## LUXEMBOURG (since 2007)

## 1. Legal basis

- Règlement Intérieur de l'Ordre des Avocats du Barreau de Luxembourg
- Adopted by the Council of the Bar on 12/09/2007
- <u>Règlement</u> de L'Ordre des Avocats du Barreau de Luxembourg sur l'attribution des points dans le cadre de la formation permanente Adopted by the Council of the Bar on 02/07/2008

2. Training				
2.1. Basic information				
	Extent	<ul> <li>Average 16 points annually in 3 years circle</li> <li>Min. 2/3 of the points in legal field; remaining points in the fields relevant to the professional practice</li> </ul>		
	Exemptions	<ul><li>Motivated reasons</li><li>Exemptions granted by the Council of the Bar</li></ul>		
2.2. Activi	ties and methods			
Activities	Courses	1	- 1 hour = 1 point	
	Language courses	N/A		
	Teaching	1	- 1 hour = 2 points	
	Writing/publishing	1	<ul><li>1 legal article = 8 points</li><li>1 legal book = 16 points</li></ul>	
	Foreign training activities	1		
	Other	1	<ul> <li>Participation in editor committee (legal books): 8 points</li> <li>Research</li> <li>Participation in discussion groups</li> <li>Participation in professional committees</li> </ul>	
Methods	Availability of e-methods	1	- E-learning: 1 hour = 1 point	
2.3. Cours	e providers			
	Bar/Law Society	1	- Luxembourg Bar	
	Accredited provider	1	<ul> <li>University of Luxembourg</li> <li>Universities of the EU Member states</li> <li>Organizations recognized/accredited by other Bars/Law Societies of the EU Member states</li> </ul>	
	Other provider (free market providers)	/	<ul> <li>Number of providers: N/A</li> <li>Prior application for a course accreditation: ✓</li> <li>Accreditation body: the Council of the Bar (on the basis of proposal of the <i>Commission d'agrèment</i>)</li> <li>Procedure: introduce a formal application</li> <li>Criteria for accreditation: <ul> <li>give a description of the institution's activities</li> <li>commitment to deliver a certificate of attendance to the participants</li> <li>commitment to deliver handouts during the seminars</li> <li>keep an attendance list</li> <li>authorized institutions are encouraged to publish the legal training program and related programs on the Bar's website.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
3. Assess	ment of training activities			
	Course of accredited provider/ Accredited course	Autom	atically awarded with points	

of 'other provider'			
Other training activity	Procedure:  - A posteriori assessment  - Applicant: lawyer  - Assessment body: the Council of the Bar Training activities can also be/are assessed during the compliance procedure (please see below 4.1.)  Criteria for assessment:  - Link to the professional activities  - Participation frequency in the training activities of the same nature  - Relevance of training activities  - Respect for the objectives for continuing training set out in the Regulation  - Objectives of the training activities must be measured and verified		
4. Supervision			
4.1. Compliance procedure			
Regular control	N/A		
Random control	<ul> <li>Upon request of the President of the Bar</li> <li>In case of failure, the lawyer may be summoned before the Council of the Bar</li> </ul>		
4.2. Sanctions			
Non-disciplinary	N/A		
Disciplinary	N/A		