

Graduate Diploma in Law (Hong Kong)

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Modes of Study

The Graduate Diploma in Law (GDL) in Hong Kong can be studied full time over 9 months by attendance at the Hong Kong Campus. Alternatively, the programme can be studied part time over two years by attendance at the Hong Kong Campus.

The programme can also be studied through streaming of classes from Hong Kong through study on the HK live online course.

Please note that in September 2022 this course is only offered in Hong Kong and classes may be held in evenings or weekends.

Summary of Key Learning Outcomes

Knowledge and Understanding

- Demonstrate sound knowledge and understanding of the legal principles relevant to the areas studied on the programme and the contexts that shape such principles.

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Learning Environment

Course framework

There are nine modules on the GDL programme, all of equal credit rating, but the number of modules studied at any time and the order of study varies depending on the course taken.

Full Time -

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Summary of Assessment Demands

The following tables set out the duration, style and number of assessments.

Informal Assessments (formative)

Examinations	Number, style and duration of assessments
Tests in all of: EU Law Public Law Criminal Law Tort Contract Law Land Law Equity & Trusts	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Online and open book tests with Statutory Extracts provided• One hour each• Students sit mid-module in the semester or term in which the module is studied. Portal open for one week (FT) or two weeks (PT) for students to decide when take the test

Formal Assessments (summative)

Examinations	Number, style and duration of assessments
Legal Method (part of Ethics and Professional Legal Practice)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Open-book Multiple Choice examination• 30 minutes• Early in the first semester* must complete within first year of study regardless of approved absences.

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Potential Resit Assessments:

Resit Assessments (if required)	Number, style and duration of assessments
Examinations	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Assessed on same style and duration as exams taken within the course.• Main resit period shortly after completion of the course ie August (September start).• Additional Resit opportunities available after confirmed prior results at end of each semester/ term in January, June and September. Note not all subjects are available at every sitting outside main resit periods.
Coursework	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• If taken in following year, assessed in same style and format as coursework taken within the course.• Limited period for completion where coursework attempted, at the candidate's option, during the three months following the course

Assessment and learning adjustments

If you have any queries regarding support or adjustments whilst studying at the University of Law please contact the Disability and Inclusion Service on disabilitysupportservice@law.ac.uk or +44 1483216657

Time limits

Irrespective of any adjustments made or concessions given, in order successfully to complete the GDL all students are required, under the regulations, to pass all elements of the programme within three years of commencing the course whef*19r7c 0912 0 61213(m)-6(c0 61213(m)-6(c0 61210 TJD8.. sa

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