# Module Catalogue

Liberal Arts and Social Sciences

Postgraduate Study Abroad 2021/2 Semester 1

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| **Module Code** | **Module Name** | **Level** | **Semester** | **UK**  **Credit Value** | **Credit Equivalency** |
| **English, Linguistics and Cultural Studies** | | | | | |
| 7CLST005W | [Engaging the Archive](#_bookmark0) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7CLST017W | [Visual Culture: Theoretical and Critical](#_bookmark1) [Perspectives](#_bookmark1) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7ELIT007W | [Themes and Problems in Modern and](#_bookmark2) [Contemporary Literature](#_bookmark2) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7ELIT011W | [Queer Now](#_bookmark3) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7ENGL001W | [Analysing Spoken and Written Discourse](#_bookmark4) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7ENGL005W | [Sociolinguistics](#_bookmark5) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7TESL007W | [Materials Development](#_bookmark6) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7TESL009W | [Testing and Assessment](#_bookmark7) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| **Modern Languages and Cultures - Pathway for Postgraduate Translation and Interpreting students** | | | | | |

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| 7INTR024W | Chinese Interpreting 1 | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7INTR025W | [French Interpreting 1](#_bookmark8) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7INTR027W | [Italian Interpreting 1](#_bookmark9) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7INTR029W | [Spanish Interpreting 1](#_bookmark10) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7LANS006W | [International Liaison](#_bookmark11) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7LANS008W | [International Organisations and Institutional](#_bookmark12) [Discourse](#_bookmark12) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7TRSL064W | [Specialised Translation 1: French](#_bookmark13) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7TRSL066W | [Specialised Translation 1: Italian](#_bookmark14) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7TRSL067W | [Specialised Translation 1: Polish](#_bookmark15) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7TRSL069W | [Specialised Translation 1: Chinese](#_bookmark16) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7TRSL076W | [Audiovisual and Computer-Assisted](#_bookmark17) [Translation](#_bookmark17) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7TRSL079W | [Translation as Cultural Practice](#_bookmark18) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |

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| **Politics and International Relations** | | | | | |
| 7PIRS012W | [Governance of the European Union](#_bookmark19) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7PIRS017W | [International Relations: Theoretical](#_bookmark20) [Perspectives](#_bookmark20) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7PIRS021W | [Policy, Governance and Democracy:](#_bookmark21) [International Perspectives](#_bookmark21) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7PIRS025W | [The Politics of Global Complexity: Rethinking](#_bookmark22) [Governance, Power and Agency](#_bookmark22) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7PIRS026W | [The State, Politics and Violence](#_bookmark23) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7PIRS027W | [Theories of International Security](#_bookmark24) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| **Psychology** | | | | | |
| 7HPSY001W | [Theories and Perspectives in Health](#_bookmark25) [Psychology](#_bookmark25) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7HPSY003W | [Health Psychology: A Lifespan Development](#_bookmark26) [Perspective](#_bookmark26) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7PSYC026W | [Specialist Topics for Applied Psychology](#_bookmark27) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| **Westminster Law School** | | | | | |
| 7LLAW009W | [Foundations in International Commercial Law](#_bookmark28) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
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| 7LLAW015W | [International Commercial Arbitration](#_bookmark29) | 7 | 1 | 20 | / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7LLAW022W | [International Law and Development](#_bookmark30) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7LLAW026W | [Investment Banking Principles and Practice](#_bookmark31) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7LLAW028W | [Law of International Sales](#_bookmark32) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7LLAW031W | [Legal Aspects of Corporate Finance](#_bookmark33) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7LLAW036W | [Multinational Corporate Entities and Foreign](#_bookmark34) [Investment](#_bookmark34) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7LLAW039W | [Perspectives on Peace, Conflicts and](#_bookmark35) [Disputes](#_bookmark35) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7LLAW046W | [Public International Law](#_bookmark36) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |
| 7LLAW056W | [Law and Media: Content and Control](#_bookmark37) | 7 | Semester 1 | 20 | US Credits 4  / ECTS  credits 10\* |

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# English, Linguistics and Cultural Studies

## Engaging the Archive

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| **Module Code: 7CLST005W** | **Level 7** | **Semester 1** |
| **Location: Regent** | **UK Credit Value: 20** | **Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /** |

### ECTS credits 10\*

This module introduces you to the practical and theoretical issues of using archives for the purposes of research or exhibition. With privileged access to the unique collections of the University of Westminster Archive, the module combines knowledge from the professional practice of archiving and from key archival theorists.

