

APPLICATION FORM MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY

MASTER OF LAWS (LL.M.)

MASTER OF JURISPRUDENCE (M.J.)

PROGRAM CHOICE

The Master of Jurisprudence (M.J.) program is intended for non-lawyers, while the LL.M., or Master of Laws, program, is for lawyers, whether educated in the United States or abroad. Applicants with an American J.D. are not eligible for the LL.M. or M.J. in the American Legal System.

Degree you are applying for:

- Master of Laws (LL.M.)
- Master of Jurisprudence (M.J.)

Program Choice:

- American Legal System
- Intellectual Property, Communications and Information Law

Term for which you are applying:

- Spring
- Fall

Year of commencement: _____

PERSONAL INFORMATION (AS IN PASSPORT)

Last Name: _____

First Name: _____

Middle Name: _____

Date of Birth: Month: Day: Year: _____

Gender: Male Female Other _____

Country of Citizenship: _____

Are you a permanent resident? If so, what is your Alien Registration Number:

City of Birth:

Country of Birth:

Date of Birth:

Month: Day: Year:

How did you hear about this program?

E-Mail Address:

International phone number:

Current Mailing Address

Street Address:

City:

State/ Province:

Country:

Postal/Zip Code:

When will this address expire (if at all):

Month: Day: Year:

Permanent/International Address

Street Address:

City:

State/ Province:

Country:

Postal Code:

When will this address expire (if at all):

Month: Day: Year:

The following questions are about your social media presence. Many students like to communicate with us via twitter, Facebook, and other social media. These questions are optional, and your decision not to answer will not impact our decision on your application. We do not review or evaluate social media as part of the admissions process.

Skype ID: _____
Twitter Handle: _____
Facebook Profile Name: _____
LinkedIn ID: _____
WeChat Profile: _____
Other social media contact (please list which social media): _____

Often, our professors, alumni and current students who do not work in our office contact prospective and admitted students to tell them more about MSU Law. If you do not wish to be contacted by these individuals, please check this box:

In which country did you receive your first degree in law? _____

Are you licensed in any countries/jurisdictions to practice law? If so, where? _____

Have you ever been suspended from legal practice, disbarred, or sanctioned by any bar association, government, or licensing entity?

- Yes
- No

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

Please list all colleges and universities attended. Please list these in reverse chronological order (most recent first). Be sure to include the institution at which you are currently studying, if any. Please note that we will require transcripts from all degree-granting institutions listed below.

For each institution, please list name, location, date of graduation, and degree received.

1. Name of University: _____

Location: _____

Graduation Date: Month: Day: Year: _____

City: _____

Degree received: _____

2. Name of University: _____

Location: _____

Graduation Date: Month: Day: Year: _____

City: _____

Degree received: _____

3. Name of University: _____

Location: _____

Graduation Date: Month: Day: Year: _____

City: _____

Degree received: _____

4. Name of University: _____

Location: _____

Graduation Date: Month: Day: Year: _____

City: _____

Degree received: _____

Please describe the grading system for any institution you attended which is outside the United States.

Please describe any circumstances which may have negatively impacted your grades during law school or any other degree program.

CONDUCT:

Have you ever been convicted of a crime other than a minor traffic offense (whether in the United States or in a foreign jurisdiction)?

- Yes
- No

Are there any criminal charges pending against you in any jurisdiction?

- Yes
- No

Have you ever been suspended from any profession, or had your license to practice that profession suspended?

- Yes
- No

Are there any professional disciplinary charges pending against you, or expected to be brought against you?

- Yes
- No

Have you been subject to disciplinary proceedings by any academic institution you have attended?

- Yes
- No

Are there disciplinary charges pending against you, or expected to be brought against you, by any academic institution?

- Yes
- No

ENGLISH PROFICIENCY

All non-native speakers of English are required to submit TOEFL or IELTS standardized test scores. If you received a degree from a college or university in the United States, Canada, Australia, or the United Kingdom, you do not need to submit these scores. If you did not receive a degree in one of these countries and wish to apply for a waiver of this testing requirement, please do so below. Please select one of the following

- The native language in my country is English OR I received a degree from a university in Canada, the United States, the United Kingdom or Australia. I will not be submitting English proficiency scores.
- I am not a native English speaker but attended a college or university in a foreign country where instruction was completely in English and thus request a waiver of the English proficiency test requirement.
- I have taken the TOEFL or IETLS and will list my score(s) below and request that the scores be sent to MSU Law.
- I have not taken the TOEFL or IELTS and am requesting conditional admission. For admission purposes only, I will submit my scores from the PASSWORD Test of English.

What is your native language (the language spoken in your home)? If more than one, please list.

English Proficiency test(s) taken

- TOEFL
- IELTS
- MSU English Language Test (MSUFLT)
- Password (for conditional admittance only)

Score: _____

Letters of Recommendation (please attach the letters to your application)

Recommender 1: _____

Recommender 2: _____

Recommender 3 (optional): _____

Self-Identification

In compliance with federal mandates and Michigan State University practices, the College of Law seeks to identify the ethnic/racial background of all law school applicants. Self-identification is entirely voluntary. Failure to respond to these optional questions will not prejudice consideration of your application.

Are you Hispanic or Latino/a?

- Yes
- No

Please select one or more choices from the list below that best represent(s) your ethnic/racial identity

- American Indian or Alaskan Native Tribe or Nation
- Asian
- Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander
- Black/African American
- White/Caucasian
- Other: _____

APPLICATION FEE

All applicants must pay the non-refundable 100 USD application fee. Your application will not be processed without your signature and application fee.

- 100 USD payment amount

Method of Payment: Credit Card

Please choose one of the following:

- Visa
- MasterCard
- Other: _____

Credit Card Number: _____

Expiration date (month/year): _____

CVV2*: _____

Cardholder's name: _____

Gender (male/female): _____

Cardholder's Billing Address: _____

Street: _____

City: _____ Zip Code: _____

Country: _____

Cardholder's Relationship to Student: _____

Cardholder's Email Address: _____

Today's date: _____

Cardholder's Signature: _____

CERTIFICATION

All applicants must sign below.

I certify that the information I have provided on this application is complete and accurate. I understand that failure to disclose correct information may result in the cancellation of my application or admission.

Important Reminder: Only complete applications will be reviewed.

Student Signature: _____

City, date (mm/dd/yyyy): _____

AUTHORIZATION

Authorization for IEC to process the application

I hereby permit International Education Centre (IEC Online GmbH) to submit the information which I have provided on this application form of the Michigan State University College of Law via an electronic online application form created and maintained by the Michigan State University College of Law.

Student Signature: _____

Place, date (mm/dd/yyyy): _____

Please submit your application with all required documents to IEC:

IEC Online GmbH
Marienstrasse 19/20
D- 10117 Berlin
Germany