Programme Regulations: 2025/26

Programme Title: Master of Science and Laws (MScL) in International Security: Conflict, Crime and Justice

Code: 5901F/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 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. The part-time programme of study will be decided in consultation with the Degree Programme Director.

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
SEC8026	Global Security: Politics, Space and Society	20		20		7
SEC8101	Researching Security: Interdisciplinary Methods	20	20			7
SEC8102	Security Dissertation	60			60	7

AND

e)   All candidates with the approval of the Degree Programme Director shall take modules to a credit value of 40 chosen from the following list

Code	Descriptive title	Total Credits	Credits Sem 1	Credits Sem 2	Credits Sem 3	Level
LAW8131	Cybersecurity Law and Policy	20	20			7
LAW8135	Law of Armed Conflict	20	20			7
LAW8146	Public International Law	20	20			7
LAW8230	Global Security Law	20		20		7
LAW8551	International Criminal Law	20		20		7

Code	Descriptive title	Total Credits	Credits Sem 1	Credits Sem 2	Credits Sem 3	Level
LAW8572	International Human Rights and Development: Global Challenges	20		20		7
LAW8581	Social Media Regulation: Law, Policy and Society	20		20		7

AND

f) All candidates with the approval of the Degree Programme Director shall take further modules to a credit value of 40 chosen from the following list:

Code	Descriptive title	Total Credits	Credits Sem 1	Credits Sem 2	Credits Sem 3	Level
GEO8028	Political Geographies of the Middle East	20		20		7
GEO8030	Geographical Inequalities and Policy	20	20			7
POL8006	Theories of International Relations	20	20			7
POL8020	American Foreign Policy	20		20		7
POL8043	Development, Environment and International Politics	20		20		7
POL8044	Critical Geopolitics	20	20			7
SOC8054	Theorising Gender and its Intersections	20	20			7
SOC8070	Global Sex Global Race	20		20		7
SOC8072	Inequalities: Issues and Intersections	20	20			7
SOC8073	Perpetual Wars? Crime, Policing and (in)security	20		20		7

2. Assessment methods

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