**Assessment:** Essay (100%)

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## Visual Culture: Theoretical and Critical Perspectives

### Module Code: 7CLST017W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

Introduction to the theoretical debates that have contributed to the field of visual. The politics of representation, the reproduction of images, audience reception, the male and female gaze and the discourse of the 'other'. An examination of the ways that theories and objects constitute each other.

**Assessment:** Coursework (20%), Essay (80%)

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## Themes and Problems in Modern and Contemporary Literature

### Module Code: 7ELIT007W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

Summary of module content (approximately 400 characters): This module introduces students to current major themes in contemporary literature, with a particular focus on how global crises post-2001 have been mediated in literary texts. Topics will include the representation of capital and financial crisis; migrant narratives; ecology; the Anthropocene; and contemporary resurgences of populist politics. While maintaining a primary focus on the 21st century, the module also encourages students to think historically and comparatively through 19th and 20th century representations of crisis.

**Assessment:** Coursework (20%), Essay (80%)

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| Queer Now |  | |
| **Module Code: 7ELIT011W** | **Level 7** | **Semester 1** |
| **Location: Regent** | **UK Credit Value: 20** | **Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**  **ECTS credits 10\*** |

Focusing on the 1990s to the present day, this module considers queer theory and ideas around queerness. Examining a range of theoretical, literary and cultural perspectives on the topic, the module will investigate what queer means and how it has shaped our ideas about sexuality, identity, the body, intimacy and desire, history, and representation.

**Assessment:** Essay (100%)

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## Analysing Spoken and Written Discourse

### Module Code: 7ENGL001W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

Theories of genre and discourse analysis; audience design, purpose and style; rhetoric and persuasion; text-types, text structures, grammatical and lexical features typical of texts drawn from a wide variety of sources.

**Assessment:** Coursework (30%), Essay (70%)

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| Sociolinguistics |  |  |
| **Module Code: 7ENGL005W** | **Level 7** | **Semester 1** |
| **Location: Regent** | **UK Credit Value: 20** | **Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**  **ECTS credits 10\*** |

Concepts and issues in sociolinguistics; research methods; languages and factors such as age, class, gender, ethnicity; language variation, choice, planning, change; language in face-to-face interaction.

**Assessment:** Essay (30%), Essay (70%)

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| Materials Development |  | |
| **Module Code: 7TESL007W** | **Level 7** | **Semester 1** |
| **Location: Regent** | **UK Credit Value: 20** | **Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**  **ECTS credits 10\*** |

**Assessment:** Coursework (30%), Coursework (70%)

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| Testing and Assessment |  | |
| **Module Code: 7TESL009W** | **Level 7** | **Semester 1** |
| **Location: Regent** | **UK Credit Value: 20** | **Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**  **ECTS credits 10\*** |

The module examines past and current developments in language testing and assessment.It covers the role of language tests in measuring achievement and communicative proficiency, whether diagnostic and prognostic.Types of test will be analysed, and participants will develop new testing materials for their own purposes.

**Assessment:** Coursework (30%), Coursework (70%)

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# Modern Languages and Cultures - Pathway for Postgraduate Translation and Interpreting students

## French Interpreting 1

### Module Code: 7INTR025W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

#### A score of IELTS 7.0 is required in Speaking

This module is designed to introduce you to public service interpreting in the health sector as well as to working in formal conference scenarios in both consecutive and simultaneous interpreting modes. After an introduction to skills such as information transfer, formal and informal speech, body language and voice, etiquette, glossary building, concentration, memory, message analysis and split attention, you will learn note-taking techniques in dialogue and consecutive interpreting, practise sight translation, and develop multi-tasking skills by studying public service and consecutive as well as receive introductory training in booth-based simultaneous interpreting.

