

# M.A. in International Law and Human Rights

**Academic Year 2025-2026**

**Department of International Law**

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*First Term: August - December*

Courses	Faculty	Credits # - Week	Dates
<b>Orientation</b>	UPEACE Resident. Faculty and Staff	<b>4 days</b>	Tuesday 19 August - Friday 22 August 2025
<b>UPM 6001 UPEACE Foundation Course *Mandatory*</b>	Visiting Faculty	<b>2 credits</b> 2 weeks	Monday 25 August - Friday 12 September 2025 <b>8:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. CRT</b>
<b>UPM 6003 The UN System and UPMUNC (Part I)</b>	Visiting Faculty	<b>2 credits</b> 2 weeks	Wednesday 17 September - Tuesday 30 September 2025 <b>8:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. CRT</b>
<b>DIL-6100 Public International Law</b>	UPEACE Resident Faculty	<b>3 credits</b> 3 weeks	Monday 6 October - Friday 24 October 2025 <b>8:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. CRT</b>
<b>DIL- 6142 International Humanitarian Law</b>	Visiting Faculty	<b>2 credits</b> 2 weeks	Monday 27 October - Friday 7 November 2025 <b>8:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. CRT</b>
<b>DIL-6143 International Law on the Use of Force</b>	Visiting Faculty	<b>1 credit</b> 1 week	Monday 10 November - Friday 14 November 2025 <b>8:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. CRT</b>
<b>DIL-6101 International Human Rights Law</b>	UPEACE Resident Faculty	<b>2 credits</b> 2 weeks	Wednesday 19 November - Tuesday 2 December 2025 <b>8:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. CRT</b>
<b>DIL-6105 Universal System for Protection of Human Rights</b>	UPEACE Resident Faculty	<b>1 credit</b> 1 week	Monday 8 December - Friday 12 December 2025 <b>8:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. CRT</b>

## M.A. in Environment, Development and Peace

### Second Term: January - June

Courses	Faculty	Credits # - Week	Dates
<b><i>DIL-6102</i></b> <b><i>Regional Mechanisms for Human Rights Protection</i></b>	UPEACE Resident Faculty	<b>3 credits</b> 3 weeks	Wednesday 07 January - Tuesday 27 January 2026 <b>8:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. CRT</b>
<b><i>DIL-6139</i></b> <b><i>International Environmental Law</i></b>	UPEACE Resident Faculty	<b>3 credits</b> 3 weeks	Monday 02 February - Friday 20 February 2026 <b>8:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. CRT</b>
<b><i>DIL-6080</i></b> <b><i>Human Rights Reporting, Monitoring, and Evaluation</i></b>	UPEACE Resident Faculty	<b>3 credits</b> 3 weeks	Monday 23 February - Friday 12 March 2026 <b>8:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. CRT</b>
<b><i>DIL-6140</i></b> <b><i>Advocacy and International Law</i></b>  <b><i>DIL-6106</i></b> <b><i>Indigenous Peoples' Rights</i></b>	UPEACE Resident Faculty	<b>2 credits</b> 2 weeks	Monday 16 March - Friday 27 March 2026 <b>1:00p.m. - 3:45p.m. CRT</b>
<b><i>DIL-6128</i></b> <b><i>Freedom of Expression in the Digital Age</i></b>	UPEACE Resident Faculty	<b>3 credits</b> 3 weeks	Monday 06 April - Friday 24 April 2026 <b>8:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. CRT</b>
<b><i>DIL-6043</i></b> <b><i>Globalization and Human Rights</i></b>	UPEACE Resident Faculty	<b>3 credits</b> 1 week	Monday 27 April - Friday 15 May 2026 <b>8:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. CRT</b>
<b><i>DIL-6103</i></b> <b><i>Protection of Refugees</i></b>	UPEACE Resident Faculty	<b>1 credit</b> 1 week	Monday 18 May - Friday 22 May 2026 <b>8:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. CRT</b>
<b><i>UPM 6003</i></b> <b><i>The United Nations System and UPMUNC</i></b>	UPEACE Resident Faculty	<b>1 credit</b> 3 days	Wednesday 27 May - Friday 29 May 2026 <b>8:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. CRT</b>

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*Third Term: June - December*

Courses	Faculty	Credits # - Week	Dates
<b>Project. Thesis (8 credits) or Internship (8 credits) or Capstone (5 credits) *Mandatory*</b>	UPEACE Resident Faculty	<b>8 credits</b>	Monday 8 June - Thursday 31 December 2026

*Graduation Project*

**The Graduation Project can be fulfilled through one of the following modalities:**  
**Thesis: 8 credits**  
**Internship: 8 credits**  
**Capstone: 5 credits**

**ACADEMIC YEAR 2025 - 2026 Total Number of credits**

**For Thesis Track:** 33 course credits + 8 Thesis credits = 41 credits

**For Internship Track:** 33 course credits + 8 Internship credits = 41 credits

**For Capstone Track:** 36 course credits \* + 5 Capstone credits = 41 credits

**Note:** Students who choose Capstone as a Graduation Project must take 3 additional course credits. Your Academic Coordinator will provide you with further information about this.

*End of Academic Year Ceremony: Friday 05 June 2026*