

**American University in Central Asia**  
**Law (IBL) Department**

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**CHECKLIST FOR ADMITS 2023**

<b>General Education Courses</b>						
<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Course abbr.</b>	<b>Course ID</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>Prerequisites</b>	<b>Comments</b>
<b>Academic Orientation program: August 21- September 1, 2023</b>			<b>2*</b>			<b>Outside of 240</b>
First Year Seminar I			4			
First Year Seminar II			4			
Introduction to Philosophy I (part of FYS)			2			
Introduction to Philosophy II (part of FYS)			2			
English Composition I			6			
English Composition II			6			
Kyrgyz Language and Literature I			4			
Kyrgyz Language and Literature II			4			
Russian Language I			2			
Russian Language II			2			
History of Kyrgyzstan			4			
Geography of Kyrgyzstan			2			
Manas Studies			2			
Mathematics and Quantitative Reasoning			6			
Natural Sciences/Second Year Seminar**			6			
Arts/Second Year Seminar**			12			
Humanities/Second Year Seminar**			12			
Social Sciences/Second Year Seminar**			12			
Sports			400 hours/0 credits			
<b>Total GenEd credits</b>			<b>92 [2] credits</b>			

\* Credits earned for the Academic Orientation program are not included into 240 credits for graduation.

\*\*All students in their 2<sup>nd</sup> year must take one Second Year Seminar. This seminar substitutes for one required 6-credit course in either Humanities, Social Sciences, Arts or Natural Science.

\*\*\*One 6-credit course in Major requirements could be counted towards General Education requirements.

## Major Requirements

### Required Courses

Course Name	Course abbr.	Course ID	Credits	Semester	Prerequisites	Comments
Philosophy of Law	Law 116	5669	6	Fall	None	<i>counted towards Gen Ed Humanities</i>
Constitutional Law: Rights and Freedoms	Law 243.1	5813	6	Spring	“Intro to Law” or “Theory of Law” <b>or</b> “Intro to Human Rights” <b>or</b> “Business Legislation and Policy” <b>or</b> “Philosophy of Law”	
Criminal Law I and Justice	Law 241.2	5814	6	Spring	“Intro to Law” or “Theory of Law” <b>or</b> “Intro to Human Rights” <b>or</b> “Philosophy of Law”	
Criminal Law II: right to fair trial	Law 244.2	5946	6	Fall	“Theory of Law” <b>or</b> “Philosophy of Law” <b>or</b> “Criminal Law I and Justice” <b>or</b> “Intro to Human Rights”	
Civil Law I: Property and Succession Law	Law 238.2	5945	6	Fall	“Intro to Law” <b>or</b> “Theory of Law” <b>or</b> “Business Legislation and Policy” <b>or</b> “Philosophy of Law”	
Public International Law and UN System	Law 247.1	5947	6	Fall	“Intro to Law” <b>or</b> “Theory of Law” <b>or</b> “Intro to Human Rights” <b>or</b> “Philosophy of Law”	
Civil Law II: Corporate Law and Governance	IBL 234		3	Spring	“Intro to Law” <b>or</b> “Theory of Law” <b>or</b> “Business Legislation and Policy” <b>or</b>	

					“Philosophy of Law”	
Administrative Law: Governance and Law in Digital Society	Law 205.3		3	Spring	“Intro to Law” <b>or</b> “Theory of Law” or “Philosophy of Law”	
Civil Procedure	Law 303.2	4592	6	Fall	“Theory of Law” <b>or</b> “Philosophy of Law”	
Civil Law III: Business Transactions, Contracts and Torts in the Age of Digitalization	Law 301.1		6	Fall	“Intro to Law” <b>or</b> “Theory of Law” <b>or</b> “Business Legislation and Policy” <b>or</b> “Philosophy of Law”	
Legal Clinic I	Law 413.1	3653	3	Spring	“Theory of Law” <b>or</b> “Philosophy of Law”	
Legal Clinic II	Law 423.1	3732	3	Fall	“Theory of Law” <b>or</b> “Philosophy of Law”	
Conflicts of Laws, Globalization and Technology	IBL 235		3	Fall	“Intro to Law” <b>or</b> “Theory of Law” <b>or</b> “Intro to Human Rights” <b>or</b> “Philosophy of Law”	
Legal Research and Writing	Law 427.3		3	Spring	“Theory of Law” <b>or</b> “Philosophy of Law”	
Thesis Research Seminar I	Law 426.1	3398	6	Fall	“Intro to Law” <b>or</b> “Theory of Law” <b>or</b> “Intro to Human Rights” <b>or</b> “Philosophy of Law”	
Thesis Research Seminar II	Law 426.2	3399	6	Spring	“Intro to Law” <b>or</b> “Theory of Law” <b>or</b> “Intro to Human Rights” <b>or</b> “Philosophy of Law”	
Comparative Law in a changing world	Law 361.1	4158	6	Spring	“Legal Research and Writing”	
Energy and Climate Law	IBL 236		6	Spring	“Senior project preparation I”	

