NATURAL RESOURCES LAW

SEPTEMBER START: 59M19SD1 JANUARY START: 59M19JD1

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:

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

AND

LS5904 LLM Dissertation (60 credit points)

In addition to the above candidates must take courses to the value of 120 credit points. At least 90 credit points must be obtained from the courses listed below. The remaining credit points may be obtained from any Level 5 30 credit on-campus Law course.

LS501C International Energy and Environmental Law (30 credit points)

LS501E State Control of Hydrocarbons (30 credit points)

LS504J Oil and Mining Resources for Good and Development (30 credit points)*

LS551A Principles of Environmental Regulation (30 credit points)

LS555L International Investment Law and Energy Arbitration (30 credit points)** LS555J International Food, Agriculture and Environmental Law (30 credit points)

*previously LS502Z. Oil and Mining Resources for Good (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 and PD5006 must be taken in Year 1, and LS5904 must be taken in Year 2.

Candidates must take a remaining 120 credit points. At least 90 credit points must be obtained from the courses listed below. The remaining credit points may be obtained from any Level 5 30 credit Law on-campus course).

LS501C International Energy and Environmental Law (30 credit points)

LS501E State Control of Hydrocarbons (30 credit points)

LS504j Oil and Mining Resources for Good and Development (30 credit points)*

LS551A Principles of Environmental Regulation (30 credit points)

LS555L International Investment Law and Energy Arbitration (30 credit points)**

LS555J International Food Law, Agriculture and Environmental Law (30 credit points)

^{**}previously LS552Z, International Arbitration: Energy & Natural Resources (30 credit points)

^{*}previously LS502Z, Oil and Mining Resources for Good (30 credit points)

^{**}previously LS552Z, International Arbitration: Energy & Natural Resources (30 credit points)

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 Year 2.

Candidates must take a remaining 120 credit points. At least 90 credit points must be obtained from the courses listed below. The remaining credit points may be obtained from any Level 5 30 credit Law on-campus course.

LS501C International Energy and Environmental Law (30 credit points)

LS501E State Control of Hydrocarbons (30 credit points

LS504J Oil and Mining Resources for Good and Development (30 credit points)*

LS551A Principles of Environmental Regulation (30 credit points)

LS555L International Investment Law and Energy Arbitration (30 credit points)**

LS555J International Food Law, Agriculture and Environmental Law (30 credit points)

*previously LS502Z, Oil and Mining Resources for Good (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.

^{**}previously LS552Z, International Arbitration: Energy & Natural Resources (30 credit points)