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# Fordham University, New York

## Study Plans

### Non-binding example of track for "profilo Amministrativo" students interested in LLM – BANKING, CORPORATE, AND FINANCE LAW

***This proposal, based on a table of correspondences, would cover both the required and optional courses indicated here below, according to Cattolica's study plan for "profilo Amministrativo":***

- Diritto tributario (9 ECTS)
- Diritto privato comparato or Diritto pubblico comparato or Diritto commerciale comparato (9 ECTS)
- Diritto commerciale II or Diritto industriale or Diritto bancario or Diritto della crisi d'impresa (9 ECTS)
- Diritto della crisi d'impresa (9 ECTS) or Economia pubblica (7 ECTS) or Economia e diritto della concorrenza e del mercato (8 ECTS) or Diritto ambientale (8 ECTS) or Diritto dei contratti pubblici (8 ECTS)

The final thesis (21 ECTS) will be prepared and discussed at Università Cattolica upon return from the year abroad, in accordance with the rules set by the Faculty Board.

### Structure of LL.M – BANKING, CORPORATE, AND FINANCE LAW – Specific required courses:

The 24-credit minimum must include:

**A.** The **12-credits Specialization Distribution Course** requirement include at least two of the following four Core Distribution Courses:

- **Corporations 4 Cr**

at least one of the following Core Distribution Courses:

- International/Global Banking Law
- Fundamentals of Private Equity Fund Formation
- Federal Regulation of Investment Companies
- Regulation of Financial Institutions
- Market Structure Regulation, Trading and Risk Management
- Banking Regulation and Enforcement

*Remaining credits needed to fulfill the 12-credit Specialization Distribution requirement must be chosen from among the wide selection of Specialization Distribution Courses approved for the Banking, Corporate, and Finance Law program (courses designated 'BCF' on the class schedule available on the Registrar's website).*

### **B. Additional required courses:**

All LL.M. students are required to complete the following course:

- Quantitative Methods for Graduate Students (required in first semester of study) 1 Cr



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**C.**All LL.M. students who do not hold a J.D. from a U.S. law school are additionally required to take the following courses:

- Introduction to the U.S. Legal System and Process (required in first semester of study) 3 Cr
- Legal Writing and Research for LLM Students (required in first semester of study) 2 Cr
- Introduction to the U.S. Legal Profession 2 Cr
- At least 6 credits of Content Outline courses 6 Cr
- Fundamental Lawyering Skills for LLM Students 3 Cr
- 2 credits of experiential coursework 2 Cr

### **Example of Study Plan for UCSC “profilo Amministrativo” students & LLM – BANKING, CORPORATE, AND FINANCE LAW**

#### **1 SEMESTER**

- Corporations (4 Credits)
- Regulation of Financial Institutions (3 Credits)
- Quantitative Methods for Graduate Students (1 Credit)
- Introduction to the U.S. Legal System and Process (3 Credits)
- Legal Writing and Research for LLM Students (2 Credits)
- Introduction to the U.S. Legal Profession (2 Credits)

#### **2 SEMESTER**

- Income Tax (4 Credits)
- Introduction to US Contract Law (4 Credits)
- Fundamental Lawyering Skills for LLM Students (3 Credits)
- 2 credits of experiential coursework (2 Credits)

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## **Non-binding example of track for "profilo Forense" students interested in LLM – BANKING, CORPORATE, AND FINANCE LAW**

This proposal, based on a table of correspondences, would cover both the required and optional courses indicated here below, according to Cattolica's study plan for "profile Forense":

- Diritto tributario (9 ECTS)
- Diritto privato comparato or Diritto pubblico comparato or Diritto commerciale comparato (9 ECTS)
- Diritto commerciale II or Diritto industriale or Diritto bancario or Diritto della crisi d'impresa(9 ECTS)
- Diritto dei mercati finanziari(9 ECTS)
- un insegnamento a scelta(6 ECTS)
- altre attività formative(3 ECTS)

The final thesis (21 ECTS) will be prepared and discussed at Università Cattolica upon return from the year abroad, in accordance with the rules set by the Faculty Board.

### **Structure of LL.M – BANKING, CORPORATE, AND FINANCE LAW - Specific required courses:**

The **24-credit minimum** must include:

**A.** The **12-credits Specialization Distribution Course** requirement include at least two of the following four Core Distribution Courses:

- **Corporations 4 Cr**

at least one of the following Core Distribution Courses:

- International/Global Banking Law
- Fundamentals of Private Equity Fund Formation
- Federal Regulation of Investment Companies
- Regulation of Financial Institutions
- Market Structure Regulation, Trading and Risk Management
- Banking Regulation and Enforcement

*Remaining credits needed to fulfill the 12-credit Specialization Distribution requirement must be chosen from among the wide selection of Specialization Distribution Courses approved for the Banking, Corporate, and Finance Law program (courses designated 'BCF' on the class schedule available on the Registrar's website).*

### **B. Additional required courses:**

All LL.M. students are required to complete the following course:

