

CURRICULUM OVERVIEW – 60 ECTS

(more flexibility to design your **own** schedule)

CORE COURSES (40 ECTS)

FALL

- International Commercial Transactions
- Competition Law
- International Litigation and Arbitration
- Corporate Governance and ESG

SPRING

- International Company Law - International Taxation
- International Trade and Investment
- International Banking and Finance Law
- International Law of IP, IT and Data Protection

Exam period late January (Fall) and late May and June (Spring)

LL.M. Paper and Presentation (10 ECTS)

Paper maximum 6000 words (indicative - 40% of grade) and oral presentation with visual aid (indicative 60% of grade)

Format: flexible options of short research paper, client memo/advice, opinion, third party submission to court on matter of law, etc.

Timing can be either Fall or Spring – **you decide**

Option Fall: Topic by 1/11, Research Meeting with Supervisor by 1/12, Paper due 5/1, Oral end of January after exams in the exam period.

Option Spring: Topic by 20/3, Research Meeting with Supervisor by 20/4, Paper due 20/5, Oral in mid-June after exams in the exam period.

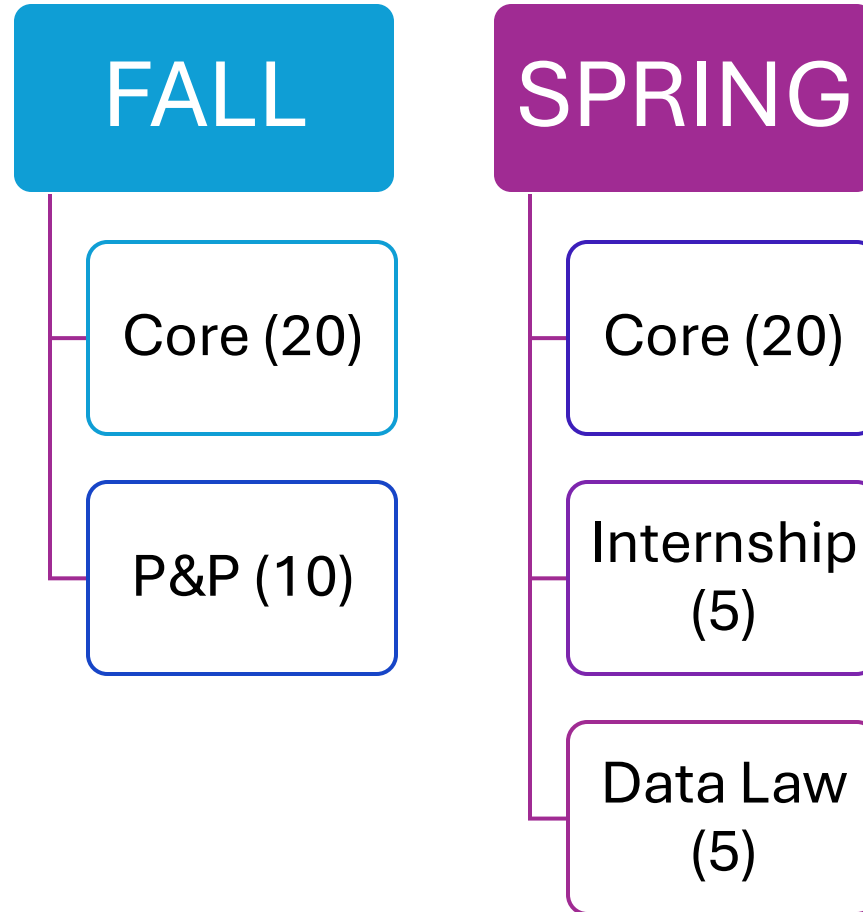
OPTIONAL MODULE (10 ECTS)

- Course(s) selected from faculty offerings either Fall or Spring (5 ECTS each course)
- Internship Fall or Spring (5 ECTS)
- Moot Court exclusively for LL.M. students (Full year option 10 ECTS, Fall option 5 ECTS, Spring option 5 ECTS)

