

Postgraduate Virtual Open Days

Studying for a Taught
Postgraduate Degree at
Edinburgh
Law School

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The University of Edinburgh

- Established in 1583
- 6th oldest university in the UK
- 1707 - School of Law established
- Research-intensive university and founding member of the UK's Russell Group of leading research universities.
- Member of the League of European Research Universities
- The University is ranked in 13th in the world for law Times Higher Education World University Rankings by Subject: Law



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Why Edinburgh?

- Edinburgh University is a highly international institution in an international city
- Leading academics networked with local, European and global partners
- Edinburgh is a great city and is ranked 16th best student city in the world and 2nd in the UK (QS Best Student Cities 2024).
- Student-led social life: Edinburgh Law School Postgraduate Student Society

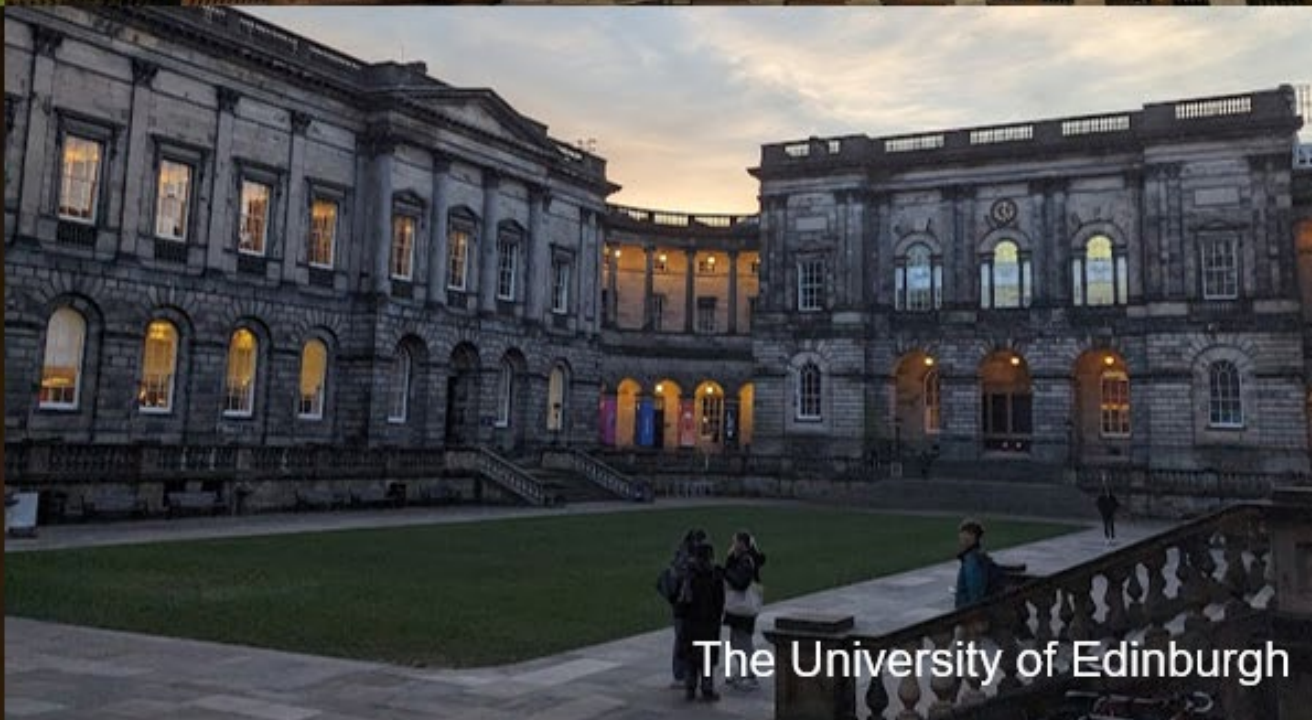


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The City of Edinburgh



The University of Edinburgh



The Scottish Highlands

Taught Masters Degrees

- LLM in Commercial Law
- LLM in Comparative Private Law
- LLM in Corporate Law
- LLM in Criminal Law and Criminal Justice
- MSc in Criminology and Criminal Justice
- LLM in European Law
- MSc in Global Crime, Justice and Security
- LLM in Global Environment and Climate Change Law
- LLM in Human Rights
- LLM in Innovation, Technology and the Law
- LLM in Intellectual Property Law
- LLM in International Banking Law and Finance
- LLM in International Economic Law
- LLM in International Law
- LLM in Law (General)
- LLM in Medical Law and Ethics



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The Law Library

The Law Library features this spectacular Senate Room, a study mezzanine level, quiet study space, computer desks and an archive room built around the original octagonal design of the building.



