

## DIVISION FOR THE STUDY OF LAW, SOCIETY AND SOCIAL JUSTICE

### KENT LAW SCHOOL

School Website: [www.kent.ac.uk/law/](http://www.kent.ac.uk/law/)

**Please refer to the online Module Catalogue for full details of all modules:**

[www.kent.ac.uk/courses/modules](http://www.kent.ac.uk/courses/modules)

**LAW** (No specialisation)

**LAW:LLM-T**  
**PLAW0001X1LM-F**  
**LAW:PDIP-T**  
**PLAW0001X1PP-F**  
**LAW:PCRT-T**  
**PLAW0001X1PC-F**

September LLM students take their modules in Autumn Term and Spring Term consecutively, and write their dissertation over Summer Term.

January students take their modules in the Spring Term and Autumn Term of the subsequent academic year consecutively, and write their dissertation over Spring Term.

PCRT students take 64 credits, PDIP students take 124 credits.

#### **STAGE 1 - 124 credits**

**Students must take the following compulsory modules:**

<b>Compulsory modules:</b>	<b>MODULE TITLE</b>	<b>CREDIT AMOUNT</b>	<b>TERM TAUGHT</b>	<b>CREDIT LEVEL</b>	<b>OFFICE USE</b>
<a href="#">LAWS9191</a>	Legal Research and Writing Skills 1 †	2 non-contributory	Autumn	7	<i>LW9191</i>
<a href="#">LAWS9192</a>	Legal Research and Writing Skills 2 †	2 non-contributory	Spring	7	<i>LW9192</i>

†These modules are optional for PCrt and PDip students.

LW9191 also runs in the spring for January entry students

LW9192 also runs in the Summer for January entry students

**You must choose 120 credits from the following optional modules:**

<b>Optional modules:</b>	<b>MODULE TITLE</b>	<b>CREDIT AMOUNT</b>	<b>TERM TAUGHT</b>	<b>CREDIT LEVEL</b>	<b>OFFICE USE</b>
<a href="#">LAWS8010</a>	Intellectual Property: Copyright and Breach of Confidence	20	Autumn	7	<i>LW801</i>
<a href="#">LAWS8020</a>	International Business Transactions	20	Autumn	7	<i>LW802</i>
<a href="#">LAWS8100</a>	International Law on Foreign Investment	20	Spring	7	<i>LW810</i>
<a href="#">LAWS8110</a>	International Commercial Arbitration	20	Spring	7	<i>LW811</i>
<a href="#">LAWS8130</a>	Contemporary Topics in Intellectual Property Law	20	Spring	7	<i>LW813</i>
<a href="#">LAWS8140</a>	Public International Law	20	Autumn	7	<i>LW814</i>
<a href="#">LAWS8260</a>	Competition Law in a Transnational Context	20	Spring	7	<i>LW826</i>
<a href="#">LAWS8390</a>	Environmental Quality Law	20	Autumn	7	<i>LW839</i>
<a href="#">LAWS8410</a>	International Trade Law and the Environment	20	Spring	7	<i>LW841</i>
<a href="#">LAWS8430</a>	International Human Rights Law	20	Spring	7	<i>LW843</i>

