE FROM THE UWI AND THE UNIVERSITY OF LEUPHANA (GERMANY)

The UWI-Leuphana Double LL.M Degree specialising in international economic law is a minimum 12-month degree programme, starting with two semesters at The University of the West Indies, followed by a semester and research paper at the Leuphana University of Lüneburg in Germany.

The programme allows students to specialise in several advanced areas of law from a Caribbean perspective while at UWI, followed by advanced courses in international economic law at the Leuphana University of Lüneburg in Germany.

Entry Requirements

The following persons are eligible to apply for admission into the UWI-Leuphana Double LL.M Degree programme:

- Graduates of The University of the West Indies holding the LL.B degree;
- Graduates of The University of the West Indies or of an approved university holding a degree that includes such law subjects as shall satisfy the Board for Graduate Studies and Research;
- Graduates of The University of the West Indies, or of an approved university, who have obtained a professional legal qualification and are eligible for admission to practise in any part of the Commonwealth;
- Persons who, having obtained a professional legal qualification, are admitted to practise in any part of the Commonwealth, and who have also been certified as being in practice for a minimum of five years; and
- Graduates of The University of the West Indies or of an approved university, who satisfy the Board for Graduate Studies and Research of their capability to undertake the course of study leading to the award of a UWI LL.M degree.

The suitability of applicants to the UWI-Leuphana Double LL.M Degree programme will be determined in accordance with the above criteria, through examining their academic and practical experiences. Letters of reference will also be used to determine suitability.

Students with a third class or pass degree will not normally be admitted to read for the UWI-Leuphana Double LL.M.

Language of Instruction

The language of instruction is English for courses offered by both UWI and the Leuphana University. Applicants whose native language is not English may be required to take an English proficiency test set on behalf of the Board for Graduate Studies and Research.

Method of Delivery

The courses for the UWI-Leuphana Double LL.M Degree will be delivered through blended learning, including face-to-face instruction and modern distance learning techniques. Any UWI LL.M course taught by staff from one campus of UWI will be available through e-Learning and/or distance learning modalities to registrants from the other two campuses that offer the programme.

Time of Entry

Students must begin the UWI-Leuphana Double LL.M Degree in Semester 1.

Duration

- A student will be required to complete the courses within a single academic year as follows:
 - *Semester I (UWI)* – August-December
 - *Semester II (UWI)* – January-March/April
 - Assessments will be completed before the start of teaching in Semester II of the Leuphana University programme;
 - *Semester II & summer* (Leuphana University) – April-August
 - A Leuphana University dissertation is completed over summer.

Duration *cont'd*

- A student will be required to read for a minimum of two (2) courses and a maximum of four (4) courses in any one semester.
- The summer period has been designated as a teaching session for the purposes of the UWI-Leuphana Double LLM Degree.

Programme Structure / Course of Study

UWI LLM

Candidates for the UWI-Leuphana Double LLM Degree must complete 36 credit hours of the designated course of study at UWI, comprising six (6) courses of six (6) credits each, in Semesters I and II of the UWI academic calendar. Students can select from any courses offered in the UWI LLM programme except Supervised Legislative Drafting Internship.

Students unable to complete the full UWI portion of the UWI-Leuphana Double LLM Degree are eligible to receive a Postgraduate Diploma in Law from UWI upon successful completion of four (4) courses, of six (6) credits each.

Leuphana LLM

The UWI students pursuing the UWI-Leuphana Double LLM Degree must complete – in addition to two semesters at UWI – Term II of the International Economic Law (LLM) programme at Leuphana University, Lüneburg, Germany, *and* a dissertation.

Semester II (April-August) in Lüneburg

- International Economic Law (10 ECTS)*
- European Economic Law (10 ECTS)
- European Private Law (10 ECTS)

Dissertation (June-August)

The UWI/ Leuphana University

- Master's Dissertation (equivalent to 20 ECTS)

**The European Credit Transfer System is used to relate university workloads to a common value.*

Cost

Information regarding fees (programme fee, ID card fee & UWI registration fee) for Barbadian and non-national applicants can be found at: www.cavehill.uwi.edu/studentfinancing/home.aspx.

Please note that fees are subject to change.

UWI Courses

Note that not all courses may be offered every year.

