

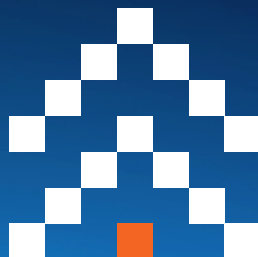
# Faculty of Law

## LLM – International Law



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**The Future  
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**Public International Law is a dynamic and constantly evolving field of the law, and increasingly useful and relevant. The South African Constitution obliges the consideration of international law when interpreting the Bill of Rights, and this impacts the way we practice many areas of the law domestically. Whether you are interested in the response to armed conflict, the prevention and prosecution of international crimes, the protection of human rights, or how the numerous environmental crises such as climate change are regulated, the LLM in International Law offered by the Faculty of Law of the University of Johannesburg offers you a chance to specialise in this field of the law. This LLM takes an interdisciplinary approach and assesses international legal questions from the perspective of international law as well as from a regional and sub-regional African perspectives.**

The lecturing style is interactive. Students benefit from close contact with their lecturers and with experts from the relevant legal field. The diversity of the participants in the LLM program contributes significantly to the educational experience. Furthermore, the Law Faculty has a superb library and electronic resources, contributing to students' research at a postgraduate level.

### **Modules:**

The course will consist of the following modules:

- International Criminal/Humanitarian Law (first semester);
- International Protection of Human Rights (first semester);
- International Environmental Law (second semester); and
- LLM in International Law Minor-Dissertation (second semester).

### **Programme Format, Duration And Assessments:**

Lectures take place between 17h30 and 19h30 on weekdays to accommodate students who work during the day. The duration of the LLM in International Law is 12 Months. Assessments consist of class presentations on any topic relating to one of the modules, written academic research assignments, individual or group discussions, examinations, as well as a minor-dissertation.

### **Programme Presenters:**

The LLM programme leader is Dr Mispa Roux, who also presents the modules on International Criminal/ Humanitarian Law and on International Human Rights Law. The module on International Environmental Law is presented by Dr Jennifer Hall.

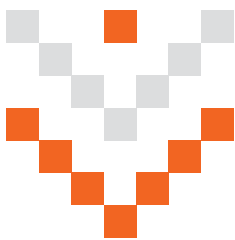
### **Admission Requirements:**

In general, as a minimum admission requirement, students must have attained an average of 65% for the law subjects in their LLB degree. Admission is highly competitive and, if you are admitted, you will be amongst a select group of the best students who have applied.

For further information and enquiries regarding entry requirements, closing dates and the application procedure, as well as the content of the coursework, please do not hesitate to contact the faculty:

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