SPRING-SUMMER 2021 COURSE ENROLLMENT
Information Sheet for JD Students

Registration for courses

In the coming weeks, the Common Law Student Centre will send you an electronic form by email to fill out and submit before the deadline to request enrollment, which is **Monday, March 22, 2021 at 4:00 PM**.

On the electronic form, students will indicate whether they wish to enroll in one or two summer courses; and their first, second and third choice of courses. Students will only be permitted to enroll in a second course (not including DRP or SPI) if space permits. The intention is to provide all students who wish to register for a course the opportunity to do so, rather than have some students registered in multiple courses while others are unable to register for any.

If you are admitted to a course, you will receive an email from the Student Centre during the week of March 29, 2021 with registration instructions.

Students may register for a maximum of 6-credits to be completed during the Spring/Summer term. This includes any combination of the distance and online courses described in this information package, Directed Research Projects (DRPs), and Student-Proposed Internships (SPIs).

Please note that courses with low enrolment may be cancelled. Only students who have not been admitted to any course will be placed on a waitlist. We cannot guarantee enrollment.

When registering, students will have two options:

**Option 1: Apply credits to either Fall 2021 term and/or Winter 2022 term**

Students who enroll in 3-credits (one course, DRP, or SPI) during the Spring/Summer term can apply the credits to either Fall 2021 or Winter 2022. Students who enroll in 6-credits must apply 3-credits in each of Fall 2021 and Winter 2022. No credits may be applied to January term.

Students who apply the credits to Fall 2021 and/or Winter 2022 will pay regular full-time tuition during the 2021-2022 academic year, assuming they are otherwise considered full-time students. No additional fees will be applied during the Spring/Summer term.

A regular, full-time course-load is 15 credits (5 courses) in Fall, 3 credits (1 course) in January, and 12 credits (4 courses) in Winter. First-year students who have completed 33 credits by May 2021, and second-year students who have completed 63 credits by May 2021, will not be permitted to “overload” in Fall 2021 or Winter 2022 by registering for more than 15 credits in the Fall term or more than 12 credits in the Winter term.

Exceptionally, first-year students who have not completed 33 credits by May 2021, and second-year students who have not completed 63 credits by May 2021, may be permitted to overload by 3 credits during the Fall 2021 term only with prior approval of the Assistant Dean.

If you are considering dropping a Winter 2021 class and making it up with a Spring/Summer 2021 course, you should make an appointment for academic advising with Academic Advisor, Jenna Doucet, or Equity
and Student Success Counsellor, Jessica Simon prior to the Winter 2021 add/drop date, February 12, 2021. As noted, prior approval of the Assistant Dean will be required to overload in Fall 2021, and approval will not be granted unless a student has received academic advising.

Please note that different considerations may apply to students enrolled in programs other than the English Common Law Program and the regular J.D. program of the Programme de common law en français. These students may wish to consider seeking academic advising prior to enrolling in spring/summer courses.

If you need help with academic planning, please contact the Common Law Student Centre at clawac@uOttawa.ca, or book an advising appointment:

- Academic Counsellor, Jenna Doucet via The Source; or
- Student Success Counsellor, Jessica Simon via email clawacc@uOttawa.ca

Option 2: Applying the credits to the Spring-Summer 2021 term

Third-year students who have not completed all program requirements by May 2021, who wish to apply to graduate in November 2021, may enroll in Spring/Summer term courses, DRPs, or SPIs to complete program requirements over the summer. In this case, students will be billed tuition fees during the Spring-Summer term in order to be eligible to graduate in November 2021.

For more information about uOttawa fees, please consult the University’s website.

Tuition Fees and Financial Considerations

Students who apply Spring/Summer 2021 credits to Fall 2021 and/or Winter 2022 will pay regular full-time tuition during the 2021-2022 academic year. No additional fees will be applied during the Spring/Summer term.

It is your responsibility to familiarize yourself with the academic and financial implications of your course selection. If you are a part-time student, you should also carefully consider how your allocation of credits may impact your tuition fees and your eligibility to receive OSAP or other government financial aid.

Some specific facts to keep in mind:

- If you apply your credits to Fall 2021 or Winter 2022, you will not be officially registered during the Spring/Summer, and will not be eligible for OSAP or other government financial aid during the summer
- The uOttawa definition of “full-time studies” is different than the OSAP definition
- Students taking 12 credits or more per semester are considered full-time, and therefore pay full-time fees.
- For OSAP purposes, you are generally considered a full-time student if you are taking 60% (or more) of a full course load. There are some exceptions for students with a permanent disability.
- If you register for fewer than 9 credits in a semester, your OSAP entitlement may be affected.
You may wish to consult your province’s student financial aid website for further information. The uOttawa Financial Aid and Awards Service oversees all OSAP applications. They have information about applying for OSAP on their website.

If you have questions or require help with financial planning, please email our Financial Aid Administrator, Tara Côté, at tara.cote@uOttawa.ca, to book a remote appointment.

Course Offerings & Schedule

We expect to offer the below courses in the Spring-Summer 2021 semester. Please note that these courses will all be graded on an alphanumeric basis.

All courses will run from May 17, 2021 to June 28, 2021, with the exception of CML 2741E Philosophie du droit, which will run from May 5 to June 23, 2021. Final exams, if applicable, will be scheduled during the week of July 5-9, 2021.

Additional courses by selection and Civil Law (DRC) courses may be offered. This will be advertised in Dictum as they become available. Please carefully review the financial implications, application procedures, deadlines, and course dates for these courses.

Complete course descriptions will be available at a later date.

Courses in English

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Cours en français

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Directed Research Projects (DRPs)

Some students may wish to pursue a Directed Research Project (DRP) over the summer, under the supervision of a Common Law professor or approved external supervisor. Students can complete all work towards a DRP during the summer and apply the credits to Fall 2021 or Winter 2022. To register for a summer DRP, students must submit the DRP Enrollment Form to the Common Law Student Centre no later than June 7, 2021.

Please keep in mind that Common Law students may complete a maximum of two DRPs over the course of their JD studies.

Student Proposed Internships (SPIs)

Students may pursue student-proposed internships (SPIs) during the summer once they have completed first year. SPIs provide students with the opportunity to gain practical experience and expose them to a variety of practice areas and work environments. For details about SPIs, refer to the Information on Student Proposed Internships and the Student Proposed Internship Guidelines. The deadline to apply to Summer 2021 SPIs is June 7, 2021. For students wishing to begin an SPI prior to June 7, 2021 applications must be submitted a minimum of 5 business days before the SPI is due to begin. Refer to the Information on Student Proposed Internships for detailed deadline information. Once an SPI has been approved, you will not be able to withdraw from the course. Keep in mind that by that point, you have made a commitment to your supervisor and they have a reasonable expectation that you will honor that commitment.

Please keep in mind that Common Law students may complete a maximum of two SPIs over the course of their JD studies.

Important Dates

- Registration request deadline: March 22, 2021 4:00 PM
- Spring/Summer term dates: May 17-June 28, 2021
- Deadline to drop CML 2741 E: May 17, 2021 9:00 AM
- Deadline to drop summer courses: May 24, 2021 9:00 AM
- Deadline to submit DRP form: June 7, 2021
- Deadline for students in the PDC program to apply for Student Proposed Internships (SPI): April 16, 2021
- Deadline for all other students to apply for Student Proposed Internships (SPI): June 7, 2021
- Spring/Summer final exams and assignments: July 5-July 9, 2021
- Last date to submit final DRPs: August 13, 2021
- Posting final grades: September 14, 2021