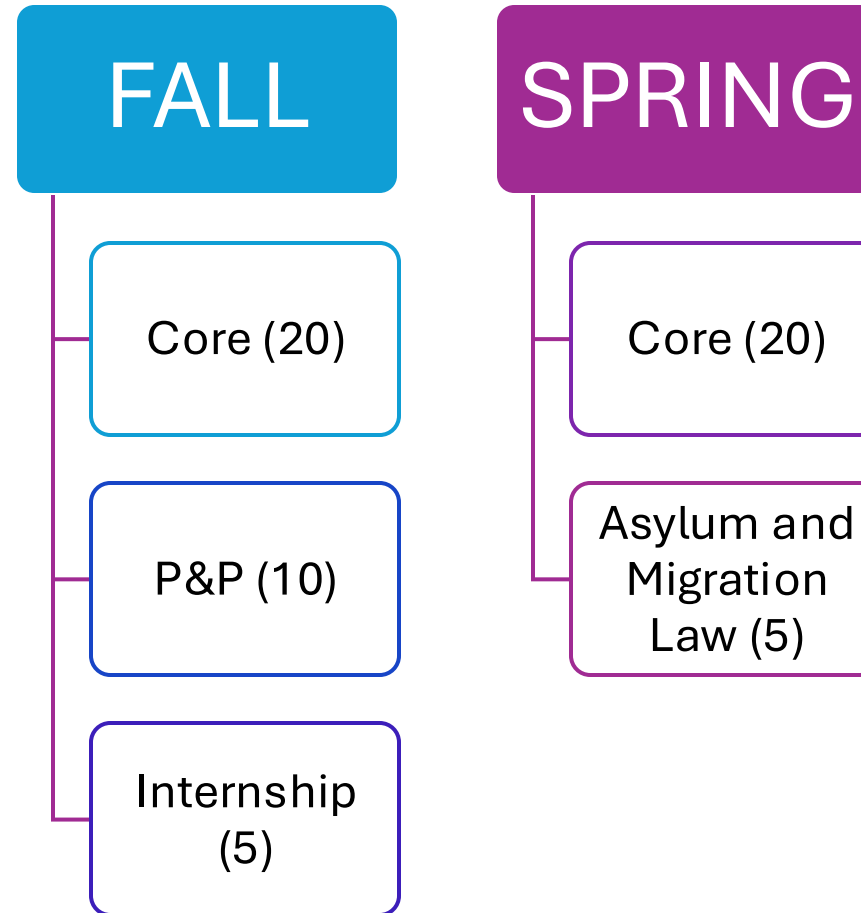
SOME PLANNING CONSIDERATIONS

- The option to do an internship second semester allows you **more time to find an internship**
- Maybe you already have an internship in Fall?
- The option to write your paper second semester allows you to have **more exposure to LL.M. subjects and faculty**
- There are **more optional courses** to select from **first semester** (though there are usually some very interesting ones second semester such as Data Law)
- Second semester is slightly longer and includes **2-week spring break**
- If you are a newcomer to Brussels, **do you need time to settle in?**
- Do you have plans over the winter holidays?
- You must satisfy at least 5 ECTS in addition to the core in the first semester