<b>Elective Courses</b>						
<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Course abbr.</b>	<b>Course ID</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>Prerequisites</b>	<b>Comments</b>
<b>Elective courses inside 84 cr towards major</b>			<b>12</b>			Students have to take 12 cr in total from the courses offered below
Data Protection and Privacy	IBL 208.1		3		“Intro to Law” <b>or</b> “Theory of Law” <b>or</b> “Intro to Human Rights” <b>or</b> “Philosophy of Law”	
Digital Law	IBL 303		3		“Intro to Law” <b>or</b> “Theory of Law” <b>or</b> “Intro to Human Rights” <b>or</b> “Philosophy of Law”	
Tax law	LAW 411.2	3959	3	Fall	“Intro to Law” or “Theory of Law” or “Philosophy of Law”	
International Public Law II	LAW 253	3228	6	Spring	“Intro to Law” <b>or</b> “Theory of Law” <b>or</b> “Intro to Human Rights” <b>or</b> “Philosophy of Law”	
Labor law	LAW 302.2	4154	3	Fall	“Intro to Law” <b>or</b> “Theory of Law” <b>or</b> “Intro to Human Rights” <b>or</b> “Philosophy of Law”	
Family law	LAW 377	4507	3	Fall	“Intro to Law” <b>or</b> “Theory of Law” <b>or</b> “Intro to Human Rights” <b>or</b> “Philosophy of Law”	
<b>Law Track Electives [min. required 24 cr]</b>			<b>Up to 34</b>			Students should consult with the list of the elective

						courses. Students doing double major should opt for the law electives in Human Rights
<b>Electives outside Law</b>			<b>18</b>			
<b>Total Number of Credits</b>			<b>240</b>			

Every law student must undertake the **Internship** after 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> year of studies. The Internship courses will be offered via the online registration and students must register for the Internship I after the 2<sup>nd</sup> and Internship II after the 3<sup>rd</sup> years of study. The Internship is beyond the 240 credit student load.

### **Order of study for 2023 admits**

Academic Orientation Program (2 credits)			
I semester (30 credits)		II semester (30 credits)	
First Year Seminar I	4	First Year Seminar II	4
First Year Seminar I: Introduction to Philosophy	2	First Year Seminar II: Introduction to Philosophy	2
English Composition I	6	English Composition II	6
Kyrgyz Language and Literature I	4	Humanities	6
Russian language I	2	<b>Constitutional Law: Rights and Freedoms</b>	6
Natural Sciences	6	<b>Criminal Law I and Justice</b>	6
<b>Philosophy of Law (H)</b>	6	100 hours of Sports	
100 hours of Sports			
III semester (32 credits)		IV semester (30 credits + extra 3 cr)	
<b>Civil Law I: Property and Succession Law</b>	6	<b>Civil Law II: Corporate Law and Governance</b>	3
<b>Criminal Law II: right to fair trial</b>	6	<b>Administrative Law: Governance and Law in Digital Society</b>	3
<b>Public International Law and UN System</b>	6	Math	6
Social Science	6	Art	6
SYS (Social Science)	6	History of Kyrgyzstan	4
Manas Studies	2	Geography of Kyrgyzstan	2

100 hours of Sports		Kyrgyz Language and Literature I	4
		Russian language I	2
		100 hours of Sports	
<b>V semester (30 credits + extra 3 cr)</b>		<b>VI semester (30 credits + extra 3 cr)</b>	
<b>Civil Law III: Business Transactions, Contracts and Torts in the Age of Digitalization</b>	6	<b>Legal Clinic I</b>	3
<b>Civil Procedure</b>	6	<b>Legal Research and Writing</b>	3
Art	6	Law electives	18
Law electives inside 84 cr of major	6	Law electives inside 84 cr of major	6
Law electives	6		
<i>Internship I [beyond 33 cr]</i>	6		
<b>VII semester (30 credits + extra 3 cr)</b>		<b>VIII semester (30 credits + extra 3 cr)</b>	
<b>Legal Clinic II</b>	3	<b>Thesis Research Seminar II</b>	6
<b>Conflicts of Laws, Globalization and Technology</b>	3	<b>Energy and Climate Law</b>	6
<b>Thesis Research Seminar I</b>	6	<b>Comparative Law in a changing world</b>	6
Law electives/Electives	6	Law electives/Electives	6
Electives outside major	12	Electives outside major	6
<i>Internship II [beyond 33 cr]</i>	6		

### **Graduation requirements:**

1. Earn at least 240 credits (+credit hours earned for program internships)
    - a. Complete all General Education requirements;
    - b. Complete all requirements for at least one major;
    - c. Earn no more than 102 credits of introductory (100-level) courses;
    - d. Complete at least 18 elective credits outside of a student's major and General Education program;
    - e. Complete the required number of internship credits (the number of credits is determined by each department);
    - f. Pass all state graduation examinations;
    - g. Successfully complete and defend a senior thesis/project;
    - h. Receive no "F" or "N/p" grades in the final semester;
- To earn an overall GPA of at least 2.0.