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Teaching Spaces

The refurbished Law School also provides a range of teaching spaces with integrated digital learning technology.



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Social Spaces

At the centre of the building on the first floor, a social hub and cafe connects the entire length of the north side of the School.



Our students

A diverse and welcoming postgraduate community:

- Our Masters students come from over 60 different countries around the globe
- Cohort of highly qualified students
- Postgraduate Law Students' Society
- Communities within programmes



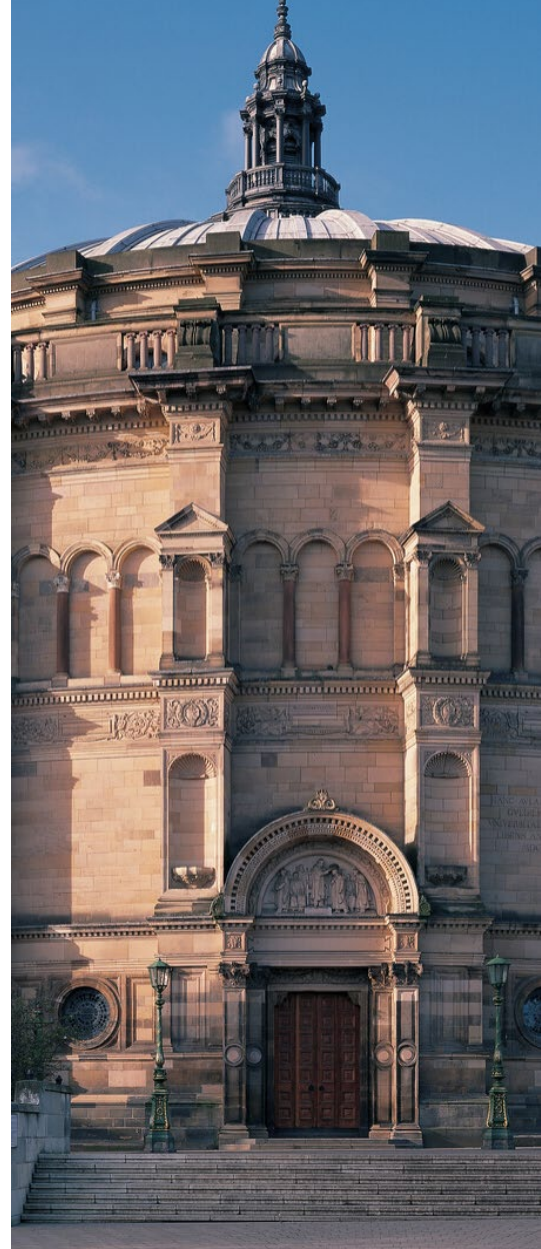
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Our approach to teaching

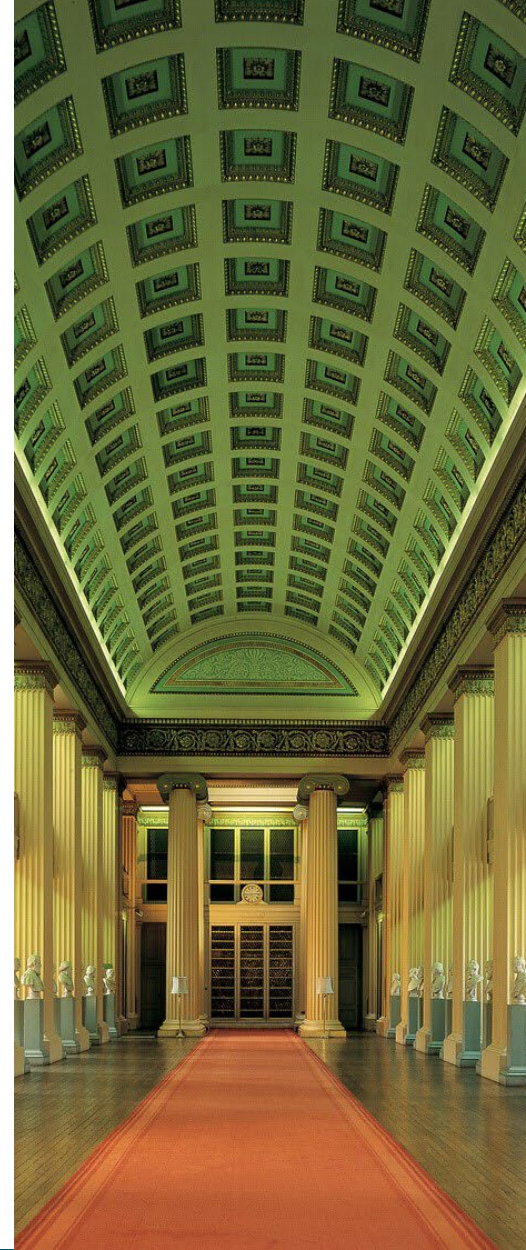
The following information is based on our normal campus-based teaching model.

