MASTER OF LAWS (LL.M.) IN
INTERNATIONAL
CRIME AND JUSTICE
APPLICATION DEADLINE 22 AUGUST 2013

UNIVERSITY OF TURIN
DEPARTMENT OF LAW

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1. Overview

The LL.M. in International Crime and Justice is jointly organized by the Department of Law at the University of Turin (UNITO) and the United Nations Interregional Crime and Justice Research Institute (UNICRI). It is designed for graduate students and young professionals who seek a deeper understanding of international criminal law and crime prevention instruments, as well as an increased knowledge of the role and function of international organizations and tribunals operating in this area. The LL.M. offers students a combination of academic training and practical experience in an unparalleled setting at the United Nations Campus in Turin. It aims to provide an in-depth knowledge of the theoretical and practical aspects of international instruments and tools for the prevention and punishment of international and transnational crimes such as war crimes, crimes against humanity, organized crime and terrorism. The course programme also undertakes an up-to-date analysis of the jurisprudence and activities of international criminal tribunals and special courts.

2. LL.M. Content

The LL.M. covers the following topics:

- International Criminal Law, also in relation to International Humanitarian Law
- International Criminal Jurisdictions and International Criminal Procedure
- Comparative Criminal Law
- Relationship between International Criminal Law and National Legislation
- Interstate Co-operation on Criminal Matters
- Transnational Organized Crime, in particular, Trafficking in Persons, Corruption and Terrorism
- Activities and Organizations of the United Nations System
3. Faculty

The lecturers are experts from nationally and internationally recognized academic and research institutions, as well as practitioners from the UN System and international courts. Among others, the following have provided lectures for the LL.M.:

Carmel A. Agius: Judge, Common Appeals Chamber, International Criminal Tribunals for the former Yugoslavia and Rwanda; Vice-President, International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia

Franz Baumann: Assistant Secretary-General for General Assembly and Conference Management, United Nations

Fatou Bensouda: Chief Prosecutor, International Criminal Court

Antonio Cassese: Former President, Special Tribunal for Lebanon; Former President, International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia

Antonio Maria Costa: Former Under-Secretary-General, United Nations; Former Executive Director, United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime

Staffan de Mistura: Former Deputy Minister, Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs; Former UN Special Representative of the Secretary General for Afghanistan and Head, United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan

Luis Moreno Ocampo: Former Chief Prosecutor, International Criminal Court

Visiting Professor, Stanford University and Harvard University

William G. O’Neill: Programme Director for the Conflict Prevention and Peace Forum, Social Science Research Council

Alphons Orie: Judge, Trial Chamber, International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia

Fausto Pocar: Judge and former President of the International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia; President, International Institute of Humanitarian Law

Guido Raimondi: Vice President of the European Court of Human Rights

Robert Roth: Presiding Judge, Trial Chamber, Special Tribunal for Lebanon

Yves Sandoz: Member, International Committee of the Red Cross; Professor of International Humanitarian Law, University of Fribourg and Geneva Academy of International Humanitarian Law and Human Rights

William Schabas: Honorary Chairman, Irish Centre for Human Rights, National University of Ireland; Chair in International Criminal Law and Human Rights, Leiden Law School; Professor of International Law, Middlesex University, London

Wolfgang Schomburg: Former Judge, Common Appeals Chamber, International Criminal Tribunals for the former Yugoslavia and Rwanda; Former Judge, Federal Court of Justice of Germany; Honorary Professor of Law, Durham University

Cornelio Sommaruga: Honorary President, Geneva International Centre for Humanitarian Demining

Former President, International Committee of the Red Cross

Cuno Jacob Tarfusser: Second Vice-President of the International Criminal Court

Christian Tomuschat: Former Member, UN Human Rights Committee and UN International Law Commission; Professor Emeritus, Humboldt University, Berlin
4. METHODOLOGY

The LL.M. adopts an interdisciplinary approach integrating theory and practice, and a socratic method of instruction favouring active exchanges between participants, tutors and lecturers. The e-learning module (November 2013-January 2014) provides the students with the solid foundations needed to fully participate in the on-campus phase. This is achieved through an electronic platform that allows them to work from their own countries. The e-learning activities are followed by the on-campus module (January-July 2014) which offers a combination of theoretical lectures, seminars and practical exercises. These include a mock trial, a moot court, field exercises with the Italian Army, and other activities organized in co-operation with international organizations, NGOs, research institutions, military training centres, and other entities of the UN system. In addition, a final research paper must be defended in July. Attendance is compulsory and students must attain the minimum designate average stipulated for the on-campus lectures.

