

# INTERNATIONAL LEGAL STUDIES (J.M.)

**Important:** This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2024 through summer 2025. This degree plan will remain in effect for students who do not break enrollment or who do not change degree programs, concentrations, or cognates.

Code	Title	Hours
<b>Core Courses</b>		
JURI 510	Introduction to Legal Systems and Research	3
JURI 515	Legal Writing and Analysis	3
JURI 580	Ethics and Professional Responsibility	3
JURI 600	Foundations of Law	3
JURI 610	Jurisprudence/Legal History	3
Choose 15 credit hours of the following:		15
JURI 620	Law and Economics	
JURI 630	International Business Law	
JURI 640	International Public Law	
JURI 650	International Trade Law	
JURI 660	International Law and Diplomacy	
JURI 670	The Law of Armed Conflict	
JURI 680	International Human Rights Law	
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>30</b>

All applicable prerequisites must be met

## Graduation Requirements

- Complete 30 hours
- A maximum of 50% of the program hours may be transferred if approved and allowable, including credit from an earned degree from Liberty University on the same academic level
- 3.0 GPA
- No more than two grades of C may be applied to the degree (includes grades of C+ & C-)
- No grade of D or below may be applied to the degree (includes grades of D+ & D-)
- Degree must be completed within 5 years
- Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

## Program Offered in Online Format

### Course Sequence

Course	Title	Hours
<b>First Year</b>		
<b>First Semester</b>		
JURI 510	Introduction to Legal Systems and Research	3
JURI 600	Foundations of Law <sup>1</sup>	3
Juris Master Law Elective <sup>2</sup>		3
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<b>Hours</b>		<b>12</b>

Course	Title	Hours
<b>Second Semester</b>		
JURI 515	Legal Writing and Analysis	3
JURI 520	Constitutional Law	3
Juris Master Law Elective <sup>2</sup>		3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>9</b>
<b>Third Semester</b>		
JURI 580	Ethics and Professional Responsibility	3
Juris Master Law Elective <sup>2</sup>		3
Juris Master Law Elective <sup>2</sup>		3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>9</b>
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>30</b>

<sup>1</sup> Course must be completed during the first term of enrollment in the program

<sup>2</sup> Choose one of the following courses: JURI 620, JURI 630, JURI 640, JURI 650, JURI 660, JURI 670, or JURI 680