



School of Law

香港城市大學
City University of Hong Kong



MASTER OF LAWS (LLM)

法學碩士

Legal Education
for Versatile
Professionals



THE PROGRAMME

The CityUHK Master of Laws (LLM) programme is dynamic in meeting the society and the world's needs. It provides local and overseas students with the opportunities to learn the professional skills and knowledge necessary to become an integral part of the emerging Asian economy. The programme permits students to structure their legal studies to design their own career goals. Students are given the option to pursue their LLM degrees in one of the following streams:

- ▀ International Economic Law Stream
- ▀ Corporate and Financial Law Stream
- ▀ Intellectual Property and Technology Law Stream
- ▀ Maritime and Transportation Law Stream
- ▀ Common Law Stream
- ▀ Chinese and Comparative Law Stream
- ▀ General Stream

Cooperation with Overseas Universities

CityUHK School of Law operates collaborative programmes with the following overseas universities.

- ▀ Aix-Marseille University (AMU)
- ▀ Université de Fribourg (UF)
- ▀ University Paris 1, Panthéon-Sorbonne (Paris 1)

Selected students will study at these partner universities and obtain one postgraduate degree from CityUHK and one from the partner university, where the designated study-loads at the institutions are successfully discharged.

Cooperation with the Supreme People's Court of the PRC

The School of Law also collaborates with the National Judges College and the Supreme People's Court of the PRC to provide advanced legal education to Chinese judges. A number of Chinese judges are selected to study in the Common Law stream of the LLM programme at CityUHK each year.





Admission Requirements

Qualification

- ▶ LLB or equivalent qualification; or
- ▶ admitted for professional practice of law in Hong Kong or other jurisdictions; or
- ▶ Common Professional Examination (CPE) of the United Kingdom or Hong Kong; or
- ▶ Postgraduate Certificate in Hong Kong Law or Master of Arts/Laws in Arbitration and Dispute Resolution.

English language proficiency requirement

Applicants whose entrance qualification is obtained from an institution where the medium of instruction is not English should meet the minimum English language proficiency requirement:

- ▶ 88 (internet-based test) in TOEFL; or
- ▶ 6.5 in IELTS; or
- ▶ 520 in Chinese mainland's College English Test (CET) Band 6; or
- ▶ other equivalent qualifications.

Career Prospects

The LLM programme has hundreds of graduates working locally and worldwide, including the United States, France, Italy, Germany, China and Singapore. In Hong Kong, our graduates are working in governmental offices, law firms, non-governmental organizations and corporations. Our alumni network provides students with the opportunities of enriching their educational and professional endeavours.

STUDENT TESTIMONY



NG Ching Wai

LLM General Stream
Graduate 2024

“ The journey to study a LLM is nevertheless full of tears and sweats, fortunately I have gained a fruitful experience in tasting the bittersweet of the LLM programme at CityUHK. I sincerely wish to express my gratitude to all the professors who have been assisting us without hesitation throughout the whole year. The support from CityUHK is genuinely precious and beneficial. ”



LIN Ye

LLM Common Law Stream
Graduate 2024

“ Learning and discussing with professors and classmates are my most precious experiences; the journey of learning at CityUHK will forever inspire me to be a professional and impartial legal practitioner. ”



TANG Xin

LLM Corporate and Financial Law Stream
Graduate 2024

“ The LLM Programme not only enriches my academic experiences, but also allows me to engage with individuals from a variety of backgrounds and perspectives. Professors in this Programme are responsible and are willing to share their valuable experiences, from which I've benefited a lot. And now, I am closer to my dream. ”

“ I deeply appreciate having encountered professors who are not only highly professional but also friendly and helpful. Under their guidance, I have developed a fresh and broader perspective on legal issues. The critical and creative thinking instilled through the classes will serve as invaluable assets throughout my life's journey. ”



YANG Chen

LLM International Economic Law Stream
Graduate 2024

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