

MANAGEMENT (NON-THESIS): GENERAL MANAGEMENT & LAW (JOINT M.B.A. & B.C.L./J.D.) (132 CREDITS)

Offered by: Management (Desautels Faculty of Management)

Degree: Master of Business Admin

Program credit weight: 132

Program Description

A joint M.B.A.; Non-Thesis - General Management and B.C.L./J.D. program is offered by the Desautels Faculty of Management and the Faculty of Law. This joint program provides students the opportunity to pursue legal and administrative aspects of business. Successful candidates graduate with M.B.A., B.C.L., and J.D. degrees, a trio that prepares them for careers in private and public enterprise, as well as government service.

Students complete 39 credits for the M.B.A. and 93 credits for the integrated B.C.L./J.D., for a total of 132 credits.

Note: For information about Fall 2025 and Winter 2026 course offerings, please check back on May 8, 2025. Until then, the "Terms offered" field will appear blank for most courses while the class schedule is being finalized.

Required Courses - Management (24 credits)

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Course	Title	Credits
BUSA 695	Real-Time Decisions.	1.5
MGCR 613	Managerial Economics.	1.5
MGCR 614	Management Statistics.	1.5
MGCR 617	Operations Management.	1.5
MGCR 618	Leadership and Professional Skills.	1.5
MGCR 620	Information Systems.	1.5
MGCR 621	International Environment.	1.5
MGCR 622	Organizational Strategy.	1.5
MGCR 628	Integrative Course.	1.5
MGCR 638	Marketing Management.	1.5
MGCR 639	Managing Organizational Behaviour.	1.5
MGCR 640	Accounting and Financial Reporting.	1.5
MGCR 642	Financial Reporting.	1.5
MGCR 660	International Study Trip.	4.5

Elective Courses (15 credits)

15 credits of courses are chosen from 600-level courses offered by the Faculty. Course choice must be approved by a program adviser

in the Faculty. Students will have to attend the M.B.A. Base Camp (Accounting and Business Math) prior to commencing the M.B.A.

Required Courses - Law (47 credits)

First Year – 33 credits

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Course	Title	Credits
LAWG 100D1	Contractual Obligations.	3
LAWG 100D2	Contractual Obligations.	3
LAWG 101D1	Extra-Contractual Obligations/Torts.	3
LAWG 101D2	Extra-Contractual Obligations/Torts.	3
LAWG 102D1	Criminal Justice.	3
LAWG 102D2	Criminal Justice.	3
LAWG 103	Indigenous Legal Traditions.	3
LAWG 110D1	Integration Workshop.	1.5
LAWG 110D2	Integration Workshop.	1.5
PUB2 101D1	Constitutional Law.	3
PUB2 101D2	Constitutional Law.	3
PUB3 116	Foundations.	3

Second Year – 14 credits

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Course	Title	Credits
LAWG 210	Legal Ethics and Professionalism.	3
LAWG 220D1	Property.	3
LAWG 220D2	Property.	3
PRAC 200	Advocacy.	1
PROC 124	Judicial Institutions and Civil Procedure.	4

Complementary Courses – Law (12 credits)

Civil Law Immersion Courses (3 credits)

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Course	Title	Credits
BUS2 561	Insurance.	3
LAWG 506	Advanced Civil Law Property.	3
PROC 200	Advanced Civil Law Obligations.	3
PROC 549		3
PRV2 270	Law of Persons.	3
PRV4 548	Administration Property of Another and Trusts.	3

Common Law Immersion Courses (3 credits)

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Course	Title	Credits
PRV3 200	Advanced Common Law Obligations.	3
PRV3 534	Remedies.	3
PRV4 500	Restitution.	3

PRV4 549	Equity and Trusts.	3
PRV5 582	Advanced Torts.	3

Social Diversity, Human Rights and Indigenous Law Courses (3 credits)

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Course	Title	Credits
CMPL 500	Indigenous Peoples and the State.	3
CMPL 504	Feminist Legal Theory.	3
CMPL 511	Social Diversity and Law.	3
CMPL 516	International Development Law.	3
CMPL 565	International Humanitarian Law.	3
CMPL 571	International Law of Human Rights.	3
CMPL 573	Civil Liberties.	3
CMPL 575	Discrimination and the Law.	3
IDFC 500	Indigenous Field Studies.	3
LAWG 503	Inter-American Human Rights.	3
LAWG 505	Critical Engagements with Human Rights.	3
LAWG 507	Critical Race Theory Advanced Seminar.	3
LAWG 508D1	Indigenous Constitutionalism.	3
LAWG 508D2	Indigenous Constitutionalism.	3
LAWG 509	Indigenous Law Revitalization.	3
LAWG 562	Regulating Artificial Intelligence.	3
LAWG 580	Women and Constitutions.	3
LAWG 582	Disability Law and Policy.	3
LEEL 369	Labour Law.	3
LEEL 582	Law and Poverty.	3
PUB2 105	Public International Law.	3
PUB2 500	Law and Psychiatry.	3
PUB2 502	International Criminal Law.	3
PUB2 551	Immigration and Refugee Law.	3
PUB3 515		

Principles of Canadian Administrative Law (3 credits)

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Course	Title	Credits
BUS1 532	Bankruptcy and Insolvency.	3
BUS2 504	Securities Regulation.	3
CMPL 539	International Taxation.	3
CMPL 543	Law and Practice of International Trade.	3
CMPL 574	Government Control of Business.	3
CMPL 575	Discrimination and the Law.	3
CMPL 577	Communications Law.	3
CMPL 580	Environment and the Law.	3
LAWG 523	Tax Practice Seminar.	3
LAWG 561	Privacy Law.	3

LAWG 581	Health Care Delivery and the Law.	3
LAWG 583	Public Health Law and Policy.	3
LEEL 369	Labour Law.	3
LEEL 570	Employment Law.	3
LEEL 582	Law and Poverty.	3
PRV4 545	Land Use Planning.	3
PRV5 483	Consumer Law.	3
PUB2 400	The Administrative Process.	3
PUB2 401	Judicial Review of Administrative Action.	3
PUB2 500	Law and Psychiatry.	3
PUB2 515	Tax Policy.	3
PUB2 551	Immigration and Refugee Law.	3

Elective Courses (34 credits)

Students must take 34 credits of other elective courses, offered within the Faculty or approved as credit equivalencies in order to complete the 93-credit degree.

Minimum Writing Requirement

All students are required to submit at least one research paper. This requirement may be satisfied by:

1. writing an essay in a course in which the essay constitutes no less than 75% of the final grade;
2. writing a term essay under independent supervision, for credit, within the Faculty of Law;
3. writing an article, note, or comment or equivalent substance that is published or accepted for publication in the McGill Law Journal and approved by the Faculty Adviser to that publication.

Papers written jointly do not satisfy this requirement.