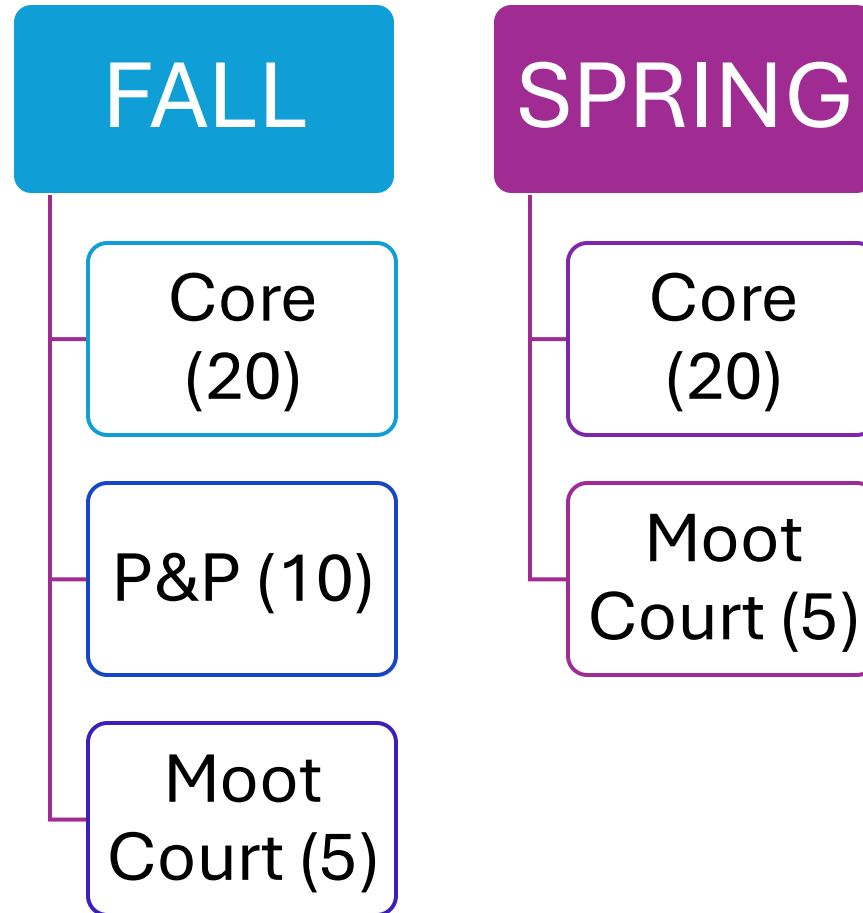
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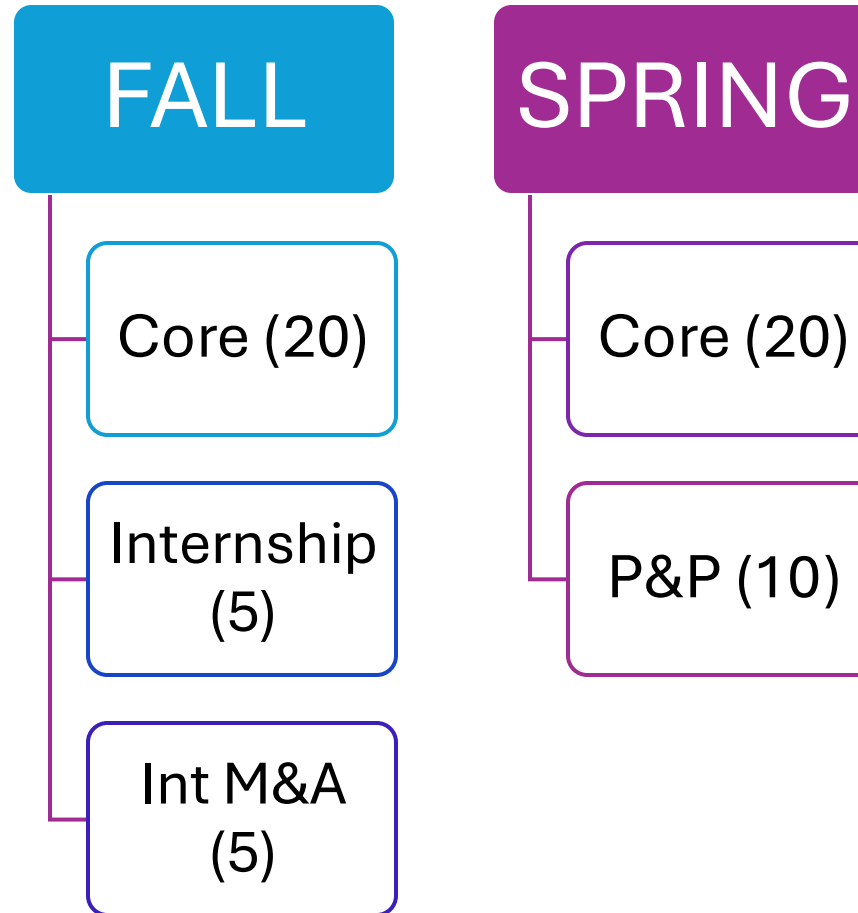
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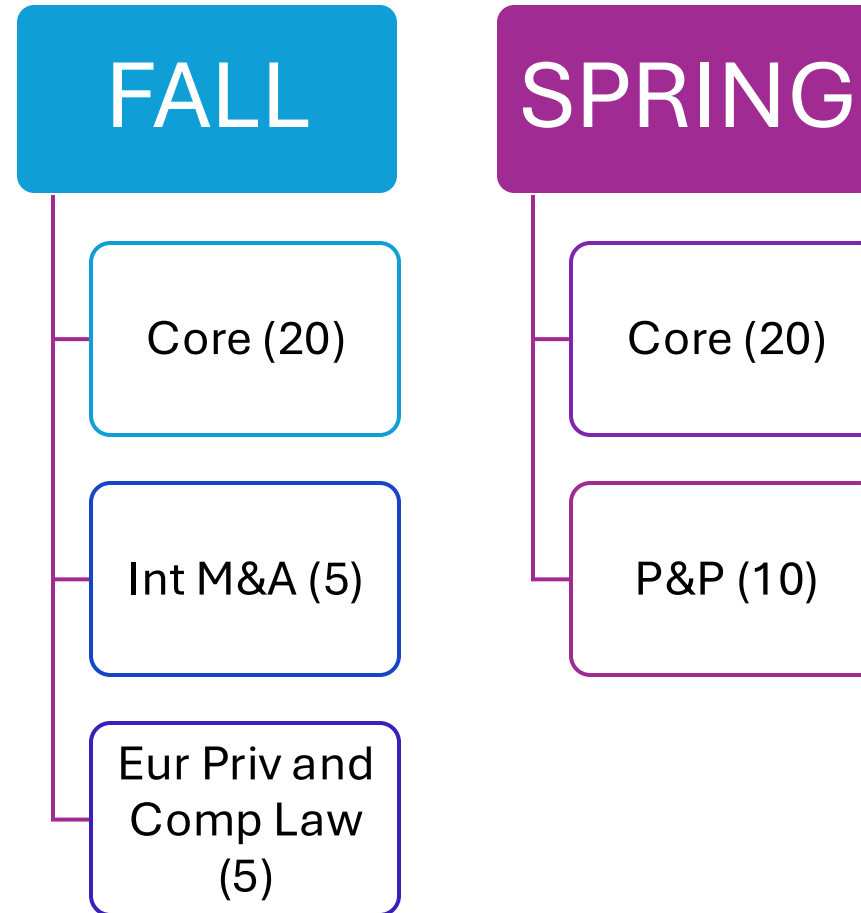
