



Company Law

Degree	Bachelor of Laws (LL.B.)
Type of study	Full-time study
Standard period of study	7 semesters
Commencement of studies	Winter semester (1 Oct)
Credits (ECTS)	210
Language of instruction	German
Department / Central Institute	Department of Legal Studies

Degree programme

Legal expertise for industry. All companies, whatever their size, are required to deal with the often complex legal framework regulating their business operations and need trained experts to do so. As a result, legal expertise is highly sought after by recruiters for companies, legal chambers and management consultancies. The bachelor's degree programme Company Law places an interdisciplinary focus on law, business and economics. Its graduates not only have a grounded legal training, but an in-depth familiarity with the business administration aspects of company operations. They learn the academic working practices requisite to the goal-oriented solution of legal problems, thereby enabling them to realize the business aims of a company within a legal context.

Professional field

The degree qualifies its graduates for tasks in public administration and the private sector. Potential employers include both SMEs and larger companies with a dedicated legal department. Possible fields of employment include banking, insurance, insolvency administration, accounting, management consultancy, debt collection, energy companies, real estate management, public administration, municipal administration and church administration.

Degree structure

The degree programme is structured into 29 modules. The first two semesters focus on the basic legal and Business Administration aspects of the programme; this provides a foundation on which students can develop their own specialization, instructed to the highest academic standards. The fifth and seventh semesters are dedicated to a three-month internship, which can also be completed abroad

Course contents

The syllabus contains the following modules:

- Contract Law
- Real Property Law
- Commercial and Corporate Law
- Insolvency Law
- The Law of Enforcement against Real Property
- Business Administration

Guidance for prospective students

Student Counselling Services

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- [Contact form](#)
- [On-site consultation](#)

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- Civil Process Law
- General Enforcement Law
- International Private Law
- Banking and Securities Law
- Insurance Law
- Tenancy Law
- Labour Law
- Tax Law
- Cartel Law
- Competition Law
- Mediation and Alternative Dispute Resolution
- English in a Professional Context
- Communications and Soft Skills
- Desk Management
- Internship

Admission requirements

University entrance qualification or an entrance qualification for a University of Applied Sciences

Application procedure and deadlines

The application period

1 June - 31 July

Applicants with a German university entrance qualification. Applications are to be submitted to the [HWR Berlin](#)

1 May - 31 July

Applicants with a non-German university entrance qualification. Applications are to be submitted via www.uni-assist.de.

Accreditation

Programmakkreditiert durch den Akkreditierungsrat

Fees and grants

Tuition fees	None
Semesterfee	ca. € 300 per semester (incl. local transport semester ticket)