



# Double Degree with the Katholieke Universiteit Leuven, Belgium

The KU Leuven, founded in 1425, is one of the oldest existing universities in the world. With 30.000 students comprising over one-third of the local population, Leuven is a "student city". The city is only 25 kilometres away from Brussels, Belgium's capital and home to the European Union central institutions and NATO headquarters. The Faculty of Law emphasizes an international and comparative approach to education in law and criminology.

## Number of Study Places:

The double degree master's program with the KU Leuven is limited to 15 study places.

## Minimum Requirements:

- A minimum average grade of 4.7 in the Bachelor's degree **and**
- Completion of the Bachelor of Law degree within five years.

## Special Admission Requirements:

Language proficiency must be demonstrated with one of the following language tests (subject to change):

- **Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL):**
  - Min. 100 points in the internet-based test
  - Min. 250 points in the computer-based test
  - Min. 600 points in the paper-based test
- **International English Language Testing System (IELTS):**
  - Min. 7.0 «overall»
- **Cambridge Proficiency Level Certificate in English (CPE)**
- **Cambridge Advanced Certificate in English (CAE)**

Please note that language certificates must **not be older than two years at the time of starting studies at the partner faculty**, and therefore not older than one year at the time of applying for the double degree master's program at RWF UZH.

## Tuition Fees at KU Leuven:

- EUR 1,181.40 per year (Swiss/EU)
  - EUR 5,613.10 per year (Non EEA)
- (Fees for the academic year 2026/2027, subject to change)

## Duration of Studies:

- 2 Semesters at RWF UZH
- 2 Semesters at KU Leuven

## Language:

Courses and examinations at KU Leuven are held in English.

## Study Programs:

The Double Degree study programs offered by the RWF UZH can be combined with the [correlating double degree program at KU Leuven](#).

## Degrees:

Master of Law UZH of the Faculty of Law of the University of Zurich (RWF UZH) and Master of Laws of the Faculteit der Rechtsgeleerdheid of the Katholieke Universiteit Leuven.

