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Examination Regulations for the Degree Program Law and Economics of the Arab Region (LLM)

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On 10 January 2017, the Executive University Board of Universität Hamburg ratified the Examination Regulations for the Degree Program Law and Economics of the Arab Region (LLM) adopted by the Faculty Council from the Faculty of Law on 14 December 2016 pursuant to Section 91 subsection 2 no. 1 of the Hamburg higher education act (Hamburgisches Hochschulgestz, HmbHG) dated 18 July 2001 (HmbGVBl. p. 171), last amended on 16 November 2016 (HmbGVBl. p. 472).

Preamble

Building on the many years of positive experience within the framework of the European Master in Law and Economics and upon joint initiative, the Faculty of Law from Universität Hamburg and the Faculty of Economics and Political Science from Cairo University, supported by the DAAD program University-Business-Partnerships between Higher Education Institutions and Business Partners in Germany and in Developing Countries, have joined together to collectively carry out the interdisciplinary master's degree program Law and Economics of the Arab Region (LLM). Participation in the Degree Program and the organization of cooperative efforts shall be governed by a cooperation agreement between both universities.

Section 1

Degree program and examination objectives

(1) The master's degree program European Master in Law and Economics of the Arab Region (MLEA) (hereinafter "Degree Program") is geared toward jurists, economists, social scientists, and academics and scholars from other disciplines who already have a degree from a higher education institution in the Federal Republic of Germany or

elsewhere. The Degree Program is designed to familiarize students with law and economics and through application facilitate the understanding of various legal systems.

- (2) Students must complete module examinations and write a master's thesis in order to graduate. Students must demonstrate in the master's thesis that they have mastered the methods of law and economics, and can independently apply them academically in a selected field.
- (3) Examinations will be held in English.

Section 2 Conferral of the degree

The Faculty of Law at Universität Hamburg shall confer an LLM degree to each graduate who successfully completes the Degree Program and has studied at least one semester at Universität Hamburg.

Section 3 Coordinators

Coordinators for the participating departments and faculties of the Degree Program shall be appointed in accordance with the provisions of the cooperation agreement. Coordinators appointed shall assume the duties of the Examinations Board pursuant to Section 63 HmbHG.

Section 4 Admission to the Degree Program

Individuals may be admitted to the Degree Program who have successfully completed an undergraduate degree in law or economics (economics or business administration) or another degree program where the focus was on law, economics, political science, or social science. Cairo University shall be responsible for admitting students. Local Egyptian rules and regulations shall also be applicable for the determination of student admission.

Section 5 Period and location of study

- (1) The regular period of study for the Degree Program is three semesters.
- (2) The modules for the first and second semesters shall be completed at Cairo University and the modules for the third semester at Universität Hamburg.

Section 6

Program structure, modules, and ECTS credits

- (1) The Degree Program is modularized and has a total of 90 ECTS credits.
- (2) Modules are self-contained educational units, which are generally comprised of several content-related courses. Modules are designed to convey a portion of the overall information established for the respective degree program. The workload (attendance, independent study, and examination preparation) for each module shall be accounted for in ECTS credits. As a general rule, 1 ECTS credit corresponds to 30 hours of work. A total of 90 ECTS credits inclusive of the master's thesis must be earned in order to complete the Degree Program. ECTS credits shall be earned upon successfully completing a module.
- (3) The Degree Program consists of eleven required modules including the final module and two required elective modules, which are allocated amongst the semesters as follows:
- a) First semester (required modules):
 - Basics of Mathematics, Economics and Law (6 ECTS credits)
 - Introduction to Microeconomics (6 ECTS credits)
 - Empirical Legal Studies / Quantitative Tools for Law and Economics (6 ECTS credits)
 - Concepts and Methods of Law and Economics (6 ECTS credits)
 - Public Law and Economics (6 ECTS credits)
- b) Second semester (required modules):
 - Contract Law and Economics (6 ECTS credits)
 - Competition Law and Economics (6 ECTS credits)
 - International (Public) Law and Economics (6 ECTS credits)
 - Graduation Project Proposal (12 ECTS credits)
- c) Third semester (required, required elective, and final modules):

Required elective modules:

- Property Law and Economics (6 ECTS credits) or
- Corporate Law and Economics (6 ECTS credits)

Required module:

- Advanced Topics in Law and Economics (6 ECTS credits)
- Graduation Project (18 ECTS credits)

Section 7 Module exams

(1) Modules shall be completed with an examination.

