

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE GRADUATE CERTIFICATE
COLLEGE OF LAW
THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

Academic Year
For Students Entering the Oklahoma State System for Higher Education Summer 2024 through Spring 2025

General Requirements	
Minimum Total Hours	19
Minimum Retention/Graduation Grade Point Averages:	
Overall - Combined and OU	8.0

Program
International Law
G074
Graduate Certificate

CERTIFICATE REQUIREMENTS

Full-time JD degree-candidate OU Law students are eligible to receive the certificate at graduation conditioned upon the successful completion of the requirements outlined below.

SECTION A

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Core Courses		
LAW 5134	Constitutional Law	4
LAW 6100	Selected Legal Problems (International Law Foundations)	3
Guided Electives		
Choose any nine credits from the following list of courses:		9
Experiential Electives		
Choose at least 3 credits in at least one of the following experiential courses:		3
Total Credit Hours		19

LAW 6341	Appellate Advocacy Competitions (Jessup Moot Court)	1
LAW 6400	Selected Legal Problems of Applied Nature (State Department Externship 3-12 hours)	1-4
Participation in a class working on Diplomacy Lab questions for the State Department, as approved by the holder of the kaiser Chair in International Law		2-4

More information in the catalog: (<http://ou-public.courseleaf.com/law/international-law-graduate-certificate/>).

SECTION B INTERNATIONAL INTERDISCIPLINARY EXPERIENCE

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Students must choose from: ¹		5
1. Take one course with an international focus in the College of International Studies or other OU College, such as the College of Business, etc.		
2. Attend ten of the talks of OU guest speakers at the College of International Studies on international topics and write a short reflection paper (non-credit hour bearing)		
3. Take a foreign language class at the University of Oklahoma (e.g., Legal Spanish)		
Total Credit Hours		5

¹ Up to three credit hours in either option (1) or (3) may be counted toward the nine hours of Guided Electives for this certificate but such credit hours will not be counted toward the credit hours required for award of the J.D. If option (2), then please submit the reflection paper to the Kaiser Chair in International Law. Alternately, this requirement may also be satisfied by prior completion of an undergraduate or master's degree in an international affairs field or foreign language.

ELECTIVES

Code	Title	Credit Hours
LAW 6100	Selected Legal Problems (Chinese Law)	2-4
LAW 6762	Comparative Criminal Law Seminar	2
LAW 5602	Comparative Indigenous Peoples' Law Seminar	2
LAW 6020	Comparative Law	2-3
LAW 6752	Comparative Responses to Terrorism and Political Violence Seminar	2
LAW 6030		2
LAW 6040	International Business Transactions	2-3
LAW 6100	Selected Legal Problems (International Business & Human Rights)	3
LAW 6100	Selected Legal Problems (International Commercial & Investment Arbitration)	2-3
LAW 6742	The International Criminal Court Seminar	2
LAW 6100	Selected Legal Problems (International Human Rights Law)	3
LAW 6100	Selected Legal Problems (Human Rights Practicum)	3
LAW 6552	International Petroleum Transactions	2
LAW 6100	Selected Legal Problems (International Trade Law)	3
LAW 6732	War Crimes Tribunals Seminar	2

EXPERIENTIAL COURSES

Code	Title	Credit Hours
LAW 6400	Selected Legal Problems of Applied Nature (Externship 3-12 hours that focuses on international matters which has been pre-approved by the Director of Externships and the Professor holding the Kaiser Chair in International Law for the Certificate)	1-4
LAW 6100	Selected Legal Problems (Human Rights Practicum)	3
LAW 6400	Selected Legal Problems of Applied Nature (International Human Rights Clinic)	3