

European Law School

The ELS programme comprises two specialisations: European Law and Market Integration and European Public Law and Governance. There is no obligation to follow either one of these specialisations, students may opt for a General Programme, which allows them to combine courses of the two specialisations.

[European Law and Market Integration](#)

[European Public Law and Governance](#)

[General Programme](#)

European Law and Market Integration

The specialisation European Law and Market Integration specifically focusses on in-depth analysis of the European integration project: the creation and functioning of the internal market, comprising the well-known four freedoms, competition and state aid law and social policy. You'll learn more about the role of law in market integration, about what that law actually comprises and how integration is being shaped by both political and judicial actors.

Compulsory courses

Advanced European Law (6 ECTS)

European Competition Law (6 ECTS)

Specialisation courses

European Data Protection and Privacy Law

Comparative Company Law (6 ECTS)

State Aid and Public Procurement in the EU (6 ECTS)

European Property Law (6 ECTS)

Family Law in Europe (6 ECTS)

European Migration Law and Citizenship (6 ECTS)

European Labour and Social Security Law (6 ECTS)

In this specialisation, you'll have to take both of the compulsory courses (12 ECTS), 24 ECTS in specialisation courses and 12 ECTS in electives. Please consult the [Courses & Curriculum](#) page for more information about the content of the courses.

Electives

You'll have to take 12 ECTS in electives. You can:

- take the remaining courses of the specialisation
- participate in a moot court (max. 6 ECTS)
- go on an internship (max. 12 ECTS)
- take courses covered by the other specialisation
- take courses covered by another law programme
- take courses offered at other faculties/universities*

* *course content must be sufficiently related, prior approval required*

European Public Law and Governance

The European Public Law and Governance specialisation is a great choice if you would like to pursue a career in the public sector. Courses mainly focus on public law and constitutional law. You'll look at topics such as decision-making, multilevel governance, interaction between EU law and national law, fundamental rights and enforcement of EU law (with a heavy focus on the specific role of courts). The practical significance of EU institutional law and the institutional functioning of the EU is clarified by the application of such law to special substantive policies of the EU, like environmental policy and the economic and monetary union, and criminal law.

Compulsory courses

Advanced European Law (6 ECTS)
European and National Constitutional Law (6 ECTS)

Specialisation courses

European Fundamental Rights Law (6 ECTS)
EU External Relations Law (6 ECTS)
European Environmental Law (6 ECTS)
Internal Market Law and Governance (6 ECTS)
European Criminal Law (6 ECTS)
Economic and Financial Regulation in Europe (6 ECTS)

In this specialisation, you'll have to take both of the compulsory courses (12 ECTS), 24 ECTS in specialisation courses and 12 ECTS in electives. Please consult the [Courses & Curriculum](#) page for more information about the content of the courses.

Electives

You'll have to take 12 ECTS in electives. You can:

- take the remaining courses of the specialisation
- participate in a moot court (max. 6 ECTS)
- go on an internship (max. 12 ECTS)
- take courses covered by the other specialisation
- take courses covered by another law programme
- take courses offered at other faculties/universities*

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General Programme

Would you like to do your master's at the European Law School, but do you find the specialisations too restrictive? Would you, for example, like to combine courses on European criminal law and European property law? Then the European Law School's General Programme is what you are looking for. You'll take a course on advanced European law and combine it with other courses from the European Law School's curriculum, allowing you to personalise your degree and tailor it to your interests and ambitions.

Compulsory course

Advanced European Law (6 ECTS)

Specialisation courses

European Fundamental Rights Law (6 ECTS)
EU External Relations Law (6 ECTS)
European Environmental Law (6 ECTS)

Compulsory course

Specialisation courses

Internal Market Law and Governance (6 ECTS)
European Criminal Law (6 ECTS)
Economic and Financial Regulation in Europe (6 ECTS)
Comparative Company Law (6 ECTS)
State Aid and Public Procurement in the EU (6 ECTS)
European Property Law (6 ECTS)
Family Law in Europe (6 ECTS)
European Migration Law and Citizenship (6 ECTS)
European Labour and Social Security Law (6 ECTS)

If you take this track, you'll have to take the compulsory course (6 ECTS), 30 ECTS in specialisation courses and 12 ECTS in electives. Please consult the [Courses & Curriculum](#) page for more information about the content of the courses.

Electives

You'll have to take 12 ECTS in electives. You can:

- take the remaining courses of the specialisation
- participate in a moot court (max. 6 ECTS)
- go on an internship (max. 12 ECTS)
- take courses covered by the other specialisation
- take courses covered by another law programme
- take courses offered at other faculties/universities*

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