- Quantitative Methods for Graduate Students (required in first semester of study) 1 Cr

**C.** All LL.M. students who do not hold a J.D. from a U.S. law school are additionally required to take the following courses:

- Introduction to the U.S. Legal System and Process (required in first semester of study) 3 Cr
- Legal Writing and Research for LLM Students (required in first semester of study) 2 Cr
- Introduction to the U.S. Legal Profession 2 Cr
- At least 6 credits of Content Outline courses 6 Cr
- Fundamental Lawyering Skills for LLM Students 3 Cr
- 2 credits of experiential coursework 2 Cr



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## **Example of Study Plan for UCSC “profilo Forense” students & LLM – BANKING, CORPORATE, AND FINANCE LAW**

### **1 SEMESTER**

- Corporations (4 Credits)
- Regulation of Financial Institutions (3 Credits)
- Quantitative Methods for Graduate Students (1 Credit)
- Introduction to the U.S. Legal System and Process (3 Credits)
- Legal Writing and Research for LLM Students (2 Credits)
- Introduction to the U.S. Legal Profession (2 Credits)

### **2 SEMESTER**

- Income tax (4 Credits)
- Introduction to US Contract Law (4 Credits)
- Fundamental Lawyering Skills for LLM Students (3 Credits)
- 2 credits of experiential coursework (2 Credits)
- Advanced Business Law WR REQ (1 Credit)

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## **Non-binding example of track for "profilo D'impresa" students interested in LLM – BANKING, CORPORATE, AND FINANCE LAW**

This proposal, based on a table of correspondences, would cover both the required and optional courses indicated here below, according to Cattolica's study plan for "profilo D'impresa":

- Diritto tributario (9 ECTS)
- Diritto privato comparato *or* Diritto pubblico comparato *or* Diritto commerciale comparato (9 ECTS)
- Diritto della crisi d'impresa (9 ECTS)
- insegnamento a scelta *or* altre attività formative (6 ECTS)

The final thesis (21 ECTS) will be prepared and discussed at Università Cattolica upon return from the year abroad, in accordance with the rules set by the Faculty Board.

### **Structure of LL.M – BANKING, CORPORATE, AND FINANCE LAW - Specific required courses:**

The **24-credit minimum** must include:

**A. The 12-credits *Specialization Distribution Course*** requirement include at least two of the following four Core Distribution Courses:

- Corporations 4 Cr

at least one of the following Core Distribution Courses:

- International/Global Banking Law
- Fundamentals of Private Equity Fund Formation
- Federal Regulation of Investment Companies
- Regulation of Financial Institutions
- Market Structure Regulation, Trading and Risk Management
- Banking Regulation and Enforcement

*Remaining credits needed to fulfill the 12-credit Specialization Distribution requirement must be chosen from among the wide selection of Specialization Distribution Courses approved for the Banking, Corporate, and Finance Law program (courses designated 'BCF' on the class schedule available on the Registrar's website).*

**B. Additional required courses:**

All LL.M. students are required to complete the following course:

- Quantitative Methods for Graduate Students (required in first semester of study) 1 Cr

**C. All LL.M. students who do not hold a J.D. from a U.S. law school are additionally required to take the following courses:**

- Introduction to the U.S. Legal System and Process (required in first semester of study) 3 Cr
- Legal Writing and Research for LLM Students (required in first semester of study) 2 Cr
- Introduction to the U.S. Legal Profession 2 Cr
- At least 6 credits of Content Outline courses 6 Cr
- Fundamental Lawyering Skills for LLM Students 3 Cr
- 2 credits of experiential coursework 2 Cr



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## **Example of Study Plan for UCSC “profilo D’impresa” students & LLM – BANKING, CORPORATE, AND FINANCE LAW**

### **1 SEMESTER**

- Corporations (4 Credits)
- Regulation of Financial Institutions (3 Credits)
- Quantitative Methods for Graduate Students (1 credit)
- Introduction to the U.S. Legal System and Process (3 Credits)
- Legal Writing and Research for LLM Students (2 Credits)
- Introduction to the U.S. Legal Profession (2 Credits)

### **2 SEMESTER**

- Income Tax (4 Credits)
- Bankruptcy (4 Credits)
- Fundamental Lawyering Skills for LLM Students (3 Credits)
- 2 credits of experiential coursework (2 Credits)
- Additional Specialization Distribution course "Advanced Business Law - WR REQ(1 Credit)

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## Non-binding example of track for "profilo Internazionale" students interested in LLM – US LAW

***This proposal, based on a table of correspondences, would cover both the required and optional courses indicated here below, according to Cattolica's study plan for "profilo Internazionale":***

- Diritto commerciale II (9 ECTS)
- Diritto del commercio internazionale (9 ECTS)
- Diritti dell'uomo (6 ECTS) or Diritto internazionale penale (6 ECTS) or Diritto internazionale privato (9 ECTS) or Diritto internazionale pubblico (9 ECTS) or Insurance Law and Regulation (6 ECTS) or Law of international Arbitration (4 ECTS) or Organizzazione internazionale (6 ECTS) or Teoria generale del diritto internazionale pubblico: questioni attuali (5 ECTS) or Transnational Business Law (8 ECTS)

The final thesis (21 ECTS) will be prepared and discussed at Università Cattolica upon return from the year abroad, in accordance with the rules set by the Faculty Board.