**Assessment:** Oral (30%), Oral (30%), Oral (30%), Coursework (10%)

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| Italian Interpreting 1 |  |  |
| **Module Code: 7INTR027W** | **Level 7** | **Semester 1** |
| **Location: Regent** | **UK Credit Value: 20** | **Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**  **ECTS credits 10\*** |

#### A score of IELTS 7.0 is required in Speaking

This module is designed to introduce you to public service interpreting in the health sector as well as to working in formal conference scenarios in both consecutive and simultaneous interpreting modes. After an introduction to skills such as information transfer, formal and informal speech, body language and voice, etiquette, glossary building, concentration, memory, message analysis and split attention, you will learn note-taking techniques in dialogue and consecutive interpreting, practise sight translation, and develop multi-tasking skills by studying public service and consecutive as well as receive introductory training in booth-based simultaneous interpreting.

**Assessment:** Oral (30%), Oral (30%), Oral (30%), Coursework (10%)

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| Spanish Interpreting 1 |  | |
| **Module Code: 7INTR029W** | **Level 7** | **Semester 1** |
| **Location: Regent** | **UK Credit Value: 20** | **Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**  **ECTS credits 10\*** |

#### A score of IELTS 7.0 is required in Speaking

This module is designed to introduce you to public service interpreting in the health sector as well as to working in formal conference scenarios in both consecutive and simultaneous interpreting modes. After an introduction to skills such as information transfer, formal and informal speech, body language and voice, etiquette, glossary building, concentration, memory, message analysis and split attention, you will learn note-taking techniques in dialogue and consecutive interpreting, practise sight translation, and develop multi-tasking skills by studying public service and consecutive as well as receive introductory training in booth-based simultaneous interpreting.

**Assessment:** Oral (30%), Oral (30%), Oral (30%), Coursework (10%)

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| International Liaison |  | |
| **Module Code: 7LANS006W** | **Level 7** | **Semester 1** |
| **Location: Regent** | **UK Credit Value: 20** | **Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**  **ECTS credits 10\*** |

#### This module is an option to be taken with Interpreting and Specialised Translation modules. A score of IELTS 7.0 is required in Speaking.

This module aims to develop the communication skills necessary to facilitate interaction and engagement in global and bilingual professional settings. It considers current theories and concepts that underpin communication and co-

operation in international and transnational contexts and examines the role of international organisations, both inter- governmental and international NGOs in promoting global collaboration in various fields. It provides the knowledge and competencies needed to operate successfully in multi-cultural environments and examines, simulates and critically evaluates the techniques and strategies required to facilitate global bilingual advocacy and international partnerships. It also examines the ethical dimensions and challenges of international liaison. Particular emphasis is placed on the enactment of the role of the international liaison official as facilitator, negotiator, advocate, and representative of others.

**Assessment:** Oral (50%), Coursework (50%)

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## International Organisations and Institutional Discourse

### Module Code: 7LANS008W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

#### This module is an option to be taken with Interpreting and Specialised Translation modules. A score of IELTS 7.0 is required in Speaking.

This module aims to develop a critical understanding of the interaction between language, discourse and power, as it is projected in an institutional communication context. The module is designed to help linguists and communicators to analyse a number of social interactions (speeches, interviews, etc.), institutional discourses (European Union and United Nations) and to reflect on their own discourse building competences in a professional institutional context. The module supports linguists and communicators in understanding how institutional narratives are created and developed.

**Assessment:** Coursework (50%), Essay (50%)

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## Specialised Translation 1: French

### Module Code: 7TRSL064W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

#### A score of IELTS 7.0 is required in Speaking

The module introduces students to a wide range of specialised subjects covering both institutional and technical subject areas (such as law, economics, finance, international organisations, tourism, medicine, engineering, IT and environment) through classwork, group discussions and written assignments. Introductory computer-assisted translation (CAT) training is also provided as part of this module.