LAWS8440	Legal Aspects of Contemporary International Problems	20	Autumn	7	LW844
LAWS8460	International Criminal Law	20	Spring	7	LW846
LAWS8470	World Trade Organisation (WTO) Law and Practice I	20	Autumn	7	LW847
LAWS8710	Policing	20	Autumn	7	LW871
LAWS8840	International Environmental Law - Substantive Legal Aspects (Not running in 2021/22)	20	Spring	7	LW884
LAWS8860	Transnational Criminal Law	20	Autumn	7	LW886
LAWS8880	Climate Change and Renewable Energy Law	20	Spring	7	LW888
LAWS8990	Corporate Governance	20	Spring	7	LW899
LAWS9000	Critical International Migration Law	20	Autumn	7	LW900
LAWS9050	International Financial Services Regulation	20	Autumn	7	LW905
LAWS9060	International Environmental Law – Legal Foundations	20	Autumn	7	LW906
LAWS9070	Commercial Credit	20	Spring	7	LW907
LAWS9140	Law, Science and Society	20	Spring	7	LW914
LAWS9210	Privacy and Data Protection Law	20	Autumn	7	LW921
LAWS9220	Labour Rights in a Global Economy	20	Spring	7	LW922
LAWS9230	Law and Economy	20	Autumn	7	LW923
LAWS9240	EU Criminal Law and Procedure (Not running in 2021/22)	20	Spring	7	LW924
LAWS9250	International Cultural Heritage Law	20	Spring	7	LW925
LAWS9300	Banking Law	20	Autumn	7	LW930
LAWS9310	Land Development and Conservation Law	20	Spring	7	LW931
LAWS9330	Intellectual Property and Industrial Practices	20	Autumn	7	LW933
LAWS9340	Intellectual Property: Patents and Trade Marks	20	Spring	7	LW934
LAWS9400	Healthcare Law and Ethics	20	Autumn	7	LW940
LAWS9410	The Regulation of Healthcare	20	Autumn	7	LW941
LAWS9420	Reproductive Justice	20	Spring	7	LW942
LAWS9431	Global Health Law, Governance and Ethics (Intensive)	20	Spring	7	LW943
LAWS9450	Health, Poverty and Social Justice	20	Spring	7	LW945

## STAGE 2 (LLM Only) - 60 credits

You must take the following compulsory module (60 credits):

Compulsory modules:	MODULE TITLE	CREDIT AMOUNT	CREDIT LEVEL	OFFICE USE
LAWS8000	Dissertation in Law*	60	7	LW8000

\*Module cannot be condoned or compensated

LAW (With specialisation)

LAW:LLM-T  
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LAW:PDIP-T  
PLAW0001X1PP-F  
LAW:PCRT-T  
PLAW0001X1PC-F

The precise title of an LLM or PGDip award will depend upon the combination of subject pathways within which study is undertaken.

**You must choose optional modules (120 credits) based on the subject pathway (specialisations) set out on the proceeding pages. The following pathways are available:**

- Criminal Justice
- Human Rights Law
- Intellectual Property Law
- International Commercial Law
- International Criminal Justice
- International Environmental Law
- International Law
- International Law with International Relations
- Law and Health

## SUBJECT PATHWAYS – Module Options

These requirements are set out for single subject pathways. You will need to combine the optional modules for two pathways to take a double subject (major/minor) pathway. Generally speaking, attaining a major/minor means: (1) taking three modules from your major pathway (of which at least two must be prefixed as 'LW'), and (2) taking three modules from your minor pathway (again, of which at least two must be prefixed as 'LW'). International Law with International Relations has its own requirements that are described below.

Students should ensure they choose 60 credits in Autumn and 60 credits in Spring across optional modules.

### CRIMINAL JUSTICE

**You must choose at least 60 credits from the following optional modules:**

At least 40 credits must be from Law (LW Prefix) modules.

Optional modules:	MODULE TITLE	CREDIT AMOUNT	TERM TAUGHT	CREDIT LEVEL	OFFICE USE
<a href="#">LAWS8430</a>	International Human Rights Law	20	Spring	7	LW843
<a href="#">LAWS8460</a>	International Criminal Law	20	Spring	7	LW846
<a href="#">LAWS8710</a>	Policing	20	Autumn	7	LW871
<a href="#">LAWS8860</a>	Transnational Criminal Law	20	Autumn	7	LW886
<a href="#">LAWS9240</a>	EU Criminal Law and Procedure (Not running in 2021/22)	20	Spring	7	LW924
<a href="#">LAWS9460</a>	Contemporary Issues in Criminal Justice	20	Autumn	7	LW946
<a href="#">SOCI8240</a>	Sociology of Violence	20	Spring	7	SO824
<a href="#">SOCI8250</a>	Terrorism and Modern Society	20	Spring	7	SO825
<a href="#">SOCI8300</a>	Gender and Crime in a Globalised World	20	Autumn	7	SO830
<a href="#">SOCI8690</a>	Theories of Crime	20	Autumn	7	SO869
<a href="#">SOCI8810</a>	Cultural Criminology (Not running in 2021/22)	20	Spring	7	SO881
<a href="#">SOCI9400</a>	Prisons and Penal Policy	20	Spring	7	SO940

The remaining 60 credits should be taken from the optional modules above or from the [Law optional modules](#). In seeking to attain a single subject specialisation, students must always ensure they take no less than five 'LW' modules.

