

LL.M.

English language requirements guide

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The LL.M. in French and European Union Law is taught in English

If English is not your first language, you will need to demonstrate that you have the skills and competencies to take part in class discussions, to understand the complexity of legal lectures and seminars and to succeed in your assignments. You must therefore prove a high knowledge of English to apply to the LL.M. program.

There are three ways to prove your knowledge of English :

- provide an approved proficiency test
- provide an approved international English language qualification
- meet our exemption criteria



I. ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY TESTS

There are many English language tests available, you need to take one of the tests we recognize.

Details of the minimum scores we accept in these tests, and how they compare to IELTS, are listed below.

English language tests should be no more than two years old on the start date of the LL.M. program.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE LL.M. PROGRAM :

IELTS (overall)	Reading	Listening	Speaking	Writing
6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.0

IELTS (Academic)

Lower	Standard	Higher
Overall: 6.0	Overall: 6.5	Overall: 7.0
Writing: 6.0	Writing: 6.0	Writing: 7.0
Listening: 5.5	Listening: 5.5	Listening: 7.0
Reading: 5.5	Reading: 5.5	Reading: 7.0
Speaking: 5.5	Speaking: 5.5	Speaking: 7.0

Pearson (PTE Academic)

Lower	Standard	Higher
Overall: 56	Overall: 62	Overall: 67
Writing: 56	Writing: 56	Writing: 62
Listening: 56	Listening: 56	Listening: 62
Reading: 56	Reading: 56	Reading: 62
Speaking: 56	Speaking: 56	Speaking: 62

TOEFL (iBT)

Lower	Standard	Higher
Overall: 78	Overall: 88	Overall: 98
Writing: 23	Writing: 23	Writing: 27
Listening: 19	Listening: 21	Listening: 24
Reading: 18	Reading: 20	Reading: 24
Speaking: 18	Speaking: 20	Speaking: 23

Cambridge Advanced Certificate in English (CAE)

Lower	Standard	Higher
Overall: 169	Overall: 176	Overall: 185
Writing: 169	Writing: 169	Writing: 176
Listening: 169	Listening: 169	Listening: 176
Reading: 169	Reading: 169	Reading: 176
Speaking: 169	Speaking: 169	Speaking: 176

Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English (CPE)

Lower	Standard	Higher
Overall: 169	Overall: 176	Overall: 185
Writing: 169	Writing: 169	Writing: 176
Listening: 169	Listening: 169	Listening: 176
Reading: 169	Reading: 169	Reading: 176
Speaking: 169	Speaking: 169	Speaking: 176

II. FIRST DEGREE TAUGHT IN ENGLISH

If your prior Academic degree was fully taught and assessed in English, and that you didn't study in one of the countries listed below, we may be able to accept this as evidence that you have met our English language requirements.

You will need to upload an official letter from your university to certify that the degree was fully taught and assessed in English.

III. ENGLISH LANGUAGE EXEMPTIONS

If you are a national of a majority English speaking countries listed below, you are exempted from providing an English language test.

- Antigua and Barbuda
- Australia
- Bahamas
- Barbados
- Belize
- Canada
- Dominica
- Grenada
- Guyana
- Ireland
- Jamaica
- Malta
- New Zealand
- St Kitts and Nevis
- St Lucia
- St Vincent and the Grenadines
- Trinidad and Tobago
- UK
- USA





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