

*If not indicated otherwise, all lectures are scheduled to take place in room 2202 in Boltzmannstr. 3 on campus in Berlin-Dahlem.
The curriculum may be subject to change.*

INTRODUCTORY WEEK

14.10.2025 (Tuesday), 11:00 (program to follow) Welcome to the MBL-FU/Opening Event	MBL-Team <i>Freie Universität Berlin, Germany</i>
15.10.2025 (Wednesday), 10:00-18:00 Introductory Day	MBL-Team <i>Freie Universität Berlin, Germany</i>

MODULE 1

EUROPEAN AND INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS LAW

16.10.2025 (Thursday), 10:00-18:00 Introduction to EU Law & the Internal Market	Dr. Diogo Magalhães <i>Seattle University, School of Law, USA</i> Prof. Dr. Juliane Mendelsohn <i>Ilmenau University of Technology, Germany</i>
17.10.2025 (Friday), 10:00-18:00 EU Law: The Fundamental Freedoms	Ralf Kanitz, LL.M. <i>Federal Ministry of Economic Affairs and Energy, Germany</i>
18.10.2025 (Saturday), 10:00-18:00 EU Law: The Fundamental Freedoms	
23.10.25 (Thursday), 10:00-16:00 Introduction to European Competition Law	Dr. Julia Möller-Klapperich, LL.M. <i>Freie Universität Berlin, Germany</i>
24.10.2025 (Friday), 10:00-18:00 The EU's External Relations and EU Investment Law	Dr. Angelos Dimopoulos, LL.M. <i>Queen Mary University of London, UK</i>
25.10.2025 (Saturday), 10:00-18:00 The EU's External Relations and EU Investment Law	
30.10.2025 (Thursday), 10:00-16:00 Tutorial: Academic Writing/ Library Tour	Dr. Julia Möller-Klapperich, LL.M. <i>Freie Universität Berlin, Germany</i>
31.10.2025 (Friday), 10:00-18:00 International Trade and Investment Law	Dr. Fabian Bickel <i>Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer LLP, UK</i>
01.11.2025 (Saturday), 10:00-18:00 International Trade and Investment Law	

03.11.-12.11.2025

Module Examination: Term Paper

MODULE 2 ECONOMY AND COMPETITION – THE BROADER VIEW

13.11.2025 (Thursday), 10:00-15:00 Tutorial: Foundation and Limits of Legal and Economic Thinking	Eduardo Caruso Cunha, LL.M. MBL <i>Freie Universität Berlin, Germany</i>
14.11.2025 (Friday), 10:00-18:00 Micro-Economics Basics: Market Structures and Efficiencies	Dr. Annika Stöhr <i>Ilmenau University of Technology, Germany</i>
15.11.2025 (Saturday), 10:00-18:00 Market Power and Market Definition: Assessment and Methods	
21.11.2025 (Friday), 10:00-18:00 The Pillars of Competition Policy: Cartels and other Horizontal Agreements & Horizontal, Vertical, and Conglomerate Mergers	Dr. Annika Stöhr <i>Ilmenau University of Technology, Germany</i>
22.11.2025 (Saturday), 10:00-18:00 The Pillars of Competition Policy: Abuse of Dominance + Excursion: Political Economy and Regulation Economics	
28.11.2025 (Friday), 10:00-18:00 Market Power and Market Definition	Dr. Liliane Giardino-Karlinger <i>European Commission, Belgium</i>
29.11.2025 (Saturday), 10:00-18:00 Abusive Behaviour and Dominant Firms	
04.12.2025 (Thursday), 10:00-13:00 Tutorial: Review and Exam Preparation	Eduardo Caruso Cunha, LL.M. MBL <i>Freie Universität Berlin, Germany</i>
05.12.2025 (Friday), 10:00-18:00 The Principles and Theories of an Economic System	Prof. Dr. Bertram Lomfeld <i>Freie Universität Berlin, Germany</i>
06.12.2025 (Saturday), 10:00-18:00 The Principles and Theories of an Economic System	
08.01.2026 (Thursday), 10:00-13:00, online Tutorial: Exam Preparation; Q & A	Eduardo Caruso Cunha, LL.M. MBL <i>Freie Universität Berlin, Germany</i>
15.01.2026, 10:30-12:30 (CET) Module Examination: Written Exam	
Time and place to be announced Tutorial: Exam Follow-up	MBL-Team <i>Freie Universität Berlin, Germany</i>