## HUMAN RIGHTS LAW

You must choose at least 60 credits from the following optional modules:

Optional modules:	MODULE TITLE	CREDIT AMOUNT	TERM TAUGHT	CREDIT LEVEL	OFFICE USE
<a href="#">LAWS8430</a>	International Human Rights Law	20	Spring	7	LW843
<a href="#">LAWS8460</a>	International Criminal Law	20	Spring	7	LW846
<a href="#">LAWS8710</a>	Policing	20	Autumn	7	LW871
<a href="#">LAWS9000</a>	Critical International Migration Law	20	Autumn	7	LW900
<a href="#">LAWS9220</a>	Labour Rights in a Global Economy	20	Spring	7	LW922
<a href="#">LAWS9240</a>	EU Criminal Law and Procedure (Not running in 2021/22)	20	Spring	7	LW924
<a href="#">LAWS9250</a>	International Cultural Heritage Law	20	Spring	7	LW925
<a href="#">LAWS9431</a>	Global Health Law, Governance and Ethics (Intensive)	20	Spring	7	LW943

The remaining 60 credits should be taken from the optional modules above or from the [Law optional modules](#). In seeking to attain a single subject specialisation, students must always ensure they take no less than five 'LW' modules.

## INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW

You must choose at least 60 credits from the following optional modules:

Optional modules:	MODULE TITLE	CREDIT AMOUNT	TERM TAUGHT	CREDIT LEVEL	OFFICE USE
<a href="#">LAWS8010</a>	Intellectual Property: Copyright and Breach of Confidence	20	Autumn	7	LW801
<a href="#">LAWS8130</a>	Contemporary Topics in Intellectual Property Law	20	Spring	7	LW813
<a href="#">LAWS8470</a>	World Trade Organisation (WTO) Law and Practice I	20	Autumn	7	LW847
<a href="#">LAWS9210</a>	Privacy and Data Protection Law	20	Autumn	7	LW921
<a href="#">LAWS9250</a>	International Cultural Heritage Law	20	Spring	7	LW925
<a href="#">LAWS9330</a>	Intellectual Property and Industrial Practices	20	Autumn	7	LW933
<a href="#">LAWS9340</a>	Intellectual Property: Patents and Trade Marks	20	Spring	7	LW934

The remaining 60 credits should be taken from the optional modules above or from the [Law optional modules](#). In seeking to attain a single subject specialisation, students must always ensure they take no less than five 'LW' modules.

## INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL LAW

You must choose at least 60 credits from the following optional modules:

Optional modules:	MODULE TITLE	CREDIT AMOUNT	TERM TAUGHT	CREDIT LEVEL	OFFICE USE
<a href="#">LAWS8010</a>	Intellectual Property: Copyright and Breach of Confidence	20	Autumn	7	LW801
<a href="#">LAWS8020</a>	International Business Transactions	20	Autumn	7	LW802
<a href="#">LAWS8100</a>	International Law on Foreign Investment	20	Spring	7	LW810
<a href="#">LAWS8110</a>	International Commercial Arbitration	20	Spring	7	LW811
<a href="#">LAWS8130</a>	Contemporary Topics in Intellectual Property Law	20	Spring	7	LW813
<a href="#">LAWS8260</a>	Competition Law in a Transnational Context	20	Spring	7	LW826
<a href="#">LAWS8410</a>	International Trade Law and the Environment	20	Spring	7	LW841
<a href="#">LAWS8470</a>	World Trade Organisation (WTO) Law and Practice I	20	Autumn	7	LW847
<a href="#">LAWS8990</a>	Corporate Governance	20	Spring	7	LW899
<a href="#">LAWS9050</a>	International Financial Services Regulation	20	Autumn	7	LW905
<a href="#">LAWS9070</a>	Commercial Credit	20	Spring	7	LW907
<a href="#">LAWS9220</a>	Labour Rights in a Global Economy	20	Spring	7	LW922
<a href="#">LAWS9230</a>	Law and Economy	20	Autumn	7	LW923
<a href="#">LAWS9300</a>	Banking Law	20	Autumn	7	LW930
<a href="#">LAWS9330</a>	Intellectual Property and Industrial Practices	20	Autumn	7	LW933
<a href="#">LAWS9340</a>	Intellectual Property: Patents and Trade Marks	20	Spring	7	LW934

The remaining 60 credits should be taken from the optional modules above or from [Law optional modules](#). In seeking to attain a single subject specialisation, students must always ensure they take no less than five 'LW' modules.

## INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL JUSTICE

You must choose at least 60 credits from the following optional modules:

At least 40 credits must be from Law (LW Prefix) modules.

Optional modules:	MODULE TITLE	CREDIT AMOUNT	TERM TAUGHT	CREDIT LEVEL	OFFICE USE
<a href="#">LAWS8430</a>	International Human Rights Law	20	Spring	7	LW843
<a href="#">LAWS8460</a>	International Criminal Law	20	Spring	7	LW846
<a href="#">LAWS8860</a>	Transnational Criminal Law	20	Autumn	7	LW886
<a href="#">LAWS9240</a>	EU Criminal Law and Procedure (Not running in 2021/22)	20	Spring	7	LW924
<a href="#">SOCI8240</a>	Sociology of Violence	20	Spring	7	SO824
<a href="#">SOCI8250</a>	Terrorism and Modern Society	20	Spring	7	SO825
<a href="#">SOCI8300</a>	Gender and Crime in a Globalised World	20	Autumn	7	SO830
<a href="#">SOCI8680</a>	Critical and Global Criminology	20	Spring	7	SO868

The remaining 60 credits should be taken from the optional modules above or from the [Law optional modules](#). In seeking to attain a single subject specialisation, students must always ensure they take no less than five 'LW' modules.

## INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL LAW

You must choose at least 60 credits from the following optional modules:

At least 40 credits must be from Law (LW Prefix) modules.

Optional modules:	MODULE TITLE	CREDIT AMOUNT	TERM TAUGHT	CREDIT LEVEL	OFFICE USE
<a href="#">LAWS8390</a>	Environmental Quality Law	20	Autumn	7	<i>LW839</i>
<a href="#">LAWS8410</a>	International Trade Law and the Environment	20	Spring	7	<i>LW841</i>
<a href="#">LAWS8840</a>	International Environmental Law - Substantive Legal Aspects <i>(Not running in 2021/22)</i>	20	Spring	7	<i>LW884</i>
<a href="#">LAWS8880</a>	Climate Change and Renewable Energy Law	20	Spring	7	<i>LW888</i>
<a href="#">LAWS9060</a>	International Environmental Law – Legal Foundations	20	Autumn	7	<i>LW906</i>
<a href="#">LAWS9140</a>	Law, Science and Society	20	Spring	7	<i>LW914</i>
<a href="#">LAWS9310</a>	Land Development and Conservation Law	20	Spring	7	<i>LW931</i>

The remaining 60 credits should be taken from the optional modules above or from the [Law optional modules](#). In seeking to attain a single subject specialisation, students must always ensure they take no less than five 'LW' modules.

## INTERNATIONAL LAW

You must choose at least 60 credits from the following optional modules:

Optional modules:	MODULE TITLE	CREDIT AMOUNT	TERM TAUGHT	CREDIT LEVEL	OFFICE USE
<a href="#">LAWS8140</a>	Public International Law	20	Autumn	7	<i>LW814</i>
<a href="#">LAWS8430</a>	International Human Rights Law	20	Spring	7	<i>LW843</i>
<a href="#">LAWS8440</a>	Legal Aspects of Contemporary International Problems	20	Autumn	7	<i>LW844</i>
<a href="#">LAWS8460</a>	International Criminal Law	20	Spring	7	<i>LW846</i>
<a href="#">LAWS8860</a>	Transnational Criminal Law	20	Autumn	7	<i>LW886</i>
<a href="#">LAWS9000</a>	Critical International Migration Law	20	Autumn	7	<i>LW900</i>
<a href="#">LAWS9060</a>	International Environmental Law – Legal Foundations	20	Autumn	7	<i>LW906</i>
<a href="#">LAWS9220</a>	Labour Rights in a Global Economy	20	Spring	7	<i>LW922</i>
<a href="#">LAWS9230</a>	Law and Economy	20	Autumn	7	<i>LW923</i>
<a href="#">LAWS9250</a>	International Cultural Heritage Law	20	Spring	7	<i>LW925</i>
<a href="#">LAWS9431</a>	Global Health Law, Governance and Ethics (Intensive)	20	Spring	7	<i>LW943</i>

The remaining 60 credits should be taken from the optional modules above or from the [Law optional modules](#). In seeking to attain a single subject specialisation, students must always ensure they take no less than five 'LW' modules.

