

DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS IN LEGAL STUDIES - POLITICS (01MMH170)

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 10066	Academic Writing for Social Sciences	0			
PD 1001	Professional Skills Part 1	0			
LS 1025	Legal System	15	LS 1522	Legal Method	15
PI 1018	Introduction to Politics & International Relations 1	15	PI 1518	Introduction to Politics & International Relations 2	15
Plus 30 credit points from the following courses: (See Notes 1 & 2)					
LS 1020	Criminal Law	15	LS 1520	Contract	15
			LS 1521	Public Law and Human Rights	15
LS 1022	Foundations of Private Law	15	LS 1523	Alternative Methods of Dispute Resolution	15
LS 1026	Case Studies on Law in Society	15	LS 1527	English Criminal Law	7.5
			LS 1528	Introduction to English Legal System	7.5
Plus 30 credit points from non-LS courses of choice.					

PROGRAMME YEAR 2 – 120 Credit Points					
First Half-Session			Second Half-Session		
Course Code	Course Title	Credit Points	Course Code	Course Title	Credit Points
PI 2009	Ideas & Ideologies in Politics & International Relations	30	PI 2508	Global Politics: Equality & Inequality	30
Plus 60 credit points from the following courses: (See Notes 1 & 2)					
LS 1020	Criminal Law	15	LS 1520	Contract	15
LS 1022	Foundations of Private Law	15	LS 1521	Public Law and Human Rights	15
LS 1026	Case Studies on Law in Society	15	LS 1523	Alternative Methods of Dispute Resolution	15
			LS 1527	English Criminal Law	7.5
LS 2025	Delict & Unjustified Enrichment	15	LS 1528	Introduction to English Legal System	7.5
			LS 2527	Introduction to Legal Theory	7.5
LS 2026	EU Institutions and Law	15	LS 2530	Introduction to German Law	15
			LS 2531	Introduction to Spanish Law (See Note 3)	5
LS 2032	Public International Law	15	LS 2533	Business Law (See Note 4)	15
			LS 2535	The Governance of Scotland	7.5
LS 2031	The Law of Property	15	LS 2536	Introduction to Comparative Law	7.5
			LS 2539	Introduction to French Law	15
LS 3025	Evidence	15	LS 2525	Commercial Organisations and Insolvency	15
			LS 2526	Family Law	15
LS 3027	Land Law	15	LS 2528	Succession and Trusts	7.5
			LS 3529	English Property Law	15
LS 3030	Law of Equity and Trusts of England and Wales	15	LS 3531	Energy Law	15

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 into the 21 st Century	30			
Plus 60 credit points from Legal Studies LX Honours courses (See Table of Honours Options below) .					
Plus a further 30 credit points from level 3 course(s) in Politics & International Relations.					

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PROGRAMME YEAR 4 – 120 Credit Points					
First Half-Session			Second Half-Session		
Course Code	Course Title	Credit Points	Course Code	Course Title	Credit Points
You are required to take <u>one</u> of the following dissertation courses:					
LX 4025	Dissertation (Legal Studies)	30			
PI 4071	Dissertation (Politics)	30			
Plus further credit points from courses in Legal Studies and Politics & International Relations to gain a total of 60 credit points in each discipline. (See Table of Legal Studies Honours Options below).					

LEGAL STUDIES HONOURS COURSES					
First Half-Session			Second Half-Session		
Course Code	Course Title	Credit Points	Course Code	Course Title	Credit Points
LX 401C	Environmental Law	30	LX 451A	Comparative Corporate Governance	30
LX 401E	Gender, Law and Society	30	LX 451K	Copyright & Allied Rights	30
LX 401F	International Law, A Time of Challenges	30	LX 451L	Intellectual Property Law	30
LX 401P	International Human Rights	30	LX 451P	Voluntary Scotland, Scottish Charities, Clubs, Community Organisations	30
LX 401Q	Private International Law of Commercial Law (Honours)	30	LX 451T	International Family Law (Honours)	30
LX 401R	UK Constitutionalism: Past, Present and Future (Honours)	30	LX 4543	Delict	30
LX 401S	The Commercial Legal Implications of Brexit for the UK	30	LX 4553	Law and Medical Ethics	30
LX 4011	Law of Sales Honours	30	LX 4557	Administrative Law Honours	30
LX 4019	Criminal Justice	30	LX 4559	European Legal History (Honours)	30
LX 4020	Contemporary Legal Issues in European Integration	30	LX 4561	Media Law (Honours)	30
LX 4021	American Constitutional Law Honours	30	LX 4572	Multinational Companies and the Law	30
LX 4037	Scottish Legal History Honours	30	LX 4573	Corporate Insolvency Law	30
LX 4039	Animal Welfare Law Honours	30	LX 4577	Criminology	30
LX 4047	Government and Law Honours	30	LX 4584	The Use of Force in International Law	30
LX 4050	European Economic Law	30	LX 4591	Civil Liberties: Political Rights & Human Rights Law	30
LX 4066	Company Law	30			
LX 4072	Law, Elections & Democracy	30			
LX 4078	Comparative Constitutional Law	30			

Notes	
1.	It may not be possible to combine every one of these options with the compulsory courses in the candidate's other subject due to timetabling constraints.
2.	Students must check the necessary pre-requisites before registering for optional LS or LX courses – please refer to the Course Catalogue online.
3.	The 5 credit point course LS 2531 may be taken in addition to the Legal Studies requirements in programme year 2. If this course is chosen the credit load for the year will be 125 credit points, of which 65 credits will be from Legal Studies courses.
4.	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.