- (2) The module examination shall be comprised of at least a three-hour written examination. Additionally when grading performance, a student's participation in class may be taken into account. How grades will be weighted must be disclosed before the course begins.
- (3) Module examinations that have not been passed (49 points or less) may be retaken twice.
- (4) If a student has attended less than 50% of the classes for courses in a semester, he or she shall not be allowed to take the module examinations for this semester.

Section 8

Grading the module examinations

- (1) The coordinators shall appoint examiners pursuant to the provisions of Section 3 HmbHG, as amended.
- (2) The course instructors for the respective module shall generally be the examiners for the module examinations. The coordinators shall decide on any exceptions to this rule. If there is only one examination and several instructors, the coordinators may appoint an instructor to be responsible for the examination. Members of other higher education institutions as well as academics from non-university research institutions may also be appointed as examiners.
- (3) Generally, module examinations shall be graded with a differentiated grade in accordance with the following grading scale:

Grades:

Outstanding 90–100 points
Very good 80–89 points
Good 70–79 points
Average 60–69 points
Sufficient 50–59 points
Insufficient 0–49 points

(4) The examinations for the modules Fundamentals of Mathematics, Economics, and the Law, as well as for the Graduation Project Proposal shall be graded either "pass" or "fail".

Section 9 Master's thesis

- (1) Students must write their master's theses during the third semester. The thesis must demonstrate a student's aptitude for independent scholarly work in the field of law and economics.
- (2) The supervisors shall determine the topic of the master's thesis. One supervisor must be a faculty member at the Faculty of Law at Universität Hamburg. Students may suggest topics for the final thesis.
- (3) The period of time to complete the master's thesis (18 ECTS credits) shall be five months.
- (4) The supervisor (primary reviewer) shall assign the thesis topic to the student. The date of the assignment, the topic, and the names of the primary and secondary reviewers shall be recorded in the student's file. An assigned topic may be justifiably rejected only once after it has been assigned, and this must be done within the first four weeks. Upon a reasoned application, the supervisor may withdraw the topic of the master's thesis, if for subject-related reasons treatment of the topic is no longer possible. In cases of doubt, the local coordinator shall render a decision. A new topic must be assigned without undue delay and no later than one week thereafter.
- (5) A hard copy of the master's thesis must be submitted to the Examinations Office by the deadline in addition to an electronic copy on an appropriate storage medium. If mailed to the Examinations Office, the postmark shall apply as the date of submission. The examinee has the burden of verifying that the master's thesis was submitted. The date of submission shall be recorded in the student's file. If, for reasons not attributable to the student, the thesis is not submitted by the deadline, the local coordinator shall decide on the further course of action. If, for reasons attributable to the student, the thesis is not submitted by the deadline, the master's thesis shall be considered insufficient.
- (6) An affidavit must be submitted with the master's thesis affirming that the student wrote the thesis independently. The student must also affirm and attest to the following:
 - 1. That he or she did not use any other aids or resources other than those listed.
 - 2. That the master's thesis has not been used before in this or any other program.
 - 3. That the master's thesis has not yet been published.

(8) The master's thesis may be reattempted once after the academic year if it was graded as "insufficient" pursuant to Section 10 subsections 3 and 4 herein. If the master's thesis may be reattempted, then the student shall have five months to complete it.

Section 10

Evaluation of the master's thesis

- (1) The master's thesis shall be evaluated by the supervisors.
- (2) The master's thesis shall be graded as follows:

Grade:

Outstanding 270–300 points

Very good 240–269 points

Good 210–239 points

Average 180–209 points

Sufficient 150–179 points

Insufficient 0–149 points

- (3) If both reviewers each award the final thesis at least 150 points, then the student shall have passed the thesis portion of the Degree Program. If one of the reviewers assigns less than 150 points to the thesis but the sum of points awarded by both reviewers is at least 300 points, then a procedure shall be initiated to review the grades awarded. This procedure shall also be initiated if the grades awarded by both reviewers deviate by more than 50 points from each other.
- (4) If a grading review procedure for the final thesis pursuant to subsection 3 herein becomes necessary, then the reviewers shall first consult with each other for the purpose of a closer harmonization of the grades. If after consulting with each other, however, the reviewers stand by their original grades, a third reviewer shall be appointed. In this case, the thesis shall be evaluated using two-thirds of the sum of the points awarded by the three reviewers, rounding up or down to the nearest whole number as appropriate. The thesis shall be considered successfully completed if the points calculated in this manner equal at least 300.