MODULE 3

EUROPEAN COMPETITION LAW

11.12.2025 (Thursday), 10:00-15:00 Tutorial: The Origins of Competition Law	Eduardo Caruso Cunha, LL.M. MBL <i>Freie Universität Berlin, Germany</i>
12.12.2025 (Friday), 10:00-18:00 Abuse of Dominance - Art. 102 TFEU	Dr. Moritz Jakobs <i>European Commission, Belgium</i>
13.12.2025 (Saturday), 09:00-17:00 Abuse of Dominance - Art. 102 TFEU	
18.12.2025 (Thursday), 10:00-18:00, Conference Room III, Henry-Ford-B. Illegal Agreements and Cartels – Art. 101 TFEU	Prof. David Bailey <i>King's College London, UK</i>
19.12.2025 (Friday), 10:00-18:00, Conference Room III, Henry-Ford-B. Illegal Agreements and Cartels – Art. 101 TFEU	
09.01.2026 (Friday), 10:00-18:00 Art. 101 TFEU – Specific Problems/Enforcement	Dr. Christoph Wünschmann <i>Hogan Lovells LLP, Germany</i>
10.01.2026 (Saturday), 10:00-18:00 Art. 101 TFEU – Specific Problems/Enforcement	
16.01.2026 (Friday), 10:00-18:00 Merger Control Regulation	Stefan Siebert <i>European Commission, Belgium</i>
17.01.2026 (Saturday), 10:00-18:00 Merger Control Regulation	
22.01.2026 (Thursday), 15:00-18:00 Tutorial: Competition Law Competition	Dr. Julia Möller-Klapperich, LL.M. Priscila Viola Foureaux, LL.M. MBL <i>Freie Universität Berlin, Germany</i>

MODULE 4

ADVANCED COMPETITION LAW

23.01.2026 (Friday), 10:00-18:00 State Aid Law (Art. 107 TFEU)	Dr. Luca Rubini <i>University of Milan, Italy</i>
24.01.2026 (Saturday), 10:00-18:00 State Aid Law (Art. 107 TFEU)	
29.01.2026 (Thursday), 14:00-18:00 Introduction to US Antitrust Law	Robert Köller, LL.M. MBL <i>KSG Capital Advisors, Germany</i>
30.01.2026 (Friday), 10:00-18:00 EU Competition and US Antitrust Law	Prof. Dr. Giorgio Monti <i>Tilburg University, Netherlands</i>
31.01.2026 (Saturday), 10:00-18:00 EU Competition and US Antitrust Law	
05.02.2026 (Thursday), 12:30-18:00 Competition Law and Policy in the Single Digital Market	Massimiliano Kadar, LL.M. <i>European Commission, Belgium</i>
06.02.2026 (Friday), 10:00-18:00 Competition Law and Policy in the Single Digital Market	
07.02.2026 (Saturday), 10:00-14:00 Fundamentals of Data Competition Law	Dr. Julia Möller-Klapperich, LL.M. <i>Freie Universität Berlin, Germany</i>
12.02.2026 (Thursday), 10:00-12:00 Tutorial: Exam Preparation	MBL-Team <i>Freie Universität Berlin, Germany</i>
13.02.2026 (Friday), 10:00-18:00 Competition Law in Developing Countries	Dr. Michael Albers <i>European Commission, Belgium</i>
14.02.2026 (Saturday), 10:00-18:00 Competition Law in Developing Countries	Leonila Papa, LL.M. MBL <i>Legal and Competition Policy Expert (Consultant), Asian Development Bank</i>
26.02.2026, 10:30-12:00 (CET) Module Examination: Written Exam	
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