

Name of the educational programme : LAW

Language : Georgian

Qualification: Bachelor of Law

ECTS credits:

Educational Programme is designed on the base of ECTS system. Oriented to students and based on academic workload which is needed to achieve the goals defined by the programme.

Educational programme of Law consists of 240 ECTS, 60 credits per year, 30 credits per semester, so the length of the Programme is 4 years or 8 semesters.

According to students individual workload, it can vary from 60 credits till 75.

Aims of the programme :

The aim of the educational programme of Law to offer the students:

- Wide theoretical knowledge regarding the systems of national law, about the main characteristics, principles, and institutes of national law, will give the knowledge of law principles in general, values, political, social, historical and philosophical aspects of law, also the knowledge about the national and international scientific thoughts and laws.
- Deep knowledge and special preparation in the field of public, private or/and criminal law.
- Updating own study, learning skills, communication skills, skills to be able to follow the changes in laws and new ideas in science.
- Skills for using effectively the knowledge got during the study in practical work. Other necessary skills for the specialty;
- Skills of solving problems independently in the field, also to estimate the tasks, analyze them, make a judgment.
- Skills to stream to formate ethical and law values in a society.
In the field of law to defense the equity, human rights, social and democratic values

Programme prerequisites :

To enter the educational programme of law allowed to the students, Georgian citizens having certificates in general education or the equal documents of it on the base of the results of centralized university entry examinations.

To enter the educational programme of Law without centralized university entry examination allowed according to the Georgian legislation.

To use the mobility procedure to be enrolled to the educational programme of Law possible twice in the year in deadline defined by the Ministry of Education and Science of Georgia following the obligatory procedure defined by the teaching university in certain deadline.

To be enrolled in the educational programme of Law, or to use the mobility from the accredited higher educational institutions abroad possible under the permission of the Ministry of Education and Science of Georgia.

Learning Outcomes :

- Have the wide knowledge of national systems of Law and their main specification, principles, and institutions and deep knowledge of the civil, private and criminal law.
- Has an understanding of the meaning and the role of Law, complex aspects of law and fundamental principles of law in the process of formation of law system.
- The graduate knows: methods of explanation; state structures and local governance aspects; human rights and freedom, main principles of international civil law; contractual and regulatory responsibilities; treasury laws; main principles of administrative law; meaning of crime; means and specifics of criminal responsibilities; civil, administrative and criminal proceeding; history of international and nation law and the historical resources of them.

- Able to implement the research or practical projects for the problem-solving in law with already defined instructions.

Has the ability to identify law problems, to look for normative basics of making a judgment, to explain them and the ability to use them

Able to make law documents (normative acts of projects, contracts, complaints, to sue an action and etc). **General competences:**

Have the ability to make the vision in a different way and on the base of analyzing them for the problem-solving, choose the specific methods for making a judgment, also able to form the law arguments

- Able to communicate in native and foreign (English) language on the level B2 (but for those students who enter the educational programme after passing another foreign language the same ability on the level B1). Ability to look for information in English and use of law terminology in written and oral forms.
- Able to prepare detail written reports about the ways of existing problem-solving methods, ideas in native, Georgian, and English languages on the level B 2 (but for those students who enter the educational programme after passing another foreign language the same ability on the level B1) and those prepared information share with the specialist and non specialist of the field.

The ability to use IT technologies for the profession.

- Able to estimate and develop his or her own learning procedure and skills of defining further needs of carrying on the study procedure);

Have the ability to renew permanently the knowledge in the field. To look for the changes in law, law practice and updates in science.

- Knows the ethics of lawyers. Invoked to promote human rights taking into consideration social, democratic values.

The ability to take part in the process of formation of values and desire to stream for permanent renovation.

Students knowledge assessment system :

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In the courses of the educational programme of law evaluation system of students achievements consist following forms _ midterm and final exams and the sum of those is final evaluation (100 scores)

Midterm and final evaluation forms consist of evaluation component(s), which is the tools for evaluating students knowledge and skills. Those tools are: writing/oral exam, writing/oral questionnaires, home works, practical/theoretical works and etc. evaluation components combine similar methods (test, essay, demonstration, presentation, discussion , working on practical/theoretical works, working.

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Each form and component of assessment has its maximum of the score from the final (100 score) score which is defined in syllabus and students will be informed from the beginning of the semester.

It is not allowed to assess the student with only one form (midterm or final) of assessment. Credit point will be gained by the students only in case of the positive mark.

The minimum score of the components of midterm and final evaluation must not exceed 60% of middle evaluations and 60% for the final exam. Head of each course will inform students about minimal competences of middle and final evaluation in the concrete syllabus at the beginning of the semester.

Assessment system forms:

Five types of positive grade:

- (A) excellent – 91-100 points
- (B) very good – 81-90 points of maximum grade
- (C) good – 71-80 points of maximum grade;
- (D) satisfactory – 61-70 points of maximum grade;
- (E) acceptable – 51-60 points of maximum grade

Two types of negative grade;

(FX) fail with exam – 41-50 points of maximum grade, which means that student needs some more time before passing the exam and will be given chance to pass the additional exam once again

(F) fail – 40 points and less of maximum grade, it means that the work done by the student is not acceptable and he/she has to study the subject anew.

In case of FX grade, the additional exam may be appointed at least 5 calendar days after the announcement of the final exam results. The grade got in the additional exam cannot be added to the grade gained during the final exam. Score gained in the additional exam is final score and will be inserted in the final evaluation. In case of getting 0-50 score as a final assessment after additional exam student will be assessed F – 0 score.

Fields of employability:

The graduate of the educational programme of Law can be employed in any kind of position which needs the knowledge and competencies of a bachelor of law and there is no necessity to take the special certificate from the state after passing the exam or there is no need of additional pre-requisites.

To carry on the career in the field of law the graduate can be employed:

- Executive organization;
- Law-court structures;
- Any law and law defender structures;

Public and other LTD organizations or any other non-commercial organizations.

To proceed the knowledge:

The graduate of the educational programme of Law allowed to carry on his or her study procedure in any other higher educational institution in Georgia and abroad on a master level of study on the field of Law just to prepare the research.

The graduate is able to carry on the study procedure on a master level of the study if the pre-requisite is not limited by another bachelor qualification.

Structure of the programme :

The educational programme of Law consists:

- (A) university courses;
- (B) foreign language courses;
- (C) Modules of basics and methods of Law;
- (D) Public Law module;
- (E) Private / business Law modules;
- (F) Criminal Law module;
- (G) Practical skills

All study courses combined in one module are related to each other and to get the knowledge on each of them and it is possible there would be prerequisite of other courses defined by the educational programme.