

## 2025 LL.M. In Chinese Law

### Program Description:

With China's rapid economic growth and rising international prestige, Chinese law has become an essential source of knowledge as well as a valuable instrument for international students and legal professionals who have business, cultural, academic or political links with China. Renmin Law School created the LL.M. Program in Chinese Law to meet the needs of the international community, helping them to gain an inside view of Chinese law from a first-rate legal institution in China.

The LL.M. in Chinese Law is a two-year English Graduate Program taught in English offered by Renmin University Law School. This Program provides an invaluable opportunity for a selected group of students and professionals with at least a bachelor's degree to broaden and deepen their knowledge and understanding of Chinese Law and Chinese legal practice. The program seeks to attract intellectually curious and thoughtful candidates from a variety of legal systems and backgrounds and with various career plans.

Program Website: <http://www.law.ruc.edu.cn/llm/>





## **I. Application Qualifications**

Applicants should:

1. NOT have Chinese nationality; Hold a valid ordinary passport;
2. Be physically and mentally healthy; Not have criminal record;
3. Have acquired a bachelor degree or above;
4. Have a good command of English: the overall score of IELTS must be 6.0 or above, or TOEFL score must be 90 or above. Applicants who have obtained an English-taught degree should provide a certificate of language instruction issued by their previous universities. Applicants who are native English speakers are not required to submit English proficiency certificate.
5. Be subject to the additional nationality regulations of Ministry of Education of People's Republic of China.

## **II. Application Time**

**Self-financed applicant:**

December 3, 2024- May 31, 2025

**Please note:**

- (1) Chinese Government Scholarship (Type B: High-level Program) applicant: December 3, 2024- February 15, 2025
- (2) International Students Office (ISO) of RUC will review the application materials during the application period. Applicants who do not pass the preliminary online review shall resubmit the application materials before the deadline. Late application will not be accepted after the deadline.

## **III. Duration and Tuition Fees**

Duration: LLM Program is a two-year English master program, with the tuition of CNY 70,000 per academic year. For those who cannot finish it within two years due to some

personal reasons, may apply for the extension of study period with extra payment for tuition fees for each academic year. The longest study period is five years.

According to the university charter, our institution operates across the Zhongguancun Campus and the Tongzhou Campus.



#### **IV. Application Procedure**

##### **1. Online Application**

Applicants must log in to the International Students Application System of Renmin University of China (<http://international.ruc.edu.cn/application>) within the application time, fill in the application information authentically, upload the application materials and pay the application fee online in the system. The application fee is RMB 800. The application fee will not be refunded.

##### **2. Qualification Review**

RUC will review the applicants' information and materials in the application system within the application time. Applicants who do not pass the online preliminary review should re-upload the related information or documents in time within the application period.

##### **3. Mail Documents**

Applicants should mail the hard copies of the application materials to the university through EMS or SF-Express within one week after passing the Qualification Review.

##### **4. School Review**

After the qualification review, the school will review the application documents. Applicants will get the interview notice if the check of the application documents is approved.

##### **5. Admission and Enrollment**

The university will publish the results of enrollments from March to July, 2025. Students should bring the admission documents including admission notice for onsite registration in September, 2025 to the university. The university will re-check the applicant's information and documents after onsite registration. If there were any violations or fraudulent situation found, the

university will turn down the admission.

## **V. Application Documents**

1. Application Form for International Students of Renmin University of China (original)
2. Final Education Certificate
3. Transcript (original)
4. Copies of the Information Page of the Passport
5. Two Recommendation Letters
6. Personal Statement and Study Plan
7. Foreigner Physical Examination Form(original)
8. English Proficiency Certificate
9. Proof of Economic Capability
10. Letter of Guarantee.
11. Certificate of No Criminal Record (original or notarized copy).
12. Nationality Proof
13. Copies of published academic papers, awards or other research results may be attached if necessary.

More details on each material and **matters needing attention**, please see *2025 Enrollment Guide on Master Program in English for International Students of Renmin University of China*.

## **VI. Scholarships Application**

1. Chinese Government Scholarship Type A: Bilateral Program

The applicant should first apply to the dispatching authorities for overseas study of your home country, such as Chinese embassies and consulates abroad or other organizations. Applicant should log in to the Chinese Government Scholarship Information System (<https://studyinchina.csc.edu.cn>), and fill out the application form and choose Type A. The first choice of the university should be Renmin University of China.

The dispatching authorities will send the application information to the university to decide whether the application can be approved by qualification and interview.

2. Chinese Government Scholarship Type B: High-level Program and Silk Road Program

The applicant should apply to the university and the Chinese Scholarship Council at the same time while applying for the master program. Applicant should log in the Chinese Government Scholarship Information System (<https://studyinchina.csc.edu.cn>) and fill out the application form by choosing Type B, High-level Program or Silk Road Program. Agency number of Renmin University of China is 10002.The final name list will be issued by the China Scholarship Council. The application period and enrollment guide will be further notified.

3. Beijing Municipal Government Scholarship

The scholarship will provide tuition reduction to the students for the first academic year accordingly. The full scholarship is the reduction of 30000 yuan, half scholarship is the reduction of 15000 yuan. If the basic tuition is lower than the amount of the reduction, the reduction will be considered the factual situation. The application requirements and procedure will be further notified.

## **VII. Contacts**

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If there is any change in the relevant enrollment information, please be subject to the latest published by the International Student Office. International Students Office reserves the right to update the enrollment guide if necessary.