

BA (Hons) Legal Studies and Management Top-Up Programme (2 Years P/T) – LM312

1. Objectives

The programme is designed for students to:

- further their knowledge of law,
- equip them with managerial skills in order to allow them to progress in their career,
- better perform their duties, and
- widen their career prospects.

2. General Entry Requirements

As per General Entry Requirements for admission to the University for Undergraduate Degrees
O'Level in French

3. Programme requirements

A Diploma in either:

- (i) Legal studies, or
- (ii) Legal studies with Court Administration, or
- (iii) Law with Management

Or

Any other Diploma/equivalent qualification acceptable to the University Senate.

4. Programme Duration

	Normal (Years)	Maximum (Years)
Degree:	2	5

5. Credits per semester

Each module is a 3 credit module. Minimum: 9, maximum: 12

6. Minimum Credits Required for Award of Undergraduate Degree: 42

Breakdown as follows:

Degree (2 years)	(Minimum) Core Taught Modules	Dissertation (equivalent to 2 modules)	Elective (In lieu of Dissertation)	Total
	36	6	-	42
	36	-	6	42

The University of Mauritius reserves the right not to offer a given elective module if the critical number of students is not attained and/or for reasons of resource constraints”.

7. Assessment

Each module will carry 100 marks and will be assessed as follows (unless otherwise specified): Assessment will be based on a written examination of 2-hour duration and continuous assessment carrying a range of 20% to 30% of total marks.

Continuous assessment may be based on 2 assignments and /or one class test per module per year.

For a student to pass a module, an overall total of 40% for combined continuous assessment and written examination components would be required without minimum thresholds within the individual continuous assessment and written examination.

Dissertation will carry 6 credits

8. List of Modules

Code	Module Name	Hrs/Wk L+P	Credits
CORE MODULES			
LAWS 1107(1)	Administrative Law	3+0	3
LAWS 1204(1)	General Principles of Public International Law	3+0	3
MGT 3265 (5)	Economics for Business Decisions	3+0	3
LAWS 3220	Corporate Governance	3+0	3
LAWS 2203(3)	Intellectual Property Law	3+0	3
MGT 3266 (3)	Human Resource Management for Legal Executives	3+0	3
LAWS 4101	Droit des Affaires 1	3+0	3
MGT 4116 (5)	Marketing Legal Services	3+0	3
MGT 4117 (5)	Business Ethics	3+0	3
LAWS 2205(3)	Law of Insolvency and Corporate Reorganisation	3+0	3
LAWS 4206	Droit des Affaires 2	3+0	3
MGT4118 (5)	Strategic Management for Legal Services	3+0	3
LAWS 3000Y(5)	Dissertation	6	6
ELECTIVE MODULES			
LAWS 3204(5)	Industrial Relations Law	3+0	3
LAWS 4102	Anti Corruption Laws	3+0	3
LAWS 4103	Criminology	3+0	3
LAWS 4104	Environmental Law	3+0	3
ACF 1302(1)	Introduction to Finance	3+0	3
LAWS 3200(5)	Dispute Resolution Mechanisms	3+0	3
LAWS 2104(3)	Company Law	3+0	3
LAWS 2204(3)	Revenue Law	3+0	3
LAWS 2103(3)	Law of Trusts	3+0	3
DFA 3104(3)	Principles & Applications of Business Taxation	3+0	3

9. Programme Plan

YEAR I

Semester I Code	Module Name	Hrs/Wk L+P	Credits
CORE			
LAWS 1107(1)	Administrative Law	3+0	3
LAWS 1204(1)	General Principles of Public International Law	3+0	3
MGT 3265 (5)	Economics for Business Decisions	3+0	3

Semester II Code	Module Name	Hrs/Wk L+P	Credits
CORE			
LAWS 3220	Corporate Governance	3+0	3
LAWS 2203(3)	Intellectual Property Law	3+0	3
MGT 3266 (3)	Human Resource Management for Legal Executives	3+0	3

YEAR II

Semester I Code	Module Name	Hrs/Wk L+P	Credits
CORE			
LAWS 4101	Droit des Affaires 1	3+0	3
MGT 4116 (5)	Marketing Legal Services	3+0	3
MGT 4117 (5)	Business Ethics	3+0	3
LAWS 3000Y(5)	Dissertation (OR two electives. Choose ONE of the two electives from below)**	-	6

ELECTIVES*			
LAWS 3204(5)	Industrial Relations Law	3+0	3
LAWS 4102	Anti Corruption Laws	3+0	3
LAWS 4103	Criminology	3+0	3
LAWS 4104	Environmental Law *	3+0	3
ACF 1302(1)	Introduction to Finance	3+0	3

Semester II Code	Module Name	Hrs/Wk L+P	Credits
CORE			
LAWS 2205(3)	Law of Insolvency and Corporate Reorganisation	3+0	3
LAWS 4206	Droit des Affaires 2	3+0	3
MGT4118 (5)	Strategic Management for Legal Services	3+0	3
LAWS 3000Y(5)	Dissertation (OR two electives. Choose ONE of the two electives from below)**	-	6

ELECTIVES**

LAWS 3200(5)	Dispute Resolution Mechanisms	3+0	3
LAWS 2104(3)	Company Law*	3+0	3
LAWS 2204(3)	Revenue Law *	3+0	3
LAWS 2103(3)	Law of Trusts*	3+0	3
DFA 3104(3)	Principles and Application of Business Taxation	3+0	3

NOTE:

* Students having previously completed the same module, or a module which is partly similar to this module, will not be allowed to choose this module as an elective.

Dissertation (LAWS 4000Y(5) is a 6-credit module taken over Semester 1 and Semester 2 of Year 2.

**Students may either choose Dissertation (LAWS 4000Y(5) as a 6-credit module for Year 2 or one elective module from Year 2 Semester 1 and another elective module from Year 2 Semester 2.