



PANTHÉON-ASSAS  
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# LL.M. International Business Law

## — PARIS —

This programme deals mainly with practical case studies and certain key subjects, with a pluridisciplinary focus. It prepares students and professionals for operations such as large acquisitions or market transactions, cross border mergers, complex financing, restructuring, LBOs, financial engineering, and industrial projects. These are interesting operations, offering difficulties that often lead to innovative solution seeking. It is particularly educational to study them and analyze the legal, financial or accounting issues raised. Thus, contracts, guarantees, financing and international trade litigation, among other basic subjects, can be studied from different angles.



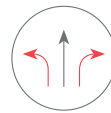
### Dual Expertise

50% of the lecturers are professors and 50% are local law practitioners



### Excellence

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



### Taught in English

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



### Career Opportunities

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

## MODULES – 10 MANDATORY MODULES –

### COMPETITION LAW

Purpose and characteristics of competition law (excluding the law of unfair competition) at the international and European levels.

### ENVIRONMENTAL AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT LAW

Principles governing environmental policy, international and European environmental law.

### MERGERS AND ACQUISITIONS

Various forms of companies and concentrations between firms; rules governing mergers and acquisitions in an international environment.

### INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION

Resolving disputes through international arbitration (commercial, investment); the principles governing arbitration agreements, proceeding and awards.

### INTERNATIONAL INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW

This course will focus on the international legal instruments which enable the right balance between the interests of innovators and the wider public interest.

### INTERNATIONAL CAPITAL MARKETS

Rules governing European and international capital markets.

### INTERNATIONAL CONTRACTS

Legal and contractual scope and treatments applicable to international contracts.

### INTERNATIONAL FINANCING

Characteristics of banking law at international level.

### INTERNATIONAL TAX LAW

Subsequent to the taxation and customs law course, this course considers the international aspects of taxation and provides an introduction to the key issues of this branch of international law.

### STATES AND INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW

Main principles and rules of international trade law applicable to public contracts: BOT (Build-Operate Transfer Contracts); public-private international partnerships; litigation related to State contracts.

All courses are delivered in English and take the form of seminars taught by professors from Paris-Panthéon-Assas University, as well as practitioners from law firms and major companies.



## DANIEL COHEN, PROFESSOR IN LAWS, DEAN OF PARIS CAMPUS

Full Professor in Private Law, Daniel Cohen is Professor at Paris-Panthéon-Assas University, where he manages the Master programme in "International Business Law" and the Master programme in "Business Law". He teaches International Arbitration, Business and Trade International Law and Company Law. Considered as an expert in these fields, he is the author of numerous publications on these subjects and has frequently given lectures in many countries of various areas (America, Asia, Europe, etc.). President of the International Academy for Arbitration Law, he is also Member of the Board of the French Committee for Arbitration and of the French Committee for Private international Law. He is a very well-known arbitrator and serves very often in international Arbitral Tribunals (as Chairman, co-arbitrator or sole arbitrator; institutional or ad hoc arbitration (ICC, LCIA, AFA, CEPANI, UNCITRAL, etc.).

### APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

#### Conditions for application

- Master's degree in Law (or equivalent).
- Fluent English must be attested by a recognized certificate such as IELTS, TOEIC, TOEFL, Erasmus courses if no long-term education in English. As for the English certificates, candidates need a score of 7/9 for the IELTS, 90/120 for the TOEFL and 800/990 for the TOEIC.

#### Tuition fees

- €22,000 + University tuition fees (€250)

#### Application

We accept only online applications on our website.

You will need to submit:

- A completed online application form
- Transcripts (in English or French) of your degrees or any other relevant qualification
- IELTS, TOEIC or TOEFL language test
- 2 letters of reference.
- A personal statement.

### LOCATION AND FACILITIES

The LL.M. is taught at the Assas Centre in Paris. The University offers numerous services and an exhaustive library database, which provides students with the most modern learning environment, a wide range of sports and a brand new Health and Fitness Centre.

### ACADEMIC YEAR

October 2025 to June 2026

#### Application deadline

January 1<sup>st</sup> 2025- June 30<sup>th</sup> 2025

- **Group 1** Applications received between January 1<sup>st</sup> and February 28<sup>th</sup> 2025: decision sent by March 8<sup>th</sup>
- **Group 2** Applications received between March 1<sup>st</sup> and April 30<sup>th</sup> 2025: decision sent by May 8<sup>th</sup>
- **Group 3** Applications received between May 1<sup>st</sup> and June 30<sup>th</sup> 2025 : decision sent by July 8<sup>th</sup>

Possible exchange between Paris and Singapore campuses on four weeks, generally in May.

### ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

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

- 4 campuses around the world: Dubai, Mauritius, Paris, Singapore
- 100 000+ alumni worldwide
- More than 200 LL.M. alumni at the Paris campus



### PARIS CAMPUS

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DETAILS



**Laura Beatriz Zanella**  
Paris campus 2023-2024

"Although my path had led me elsewhere, between London, Rome and Luxembourg I was ready for my next challenge. For that, my academic journey needed to be enriched with a little of civil and comparative law, and what better place than Pantheon Assas? I discovered the LL.M. in International Business Law a course which provided not only the opportunity to learn intellectually but also practically. I was confronted with incredible professors, professionals from renowned law firms and students which, to this day, have become a significant part of my new life in the Ville Lumière."



**Kirill Petrovich**  
Paris campus 2023-2024

"I would highly recommend considering the LL.M. International Business Law programme at Paris-Panthéon-Assas - an unparalleled experience where you'll learn from top professors and leading legal professionals, all while building a powerful network to launch your career to new heights."



**Jonathan Leibou**  
Paris campus 2023-2024

"We were taught by professional in their fields and we had theoretical courses at the same time. This is quite unique and forces you to make personal connections with those working in the field which was a great help to make business contacts. I would highly recommend Assas LL.M. in International Business Law program because Assas has a great reputation in France and the quality of teaching is very high. You meet many different kinds of professors with many different teaching approaches. Finally, it was very interesting to meet people from different countries who could offer input about their legal system. Studying at Assas was a very enriching experience!"

APPLICATION  
**October 2025 Intake**

APPLICATION PORTAL  
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