

Module Details	
Module Title	International Trade and Investment Law
Module Code	LAW7045-B
Academic Year	2020/1
Credits	20
School	School of Law
Subject Area	Law
FHEQ Level	FHEQ Level 7
Pre-requisites	N/A
Co-requisites	N/A

Contact Hours	
Type	Hours
Seminars	12
Online Seminar (Synchronous)	12
Directed Study	176

Availability	
Occurrence	Location / Period
BDA	University of Bradford / Semester 1

Module Aims
<p>The aim is to critically examine and understand legal, theoretical and practical underpinnings of international trade and investment law taking into account the latest developments in these fields. The content of the module is flexible by nature and can be amended to incorporate significant international developments in the area of trade and investments such as the impact of Brexit, the revision of NAFTA and the efforts to revise WTO.</p>

Outline Syllabus
N/A

Learning Outcomes	
Outcome Number	Description
01	Critically analyse the theories and legal principles underpinning international trade and investment law.
02	Identify and critically evaluate the key organisations and treaties related to international trade and investments.
03	Apply critically the legal frameworks to provide solutions to complex real world scenarios.
04	Structure complex legal arguments in respect of international trade and investment law.
05	Present your work to an acceptable academic standing, both orally and in writing

Learning, Teaching and Assessment Strategy
<p>The module uses a blended approach to support learning and achievement. Students will engage with a series of 12 weekly 2-hour workshops, 6 of which will be face-to-face and 6 online (synchronous). The workshops will address the key legal concepts of trade and investment law and will include a set of structured learning activities (eg, discussion of pre-read academic materials) that 'scaffold' the learning.</p> <p>The workshops will also include tasks and discussions on practical aspects of the law. Additional opportunities for self-study will be provided through the virtual learning environment.</p> <p>Oral feedback on your work and participation will be given in classes. Drawing on primary and secondary sources, you will complete research and presentation exercises which will require independent research, analysis and critical thinking. The activities and tasks you will be set at regular intervals throughout the module will help you develop the necessary skills to successfully complete the assessment. All teaching will be supported by information supplied on the virtual learning environment, where you will find a copy of the module handbook, pre-recorded materials, relevant reading lists, copies of session materials and other relevant documents and links.</p> <p>Tutors will be available to meet you individually (face-to-face or online) if requested to discuss further feedback opportunities and review your progress.</p> <p>The module will also provide education for sustainable development in relation to International Trade and investment Law, through reflection on trade protocols and influences on legal trading frameworks and accepted practices.</p> <p>The assessment for this module has two parts:</p>

Mode of Assessment				
Type	Method	Description	Length	Weighting
Summative	Presentation	Individual Presentation	10 mins	30%
Summative	Coursework	Essay, critique or case study	N/A	70%
Formative	Coursework	Development task	N/A	N/A

Reading List
To access the reading list for this module, please visit https://bradford.rl.talis.com/index.html

Please note:

This module descriptor has been published in advance of the academic year to which it applies. Every effort has been made to ensure that the information is accurate at the time of publication, but minor changes may occur given the interval between publishing and commencement of teaching. Upon commencement of the module, students will receive a handbook with further detail about the module and any changes will be discussed and/or communicated at this point.

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