

DISPUTE RESOLUTION (ONLINE - SEPTEMBER START) (LLM/PgCert/PgDip)

September Start - 63M290D1/63M29AVX/63M29AVZ

January Start - 63M29JD1/63M29JVX/63M29JVZ

Duration: 28 months part-time, 12 months full time (LLM); 18 months part time, 9 months full time (PgDip); 12 months part time, 4 months full time (PgCert).

Content:

Full Time students take 60 credits per semester. Part time normally take 30 credits per semester.

FULL TIME ROUTE

September start

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

LS502V Critical Legal Thinking and Scholarship (zero credits)

LS501W Legal Principles (30 credit points)

LS5910 Dissertation (60 credit points)

Term 1

Students must choose 30 credits from the following optional courses:

LS501Z International Arbitration Law (30 credits)

LS501Y Mediation Theory and Practice (30 credit points)

LS503E International Investment Law (15 credit points)

LS503F International Investment Arbitration (15 credit points)

Term 2

Students must choose 60 credits from the following optional courses

LS551X Negotiation Skills (30 credit points)

LS552A Advanced Mediation Practice (30 credit points)

LS552B International Arbitration Practice (30 credit points)

LS552Y Regulatory Law and Practice (15 credit points)

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

LS553E International Investment Law (15 credit points)

LS553F International Investment Arbitration (15 credit points)

January start

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

LS552X Critical Legal Thinking and Scholarship (zero credit points)

LS552E Legal Principles (30 credit points)

LS5910 Dissertation (60 credit points)

Term 1

Students must choose 30 credits from the following optional courses:

LS551X Negotiation Skills (30 credit points)

LS552Y Regulatory Law and Practice (15 credit points)

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

LS553E International Investment Law (15 credit points)

LS553F International Investment Arbitration (15 credit points)

Term 3

Students must choose 60 credits from the following optional courses

LS501Z International Arbitration Law (30 credits)

LS501Y Mediation Theory and Practice (30 credit points)

LS503E International Investment Law (15 credit points)

LS503F International Investment Arbitration (15 credit points)

Please note. January start students do not have the option to take the advanced courses in Mediation and Arbitration (LS552A and LS552B). Students may wish to take these courses as Individual Subject Study AFTER completion of their LLM.

PART TIME ROUTE

September start

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

LS502V Critical Legal Thinking (zero credit points) – must be taken in Year 1

LS501W Legal Principles (30 credit points) – must be taken in Year 1

LS5910 Dissertation (60 credit points) – must be taken in Year 2

Year 1 - Term 1

LS501W Legal Principles (30 credit points)

Year 1 - Term 2

Students must choose 30 credits from the following optional courses:

LS551X Negotiation Skills (30 credit points)

LS552Y Regulatory Law and Practice (15 credit points)

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

LS553E International Investment Law (15 credit points)

LS553F International Investment Arbitration (15 credit points)

Year 2 - Term 1

Students must choose 30 credits from the following optional courses:

LS501Z International Arbitration Law (30 credits)

LS501Y Mediation Theory and Practice (30 credit points)

LS503E International Investment Law (15 credit points)

LS503F International Investment Arbitration (15 credit points)

Year 2 - Term 2

Students must choose 30 credits from the following optional courses:

LS551X Negotiation Skills (30 credit points)

LS552A Advanced Mediation Practice (30 credit points)

LS552B International Arbitration Practice (30 credit points)

LS552Y Regulatory Law and Practice (15 credit points)

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

LS553E International Investment Law

LS553F International Investment Arbitration

Year 2 – Term 3 (SUMMER)

LS5910 Dissertation (60 credit points)

January start

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

LS552X Critical Legal Thinking and Scholarship (zero credit points) – must be taken in Year 1

LS552E Legal Principles (30 credit points) – must be taken in Year 1

LS5910 Dissertation (60 credit points) – must be taken in Year 2

Year 1 - Term 1

LS552E Legal Principles (30 credit points)

Year 1 - Term 2

Students must choose 30 credits from the following optional courses:

LS501Z International Arbitration Law (30 credits)
LS501Y Mediation Theory and Practice (30 credit points)
LS503E International Investment Law (15 credit points)
LS503F International Investment Arbitration (15 credit points)

Year 2 - Term 1

Students must choose 30 credits from the following optional courses:

LS551X Negotiation Skills (30 credit points)
LS552B International Arbitration Practice (30 credit points)
LS552A Advanced Mediation Practice (30 credit points)
LS552Y Regulatory Law and Practice (15 credit points)
LS552U Investment Disputes in the Oil and Gas Context (15 credit points)
LS553E International Investment Law (15 credit points)
LS553F International Investment Arbitration (15 credit points)

Year 2 – Term 2

LS5910 Dissertation (60 credit points)

Year 2 - Term 3

Students must choose 30 credits from the following optional courses:

LS501Z International Arbitration Law (30 credits)
LS501Y Mediation Theory and Practice (30 credit points)
LS503E International Investment Law (15 credit points)
LS503F International Investment Arbitration (15 credit points)

CIArb Accreditation information

For exemption from CIArb Module 1 students must have taken LS501Z International Arbitration Law

For exemption from CIArb Module 2 students must have taken LS501W / LS552E Legal Principles

For exemption from CIArb Module 3 students must have taken LS552B International Arbitration Practice

Modules 1 and 2 lead to Membership of CIArb

Modules 1, 2 and 3 lead to Fellowship (plus peer interview)

Assessment: By course work, by written examination, or by a combination of these, as prescribed for each course. Candidates will be expected to attend examinations in person, either at Aberdeen or in another recognised educational centre (eg British Council office). Associated costs for arranging and attending exams will be borne by the student.