

*Duration:* 12 months full-time or 24 or 36 months part-time.

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### **FULL TIME ROUTE**

#### **September and January starts**

*Either*

PD5006 Getting Started at the University of Aberdeen (0 credit points)

LS501T Critical Legal Thinking and Scholarship (0 credit points) for students starting in September

*Or*

PD5506 Getting Started at the University of Aberdeen (0 credit points)

LS551T Critical Legal Thinking and Scholarship (0 credit points) for students starting in January

*Plus*

LS5904 LLM Dissertation (60 credit points)

Plus additional courses to the value of 120 credit points from any Level 5 30 credit on-campus Law courses (excluding LS501K and any of the Professional Skills courses, LS5905, LS5906, LS5907, LS5908, LS5909 and LS5913).

### **PART TIME ROUTE**

#### **September start**

This route will run over two years minimum. Candidates can take up to 120 credit points in an academic year. LS501T and PD5006 must be taken in Year 1, and LS5904 must be taken in Year 2.

The remaining credit points will be taken as follows: an additional courses to the value of 120 credit points from any Level 5 30 credit on campus Law course (excluding LS501K and any of the Professional Skills courses, LS5905, LS5906, LS5907, LS5908, LS5909 and LS5913).

#### **January start**

This route will run over three academic years. Candidates can take up to 60 credit points in Year 1 120 credit points in Year 2, and 60 credit points in Year 3. LS551T and PD5506 must be taken in Year 1, and LS5904 must be taken in either Year 2 or Year 3.

The remaining credit points will be taken as follows: an additional courses to the value of 120 credit points from any Level 5 30 credit on-campus Law courses (excluding LS501K and any of the Professional Skills courses, LS5905, LS5906, LS5907, LS5908, LS5909 and LS5913)

*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.