

In this master you will acquire indepth knowledge of the increasingly integrated European legal order. You will understand how the European Union and the variety of its institutions function. Perhaps more importantly, we provide you with the necessary knowledge and tools to think critically about current legal and political developments. You will be challenged to look at the future of European integration as a whole and the way it may shape in the future.

You will study the European Union and its role in regulating economic relations. Additional

courses look at the protection of fundamental rights in Europe, cooperation in areas of migration and criminal law, as well as the Union's position in the wider world.

Why choose European Law in Leiden?

- ➤ This programme mixes the Anglo-Saxon system with the continental EU approach. This is combined with a reallife understanding of how the European Union works, for example with study trips to Brussels, Strasbourg and Luxembourg.
- ➤ The programme distinguishes itself by its broad intra-disciplinary approach, covering institutional, constitutional as well as internal market and competition law of the EU in addition to human rights from an EU perspective.





- ► The European Law Moot Court Competition (ELMC) is the most prestigious moot court for European Law and Leiden has a proud tradition of participating and winning prizes.
- ▶ Public sector (local, national, EU institutions);
- ▶ NGOs;
- ► International organisations (Council of Europe, OECD, UN, ...);
- > Academia.

Career perspectives

Our programme provides a unique starting point for a European network and career.

Many of our alumni have successfully pursued an international career, for example at/in:

- ▶ law firms;
- Multinational companies (in-house lawyer consultant, public affairs, ...);

Stefaan van den Bogaert

Professor

Society needs lawyers who know how Brussels, Luxembourg and Strasbourg work. It is our aim to train lawyers who can find their way in the European legal order.

Overview courses

Semester I	Semester II
Interaction between Legal Systems – Globalizing law: legal reasoning in International, EU and national law (5 EC)	EU Internal Market and Competition Law (10 EC)
Choose from: 1. European Protection of Human Rights 2. EU External Relations Law 3. Europe's Area of Freedom, Security and Justice (5 EC)	Moot Court European Law - Practicum (10 EC)
EU Institutional Law & General Principles of EU Law (10 EC)	Thesis (10 EC)
Research Seminars in European Law - Privatissimum (10 EC)	

Facts & figures







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Mode of study: Full-time/ part-time



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