**Assessment:** Coursework (15%), Coursework (25%), Examination - open book (60%)

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## Specialised Translation 1: Italian

### Module Code: 7TRSL066W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

#### A score of IELTS 7.0 is required in Speaking

The module introduces students to a wide range of specialised subjects covering both institutional and technical subject areas (such as law, economics, finance, international organisations, tourism, medicine, engineering, IT and environment) through classwork, group discussions and written assignments. Introductory computer-assisted

translation (CAT) training is also provided as part of this module.

**Assessment:** Coursework (15%), Coursework (25%), Examination - open book (60%)

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## Specialised Translation 1: Polish

### Module Code: 7TRSL067W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

#### A score of IELTS 7.0 is required in Speaking

The module introduces students to a wide range of specialised subjects covering both institutional and technical subject areas (such as law, economics, finance, international organisations, tourism, medicine, engineering, IT and environment) through classwork, group discussions and written assignments. Introductory computer-assisted translation (CAT) training is also provided as part of this module.

**Assessment:** Coursework (15%), Coursework (25%), Examination - open book (60%)

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## Specialised Translation 1: Chinese

### Module Code: 7TRSL069W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

#### A score of IELTS 7.0 is required in Speaking

The module introduces students to a wide range of specialised subjects covering both institutional and technical subject areas (such as law, economics, finance, international organisations, tourism, medicine, engineering, IT and environment) through classwork, group discussions and written assignments. Introductory computer-assisted translation (CAT) training is also provided as part of this module.

**Assessment:** Coursework (15%), Coursework (25%), Examination - open book (60%)

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## Audiovisual and Computer-Assisted Translation

### Module Code: 7TRSL076W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

#### A score of IELTS 7.0 is required in Speaking

The module is designed for students combining English with any other language, who wish to become familiar with the nature and particularities of both audio visual translation (AVT) and computer-assisted translation (CAT). The module will include instruction in industry-standard software for translation and subtitling and divides into two broad areas linked by their technological focus: Audio-visual translation This part of the module will introduce you to the principles and processes of audio visual translation and aims to familiarise you with both the main practical constraints involved in different audio visual translation modalities and the relevance of translation theory to audio visual translation. It will also provide you with hands-on experience with professional subtitling software. Computer- assisted translation This part of the module provides an in-depth introduction to translation memory and practical experience of SDL Trados, one of the main packages in use in the industry. Students will also be given the opportunity to sit the SDL Trados Level 1 Certification examination as part of this module.

**Assessment:** Coursework (50%), Coursework (25%), Coursework (25%)

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## Translation as Cultural Practice

### Module Code: 7TRSL079W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

#### A score of IELTS 7.0 is required in Speaking

This module offers an advanced introduction to translation as cultural practice and investigates the ways in which all aspects of the translation process can be understood not only to reflect cultures but also to embody them. The module links the conceptual considerations embedded in the works of key theorists with actual textual and cultural practices, thus equipping students with critical and reflective insights into a wide range of translation practices.

**Assessment:** Presentation Group (40%), Essay (60%)

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# Politics and International Relations

## Governance of the European Union

### Module Code: 7PIRS012W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

TThe module explores the EU as a polity and as a system of governance. It offers a practice-led survey of governance issues in the EU, informed by relevant theoretical approaches. It covers the institutional framework of the EU and the roles of member-state and institutional actors in its decision-making processes; questions of institutional efficiency, accountability and the wider legitimacy of the EU. It also engages with current political challenges facing the EU and its member states, such as Brexit, enlargement, and the Eurozone crisis.

**Assessment:** Coursework (30%), Coursework (70%)

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## International Relations: Theoretical Perspectives

### Module Code: 7PIRS017W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

The module introduces students to the competing bodies of thought in International Relations theory, the debates between them, and the way that International Relations theory has developed as a consequence of those debates. **Assessment:** Coursework (50%), Coursework (50%)

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## Policy, Governance and Democracy: International Perspectives

### Module Code: 7PIRS021W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

This module explores and compares a range of approaches to analysing and evaluating governance and policy, assessing the understandings of democracy that they imply. These approaches are introduced through a range of

case studies relating to policy-making in contrasting national and international contexts.