- Weekly two-hour interactive seminars per semester for each subject
- Active participation in discussions and advance reading expected
- Classes may also involve lectures, class debates, individual presentations, or group exercises for example.
- No exams
- Courses use a range of take-home assessments (e.g. essays, reports, advice on case-studies, tests) or in-class work (oral presentations, class participation, mini-moots).



Dissertation (60 credits)

- Approved topic
- 10,000 words
- Written between April-August
- Structured supervision to support your independent scholarly research
- An excellent foundation for doctoral research or detailed specialised understanding of a particular issue



Beyond the classroom

- Extracurricular opportunities
- Mooting
- Volunteer Law Clinic (VLC)
- Postgraduate Law Student Society
- Edinburgh Law School student led journals – editors and authors
- Selected Research Assistance
- Wide-ranging Events Programme & Guest speakers
- Career Opportunities Programme
- Support for work-based placements and internships



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What our students say



“Studying the LLM International Economic Law at the University of Edinburgh laid the solid foundation for my career switch.”

Ara Lee, South Korea, 2020

“This was one of the most enriching experiences of my life.”

Chris Maragh, Canada, 2020



“By coming to Edinburgh, you get the best of many worlds: excellent professors who enthusiastically teach students the intricacies of IP law and a picture-perfect city that makes your year as an LL.M. student an unforgettable one.”

Hanna Vietze, Germany, 2020

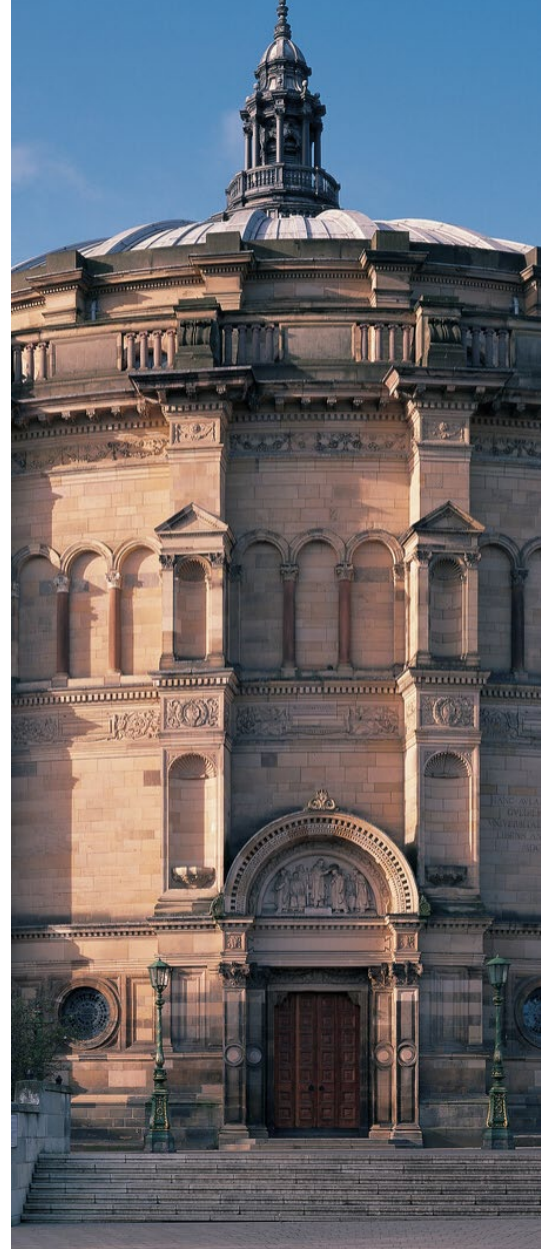


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Sources of support during your studies

- Student Adviser
- Postgraduate Team
- Institute for Academic Development
- English Language Education
- Careers Service
- The Advice Place
- Student Wellbeing Service
- IT Support



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Thank you Any questions?

You can find a lot of useful information about the programme and how to apply on the Edinburgh Law School website.

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