5. CAREER GUIDANCE AND PROFESSIONAL ORIENTATION

As part of the LL.M., students have the possibility to benefit from career guidance and professional orientation in the UN System that includes, amongst others, an outreach session, with individual consultations, by representatives of the United Nations Volunteers (UNV) programme.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Candidates must meet the following requirements:
- Hold at least a three-year university degree issued by an internationally recognized university in Law, Political Science, International Relations, Criminology, or equivalent disciplines
- Have a very good working knowledge of English (both spoken and written)

6. FEES AND SCHOLARSHIPS

The fees for the LL.M. are € 7,000 (inclusive of € 567.62 for matriculation fee at the UNITO) and are required to be paid upon confirmation of acceptance by the selected candidate no later than 1 October 2013. The fees are not refundable.

A number of full and/or partial scholarships will be available. Scholarships will preferably be awarded to women and candidates from developing countries, based on merit. Such candidates requesting scholarship will be identified by the Scientific Committee.
7. HOW TO APPLY

All applicants must submit a duly filled application form available on www.unicri.it together with the supporting documents listed in the LL.M. webpage. Please note that due to the high number of requests, incomplete applications will not be considered. The application procedure is structured as follows:

- The electronic copy of the complete application must be received by the LL.M. Administrative Office at llm@unicri.it by 22 August 2013 11:00 p.m. (GMT+1).
- The paper copy of the application must be received by 30 August 2013 at the following address:
  LL.M. in International Crime and Justice
  UNICRI
  Viale Maestri del Lavoro 10
  10127 Turin, ITALY

Students encountering difficulties in accessing the ordinary mail system can contact the LL.M. Administrative Office to seek further assistance. Applications are reviewed on the basis of the paper copy and the documentation received. Please note that electronic applications not accompanied by their complete paper version will not be considered. Late applications may be considered at the Scientific Committee's discretion.

The LL.M. Administrative Office will notify each candidate via e-mail about the results of the selection between 18 and 20 September 2013.

8. SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE

The Members of the Scientific Committee are:

Edoardo Greppi: Professor of International Law, University of Turin
Director of the LL.M. in International Crime and Justice
Gianmaria Ajani: Rector, University of Turin
Professor of Comparative Law, University of Turin
Fabio Armao: Professor of International Relations, University of Turin
Mario Deaglio: Professor of International Economics, University of Turin
Jonathan Lucas: Director, UNICRI
Giuseppina Maddaluno: Head, Training and Advanced Education Unit, UNICRI
Alberto Oddenino: Professor of International Law, University of Turin
Michele Papa: Professor of Criminal Law and Comparative Criminal Law, University of Florence; Visiting Professor of International and Comparative Criminal Law, Columbia University
Marco Pedrazzi: Professor of International Law, University of Milan
Fausto Pocar: Judge and former President of the International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia; President, International Institute of Humanitarian Law
Roberto Rivello: Judge; Coordinator of the teaching programme of the LL.M. in International Crime and Justice
**UNICRI**

The United Nations Interregional Crime and Justice Research Institute (UNICRI), was established in 1968. It is mandated to contribute through research, training, field activities and the collection, exchange and dissemination of information, to the formulation and implementation of improved policies in the field of crime prevention and control. Special focus is paid to the integration of such within broader policies for socio-economic change and development, and to the protection of human rights.

UNICRI’s goals are: to advance understanding of crime-related problems; to foster just and efficient criminal justice systems; to support the respect of international instruments and standards and to facilitate international law enforcement co-operation and judicial assistance.

The current priorities include, inter alia, activities related to justice reform, prevention and control of international crimes including terrorism, transnational organized crime, illicit trafficking, counterfeiting, corruption, crimes against the environment and cyber crimes.

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**UNITO**

Founded in 1404, the University of Turin has grown to become one of the most prestigious colleges in Italy. Current numbers include 70,000 undergraduate students, 1,800 post-graduate and doctoral students, 4,000 faculty members, 12 departments and 70 libraries. The University actively promotes culture, research, innovation and training.

The University of Turin prides itself of many distinguished alumni, from Erasmus of Rotterdam in 1506, to many leading 20th Century Italian social and political figures, including two Presidents of the Republic and three Nobel Laureates. Its Faculty of Jurisprudence was among the first in Italy, established more than six centuries ago. Illustrious former professors of the Law School include Pasquale Stanislas Mancini, Francesco Ruffini, Luigi Einaudi, Gaetano Mosca and Norberto Bobbio.

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