**Assessment:** Coursework (50%), Coursework (50%)

\*All transcripts are issued in UK credits.

## The Politics of Global Complexity: Rethinking Governance, Power and Agency

### Module Code: 7PIRS025W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

This module introduces students to the theoretical frameworks and practices of the politics of global complexity, the debates that have been triggered, and the way that complexity understandings have developed, especially in the 1990s and 2000s. Emphasis is placed upon the conceptual frameworks deployed in understanding system effects on political, economic and social life and how these enable us to rethink governance, power and agency. While focusing on conceptual frameworks, this module also engages with how complexity is reflected in new approaches to policy, and external stakeholders will provide input to the module (for example, the Social Market Foundation, Demos, the New Local Government Network and the Foreign Policy Centre).

**Assessment:** Coursework (20%), Coursework (80%)

\*All transcripts are issued in UK credits.

## The State, Politics and Violence

### Module Code: 7PIRS026W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

The module introduces students to various approaches to (state) politics and examines different accounts of political action ranging from civil disobedience to violent confrontation. It discusses the challenges arising from different forms of antagonism and explores conceptual efforts to understand and control the possibility of conflict and violence.

**Assessment:** Coursework (100%)

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## Theories of International Security

### Module Code: 7PIRS027W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

This module introduces students to the contemporary discourse and debates surrounding the meaning of international security. The end of the Cold War fundamentally altered the structure of the international system and precipitated the emergence of a new security agenda. The new systemic dynamics and reconfigured security agenda led many to question the dominant theoretical frameworks previously applied to international security and new security discourses - such as human security and critical security studies - have emerged to challenge established security theory. This module will examine the key tenets of the new theoretical frameworks and critically analyse their contribution to our understanding of 'security'.

**Assessment:** Coursework (30%), Coursework (70%)

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# Psychology

## Theories and Perspectives in Health Psychology

### Module Code: 7HPSY001W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Cavendish UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

#### Pre-requisite: undergraduate degree in Psychology

This introductory module explores a broad range of topics in health psychology within a multidisciplinary framework. It considers the social and cultural context of health and illness, the importance of social cognition models in health care and issues around communication and health care decisions. It emphasizes theoretical and methodological issues in health psychology research and application, including intervention design and evaluation.

**Assessment:** Coursework (40%), Presentation (10%), Essay (50%)

\*All transcripts are issued in UK credits.

## Health Psychology: A Lifespan Development Perspective

### Module Code: 7HPSY003W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Cavendish UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

#### Pre-requisite: undergraduate degree in Psychology

The module will take a developmental approach to understanding relationships between psychological, biological and social factors that influence health and disease through the lifespan. It will emphasise the dynamics of change & a number of key topics will be examined including children's health and the family context, gender, normative transitions and life events, vulnerability and resilience.

**Assessment:** Essay (50%), Coursework (50%)

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## Specialist Topics for Applied Psychology

### Module Code: 7PSYC026W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Cavendish UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

#### Pre-requisite: undergraduate degree in Psychology

***Co-requisite: can only be taken with 7HPSY001W and 7HPSY003W***

Lectures, seminars and workshops will cover the areas of review writing skills, systematic review protocol, design critique, mixed methods designs, grant application writing skills, professional issues including inter professional working, research ethics, grant committee participation skills, careers, portfolio development for project research, national & international perspectives on applied psychology and practice specific issues.

**Assessment:** Coursework (50%), Coursework (40%), Coursework (10%)

\*All transcripts are issued in UK credits.

# Westminster Law School

## Foundations in International Commercial Law

### Module Code: 7LLAW009W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

This module enables the student to analyse critically the principles essential to the application of International Commercial Law. It will also provide the student with the context within which International Commercial Law operates.

**Assessment:** In-Class Test/Assignment exam conditions (50%), Coursework (50%)

\*All transcripts are issued in UK credits.

