DEPARTMENT OF LAW

STRUCTURE OF LANGUAGE COURSES
SINGLE CYCLE MASTER’S DEGREE PROGRAMS

STUDENTS ENROLLED FOR A.Y. 2015/2016
Department of Law

Languages offered:

- English
- French
- Spanish
- German
- Arabic
- Chinese
- Portuguese
- Russian
- Legal English
Mandatory English

- No exam with a grade out of thirty in order to have 5 credits, but rather a final language qualification
- Courses take place during the week
- Courses last for six semesters (five semesters for B2 and C1 levels)
- Course commencement: the 1\textsuperscript{st} semester of the first year (A1, A2 and B1 levels); the 2\textsuperscript{nd} semester of the first year (B2 and C1 levels)
- End of course and final exam: the 2\textsuperscript{nd} semester of the third year
- Language qualification is subject to the acquisition of a final level (with consideration given to the entry level of each student). The final level should be seen as a minimum threshold for the achievement of language qualification. As a result, the acquisition of a final level will in no case allow exemption from attending the course or from taking the final exam at the end of the third year.
- Attendance is strongly recommended: students who do not attend language courses may nevertheless be permitted to take the end of semester test
- No exemptions

Optional second language

- At the end of the second year (June 2017) students will be required to enter their Web Self Service area and select an optional second language or Legal English or “Other activities” in order to have 4 credits
- No exam with a grade out of thirty, but rather a final language qualification
- Courses take place only on Saturday morning
- Courses last for three semesters
- Course commencement: the 1\textsuperscript{st} semester of the third year
- End of course: the 1\textsuperscript{st} semester of the fourth year
- Students will attain the final language qualification if they actually prove a progression through the levels from semester to semester
- Attendance is strongly recommended: students who do not attend language courses may nevertheless be permitted to take the end of semester test
- Exemption is provided only if students can demonstrate with International certifications (subject to an assessment of the date they were issued) that they have attained at least a full B2 level of language proficiency (DELF B2, DELE B2)
Legal English (alternative to the optional second language)

• At the end of the second year (June 2017) students will be required to enter their Web Self Service area and select Legal English as an alternative to the optional second language or “Other activities”
• No exam with a grade out of thirty in order to have 4 credits, but rather a final language qualification
• Courses last for two semesters
• Course commencement: the 2nd semester of the fourth year
• End of course: the 1st semester of the fifth year
• Attendance is strongly recommended
• No exemptions