Section 11 Overall final grade

(1) An overall final grade shall be calculated from the differentiated grades of the module examinations and the master's thesis. The grade for the master's thesis and the corresponding module examination grades shall be added together and divided by 13 and the result rounded to the nearest hundredth of a decimal point. If the thesis was graded in accordance with Section 10 subsection 4 sentences 2 and 3, then the result calculated pursuant to Section 10 subsection 4 sentence 3 shall replace the two

thesis grades required for the above calculation. Modules graded pass or fail shall not be taken into account for the calculation of the overall final grade. The following grades may be awarded:

Extraordinary performance 90–100 points

Very good 80–89 points

Good 70–79 points

Average 60–69 points

Sufficient 50–59 points

- (2) A student shall pass the master's degree program if the following conditions are fulfilled:
 - 1. At least a total of 650 points was earned in the module examinations.
 - 2. All module examinations were passed.
 - 3. The master's thesis was awarded a passing grade pursuant to Section 10 subsections 3 or 4.
 - 4. The overall final grade per subsection 1 amounts to at least 50 points.

Section 12

Recognition of study and internship periods and completed coursework and examinations

- (1) Periods of study, completed coursework, examinations, and internships or vocational studies integrated into the degree program completed at a university, equivalent higher education institution, state-accredited distance learning program, other education institution, especially in programs at state or state-accredited vocational academies, and universities of applied sciences shall be recognized upon application by the student, provided that there is no material difference between the skills and knowledge learned and the skills and knowledge needed to be learned at the admitting higher education institution. Conditional recognition is also possible.
- (2) For the recognition of periods of study and completed coursework and examinations that were completed outside of the Federal Republic of Germany, equivalency agreements that have been approved by the Standing Conference of the Ministers of Education and Cultural Affairs of the Länder in the Federal Republic of Germany and the German Rectors' Conference as well as arrangements between Universität Hamburg and another higher education institution participating in the Degree Program within the scope of university partnerships or cooperation agreements must be observed.
- (3) Skills and knowledge acquired by means other than university study, yet equivalent and required to successfully complete a degree program shall be recognized up to one-

half of the total credit value required to fulfill coursework and examination requirements.

- (4) If examinations are accepted for credit, then grades shall be adopted and taken into account for the final grade, provided that the grading systems are comparable. If the grading systems are not comparable, then successful examinations shall be reported as "pass."
- (5) The coordinators per Section 3 herein shall decide on any recognition pursuant to subsections 1 through 4 hereof. Students must address corresponding applications to the coordinators. The requisite supporting documents must be enclosed with the application for recognition. Coordinators may only deny recognition if they can demonstrate that there are significant differences between the skills and knowledge acquired and those needed to be acquired at the admitting higher education institution in accordance with subsection 1 and/or the skills and knowledge acquired by means other than university study in accordance with subsection 3 are not equivalent.

Section 13

Compensation for disadvantages for students who have a disability or are chronically ill

- (1) Upon a written application therefor, the local coordinator may implement reasonable compensation for disadvantages for a student if the student substantiates that he or she is to any extent unable to complete an examination under prescribed conditions or within the time periods set forth in these Regulations on account of a disability or persistent severe or chronic affliction. Such suitable measures could include altering the external examination conditions, extending the time to complete the examination, or accepting equivalent examination performance. This shall also apply to coursework.
- (2) The disability representative must be consulted pursuant to Section 88 subsection 3 HmbHG if the local coordinator must render a decision pursuant to subsection 1 herein.
- (3) The student must set forth the reasons for any requested compensation for disadvantages. The submission of appropriate proof may be requested in order to substantiate the legitimacy of any such requests.

Section 14

Nonperformance and cheating

- (1) A student shall be considered to have failed a module examination and will receive a grade of insufficient if he or she does not take the examination on the date scheduled therefor, unless the student has a valid excuse for his or her absence.
- (2) Students who wish to have an absence excused must substantiate the reasons asserted for their absence to the local coordinator in writing without undue delay. A student must submit a medical certificate if the reason is due to illness. The coordinator shall decide whether an excuse that has been asserted is valid or not.
- (3) In the event that the master's thesis has not been submitted by the deadline, the aforementioned provisions shall apply mutatis mutandis.
- (4) If a student attempts to influence the results of his or her examination performance by cheating, especially through the use of unauthorized aids or resources, the student shall be considered to have failed the examination and it shall be graded as insufficient.
- (5) If it is discovered only after the examination process has been concluded that a student cheated on an examination, the student shall retroactively be declared to have failed the examination. A diploma and academic transcript that has already been awarded shall be confiscated.
- (6) Decisions in accordance with the aforementioned provisions must be communicated to the student without undue delay along with the reasons therefor. The student must be afforded due process and given an opportunity to be heard on the matter.