## International Commercial Arbitration

### Module Code: 7LLAW015W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

The nature and function of arbitration, and its advantages and disadvantages compared with litigation and ADR processes; arbitration agreements; jurisdictional and governing law issues; procedural substantive issues, public international instruments and case law, public and private arbitration institutions; sovereign and private entity issues; awards. The aim of this module is to provide a postgraduate introduction to the study of private and public international arbitration. To include inter alia: relationships between disputing parties; between parties and courts; between tribunals and courts.

**Assessment:** Essay (30%), Examination - closed book (70%)

\*All transcripts are issued in UK credits.

## International Law and Development

### Module Code: 7LLAW022W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

A study of law and policy relating to international development including the right to development in international law, international development assistance and poverty alleviation, law relating to UN institutions engaged in promoting development in underdeveloped countries, and law and policy relating to overseas development assistance in the United Kingdom and European Union.

**Assessment:** Essay (100%)

\*All transcripts are issued in UK credits.

## Investment Banking Principles and Practice

### Module Code: 7LLAW026W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

Investment banking principles and practices, fund raising from the investment banking perspective, business plans, private placement memoranda, prospectuses, confidentiality agreements, IPOs, current stock exchange trends and market requirements.

**Assessment:** Coursework (100%)

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| Law of International Sales |  | |
| **Module Code: 7LLAW028W** | **Level 7** | **Semester 1** |
| **Location: Regent** | **UK Credit Value: 20** | **Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**  **ECTS credits 10\*** |

This module offers the student an opportunity to evaluate and examine critically the law governing the international sale contract. The student will be introduced to the intricacies of international sale transactions, especially, the content of the contract of international sale, the use of standard trade terms (such as INCOTERMS 2000); rights and remedies, the Vienna Convention; examine critically the legal implications of international sale transactions; common trade terms in use; the relevance of the Sale of Goods Act 1979; the role of documents in certain contracts; areas of reform and change in the context of the move to harmonise or standardise trade law.

**Assessment:** In-Class Test/Assignment exam conditions (100%)

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## Legal Aspects of Corporate Finance

### Module Code: 7LLAW031W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

The module includes corporate finance, venture capital, actors and aims, sources and types of investment, finance contracts, corporate structure, exit routes, transfer of shares, basic drafting, basic accounting, regulatory issues and tax.

**Assessment:** In-Class Test/Assignment exam conditions (100%)

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## Multinational Corporate Entities and Foreign Investment

### Module Code: 7LLAW036W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

The nature of incorporation. International and national consequences of incorporation and non-incorporation. Role and effect in cross-border trade and investment. Property and risk issues. Power balance between multinationals and sovereign states. Control of multinationals. Accountability of personnel. To provide the student with an overvoew of the law relating to incorporation and non-incorporation of business enterprises.

**Assessment:** Essay (30%), Examination - closed book (70%)

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## Perspectives on Peace, Conflicts and Disputes

### Module Code: 7LLAW039W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

The aim of this module is to provide a postgraduate introduction to the field of dispute prevention and dispute resolution. Within this aim it is the intention to cover domestic, commercial, municipal and international aspects of the field, and the main processes involved in dispute prevention and resolution. The nature of disputes; decision making and justice; theories and processes in prevention and resolution; anthropology and jurisprudence of dispute prevention and resolution, evidence and decision making, governance, regulation and risk factors.

**Assessment:** Coursework (30%), Coursework (70%)

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## Public International Law

### Module Code: 7LLAW046W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

This module aims to analyse the sources and the subjects of international law, state responsibility, the implementation of international law into municipal law, the settlement of international disputes and the enforcement of international law.

**Assessment:** In-Class Test/Assignment exam conditions (50%), Coursework (50%)

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## Law and Media: Content and Control

### Module Code: 7LLAW056W Level 7 Semester 1

**Location: Regent UK Credit Value: 20 Equivalent Credit Value: US Credits 4 /**

**ECTS credits 10\***

This module will analyse aspects of the regulation of content and control of various elements of the media. The module will cover the contemporary regulatory framework that determines the permissible extent of cross-media ownership in light of technological advancement, and will also examine forms of censorship of material within the media.It will examine both the law and the various statutory bodies who have a regulatory function in this area **Assessment:** Coursework (100%)

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