

Name faculty **Faculty of Law**

Name minor **European and International Law**

Full period of this minor: period 1 and 2

ECTS credits in total of this minor: 28 ECTS

Language of instruction: English

Teaching methods: see course descriptions

Assessment methods: see course descriptions

Keywords:

In the minor International and European Law you will receive an introduction into the realm of legal science. You will follow the introduction to law course, which will introduce you to the various fields of law, varying from contracts to constitutions, crimes and human rights. Throughout your minor you will follow a Skills course on Legal Research and Reasoning, in which you will develop your lawyer skills. In the second period you will go more into details with a course on Introduction into Human Rights and Foundations of law in Europe. With these four courses you will acquire the basic skills and knowledge of a lawyer, you will be able to reason like a lawyer and will be able to better understand and work with lawyers in your future career.

Prerequisites: none

Period	Code	Title	ECTS
1	PRI1002	An Introduction to Law	12
1 & 2	LAW1003	Skills: Legal Research and Reasoning	4
2	IER3009	Introduction to international Human Rights	6
2	IER3006 OR MET3005	European Union Law: Foundations* OR Law in Europe, from Gaius until the EU	6

* The course European Union Law: Foundations (IER3006) is not open for Bachelor students in European Studies. Bachelor students in European Studies are obliged to choose the course Law in Europe, from Gaius until the EU (MET3005).

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