Section 15

Diploma and academic transcript

(1) Upon successfully completing the Degree Program, students shall be awarded a diploma conferring the LLM. The diploma will be signed by the coordinators from the faculties and departments participating in the examinations of the student. The diploma will bear the faculty and/or department seals or alternatively the seal of the respective university. It must be composed in English and contain a description of the modules attended, the names of the universities attended, the topic of the final thesis, and the overall final grade for the degree. In addition to this grade, a percentile rank must be reported on the diploma in accordance with the standards set forth in the European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System (ECTS grade).

- (2) Furthermore, students shall receive an academic transcript that specifies the individual grades of each module examination and the grade for the master's thesis expressed in points. This document shall be executed in the same manner as the diploma.
- (3) Students who because of their above-average results in the module examinations qualified for an internship at an enterprise participating in the Degree Program shall receive a separate certificate with regard to any completed internship.

Section 16 Reconsideration proceeding

Students may submit applications for reconsideration of the examination procedure and examination decisions. An application for reconsideration must be submitted to the local coordinator within one month of the respective decision if the student was given information about his or her legal rights and remedies; otherwise, he or she shall have up to one year after the date of notification of the decision to submit an application. The application for reconsideration must be submitted in writing and contain points and authorities in support of the student's position. If the application for reconsideration is denied relief in whole or in part, the matter shall be remitted to the University's appeals committee.

Section 17 Effective date

These Examination Regulations shall become effective on the day following official publication by Universität Hamburg. They shall first apply to students commencing their studies in Winter Semester 2015/16.

Hamburg, 13 March 2017
Universität Hamburg

Module abbreviation: Introductory Phase MLEA	
Module type: required module	
Title: Basics of Mathematics, E	conomics and Law
Objectives	Students will become familiar with the relevant specialized literature and sources on the topics of the course attended.
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	Students will acquire the basics of mathematics,
	economics, and law, which are necessary to successfully
	complete the MLEA Program.
Type of instruction	Lecture (block courses) (2 credit hours per week)
Language of instruction	English
Prerequisites for attendance	None
Applicability of the module	LLM MLEA
Type of examination	Written examination (pass/fail)
Examination language	English
Prerequisites for admission	Regular attendance and completed coursework, the type
to module examination	and scope of which shall be announced at the beginning of
	the course.
Total workload	180 hours / 6 ECTS credits
Module frequency	The module will be offered in every first semester of the
	Degree Program.
Duration	One semester
Recommended semester	Semester 1

Module abbreviation: Empiric	Module abbreviation: Empirical Legal Studies / Quantitative Tools	
Module type: required module	Module type: required module	
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Title: Empirical Legal Studies	Quantitative Tools for Law and Economics	
Objectives	Students will become familiar with the relevant specialized	
	literature and sources on the topics of the course attended.	
	Students will become familiar with and learn to apply	
	important quantitative analysis tools in the areas of game	
	theory and econometrics.	
Type of instruction	Lecture (2 credit hours per week)	
Language of instruction	English	
Prerequisites for attendance	None	
Applicability of the module	LLM MLEA	
Type of examination	Written examination	
Examination language	English	
Prerequisites for admission	Regular attendance and completed coursework, the type	
to module examination	and scope of which shall be announced at the beginning of	
	the course.	
Total workload	180 hours / 6 ECTS credits	
Module frequency	The module will be offered in every first semester.	
Duration	One semester	
Recommended semester	Semester 1	

