

## DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS IN BUSINESS MANAGEMENT - INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS (01NMC170)

Students must also comply with the University General Regulations and the Supplementary Regulations for the Degree of Master of Arts

**All the courses listed below are prescribed for this degree**

PROGRAMME YEAR 1 – 120 Credit Points					
First Half Session			Second Half Session		
Course Code	Course Title	Credit Points	Course Code	Course Title	Credit Points
AW 1006	Academic Writing for Social Science	0			
PD 1002	Getting Started at the University of Aberdeen	0			
EC 1006	The Economics of Business and Society	15	AC 1517	Accounting and Entrepreneurship	15
MS 1009	Managing Organisations	15			
PI 1018	Politics & International Relations 1: Democracy and Governance	15	PI 1518	Politics & International Relations 2: Power and Conflict	15
Plus further credit points from courses of choice to gain a total of 120 credits					

PROGRAMME YEAR 2 – 120 Credit Points					
First Half-Session			Second Half-Session		
Course Code	Course Title	Credit Points	Course Code	Course Title	Credit Points
MS 2006	Marketing	15	MS 2511	Operations Management	15
			PO 2508	Understanding Statistics	15
PI 2009	Ideas & Ideologies in Politics & International Relations	30	PI 2508	Global Politics: Equality & Inequality	30
Plus further credit points from courses of choice to gain a total of 120 credits					

PROGRAMME YEAR 3 – 120 Credit Points					
First Half-Session			Second Half-Session		
Course Code	Course Title	Credit Points	Course Code	Course Title	Credit Points
PI 3069	Researching in the 21 <sup>st</sup> Century	30	Plus one second-half session level 3 Politics and International Relations course from the table below		
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>NOTE: If you intend to take your dissertation in Business Management in level 4 you must take <u>MS 3553 Research Methods for Business</u> in level 3.</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Plus 60 credit points from level 3 courses in Business Management. (See Table of Honours Options below and Note 2).</p>					

PROGRAMME YEAR 4 – 120 Credit Points					
First Half-Session			Second Half-Session		
Course Code	Course Title	Credit Points	Course Code	Course Title	Credit Points
<b>EITHER:</b>					
IR 4031	Dissertation (International Relations)	30	<b>AND:</b> MS 4536	Business Strategy	30
			Plus one second-half session level 3 Politics and International Relations course from the table below		
<b>OR:</b>					
Plus one first-half session level 4 Politics and International Relations course from the table below			MS 4540	Dissertation in Management Studies	30
			Plus one second-half session level 4 Politics and International Relations course from the table below		
Plus further credit points from Honours course(s) in Business Management and level 4 course(s) in Politics & International Relations to gain a total of 60 credits in each discipline.					
<b>NOTE: You are required to gain a minimum of 90 credit points from level 4 courses.</b>					

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Level 3 and 4 Politics and International Relations Courses					
All courses are subject to availability					
First Half-Session			Second Half-Session		
Course Code	Course Title	Credit Points	Course Code	Course Title	Credit Points
<b>LEVEL 3</b>					
PI 3073	The EU: Contemporary Challenges	30	ED 3537	Employer-led Interdisciplinary Project	30
PI 3080	US Politics	30	IR 3518	International Security	30
PI 3081	Chile and the Long Shadow of Dictatorship	30	PI 3562	Political Parties in Britain	30
			PI 3565	Soviet and Post-Soviet Russian Foreign Policy	30
			PI 3570	Memory and Politics of the Past	30
			PI 3572	Human Rights in Global Politics	30
			PI 3579	Digital Politics: Political Communication in the Internet Age(s)	30
			PI 3582	The Global Politics of Secession	30
			PI 3583	Democratization	30
<b>LEVEL 4</b>					
IR 4034	Science, Technology and International Relations	30	IR 4528	War and Peace in International Relations	30
PI 4060	Extreme Right in Western Europe	30	IR 4535	Maritime Security	30
PI 4086	International Political Psychology	30	PI 4573	Political Islam: Islamist Ideologies and Practices	30
			PI 4579	International Migration and Europe	30
			PI 4587	Good Governance and Anti-Corruption Policy	30
			PI 4588	Northern Ireland: Small, Dirty War	30

Honours Courses in Business Management					
All courses are subject to availability.					
First Half-Session			Second Half-Session		
Course Code	Course Title	Credit Points	Course Code	Course Title	Credit Points
<b>LEVEL 3 OPTIONS</b>					
MS 3056	Business Ethics and Corporate Social Responsibility	30	MS 3551	Understanding the Consumer	30
MS 3058	New Venture Development	30	MS 3553	Research Methods for Business	30
			MS 3554	Human Resource Management	30
<b>LEVEL 4 OPTIONS</b>					
MS 4048	Understanding and Managing Change	30	MS 4536	Business Strategy	30
MS 4053	Understanding and Managing Behaviour in Organisations	30			

Notes	
1.	Candidates seeking entry to the Junior Honours programme must have accumulated, by award or recognition, or been exempted from, at least 240 credit points at levels 1 and 2, including the prescribed courses required to enter programme year 3.
2.	<i>MS 3553 Research Methods for Business</i> is normally a prescribed course for students who intend to take their dissertation in Business Management. However, the Business Management Teaching & Learning Convenor has approved <i>PI 3069 Researching in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century</i> as an equivalent research methods course, which will be accepted as a pre-requisite for the Dissertation in Business Management. Students on this degree programme are not required to take MS 3553.