

LL.M. in European Law

— PARIS —

The courses are taught by a genuinely European team of highly qualified professors bringing together Paris-Panthéon-Assas University and renown specialists from other European Member States.

The subject areas give students the opportunity to acquire a comprehensive understanding of European Law in most areas that fall within the competence of the European Union.



Dual Expertise

The program is taught by Paris-Panthéon Assas academics and invited professors with highly regarded international reputations



Worldwide Recognition

Awarded by Paris-Panthéon-Assas University, France's first law university



Taught in English

All classes within the LL.M. program are taught in English



Career Opportunities

Students are equipped with a diverse set of skills and knowledge of several legal systems

CURRICULUM – 288 HOURS OF TEACHING –

Academic Calendar: The program lasts one full academic year (from early September to early May) and includes a winter break around the Christmas holidays and a spring break around March or April.

Program structure: The Master in European Law consists of 11 seminars of 24h each, and 2 seminars of 12h each (288 hours of instruction in total):

- ▶ The Institutional and Decision-making Structure of the European Union
- ▶ History of the European idea
- ▶ The Internal Market - Four Freedoms
- ▶ Competition Law
- ▶ Company Law and Financial Markets
- ▶ Private International Law and Commercial Dispute Resolution
- ▶ Labor Law
- ▶ Intellectual Property Law
- ▶ External Relations
- ▶ Consumer Law
- ▶ Human Rights
- ▶ Environmental Law
- ▶ Privacy and Data Protection Law

All classes are conducted in English. Students also have the opportunity to take French language classes if they wish to enhance their knowledge of French.



Emmanuelle CHEVREAU
Co-director of the LL.M.
Professor of Law



Idris FASSASSI
Co-director of the LL.M.
Professor of Law

WHY STUDY EU LAW?

"EU law is a fascinating area of the law. For any student who wants to become a lawyer practicing in Europe, the knowledge of EU law has become as essential as the knowledge of domestic law. Moreover, as the EU is continuously expanding and deepening economic exchange and cross-border legal relationships with the rest of the world, also non-member States of the EU increasingly need lawyers with high expertise in EU law."

WHY STUDY AT PARIS-PANTHÉON-ASSAS UNIVERSITY?

"Paris-Panthéon-Assas University is one of the most distinguished law schools in Europe, perpetuating a tradition of eight centuries of academic excellence. The faculty team is genuinely European, comprising French professors as well as professors from more than five other European countries."

WHY STUDY IN PARIS?

"Paris is one of the most exciting and beautiful cities in the world! It is in the heart of Europe, close to all EU institutions and to the very places where European policies are shaped."

CAREER AND PROSPECTS

Graduates can seek jobs in all European Institutions, companies, law firms and governments. Several of the Alumni have decided to stay in Paris to follow their professional carriers and others have returned to their home countries.

Alumni are presently working at Allen & Overy, McDermott, Will & Emery, Winston & Strawn, Kirkland & Ellis LLP Waters, Kraus & Paul, Ropes & Gray LLP, Latham & Watkins, Simmons & Simmons LLP.

The university organises job fairs every year as well as alumni meetings.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

ADMISSION IS OPEN:

- to students who hold a degree in social sciences with a major in law or any other law degree awarded by a non-French University after completing at least 4 academic years or 240 ECTS ;
- to students who hold a Juris Doctor (J.D.) ;
- to students who have successfully completed at least 2 academic years at an American Law School (through an exchange between their home University and Paris-Panthéon-Assas University).

LL.M. FEES

Tuition fees: €10,000.

In addition, students will pay administrative fees in the order of €250, and a national fee of €100.

LL.M. IN EUROPEAN LAW APPLICATION DEADLINE

The application process will start on February 1, 2025 and close on June 15, 2025.

APPLICATION DECISION

On average 2-8 weeks after the submission of the application form.

ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

www.assas-universite.fr/en | www.assas-international.com

Paris-Panthéon-Assas University is one of the oldest universities in France, and was part of the University of Paris, formerly known as "La Sorbonne".

It is also France's first law university (Le Figaro Étudiant 2023), and the second-oldest faculty of law in the world.



Key facts:

- Founded in the 13th century in the heart of Paris
- 2,200 teachers-researchers
- 23,000 students (including 4,000 international students)
- 17 sites and 4 international campuses: Dubai, Mauritius, Paris and Singapore

Assas International was created by Paris-Panthéon-Assas University in 2011 to develop and promote its international programmes.

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Katharina GIRBINGER
Class of 2024

"The LL.M. in European Law was an enrichment in every respect. Academically, the program was extremely diverse, not only due to the different areas of EU law that were taught, but also thanks to the various professors from the Paris-Panthéon-Assas university as well as from other universities all over Europe. The possibility to choose a seminar taught in French or to write a paper allowed students to individualize the program according to their preferences. The size of the seminars led to lively interaction and exciting discussions. Highlights included study trips to Luxembourg, Brussels and Strasbourg – those also gave us some practical insights into how European law works in practice and what career opportunities there are in this area. Thanks to the LL.M. I met inspiring people from all over the world."



Niklas TÄUBER
Class of 2023

"The LL.M. in European Law as taught at University Panthéon Assas has a unique approach to teaching European Union Law. It dives into the areas of EU law which have the most impact on the economy and the day-to-day life of European citizens, while still keeping the EU's broader structures and its history in sight. The courses are taught by scholars and practitioners from all over Europe, helping the students learn about the theoretical as well as the practical aspects of European Union law. This opportunity is fostered by excursions to the EU institutions, which bring students in touch with all kinds of practitioners involved with Union law and offer a variety of insights for potential future careers."



Linah LEUTERS
Class of 2023

"The LL.M. in European Law at Université Panthéon-Assas has broadened my horizons in many different ways. First of all, I was able to deepen my expertise in the substantial EU law, but also to gain insights into new areas due to the broad curriculum. It has provided me with a valuable perspective on the EU's general approach and fundamental values. Not only have I enjoyed learning from excellent professors with great expertise in their various fields, but also from fellow students from all over the world. Interacting with inspiring people from different legal systems while forming friendships has made the experience even better than I ever imagined it could be."

APPLICATION: September 2025 Intake

Application Deadline: 15 June 2025

APPLICATION PORTAL
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