

**LL.M. Program Requirements  
LL.M. and Exchange Students  
Fall 2009**

As an LL.M. or an exchange student, you are allowed to take many different courses in both the day and evening division of the Law School. However, there are some courses you **MUST** take and some courses you are **NOT ALLOWED** to take. Please read the following information carefully.

**1. Writing Requirements for LL.Ms**

LAW Seminar of Your Choice \*

- \* *Regular program students may satisfy this requirement in the fall or spring term.*
- \* *For Bangkok, Shanghai, and Beijing (CUPL) students, this requirement is fulfilled by your grade in Introduction to Legal Research and Writing (Spring 2008)*
- \* *For Beijing (BLA) students, Legal Writing IV for International LL.Ms may be taken to satisfy the seminar requirement.*
- \* *All students are permitted to take seminar(s) if they wish to do so.*
- \* *IIP and FS students must meet their writing requirements according to their program rules – see Attachments A and B.*

**2. Required Fall Courses for International and Comparative Law (ICLP) Students:**

LAW 210 Introduction to the American Legal System (F – 9:35am-11:25am)  
LAW 430 Comparative Law

MWTh – 1:55pm-2:50pm for most LL.M's including Bangkok students.  
(430-01)

MTTh – 1:55pm-2:50pm for Shanghai and Beijing students only. (430-02)

**3. Required Fall Courses for International Intellectual Property Law Students:**

LAW 210 Introduction to the American Legal System (F - 9:35am-11:25am)  
LAW Graduate Seminar

***SEE ATTACHMENT A FOR OTHER COURSE REQUIREMENTS***

**4. Required Fall Courses for Financial Services Law Students:**

LAW 210 Introduction to the American Legal System (F - 9:35am-11:25am) (*not required for students with a U.S. JD Law Degree*)  
LAW 801 Securities Regulation (M – 6:00-9:00pm) or  
LAW 802 Futures Regulation (Tu 6:00 – 9:00pm)

***SEE ATTACHMENT B FOR OTHER COURSE REQUIREMENTS***

**5. Required Courses for Exchange Program Students:**

There are no required courses for Exchange Students. However, we strongly suggest that you take Introduction to the American Legal System, as this is a required course to earn the LL.M. degree, and if you want to return to Chicago-Kent to finish your degree, it is helpful to get it out of the way now since it is not offered in the spring term.

**6. LL.M. and Exchange Students may NOT take the JD Legal Writing Courses, but ALL LL.M. and Exchange Students may take the following Fall Legal Writing course:**

LAW118      Legal Writing 4 for International LL.M. Students (Days and Time TBA)\*

*\* Note that this course will satisfy the seminar requirement for all ICLP students*

*\*\* Special program students who took Intro to Legal Research and Writing in spring 2008 are only permitted to enroll in this course if space permits.*

**7. Professional Responsibility is NOT a required course for LL.M. or Exchange Students.**

*The enclosed course schedule contains only those classes that LL.M. and Exchange Students are eligible to take.*

*It is posted at: <http://www.kentlaw.edu/international/llm/newstudents/> for your convenience.*

*Please be aware that the regular course schedule found online contains courses that are not open to LL.Ms or Exchange students. Please refer to the LL.M. course schedule (not the regular schedule) to preliminarily select your fall courses; final course selection will be done during Orientation week with guidance from the program directors and Dean Lazar.*