

LL.M. International Business Law

— MAURITIUS —

The LL.M. International Business Law is a gateway to high-level legal practice in a global context and a unique opportunity for students of the École de Formation du Barreau (EFB) to complete their Projet Pédagogique Individuel (PPI) in Mauritius.

Through real-world case studies, the programme examines major cross-border operations such as mergers and acquisitions, complex financings, restructuring, and international litigation, using a multidisciplinary approach that bridges law, finance, and business strategy.



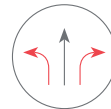
Professionals from all backgrounds
are welcome to apply; this opportunity is not limited to legal practitioners.



Executive level programme
Minimum of undergraduate degree
+ work experience required



International expertise
Paris-Panthéon-Assas University
lecturers and international
professionals in English



Hybrid Evening Classes
Designed for busy professionals, our
flexible format combines online and
in-person learning in the evenings.

MODULES – 8 MANDATORY MODULES OUT OF 10 –

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INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION

Resolving disputes through international arbitration (commercial, investment), the principles governing arbitration agreements, proceedings and awards. Acquiring knowledge of law and practice of international arbitration.

MERGERS & ACQUISITIONS

The course leads students through an in-depth analysis of the M&A process and the contracts applicable to selling a private company.

STATES & INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW

The main rules and principles applying to international PPPs: definition, legal and financial structure, categories of contracts, allocation of risks, litigation of state contracts.

INTERNATIONAL FINANCING

In-depth and practical knowledge of the rules implemented in international bank operations.

INTERNATIONAL TAX LAW

Key issues of international tax law: the basics of key international tax concepts including double taxation and its relief, double tax treaties, tax transfer pricing, OECD's initiative to curb base erosion and profit shifting (BEPS), etc.

INTERNATIONAL CONTRACTS

The legal and contractual scope and treatment applicable to international contracts.

ENVIRONMENTAL & SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT LAW

The main set of international, regional and local rules laid down to protect the environment. The need for corporate leverage to finance new projects to protect the environment.

INTERNATIONAL CAPITAL MARKETS

The course covers mainly European legislation and authorities, markets in financial instruments, issuers, markets abuses and money laundering.

COMPETITION LAW

At the end of this course, students should be familiar with the core concepts of competition law (such as relevant markets, hard-core cartels, restriction of competition, dominant position, mergers) as well as all the actors involved in enforcement of competition law.

INTERNATIONAL IP LAW

This course will focus on the international legal instruments which enables the right balance between the interests of innovators and the wider public interest. The main objective is to give an overview of the major current trends in Intellectual Property Law.

EFB students have two options to validate their PPI: an internship or a thesis.

WHY STUDY IN MAURITIUS?



"The LL.M. International Business Law aims to give advanced practitioners and students the ability to deepen the main tools of the practice of law in a resolutely international context. Whether it is taking into account the constraints on the drafting of international contracts, the normative framework of competition regulation, the control of tax factors, or the understanding of dispute resolution mechanisms through arbitration, for example, students will be confronted with current challenges in the practice of international business law. In this respect, Mauritius is now a financial hub at the junction between Asia, Europe and Africa, offering investors modern corporate, financial, tax and investment protection tools tailored to their needs."

Mauritius is of particular importance to France. France is indeed a major economic player in Mauritius. It is Mauritius' third largest trading partner, second largest customer, fourth largest supplier and largest foreign investor, not to mention the largest tourist provider. These ever-increasing trade and investment relations contribute to making the legal training provided by Paris-Panthéon-Assas University even more attractive in Mauritius. The same is also true for French Bar students trained in France. The legal environment, which is bilingual and at the crossroads of the civil law and common law tradition, also provides a favorable environment for the completion of legal training in international business law."

Malik Laazouzi, LL.M. Dean - Mauritius

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- minimum Master 2 in law
 - or
 - Certificate of completion of the CRFPA exam.
- Fluent level of English (IELTS: 7.0; TOEIC: 800; TOEFL: 90).

ACADEMIC YEAR

French Bar School candidates complete the programme in 6 months.

TUITION FEES

- 10,000€ + 80€ Application Fee

This amount does not include transport, food or accommodation.

Application deadline: **8 January 2026**

LOCATION AND FACILITIES

Mauritius has established itself as one of the most dynamic economies in Africa and the Indian Ocean, positioning itself as a regional hub for finance, education, and innovation.

The Paris-Panthéon-Assas Campus is located within Pierrefonds on the West of the Island, a modern area dedicated to higher education, and student life.

Facilities include: a fully equipped library, modern amphitheatre, collaborative workspaces, green outdoor areas, restaurants, and student accommodation.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates from the LL.M. Mauritius pursue a variety of careers, such as:

- Arbitration/Mediation
- Business consulting
- Legal Counsel
- Major companies' Legal Department

ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

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The LL.M. International Business Law is awarded by Paris-Panthéon-Assas University. Assas International was created by Paris-Panthéon-Assas University in 2011 to develop and promote its international programmes.



ABOUT THE MAURITIUS CAMPUS

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The LL.M. is taught on the Pierrefonds Campus, Uniciti Education Hub in Mauritius. Facilities will be provided for candidates wishing to pursue an internship in parallel with the LL.M. For international students, the campus also provides assistance regarding visa procedures as well as accommodation.

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PROGRAMME
DETAILS



Amaury FORT (EFB Alumni - LL.M.'2023)

"The LL.M. at Panthéon-Assas University offers high-quality courses taught in English by excellent professors. The flexible schedule allowed me to balance classes with exploring Mauritius, while the internship gave me valuable international exposure. The interactive teaching style - with role-plays and negotiation exercises - truly prepares you for a legal career. It's an enriching experience that I highly recommend."



Felix NOACK (LL.M.'2023)

"The LL.M. International Business Law broadened my horizons, improved my confidence in legal English, and gave me a strong foundation in corporate law. I now work for an American law firm in Mauritius and have already benefited from the knowledge gained during the programme. Stepping out of my comfort zone was invaluable, and I highly recommend this experience."



Anjulie SOOBAMANEN (LL.M.'2021)

"My time at Paris-Panthéon-Assas University was transformative. The LL.B. gave me exposure to top-tier faculty, and the LL.M. further enriched my academic and professional growth. Despite being the youngest in my class, I was encouraged to dream big and take risks. Today, as a legal associate, I carry the skills and confidence I gained from Assas in every step of my career."

APPLICATION
January Intake

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