FULL TIME ACADEMIC POSITION IN EUROPEAN LAW
FACULTY OF LAW AND CRIMINOLOGY

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Job description
The law and criminology faculty of the ULB opens up a full time chair in European law, in order to teach several European Union law courses to different degrees (Bachelor, Master, and LL.M in European law).

Field of research :
European Union law

Educational and scientific goals

➢ Education

The holder of the chair should develop educational tools that stimulate learning European law by students enrolled in various programs. The classes address students in Bachelor, Master or LL.M programs. Some classes will not only comprise law students, but also students from other social science programs.

Furthermore, they will be involved in the development of the LL.M in European law.

The holder will supervise Master and LL.M students when writing their graduate thesis, and can be called upon to supervise doctoral theses, possibly partnering with colleagues from other fields.

➢ Research

The holder of the Chair will be part of the Centre of European law of the law and criminology faculty at ULB, and will do research in the field of European Union law. A research project linked to constitutional law, economic law or foreign policy of the European Union is an asset. They will contribute to inserting ULB in active Belgian and international networks in this field, in order to furthering the reputation of the University.
Services to the community

The holder of the chair will participate actively in life of the University, in particular in that of their Faculty, of the Institute for European Studies (IEE-ULB) and of the Centre for European law (http://cde.ulb.be). They will develop an expertise that will successfully be mobilised by the University to the benefit of the community, be it through science popularisation, applied research or cutting-edge research.

Course load at the time of recruitment:

- DROI-C-3003 Droit de l’Union européenne (lecture course – 48 hours – 10 credits) in the Bachelor of law at ULB or the Bachelor of law at UMons, including the coordination of the assistants in charge of the joined practicum with the course of economic and IP law.
- DROI-0608 EU external relations law/ Droit des relations extérieures de l'UE (lecture course – 24 hours – 5 credits) in the LL.M in European law
- DROI-0401 European integration through law (lecture course – 24 hours – 5 credits) in the LL.M in interdisciplinary EU studies and the Master in European Studies

The content of the course load can be re-evaluated on a regular basis. At the latest three years after the entry into function, the course load should in principle be of 120 hours/year. If the post holder and the pedagogic coordination in European law agree, the post could eventually include a course related to the Internal market in the LL.M in European law, or any other course related to the research area of the holder in the Master in law or the LL.M in European law.

Required credentials

PhD with a doctoral thesis in legal sciences, preferably in European law.

Skill requirements

- Scientific seniority of minimum 4 years (including full-time PhD years) at the moment of the engagement, or any relevant professional experience of an equivalent term.
- Have an excellent scientific portfolio, specifically regarding publications.
- Have excellent teaching skills.
- Excellent written and oral knowledge of French, being capable to teach in this language (level C1)
- Excellent written and oral knowledge of English, being capable to teach in this language (level C1)

Highly valued assets are: University-level teaching experience, post-doctorate, Practical experience in European law, experience in interdisciplinary research, knowledge of other languages (Dutch, Spanish, German, etc.), mobility outside of the institution where the PhD was completed.

The capacity to integrate in a team of Professors and researchers in the field of European law at the ULB and to exercise supervising functions will also be taken into account.

Interested?

For more information, please contact Prof. Emmanuelle Bribosia, president of the pedagogic coordination in European law and director of the LL.M in European law (phone: +32 2 650.40.54 - e-mail: ebribo@ulb.ac.be).
Applications must be sent by e-mail to the rectorate of the Université Libre de Bruxelles (recteur@ulb.ac.be) and to the Deanship of the Faculty of Law and Criminology (dominique.jacquemin@ulb.ac.be).

They must include the following:

- an application letter
- a Curriculum vitae including a list of publications (a template can be downloaded at http://www.ulb.ac.be/tools/CV-type.rtf)
- any relevant documents showing 4 years of research experience
- a 10000-character report (6 pages) presenting the applicant’s research activities and a research project, including how these will integrate into ULB’s Centre for European law.
- a teaching dossier including a 7,000-character report (4 pages) on the applicant's previous teaching activities and a teaching project for the first five years in this position; these must be relevant to the faculty and to the teaching profiles for the programmes to which the applicant is to contribute
- three publications (articles or book chapters) representative of scientific research
- the names and e-mail addresses of five references (with equal gender representation) who may be contacted by those in charge of evaluating applications. These references should not have conflicts of interest.

The appointment to the academic staff of ULB is made at “Premier Assistant” level, if the candidate has had a PhD for less than eight years (on 1 October of the year of appointment). If the candidate has had a PhD for eight or more years, on 1 October of the year of appointment, then the appointment is made at “Chargé de Cours” level. As of their appointment, members of academic staff are authorized to use the honorary title of “Professeur”.

By sending in their application, applicants acknowledge they have read and understood the additional information and the regulations relevant to research staff, available at the following address http://www.ulb.ac.be/emploi/academique.html.