Module abbreviation: Mic	Module abbreviation: Micro	
Module type: required module		
Title: Introduction to Mici	roeconomics	
Objectives	Students will become familiar with the relevant specialized literature and sources on the topics of the course attended.	
	Students will become familiar with a wide range of microeconomic instruments and methodological-theoretical approaches. They will be able to describe and critically reflect their options and limitations.	
	Students will become acquainted with a number of microeconomic conceptual tools and learn to apply them to various economic and regulatory problems.	
Type of instruction	Lecture and practical course (2 credit hours per week)	
Language of instruction	English	
Prerequisites for	None	
attendance		
Applicability of the	LLM MLEA	
module		
Type of examination	Written examination	
Examination language	English	
Prerequisites for	Regular attendance and completed coursework, the type and	
admission to module	scope of which shall be announced at the beginning of the	
examination	course.	
Total workload	180 hours / 6 ECTS credits	
Module frequency	The module will be offered in every first semester.	
Duration	One semester	
Recommended semester	Semester 1	

Module abbreviation: Concepts and Methods of Law and Economics	
Module type: required module	
Title: Concepts and Method:	s of Law and Economics
Objectives	Students will become familiar with the relevant specialized literature and sources on the topics of the course attended.
	Students will learn about the most important findings in the field of law and economics.
	They will become familiar with the methodology and the basic concepts and instruments of law and economics as well as their application in various fields of law.
Type of instruction	Lecture (2 credit hours per week)
Language of instruction	English
Prerequisites for	None
attendance	
Applicability of the	LLM MLEA
module	
Type of examination	Written examination
Examination language	English
Prerequisites for	Regular attendance and completed coursework, the type and
admission to module	scope of which shall be announced at the beginning of the
examination	course.
Total workload	180 hours / 6 ECTS credits
Module frequency	The module will be offered in every first semester.
Duration	One semester
Recommended semester	Semester 1

Module abbreviation: Public L&E	
Module type: required module	
Title: Public Law and Economics	s
Objectives	Students will become familiar with the relevant specialized
	literature and sources on the topics of the course attended.
	Students will learn about the goals of regulatory
	intervention from an economic welfare point of view.
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	Students will be familiarized with the diverging regulatory
	interests of the public and private sectors.
Type of instruction	Lecture (2 credit hours per week)
Language of instruction	English
Prerequisites for attendance	None
Applicability of the module	LLM MLEA
Type of examination	Written examination
Examination language	English
Prerequisites for admission	Regular attendance and completed coursework, the type
to module examination	and scope of which shall be announced at the beginning of
	the course.
Total workload	180 hours / 6 ECTS credits
Module frequency	The module will be offered in every first semester.
Duration	One semester
Recommended semester	Semester 1

Module abbreviation: Contr	Module abbreviation: Contract L&E	
Module type: required module		
Title: Contract Law and Ecor	nomics	
Objectives	Students will become familiar with the relevant specialized literature and sources on the topics of the course attended.	
	Students will learn about the most important findings in the field of contract law and economics.	
	Students will learn about the important elements of contract theory and become familiar with frequent contractual errors that necessitate regulatory intervention.	
	Students will acquire a functional understanding of plausible contracts and their practical use.	
Type of instruction	Lecture (2 credit hours per week)	
Language of instruction	English	
Prerequisites for	None	
attendance		
Applicability of the module	LLM MLEA	
Type of examination	Written examination	
Examination language	English	
Prerequisites for	Regular attendance and completed coursework, the type and	
admission to module	scope of which shall be announced at the beginning of the	
examination	course.	
Total workload	180 hours / 6 ECTS credits	
Module frequency	The module will be offered in every second semester.	
Duration	One semester	
Recommended semester	Semester 2	

Module abbreviation: Competition L&E	
Module type: required module	
Title: Competition Law and E	conomics
Objectives	Students will become familiar with the relevant specialized
	literature and sources on the topics of the course attended.
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	Students will learn about the most important findings in the field of competition law and economics.
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	Students will learn about the important elements of
	competition theory.
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	MLEA: students will become familiar with the application of
	economic arguments to Egyptian competition law in
	comparison to US and EU competition law.
Type of instruction	Lecture (2 credit hours per week)
Language of instruction	English
Prerequisites for	None
attendance	
Applicability of the module	LLM MLEA
Type of examination	Written examination
Examination language	English
Prerequisites for admission	Regular attendance and completed coursework, the type and
to module examination	scope of which shall be announced at the beginning of the
	course.
Total workload	180 hours / 6 ECTS credits
Module frequency	The module will be offered in every second semester.
Duration	One semester
Recommended semester	Semester 2

