



Double Degree with the Chicago Kent College of Law, USA

Chicago-Kent College of Law is the law school of the Illinois Institute of Technology, a private research university in Chicago. Chicago-Kent is located within the downtown Chicago Loop, blocks away from the city's courthouses, government centers and countless law firms, and within walking distance of the city's nightlife and restaurant district. Chicago-Kent places a special focus on teaching foundational skills as well as practical skills training, for example through legal clinics.

Number of Study Places:

No limitation of study places in the double degree master's program with the Chicago Kent College of Law.

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 may be demonstrated through the following language tests, among others (subject to change):

- **IELTS (International English Language Testing System):**
 - Minimum overall score of 6.5.
- **TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language):**
 - Minimum overall score of 100.

Detailed information on other recognised language qualifications and accepted test formats can be found on the [partner faculty's website](#). Please note that, at the start of studies at the partner faculty, **English language certificates must be no more than two years old**. For applications to the Faculty of Law of the University of Zurich (RWF UZH), language certificates should generally be no more than one year old.

Tuition Fees:

USD 22'000 for the entire LL.M. programme, plus semester fees (fees for the 2026/27 academic year, subject to change). Please refer to the [Chicago-Kent College of Law website](#) for detailed information on tuition fees.

Duation of Studies:

- 2 Semesters at RWF UZH
- 2 Semesters at the Chicago Kent College of Law

Language:

Courses and examinations at the Chicago Kent College of Law are held in English.

Study Programs:

The double degree study programs offered by RWF UZH can be combined with the following study programs at Chicago Kent College of Law:

- The U.S., International & Transnational Law LL.M. program
- The Global Business & Financial Law LL.M. program
- The Trial Advocacy LL.M. program
- The International Intellectual Property Law LL.M. program
- The Legal Innovation & Technology LL.M. program

Degrees:

Master of Law UZH from the Faculty of Law of the University of Zurich (RWF UZH) and LL.M. of the Chicago Kent College of Law.

Important Notice:

Students participating in the programme with our partner faculties are generally eligible to apply for graduation from the RWF UZH no earlier than the second graduation deadline.