



LL.M. and Postgraduate Diploma Intellectual Property Law

Course of Study

LL.M.

Candidates for the UWI LLM Degree (Intellectual Property Law) must complete **thirty-six (36)** credit hours of the designated course of study comprised of **six (6)** courses of **six (6)** credits each.

Four (4) courses must be selected from the prescribed list of courses below. The remaining **two (2)** courses can be selected from any courses offered in the UWI LLM programme.

With the permission of the Faculty, candidates may substitute a Research Paper on a topic in Intellectual Property Law for one six (6) credit course. Students must apply for approval to register in **Law 6900 Research Paper** before the end of the second semester or second teaching session from the commencement of the program by the student.

The Research Paper **must** be completed at the end of the semester following the candidate's second semester or second teaching session from date of registration in the course, whether or not the candidate has completed final written examinations for his or her courses.

Failure to complete the Research Paper within the time allotted will result in the award of a Postgraduate Diploma.

Postgraduate Diploma

Candidates for the UWI Postgraduate Diploma (Intellectual Property Law) must complete **twenty-four (24)** credit hours of the designated course of study comprised of **four (4)** courses of **six (6)** credits each.

Three (3) must be selected from the prescribed list of courses below. The remaining course can be selected from any courses offered in the UWI LLM programme.

Duration

A student designated as a 'full time student' will be required to complete the courses within a single academic year. A full time student will be required to read for a **minimum** of **two (2)** courses and a maximum of **four (4)** courses in any one semester. A student designated as a 'part time student' will be required to read for a **minimum** of **one (1)** course or a **maximum** of **two (2)** courses per semester.

The summer period of the UWI has been designated as a teaching session for purposes of the UWI LLM degree and Postgraduate Diploma (Intellectual Property Law).

Students unable to complete the full UWI LLM (Intellectual Property Law) are eligible to receive a Postgraduate Diploma (Intellectual Property Law) upon successful completion of **four** courses, of **six** credits each.

LIST OF COURSES

- **LAW 6200** The Management of Intellectual Property Assets
- **LAW 6201** Copyright Law (The Protection of Creative Assets)
- **LAW 6202** Trade Mark Law (The Protection of Marketing Assets)
- **LAW 6203** Patent Law (The Protection of Technology Assets)
- **LAW 6204** International Intellectual Property Law
- **LAW 6205** International Trade and Intellectual Property Law

Note that all courses may not be offered every year .