

Master of Arts/Juris Doctor (MA/JD) Dual Degree Program

This dual degree program combines a three year law school education from the Sturm College of Law with a full year (45 credit hours) of training in the MA in International Studies program offered at the Josef Korbel School of International Studies. Candidates must apply and be accepted to both schools to be considered a dual degree student.

Degree Requirements

International Studies Core: 2 courses (10 credits)

- INTS 4900 International Politics
- INTS 4501 Comparative Politics in the 21st Century
- INTS 4324 International Political Economy
- INTS 4820 Ancient Political Theory/Thought
- INTS 4821 Early Modern Political Theory
- INTS 4822 Contemporary Political Theory
- INTS 4599 Ethics and International Relations

Field: 4 courses (20 credits) in a single field. Choose from:

International Politics

- INTS 4900 International Politics
- One course chosen from the list of Advanced International Politics courses
- Two other courses in International Politics

Comparative Politics

- INTS 4501 Comparative Politics in the 21st Century
- Three courses chosen from the list of Comparative Politics courses

International Political Economy

- INTS 4310 International Trade
- INTS 4320 International Monetary Relations
- INTS 4324 Introduction to International Political Economy AND
- One other course in IPE

Political Theory

- INTS 4820 Ancient Political Theory/Thought
- INTS 4821 Early Modern Political Theory
- INTS 4822 Contemporary Political Theory, or INTS 4599 Ethics and International Affairs OR
- Other PT courses

Concentration: (0-20 credits) One concentration, such as International Development, International Security, Human Rights, Conflict Resolution, International Health, Policy Analysis, Environmental Policy, Technology Policy, or Homeland Security, etc.

Foreign Language: Required

Electives: Electives to reach a total of 45 international studies credits.

Internship: No internship is required, nor can a student take internship credit to apply toward the degree.

Admissions

Applicants to the Master of Arts/Juris Doctor (MA/JD) dual degree program must submit applications to both the Josef Korbel School of International Studies and the Sturm College of Law. Applicants must be accepted to both schools to pursue the dual degree.

For more information on the Josef Korbel School application process and deadlines, please contact the Office of Graduate Admissions by calling 303.871.2544 or emailing korbeldm@du.edu.

For more information on the Sturm College of Law application process and deadlines, please contact the Office of Admissions by calling 303.871.6135 or emailing admissions@law.du.edu.

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Additional Information

For more information, please consult the Josef Korbel School of International Studies MA Handbook and/or the Sturm College of Law website.

Note: DU requires that if the first degree is completed prior to the second degree, the student must complete the second degree within the next 18 months.

*This description is not binding. For the most comprehensive and updated program descriptions and requirements, please review the MA Handbook on the Josef Korbel School website and information on the Sturm College of Law website.



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