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## **LLM European Trade and Commercial Law (M1K616)**

1. This programme is available at Durham City in a full-time (12 months) mode of study.

### **Admissions**

2. English language requirements:
  - a. Students whose native language is not English must show evidence of general proficiency in the English language by normally achieving 7.0 or higher in IELTS with a minimum of 7.0 in the writing component and a minimum of 6.5 in all other components.
  - b. Students from EU member states whose native language is not English may show evidence of general proficiency in the English language by normally achieving 102 or higher in TOEFL with a minimum of 27 in the writing component and a minimum of 25 in all other components.

### **Level 4 (Degree)**

3. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following module:

|                                 |                          | <b>Credit value</b> |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Applied Research Methods in Law | <a href="#">LAW41115</a> | 15                  |
| Introduction to European Law Ω  | <a href="#">LAW40215</a> | 15                  |

4. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in one of the following modules to the value of either 60, 75, or 90 credits from **List A**:

| <b>List A:</b> |                          | <b>Credit value</b> |
|----------------|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Dissertation   | <a href="#">LAW54660</a> | 60                  |
| Dissertation   | <a href="#">LAW54675</a> | 75                  |
| Dissertation   | <a href="#">LAW54690</a> | 90                  |

5. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules from **List B** to the value of (when added to the modules chosen in accordance with Regulations 3-4 above) at least 120 credits. Candidates shall choose any remaining modules from **List C** in order to provide a total number of 180 credits for their programme of study avoiding any duplication:

| <b>List B:</b>   |                          | <b>Credit value</b> |
|--|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Advanced Issues in International Economic Law              | <a href="#">LAW41130</a> | 30                  |
| Advanced Issues in the Constitutional Law of the EU*       | <a href="#">LAW40115</a> | 15                  |
| Advanced Issues of International Intellectual Property Law | <a href="#">LAW43215</a> | 15                  |
| Advanced Research in EU Law*                               | <a href="#">LAW41230</a> | 30                  |
| Carriage of Goods By Sea*                                  | <a href="#">LAW41215</a> | 15                  |
| Comparative Corporate Governance                           | <a href="#">LAW53630</a> | 30                  |
| Comparative Insurance Law*                                 | <a href="#">LAW42615</a> | 15                  |
| Comparative Private Law*                                   | <a href="#">LAW42515</a> | 15                  |
| Corporate Compliance*                                      | <a href="#">LAW42715</a> | 15                  |
| Corporate Social Responsibility*                           | <a href="#">LAW40415</a> | 15                  |
| Corporations in an EU Context*                             | <a href="#">LAW43630</a> | 30                  |

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| Current Issues in Commercial Law*                           | <a href="#">LAW50530</a> | 30 |
| Environmental Law and International Trade*                  | <a href="#">LAW41030</a> | 30 |
| EU Competition Law  | <a href="#">LAW40230</a> | 30 |
| EU Trade Law*   | <a href="#">LAW40130</a> | 30 |
| European Discrimination Law*                                | <a href="#">LAW53430</a> | 30 |
| International and Comparative Advertising Law*              | <a href="#">LAW42330</a> | 30 |
| International and Human Rights Law*                         | <a href="#">LAW42230</a> | 30 |
| International Co-operation in Criminal Matters              | <a href="#">LAW40815</a> | 15 |
| International Investment Law*                               | <a href="#">LAW41830</a> | 30 |
| International Perspectives on Law and Gender*               | <a href="#">LAW43015</a> | 15 |
| International Sales Law *                                   | <a href="#">LAW52730</a> | 30 |
| Introduction to Intellectual Property Law*                  | <a href="#">LAW43115</a> | 15 |
| Introduction to International Criminal Justice*             | <a href="#">LAW42830</a> | 30 |
| Law of the WTO*   | <a href="#">LAW40730</a> | 30 |
| Mergers and Acquisitions                                    | <a href="#">LAW40915</a> | 15 |
| Securities Law and Capital Markets                          | <a href="#">LAW44330</a> | 30 |
| Principles of Corporate Insolvency Law*                     | <a href="#">LAW40615</a> | 15 |
| Selected Issues in Competition Law*                         | <a href="#">LAW40715</a> | 15 |
| Selected Issues in European Law*                            | <a href="#">LAW41430</a> | 30 |
| Selected Issues of International Intellectual Property Law* | <a href="#">LAW52630</a> | 30 |
| Tax Law and Policy*   | <a href="#">LAW42930</a> | 30 |
| The Community Legal Order*                                  | <a href="#">LAW41630</a> | 30 |
| The European Union and International Trade*                 | <a href="#">LAW40830</a> | 30 |

#### **List C:**

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| Advanced Issues in the Constitutional Law of the EU*               | <a href="#">LAW40115</a> | 15 |
| Advanced Law of Obligations  | <a href="#">LAW53730</a> | 30 |
| Advanced Research in EU Law*                                       | <a href="#">LAW41230</a> | 30 |
| Commercial Fraud   | <a href="#">LAW54015</a> | 15 |
| Current Issues in Company Law                                      | <a href="#">LAW40630</a> | 30 |
| Current Problems of International Law*                             | <a href="#">LAW41730</a> | 30 |
| Domestic Anti-Discrimination Law*                                  | <a href="#">LAW54315</a> | 15 |
| Electronic Commerce*   | <a href="#">LAW53015</a> | 15 |
| Free Speech Problems in International and Comparative Perspective* | <a href="#">LAW43315</a> | 15 |
| Fundamentals of International Law*                                 | <a href="#">LAW41330</a> | 30 |
| International and Comparative Corporate Insolvency Law             | <a href="#">LAW40515</a> | 15 |
| International Banking Law  | <a href="#">LAW40930</a> | 30 |
| International Commercial Dispute Resolution                        | <a href="#">LAW41530</a> | 30 |
| International Human Rights Law*                                    | <a href="#">LAW42230</a> | 30 |
| International Human Rights Law, Development and Commerce*          | <a href="#">LAW40315</a> | 15 |
| International Law of Human Rights*                                 | <a href="#">LAW52545</a> | 45 |
| Introduction to Corporate Governance                               | <a href="#">LAW53815</a> | 15 |
| Introduction to Media Freedom under the Human Rights Act*          | <a href="#">LAW54215</a> | 15 |
| Law of Oil and Gas Contracts                                       | <a href="#">LAW41015</a> | 15 |
| Islamic Law*   | <a href="#">LAW42130</a> | 30 |
| Media Freedom under the Human Rights Act*                          | <a href="#">LAW54130</a> | 30 |
| Principles of Corporate Insolvency Law*                            | <a href="#">LAW40615</a> | 15 |
| Rights of the Child*   | <a href="#">LAW52915</a> | 15 |
| Selected Issues in Competition Law*                                | <a href="#">LAW40715</a> | 15 |
| Selected Issues in European Law*                                   | <a href="#">LAW41430</a> | 30 |
| Unjust Enrichment*   | <a href="#">LAW42030</a> | 30 |
| Comparative and Transnational Law                                  | <a href="#">LAW44215</a> | 15 |
| Takeover Regulation in the EU                                      | <a href="#">LAW44415</a> | 15 |

#### **Assessment**

- Candidates may apply to be allowed to resit a written examination and/or to resubmit an assessed essay in August of the year following admission to the programme.

7. Modules marked with a \* are not available in 2015-16.
8. Candidates are required to study and be assessed in modules marked with a  $\Omega$  unless an exemption from so doing has been granted by the Director of the LLM Programmes.