### **Structure of LL.M – US LAW - Specific required courses:**

The 24-credit minimum must include:

**A.** The **12-credits** *Specialization Distribution Course* requirement include at least two of the following Core Courses:

- International Law
- International Business Transactions
- International Trade Law

**B.** *Additional required courses:*

All LL.M. students are required to complete the following course:

- Quantitative Methods for Graduate Students (required in first semester of study) 1 Cr

**C.** All LL.M. students who do not hold a J.D. from a U.S. law school are additionally required to take the following courses:

- Introduction to the U.S. Legal System and Process (required in first semester of study) 3 Cr
- Legal Writing and Research for LLM Students (required in first semester of study) 2 Cr
- Introduction to the U.S. Legal Profession 2 Cr
- At least 6 credits of Content Outline courses 6 Cr
- Fundamental Lawyering Skills for LLM Students 3 Cr
- 2 credits of experiential coursework 2 Cr

## **Example of Study Plan for UCSC "profilo Internazionale" students & LLM – US LAW**

### **1 SEMESTER**

- Corporations (4 Credits)
- Quantitative Methods for Graduate Students (1 Credit)
- Introduction to the U.S. Legal System and Process (3 Credits)
- Legal Writing and Research for LLM Students (2 Credits)
- Introduction to US Contract Law (4 Credits)



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## 2 SEMESTER

- Fundamental Lawyering Skills for LLM Students (3 Credits)
- Fundamental Lawyering Skills for LLM Students (3 Credits)
- Litigation Management for the International Lawyer (3 Credits)
- Experiential Course (2 Credits)  
(International Arbitration Practicum or International Business Transactions: A Practical Perspective)
- Introduction to the U.S. Legal Profession (2 Credits)
- Income Tax Law (4 Credits)

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## **Non-binding example of track for "profilo Penalistico-criminologico" students interested in LLM – INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS AND TRADE LAW**

***This proposal, based on a table of correspondences, would cover both the required and optional courses indicated here below, according to Cattolica's study plan for "profilo Penalistico-criminologico":***

- Diritto tributario (9 ECTS)
- Diritto privato comparato or Diritto pubblico comparato or Diritto commerciale comparato (9 ECTS)
- Diritto commerciale II (9 ECTS)
- Diritto penale commerciale or Diritto penale della famiglia e dei minori or Giustizia riparativa or Medicina legale
- or Psicologia giuridica (9 ECTS)
- altre attività formative

The final thesis (21 ECTS) will be prepared and discussed at Università Cattolica upon return from the year abroad, in accordance with the rules set by the Faculty Board.

### **Structure of LL.M – INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS AND TRADE LAW - Specific required courses:**

The **24-credit minimum** must include:

**A.** The **12-credits Specialization Distribution Course** requirement include at least two of the following four Core Distribution Courses:

- **European Union Law / European Union Business Law**
- International Business Transactions 3 Cr
- International Law 3 Cr (WR REQ)
- International Trade Regulation/ International Trade Law 3 Cr

*Remaining credits needed to fulfill the 12-credit Specialization Distribution requirement must be chosen from among the wide selection of Specialization Distribution Courses of this Master.*

**B.** The **12-credits Additional required courses:**

**All LL.M. students are required to complete the following course:**

- Quantitative Methods for Graduate Students (required in first semester of study) 1 Cr

**C.** All LL.M. students who do not hold a J.D. from a U.S. law school are additionally required to take the following courses:

- Introduction to the U.S. Legal System and Process (required in first semester of study) 3 Cr
- Legal Writing and Research for LLM Students (required in first semester of study) 2 Cr
- Introduction to the U.S. Legal Profession 2 Cr
- At least 6 credits of Content Outline courses 6 Cr
- Fundamental Lawyering Skills for LLM Students 3 Cr
- 2 credits of experiential coursework 2 Cr



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## **Example of Study Plan for UCSC “profilo Penalistico-criminologico” students & LLM – INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS AND TRADE LAW**

### **1 SEMESTER**

- Quantitative Methods for Graduate Students (1 Credit)
- Introduction to the U.S. Legal System and Process (3 Credits)
- Legal Writing and Research for LLM Students (2 Credits)
- Introduction to the U.S. Legal Profession (2 Credits)
- Income Tax (4 Credits)
- International Business Transactions (3 Credits)

### **2 SEMESTER**

- International Law (3 Credits)
- Introduction to US Contract Law (4 Credits)
- Additional Content Outline course (3 Credits)
- Fundamental Lawyering Skills for LLM Students (3 Credits)
- 2 credits of experiential coursework (2 Credits)

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