Module abbreviation: Internat	tional L&E
Module type: required module	
Title: International (Public) Lav	w and Economics
Objectives	Students will become familiar with the relevant specialized literature and sources on the topics of the course attended.
	Students will gain insights in the field of trade policy and international public law and their economic and legal dimensions.
	Students will learn about important international and regional trade agreements and international public law together with related laws.
Type of instruction	Lecture (2 credit hours per week)
Language of instruction	English
Prerequisites for attendance	None
Applicability of the module	LLM MLEA
Type of examination	Written examination
Examination language	English
Prerequisites for admission	Regular attendance and completed coursework, the type
to module examination	and scope of which shall be announced at the beginning of
	the course.
Total workload	180 hours / 6 ECTS credits
Module frequency	The module will be offered in every second semester.
Duration	One semester
Recommended semester	Semester 2

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Module type: required module	e	
Title: Graduation Project Prop	osal	
Objectives	Students will become familiar with the relevant specialized	
1	literature and sources associated with the intended topic of	
	the master's thesis	
	Students must find a suitable topic for a final thesis.	
Type of instruction	Independent study and supervisor advice and guidance	
Language of instruction	English	
Prerequisites for attendance	None	
Applicability of the module	LLM MLEA	
Type of examination	Project proposal (pass/fail)	
Examination language	English	
Prerequisites for admission	The completion of coursework, the type and scope of which	
to module examination	shall be announced at the beginning of the course.	
Total workload	360 hours / 12 ECTS credits	
Module frequency	The project proposal must be composed in the second	
	semester.	
Duration	One semester	
Recommended semester	Semester 2	

Module abbreviation: Advanced L&E / Economics of Constitutional and Administrative Law	
Module type: required module	
Title: Advanced Topics in Law	and Economics
Objectives	Students will become familiar with administrative and
	constitutional law, as well as other areas of law.
	Students will be in a position to apply theoretical knowledge
	they have learned to practical examples (e.g., applications in
	the corporate sector).
Type of instruction	Lecture/seminar (2 credit hours per week)
Language of instruction	English
Prerequisites for	None
attendance	
Applicability of the module	LLM MLEA
Type of examination	Written examination
Examination language	English
Prerequisites for admission	Regular attendance and completed coursework, the type and
to module examination	scope of which shall be announced at the beginning of the
	course.
Total workload	180 hours / 6 ECTS credits
Module frequency	The module will be offered in every third semester.
Duration	One semester
Recommended semester	Semester 3

Module abbreviation: Corporate L&E/Property L&E	
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Module type: required elective module	
-	conomics / Property Law and Economics
Objectives	Students will become familiar with the relevant specialized
	literature and sources on the topics of the course attended.
	Corporate L&E:
	Students will learn about the various legal, contractual, and
	noncontractual mechanisms for protecting shareholders and
	other actors.
	Students will become aware of the conflict-of-interest problems
	for management, shareholders, and creditors and how these are
	handled by legal institutions.
	Property L&E:
	Students will learn about the economic theory of the rights of
	ownership and possession and their application with respect to
	property rights as well as the legal and economic definition of
	property.
	Students will also learn about the costs and benefits of several
	measures of protection of various legal claims.
Type of instruction	Lecture (2 credit hours per week)
Language of instruction	English
Prerequisites for	None
attendance	
Applicability of the	LLM MLEA, one of the required elective modules must be
module	completed.
Type of examination	Written examination
Examination language	English
Prerequisites for	Regular attendance and completed coursework, the type and
admission to module	scope of which shall be announced at the beginning of the
examination	course.
Total workload	180 hours / 6 ECTS credits
Module frequency	Both required elective modules will be offered in every third
	semester.
Duration	One semester
Recommended semester	Semester 3

Module abbreviation: Thesis and Research Methodologies	
Module type: required module	
Title: Graduation Project incl. So	eminar in Research Methodologies and Thesis Writing
Objectives	Students will become familiar with the relevant specialized literature and sources on the topics of the course attended.
	Students will learn the essential principles and rules that must be observed and adhered to when writing an academic thesis.
	Students will be in a position to develop the topic of the final thesis and then draft it.
Type of instruction	Block seminar
	Supervision of the master's thesis
Language of instruction	English
Prerequisites for attendance	None
Applicability of the module	LLM MLEA
Type of examination	Master's thesis
Examination language	English
Prerequisites for admission to module examination	None
Total workload	Block seminar (30 hours) 1 ECTS credit
	Master's thesis (5 months to complete) 17 ECTS credits
Module frequency	This module will be offered every semester.
Duration	5 months to complete
Recommended semester	Semester 3