

FACULTY OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

SCHOOL OF LAW

COMPETITION LAW

Master of Laws (LLM) in Competition Law with specialism in*
Postgraduate Diploma in Competition Law with specialism in*
Postgraduate Certificate in Competition Law

*Private Enforcement

*Digital Economy

*Competition Law and the State

These regulations are to be read in conjunction with [General Academic Regulations - Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level](#).

Admission

1. See [General Academic Regulations - Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level](#).

Duration of Study

2. See [General Academic Regulations - Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level](#).

Mode of Study

3. The programmes are available by full-time and part-time study.

Place of Study

4. The programmes are taught by distance learning only.

Curriculum

5. All students shall undertake an approved curriculum as follows:

Compulsory Modules

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
M9930	Legal Research	5	20
M9894	Competition Law	5	20

Specialism in Private Enforcement

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
M9896	Competition Law and Private Enforcement	5	20

Specialism in Digital Economy

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
M9895	Competition Law and the Digital Economy	5	20

Specialism in Competition Law and the State

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
M9897	Competition Law and the State	5	20

Optional Modules

Students must select at least 60 credits from the list below:

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
M9869	Intellectual Property	5	20
M9944	E-Commerce	5	20
M9668	Cybercrime	5	20
M9829	Privacy, Crime and Security	5	20
M9975	Telecommunications law	5	20
EC953	Fundamentals of Economics*	5	10
EC966	International Macroeconomics*	5	10

*EC966 International Economics and EC953 Fundamentals of Economics must be taken together.

Not all optional modules on this list will be available in each academic year. Please check your Programme handbook of which optional modules will run.

Any such other Level 5 modules up to a maximum of 20 credits chosen from other programmes offered by the University as may be approved by the Programme Director offering the module and the Programme Director of the programme on which the student is registered.

Students for the degree of LLM only:

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
M9863	Dissertation*	5	60

Dissertations shall be selected and approved in relation to one of the three specialist areas, leading to an award of Specialism in that area: Private Enforcement, Digital Economy and Competition Law and the State.

Progress

6. The [General Academic Regulations - Postgraduate Taught Degree Programme Level](#). shall apply

Award

7. **Degree of LLM:** In order to qualify for the award of LLM in Competition Law with specialism in Private Enforcement or LLM in Competition Law with specialism in Digital Economy or LLM in Competition Law with specialism in Competition Law and the State, a candidate must have accumulated no fewer than 180 credits, including all taught compulsory modules from the programme curriculum of which 60 must have been awarded in respect of the dissertation M9863.
8. **Postgraduate Diploma:** In order to qualify for the award of Postgraduate Diploma in Competition Law with specialism in Private Enforcement or Postgraduate Diploma in Competition Law with specialism in Digital Economy or Postgraduate Diploma in Competition Law with specialism in Competition Law and the State, a candidate must have accumulated no fewer than 120 credits from the taught modules from the programme curriculum including the compulsory modules.
9. **Postgraduate Certificate:** In order to qualify for the award of the Postgraduate Certificate in Competition Law, a candidate must have accumulated no fewer than 60 credits from taught modules from the programme curriculum, including 40 credits from the compulsory modules, and 20 credits from the Specialism modules.