- Banking Law
- E-Commerce Law
- Comparative Labour Law in a Corporate Environment
- Advanced Public International Law
- Caribbean Business and Public International Law
- Advanced Public International Trade Law
- Company Law Theory in Modern Commerce
- Legal Aspects of Corporate Misconduct
- Advanced Insurance Law
- Law of Corporate Governance
- Advanced Corporate Finance
- Offshore Financial Law
- Competition Law in a Global Economy
- Advanced Intellectual Property Law
- Advanced Corporate Insolvency Law
- Advanced International Environmental Law
- Advanced Caribbean Integration Law
- Public Law I – Advanced Constitutional Law
- Public Law II – Advanced Administrative Law
- Advanced International Human Rights Law
- The Management of Intellectual Property Assets
- Copyright Law (The Protection of Creative Assets)
- Trade Mark Law (The Protection of Marketing Assets)
- Patent Law (The Protection of Technology Assets)
- International Intellectual Property Law
- International Trade and Intellectual Property Law

Leuphana University Courses

- International Economic Law
- European Economic Law
- European Private Law
- Master's Dissertation

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HIGHER DEGREE PROGRAMMES

FACULTY OF CULTURE, CREATIVE AND PERFORMING ARTS

MA in Creative Arts

MA in Cultural Studies

MPhil/PhD Cultural Studies

PGDip Cultural Studies

MA/MPhil/PhD degree in Cultural Studies
Practice-based assessment

FACULTY OF HUMANITIES & EDUCATION

MA Caribbean Studies: Literature

MA Global African Studies

MPhil/PhD •French •Spanish •Linguistics

MA Heritage Studies

MA History

MA Linguistics

MA Reparatory Justice
(Joint with University of Glasgow)

MPhil/PhD Literatures in English

School of Education

MEd/PGDip Education (Secondary)

MPhil/PhD Philosophy

Codrington College

MA Theology

FACULTY OF LAW

LLM (Master of Law)/PGDip
with specialisations in: •Corporate and
Commercial Law •Intellectual Property
•Legislative Drafting & Public Law

LLM (UWI–Leuphana double LLM)

International Economic Law

MPhil/PhD Law

FACULTY OF MEDICAL SCIENCES

DM (Doctor of Medicine)

•Accident and Emergency Medicine

•Anaesthetics and Intensive Care

•Emergency Medicine

PGDip/DM •Family Medicine •General

Surgery •Internal Medicine •Obstetrics

and Gynaecology •Ophthalmology

•Paediatrics •Psychiatry

MPhil/PhD •Epidemiology •Immunology

•Medical Microbiology •Public Health

MSc Nursing: •Education •Administration

PGDip Paediatric Nursing

MPhil/PhD Pharmacology

MPH Public Health

UWI-PAHO Certificate and PGDip
Health Policy and Health Systems

FACULTY OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

MPhil/PhD •Biochemistry •Biology

•Chemistry •Ecology

MPhil/PhD •Computer Science

•Electronics •Mathematics •Physics

MPhil/PhD Environmental Studies

MSc Biosafety

MSc Information Technology

MSc/PGDip Technology Entrepreneurship

Centre for Resource Management and Environmental Studies

MSc Natural Resource and Environmental
Management

MPhil/PhD Natural Resource Management

MSc Renewable Energy Management

FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

MSc Applied Psychology

MSc Banking and Finance

MSc Building and Construction
Management

MSc Counselling Psychology

MSc E-Governance in Developing States

MSc Financial and Business Economics

MPhil/PhD •Economics •Governance

& Public Policy •Economic Development

Policy •Social Policy; Political Science

•Social Work •Sociology

MSc Integration Studies

MSc International Management

MSc Logistics and Supply Chain
Management

MSc Sociology

PGDip Substance Abuse Management

MSc Tourism and Events Management

MSc Tourism and Hospitality Management

MSc Tourism Marketing

MSc Tourism with Project Management

MSc Tourism and Sport Management

MSW Social Work with concentration

Cave Hill School of Business and Management

MSc Accounting and Finance

(ACCA Embedded)

International Master in Business
Administration (IMBA)

Doctorate in Business Administration

MSc Business Analytics
with specialisations

MSc/MPhil/PhD Finance

MSc Finance and Investments

MSc Human Resource Management

MSc International Business

MSc International Business and Finance

MSc International Business and Trade

MSc Investments and Wealth Management

MSc Labour and Employment Relations

Masters of Law & Executive Masters in

Business Administration (LLM-MBA)

Executive Diploma in Management (EDM)

MPhil/PhD Management Studies

Masters in Business Administration

with concentrations

MSc Management

MSc Management Information Systems

MSc Marketing

MSc Project Management

with specialisations

PGDip Public Sector Management

The Sir Arthur Lewis Institute of Social and Economic Studies

MPhil/PhD Development Studies with

specialisations •Social Policy •Economic

Development Policy •Governance and

Public Policy

Shridath Ramphal Centre for International Trade Law, Policy & Services

MSc International Trade Policy

Institute for Gender and Development Studies: Nita Barrow Unit

MSc/PGDip Gender and

Development Studies

MPhil/PhD Gender and

Development Studies

FACULTY OF SPORT Academy of Sport

MSc Sport Sciences



The UWI offers even more MPhil and PhD programmes. Information on these as well as our application process, online application forms, and the documentation required can be found at:

www.cavehill.uwi.edu/gradstudies