

Academic Year 2024/2025

Master of Laws (LLM) in Competition Law and the Digital Economy

Code: 5894F/P

Notes

- (i) These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's Taught Programme Regulations.
- (ii) A core module is a module which a student must pass.
- (iii) A compulsory module is a module which a student is required to study.
- (iv) 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 both full-time and part-time modes.
- (b) The period of study for full-time mode shall be 1 year starting in September. The period of study for part-time mode shall normally be 2 years starting in September.
- (c) The programme comprises modules to a credit value of 180.
- (d) All candidates shall take the following compulsory module(s):

Code	Descriptive title	Total Credits	Credits Sem 1	Credits Sem 2	Credits Sem 3	Level	Type	Mode
LAW8091	Legal Research: Theory and Method	20	20			7	Compulsory	eLearning
LAW8099	Dissertation	60			60	7	Compulsory	
LAW8576	Law and Digital Society	20		20		7	Compulsory	
LAW8586	Digital Markets and Competition Law	20	20			7	Compulsory	

- (e) All candidates shall take further optional modules to a minimum of 40 credits from the following:

Code	Descriptive title	Total Credits	Credits Sem 1	Credits Sem 2	Credits Sem 3	Level	Type	Mode
LAW8143	Corporate Governance and Corporate Finance	20	20			7	Optional	
LAW8219	Money Laundering and Corporate Misconduct	20		20		7	Optional	
LAW8577	Law and Emerging Technologies	20	20			7	Optional	
LAW8587	Law, Digital Labour Platforms and Workers' Rights	20		20		7	Optional	

- (f) Students are permitted to take further optional modules up to a value of 20 credits from the following options:

<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>Mode</i>
LAW8135	Law of Armed Conflict	20	20			7	Optional	
LAW8146	Foundations of Public International Law	20	20			7	Optional	
LAW8572	International Human Rights and Development: Global Challenges	20		20		7	Optional	
LAW8575	Foundations of Business and Commercial Law	20	20			7	Optional	
LAW8580	Artificial Intelligence: Law, Theory and Practice	20	20			7	Optional	
LAW8581	Social Media Regulation: Law, Policy and Society	20		20		7	Optional	
LAW8583	Energy Justice: Theories, Systems and Re-designing Policies	20	20			7	Optional	
LAW8584	Scenario Planning for a Just Transition	20		20		7	Optional	
LAW8589	Regulating the Advanced Information Society: From Privacy, AI and Digital Regulation	20		20		7	Optional	

With the approval of the Degree Programme Director and depending upon the academic background of the candidate additional and/or alternative optional modules to those listed above may be selected.

Candidates will normally study not less than 50 and not more than 70 in any one semester.

2. Part-Time Candidates

Part-time candidates' route through the programme needs to be agreed by the Degree Programme Director. They will ordinarily take their compulsory modules in their first year, with the exception of LAW8099, which they will register for in year 2.

3. Assessment Methods

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