

OIL AND GAS LAW WITH PROFESSIONAL SKILLS (BLENDED)

SEPTEMBER START: 63OPSD1

JANUARY START: 63OPJBD1

January option is not available for full time students but is available to part time students. (This is because of the September course content required to take LS5906)

Duration: 12 months full-time or normally 24 months part-time.

Content:

Full Time students take 60 credits per semester. Part time normally take 30 credits per semester. Students require 180 credits to complete the LLM (120 for a Postgraduate Diploma and 60 credits for a Postgraduate Certificate).

Courses with the prefix LS50 run in September

Courses with the prefix LS55 run in January

LS5906 Oil and Gas Law Professional Skills – Exploration and Production runs over the summer with two weeks on-campus summer school attendance required.

Students must take the following **compulsory** courses:

LS502V (September start) or LS552X (January start) Critical Legal Thinking and Scholarship (zero credits)

LS502R Petroleum Law: Resource Management (15 credit points)

LS502S Regulatory Law for Petroleum Operations (15 credit points) (January start part-time students must take this in their first year).

LS502T Decommissioning of Offshore Installations: Regulatory Aspects (15 credit points)

LS502U Co-operative Contracts in the Oil and Gas Industry (15 credit points) (January start part-time students must take this in their first year).

LS5906 Oil and Gas Law Professional Skills – Exploration and Production (60 credit points) This course includes two weeks on-campus in late May/early June. Only taken after completion of LS502S Regulatory Law for Petroleum Operations and LS502U Co-operative Contracts in the Oil and Gas Industry

The remaining 60 credits must be taken from the **optional** courses below:

LS552Q Risk Allocation in Oilfield Service Contracts (15 credit points)

LS552R Governance and Petroleum Developments (15 credit points)

LS552S Decommissioning of Offshore Installations: Commercial Aspects (15 credit points)

LS552U Investment Disputes in the Oil and Gas Context (15 credit points)

LS551X Negotiation Skills (30 credit points)

LS552F Mediation Theory and Practice (30 credit points)

LS553A Core Principles of World Trade Organisation (15 credit points)

LS553B International Sale of Goods (15 credit points)

LS553E International Investment Law (15 credit points)

Assessment: By course work, by written examination, or by a combination of these, as prescribed for each course. The degree of LLM shall not be awarded to a candidate who fails to achieve a CGS grade of D3 or above in the specified dissertation course, irrespective of their performance in other courses: such candidates may, at the discretion of the Examiners, be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma or a Postgraduate Certificate.