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

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FULL TIME ROUTE

September and January Starts

All candidates must take the following courses:

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
LS504 Master of Laws Dissertation (60 credit points)
LS501C International Energy and Environmental Law (30 credit points)
Plus
LS504L Renewable Energy Law (30 credit points)

Plus two courses from:

- LS551A Principles of Environmental Regulation (30 credit points)
- LS553Z Regulation of Carbon Management (30 credit points)
- LS555L International Investment Law and Energy Arbitration (30 credit points)
- LS5594 Downstream Energy Law (30 credit points)

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, PD5006, LS501C and LS504L must be taken in Year 1, and LS5904 must be taken in Year 2.

Plus two courses from:

- LS551A Principles of Environmental Regulation (30 credit points)
- LS553Z Regulation of Carbon Management (30 credit points)
- LS555L International Investment Law and Energy Arbitration (30 credit points)
- LS5594 Downstream Energy Law (30 credit points)

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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, LS501C and LS504L must be taken in Year 2.

Plus two courses from:

- LS501C International Energy and Environmental Law (30 credit points)
- LS504L Renewable Energy Law (30 credit points)
- LS502Z Oil and Mining Resources for Good and Development (30 credit points)

Plus two courses from:

- LS551A Principles of Environmental Regulation (30 credit points)
- LS553Z Regulation of Carbon Management (30 credit points)
- LS555L International Investment Law and Energy Arbitration (30 credit points)
- LS5594 Downstream Energy Law (30 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.