

**LEVELS (QUALIFICATIONS) DESCRIPTORS OF "LAW" SECTORIAL QUALIFICATIONS FRAMEWORK FOR HIGHER EDUCATION OF THE
REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA**

EDUCATIONAL LEVEL (QUALIFICATION)	1 ST (BACHELOR)	2 ND (MASTER)
General description (characteristic) of the Qualification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A Bachelor's degree in Law qualifies individuals who have fundamental, broad and coherent knowledge and skills to undertake professional work and/or further study in different fields of jurisprudence. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A Master's degree in Law qualifies individuals who have advanced and specialized knowledge and skills for professional practice, research and/or further study in jurisprudence.

KNOWLEDGE	1. Knowledge and understanding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Demonstrates fundamental (general) knowledge of the history and theoretical basics of state and law. • Demonstrates knowledge of the legal system, including on the fundamental methods of the legal act drafting, interpretation and application. • Demonstrates fundamental professional knowledge on the fields of law, legal principles, institutions, “soft” law and their application. • Demonstrates fundamental understanding of the methods, theories, concepts and special knowledge of relevant (complementary) fields, necessary for the understanding of law, drafting, interpretation and application of legal acts. • Demonstrates knowledge of methods, theories, necessary for the exercise of legal or other professional functions. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Demonstrates thorough knowledge of theoretical basics of state and law. • Demonstrates thorough knowledge on the legal system, including on the concepts, theories, and methods of the legal act drafting, interpretation and application. • Demonstrates advanced, comprehensive, deep and systematic professional knowledge on the fields of law of his/her specialization, legal principles, institutions, “soft” law and their application. • Demonstrates thorough and comprehensive understanding of the methods, theories, concepts and special knowledge of relevant fields, necessary for the understanding of law, drafting, interpretation and application of legal acts. • Demonstrates knowledge of methods (including research methods), theories and concepts necessary for the independent exercise of legal or other professional functions in the field of his/her specialization. • Demonstrates in-depth knowledge of legal principles, institutions, norms and practice of their implementation in the field of his/her specialization, including interdisciplinary context. • Demonstrates knowledge of legal theories and concepts, methods, possibilities, conditions and limitations of the application thereof.
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SKILLS	2. Applying knowledge and understanding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Can apply professional knowledge to solve routine, not complicated legal problems when presented with a specific task. • Can independently draft, formulate, develop and evaluate legal documents, require, obtain documents from the competent authorities or submit documents to the relevant authorities. • Can act as a representative of a physical person, a legal entity or the state when dealing with other persons or competent authorities. • Can participate in the drafting of a legal act and interpret its provisions. • Can find, use and interpret legislation or other information necessary for solving the defined problem in the professional field. • Can keep track of the changes and amendments of new legal provisions and to make use of them. • Can quickly orient him/ her on responding to the familiar legal problems and formulate arguments in support of his/her points, including putting forward counter arguments. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Can comprehensively apply professional knowledge to solve legal theoretical and practical problems arising in new and unfamiliar situations. • Can independently draft, formulate, develop and evaluate documents of various degrees of complication, require, obtain documents from the competent authorities or submit documents to the relevant authorities. • Can independently draft, formulate legal acts, process, bring argumentation to interpret and evaluate the draft legal acts. • Can find, classify and in a comprehensive, in-depth and coordinated approach, based on argumentation, interpret legislation or other information, including the ones in foreign languages, necessary for solving the defined problem in the professional field. • Can use legal research and other methods to understand and analyse legislative changes. • Can quickly orient him/ her on responding to the legal problems in the field of specialization and formulate arguments in support of his/her points.
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	3. Communication, ICT and numeracy skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Can introduce and explain legal information, legal ideas, legal arguments and not too complicated problems and their solutions to the professional community or to the general public. • Can apply ICTs and other specialist tools to ensure the solution of not complicated legal problems. • Can collect, process and interpret relevant quantitative and qualitative data in regard to legal problems to make reasonable judgments. • Can perform the legal profession ethically and responsibly. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Can introduce and explain legal information, legal ideas, legal arguments, problems of various degrees of complexity and their solutions to the professional community or the general public in a deep, comprehensive, systematic and argumentated manner. • Can apply ICTs and other specialist tools to ensure the solution of complicated legal problems, as well as to conduct research. • Can collect, process, analyse, evaluate and interpret relevant quantitative and qualitative data in regard to legal problems to draw conclusions and make decisions on the basis of incomplete or limited information. • Can perform the legal profession ethically and responsibly.
	4. Generic cognitive skills (including making judgments)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Can demonstrate a critical, analytical approach in order to identify the problems of a legal nature and elaborate the ways of their solution. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Can demonstrate analytical, creative, critical, innovative approach to identify and solve research problems or problems of specialization field, as well as generate new ideas.
COMPETENCE	5. Autonomy and responsibility (including learning skills)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Can undertake a lawyer's professional activities independently or under appropriate guidance. • Can perform tasks during the learning and working process, demonstrate some independence and responsibility while making professional decisions. • Can work in a team. • Has sufficient knowledge and skills to continue education on the second level of higher education. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Has sufficient skills to undertake professional activities in different fields of jurisprudence, as well as to research. • Can conduct legal research under the direct guidance of the scientific supervisor. • Can work in a team. • Has sufficient knowledge and skills to continue education on the third level of higher education.
Workload in ECTS credits		180-240	60-120