

# SCHOOL OF LAW INFORMATION PACK 2019/2020

# ERASMUS UNIVERSITY ROTTERDAM

University Website: <a href="https://www.eur.nl/en">https://www.eur.nl/en</a>

Law School Website: https://www.eur.nl/en/esl/

### **Term Dates**

The academic year is split into two terms.

Term one runs from September to December.

Term two runs from February to May.

There is an exam session at the end of each term, as there are no full year modules.

You can find dates at <a href="https://www.eur.nl/en/euc/education/academic-calendar">https://www.eur.nl/en/euc/education/academic-calendar</a>

#### Orientation

The university arranges orientation events before the start of term.

Find out more at <a href="https://www.eur.nl/en/education/practical-matters/studying-eur/orientation">https://www.eur.nl/en/education/practical-matters/studying-eur/orientation</a>

# **Accommodation & Cost of Living**

Student housing in the Netherlands is not arranged by the University for you, but the University provides support and advice for finding accommodation. A certain number of rooms are reserved for international students. Find out more at:

https://www.eur.nl/en/education/practical-matters/student-life/housing-international-students

Please be aware that the general quality of accommodation abroad may vary. You have to be flexible and prepared to compromise. Accommodation may not meet the standard that you are used to in the UK.

# **Academic Requirements:**

## **Module Choices**

During your year you are required to take 60 ECTS worth of modules. Modules at Erasmus University Rotterdam carry a range of credits, typically between 5 and 15 ECTS. Students take as many modules as required for a total of 60 ECTS.

Students are advised to distribute the workload as equally as possible between the two semesters.

There is a range of law options taught in English. Students are also permitted to study non-law modules (including language courses) for up to 15 ECTS worth of courses.

A list of law courses offered in English is available at:

https://www.eur.nl/en/esl/education/exchange/courses

# **Excluded options/subjects:**

Students may not select subjects they have already studied at Warwick Law School in their second year. If there is doubt about the overlap, a decision can be obtained from the Director of International Programmes.

Students may not select foundational courses on common law subjects, such as "Introduction to the Common Law", "Introduction to English Law" etc.

#### **Mark Conversion Procedure:**

Please not that mark conversion rules and conversion tables are under review every year and subject to change.

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The module results are translated to Warwick marks individually according to the conversion table.

**Year average:** The year average is calculated with the individual translated module results. The weight of each module result is determined by the credit weight (ECTS) attached to the module at the partner university.

The year abroad counts for 120 CATS (LA246).

### **Conversion Table:**

Rotterdam Mark	Warwick Mark	Degree Class
10	82	1 <sup>st</sup>
9.5	78	
9	74	
8.5	70	
8	68	2.1
7.5	65	
7	62	
6.5	58	2.2
6	52	
5.5	45	3 <sup>rd</sup>
5	38	Fail
4.5	35	
4	32	
3.5	28	
3	25	
2.5	22	
2	12	
1	5	
Zero	0	