

Academic Year 2023/24

LLM in Mediation and International Commercial Dispute Resolution (September Entry)

Code: 5890F/P

LLM in Mediation and International Commercial Dispute Resolution (January Entry)

Code: 5897F/P

Notes

- (i) *These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's Taught Programme Regulations.*
- (ii) *A core module for outcomes is a module which a student must pass.*
- (iii) *A core module for PSRB accreditation is a module a student is required to pass to obtain accreditation.*
- (iv) *A compulsory module is a module which a student is required to study.*
- (v) *All modules are delivered in Linear mode unless stated otherwise as Block, eLearning or distance learning.*

1. Programme Structure

- (a) The programme is available for study in full-time and part-time modes.
- (b) The full-time period of study for candidates who enter the programme in September shall be 1 year. The equivalent part-time period of study shall normally be 2 years.
- (c) The full-time period of study for candidates who enter the programme in January shall be 18 months. The equivalent part-time period of study shall normally be 2 years.
- (d) The programme comprises modules to a credit value of 180.
- (e) All candidates shall take the following compulsory modules:

| Code | Descriptive title | Total Credits | Credits Sem 1 | Credits Sem 2 | Credits Sem 3 | Level | Type | Core for PSRB Accreditation | Core for learning outcomes | Mode |
|---------|-----------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-------|------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|
| LAW8091 | Legal Research: Theory and Method | 20 | 20 | | | 7 | | | | eLearning |
| LAW8331 | Mediation Law | 20 | | 20 | | 7 | | | | Distance learning |
| LAW8332 | Mediation Practice & Skills | 20 | 20 | | | 7 | | | | Distance learning |
| LAW8333 | Mediation Theory | 20 | | 20 | | 7 | | | | Distance learning |

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|---------|---|----|----|----|--|---|--|--|--|-------------------|
| LAW8549 | Dispute Resolution and Conflict Studies | 20 | 20 | | | 7 | | | | Distance learning |
| LAW8578 | Technology and ODR | 20 | | 20 | | 7 | | | | Distance learning |

(f) All candidates will take one of the modules below and the choice will be determined by the candidate's month of entry to the programme:

| <i>Code</i> | <i>Descriptive title</i> | <i>Total Credits</i> | <i>Credits Sem 1</i> | <i>Credits Sem 2</i> | <i>Credits Sem 3</i> | <i>Level</i> | <i>Type</i> | <i>Core for PSRB Accreditation</i> | <i>Core for learning outcomes</i> | <i>Mode</i> |
|-------------|--------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------|-------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| LAW8099 | Dissertation (September entry) | 60 | | | 60 | 7 | | | | |
| LAW8199 | Dissertation (January entry) | 60 | | 60 | | 7 | | | | |

2. Part-Time Candidates

Part-time candidates' route through the programme needs to be agreed by the Degree Programme Director. All part-time candidates shall take LAW8091 and LAW8099 or LAW8199 in their second year.

3. Assessment methods

Details of the assessment pattern for each module are explained in the module outline.