## INTERNATIONAL LAW WITH INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

You must choose at least 60 credits from the following optional modules:

Optional modules:	MODULE TITLE	CREDIT AMOUNT	TERM TAUGHT	CREDIT LEVEL	OFFICE USE
<a href="#">LAWS8140</a>	Public International Law	20	Autumn	7	LW814
<a href="#">LAWS8430</a>	International Human Rights Law	20	Spring	7	LW843
<a href="#">LAWS8440</a>	Legal Aspects of Contemporary International Problems	20	Autumn	7	LW844
<a href="#">LAWS8460</a>	International Criminal Law	20	Spring	7	LW846
<a href="#">LAWS8860</a>	Transnational Criminal Law	20	Autumn	7	LW886
<a href="#">LAWS9000</a>	Critical International Migration Law	20	Autumn	7	LW900
<a href="#">LAWS9060</a>	International Environmental Law – Legal Foundations	20	Autumn	7	LW906
<a href="#">LAWS9250</a>	International Cultural Heritage Law	20	Spring	7	LW925

You must choose at least 40 credits from the following optional modules:

Optional modules:	MODULE TITLE	CREDIT AMOUNT	TERM TAUGHT	CREDIT LEVEL	OFFICE USE
<a href="#">POLI8100</a>	Quantitative Methodology for Political Science	20	Spring	7	PO8100
<a href="#">POLI8109</a>	Middle Eastern Politics and Society	20	Autumn	7	PO8109
<a href="#">POLI8114</a>	Governance and War in Cyberspace	20	Autumn	7	PO8114
<a href="#">POLI8240</a>	Analysing World Politics	20	Autumn	7	PO824
<a href="#">POLI8280</a>	Theories of Conflict and Violence	20	Autumn	7	PO828
<a href="#">POLI8310</a>	The European Union in the World	20	Spring	7	PO831
<a href="#">POLI8320</a>	Conflict Resolution in World Politics	20	Spring	7	PO832
<a href="#">POLI8480</a>	Negotiation and Mediation	20	Spring	7	PO848
<a href="#">POLI9160</a>	Security in a Changing World	20	Autumn	7	PO916
<a href="#">POLI9170</a>	Terrorism and Crimes of the State	20	Spring	7	PO917
<a href="#">POLI9360</a>	A User's Guide to Political Resistance <b>Not running in 2021/22</b>	20	Spring	7	PO936
<a href="#">POLI9510</a>	States, Nations and Democracy	20	Spring	7	PO951
<a href="#">POLI9560</a>	Public Opinion: Nature and Measurement	20	Spring	7	PO956

The remaining 20 credits should be taken from the optional modules above or from the [Law optional modules](#)

## LAW AND HEALTH

You must choose at least 60 credits from the following optional modules:

Optional modules:	MODULE TITLE	CREDIT AMOUNT	TERM TAUGHT	CREDIT LEVEL	OFFICE USE
<a href="#">LAWS9210</a>	Privacy and Data Protection Law	20	Autumn	7	LW921
<a href="#">LAWS9400</a>	Healthcare Law and Ethics	20	Autumn	7	LW940
<a href="#">LAWS9410</a>	The Regulation of Healthcare	20	Autumn	7	LW941
<a href="#">LAWS9420</a>	Reproductive Justice	20	Spring	7	LW942
<a href="#">LAWS9431</a>	Global Health Law, Governance and Ethics (Intensive)	20	Spring	7	LW943
<a href="#">LAWS9450</a>	Health, Poverty and Social Justice	20	Spring	7	LW945

The remaining 60 credits should be taken from the optional modules above or from the [Law optional modules](#). Given their foundational content, it will be assumed that students wish to take LAWS9400 and LAWS9410 in order to achieve this pathway. Therefore, students will be presumptively registered for both.