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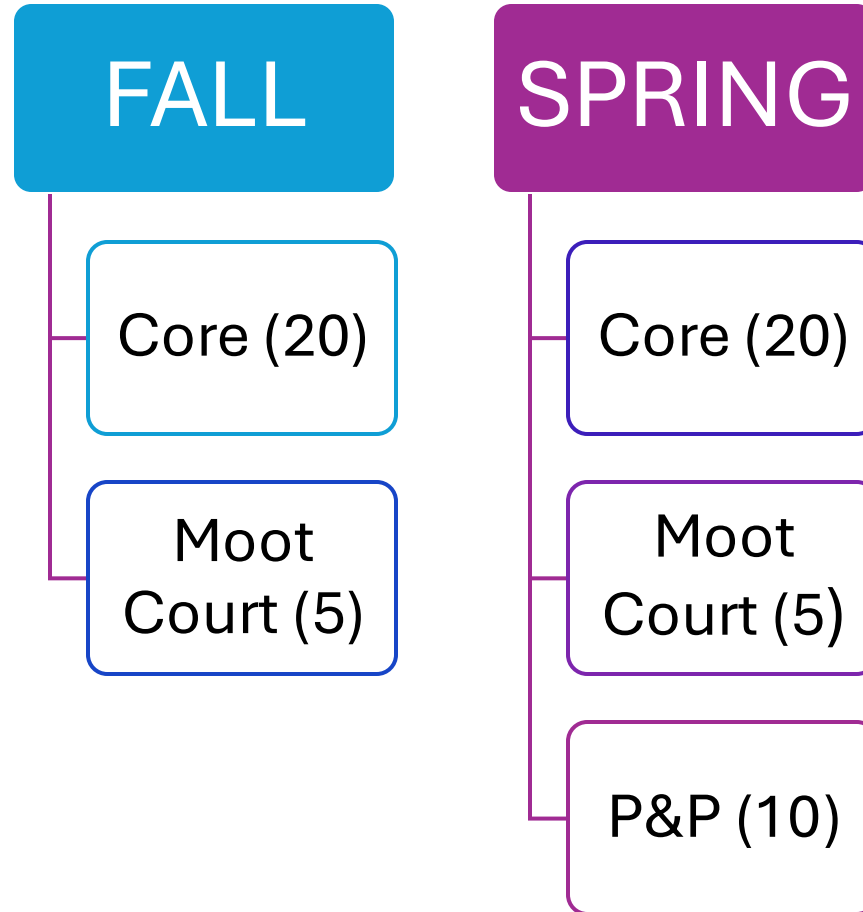
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MODEL SCHEDULES (heavier Spring)



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