

LA905-20 International Banking & Securities Regulation

23/24

Department

School of Law

Level

Taught Postgraduate Level

Module leader

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Credit value

20

Module duration

10 weeks

Assessment

100% coursework

Study location

University of Warwick main campus, Coventry

Description

Introductory description

Banks are regulated domestically but their activities transcend their borders internationally.

This module analyses the legal, theoretical and practical aspects of bank regulation and supervision, focusing on the practical steps to regulate activities such as consolidated supervision, capital adequacy, large exposure rules and more.

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Module aims

This module will focus on the legal, theoretical and practical aspects of bank regulation and supervision, with a particular focus on 'current' events. It will analyse the issues relating to banking from the perspective of private and public law. It will first outline the rationale of why we need regulation and supervision. It will focus on the domestic, European and international statutes, directives and standards respectively that have shaped the way these activities are overseen. Banks are regulated domestically but their activities invariably transcend their borders internationally. It will focus on the practical steps to regulate their activities such as consolidated supervision, capital adequacy, large exposure rules and the fit and proper

criteria that need to be fulfilled by the institutions and individuals themselves on a continuous basis. It will critically evaluate the policy considerations that have come and gone to enhance the effectiveness of these tools.

Outline syllabus

This is an indicative module outline only to give an indication of the sort of topics that may be covered. Actual sessions held may differ.

A selection of the following topics will be covered:

Banks and Non-Banking Business and Finance;

The Capital Markets Regulation in the European Union;

Authorisation - Supervision - Enforcement;

Capital Adequacy and Liquidity Risk Requirements;

Financial Crisis Management & Bank Resolution;

Bank Insolvency and Deposit Insurance;

Money Laundering and Terrorist Finance;

Insider Dealing and Market Abuse;

and Regulation of OTC Derivatives

Learning outcomes

By the end of the module, students should be able to:

- Understanding of Banks and Non-Banking Business and Finance
- Understanding of the Capital Markets Regulation in the European Union
- Understanding of authorisation, supervision, enforcement.
- Understanding of capital adequacy and liquidity risk requirements, financial crisis management & bank resolution.
- Understanding of bank insolvency and deposit insurance, money laundering and terrorist finance, insider dealing and market abuse and Regulation of OTC Derivatives.

Subject specific skills

No subject specific skills defined for this module.

Transferable skills

No transferable skills defined for this module.

Study

Study time

Type	Required
Seminars	9 sessions of 3 hours (14%)
Private study	133 hours (66%)
Assessment	40 hours (20%)
Total	200 hours

Private study description

No private study requirements defined for this module.

Costs

No further costs have been identified for this module.

Assessment

You must pass all assessment components to pass the module.

Students can register for this module without taking any assessment.

Assessment group A2

	Weighting	Study time
4000 word essay	100%	40 hours

Feedback on assessment

Feedback via Tabula

Availability

Pre-requisites

Courses

This module is Optional for:

- Year 1 of TIMA-L981 Postgraduate Social Science Research
- Year 1 of TLAA-M3PJ Postgraduate Taught Advanced Legal Studies
- Year 1 of TLAS-M3P7 Postgraduate Taught International Economic Law
- Year 1 of TLAS-M221 Postgraduate Taught LLM in International Corporate Governance and Financial Regulation

This module is Core option list B for:

- Year 1 of TLAA-M3PJ Postgraduate Taught Advanced Legal Studies
- Year 1 of TLAA-M223 Postgraduate Taught International Commercial Law
- Year 1 of TLAS-M3P7 Postgraduate Taught International Economic Law
- Year 1 of TLAS-M221 Postgraduate Taught LLM in International Corporate Governance and Financial Regulation

This module is Option list B for:

- Year 1 of TLAA-M223 Postgraduate Taught International Commercial Law

This module is Option list C for:

- TPOS-M9PE Double MA in Politics and International Studies (with NTU Singapore)
 - Year 1 of M91F Globalisation and Development (Double Degree - NTU)
 - Year 1 of M91L International Development (Double Degree - NTU)
 - Year 1 of M91B International Political Economy (Double Degree - NTU)
 - Year 1 of M91C International Politics and East Asia (Double Degree - NTU)
 - Year 1 of M91D International Politics and Europe (Double Degree - NTU)
 - Year 1 of M91G International Security (Double Degree - NTU)
 - Year 1 of M91K Political and Legal Theory (Double Degree - NTU)
 - Year 1 of M91J United States Foreign Policy (Double Degree - NTU)
 - Year 2 of M91L International Development (Double Degree - NTU)
 - Year 2 of M91B International Political Economy (Double Degree - NTU)
 - Year 2 of M91C International Politics and East Asia (Double Degree - NTU)
- TPOS-M9PP Double MA in Politics and International Studies (with Universität Konstanz, Germany)
 - Year 1 of M92L International Development (Double Degree - Konstanz)
 - Year 1 of M92B International Political Economy (Double Degree - Konstanz)
 - Year 1 of M92C International Politics and East Asia (Double Degree - Konstanz)
 - Year 1 of M92D International Politics and Europe (Double Degree - Konstanz)
 - Year 1 of M92E International Relations (Double Degree - Konstanz)
 - Year 1 of M92G International Security (Double Degree - Konstanz)
 - Year 1 of M92K Political and Legal Theory (Double Degree - Konstanz)
 - Year 1 of M92H Public Policy (Double Degree - Konstanz)
 - Year 2 of M92B International Political Economy (Double Degree - Konstanz)
 - Year 2 of M92C International Politics and East Asia (Double Degree - Konstanz)
 - Year 2 of M92D International Politics and Europe (Double Degree - Konstanz)
 - Year 2 of M92E International Relations (Double Degree - Konstanz)
 - Year 2 of M92G International Security (Double Degree - Konstanz)
 - Year 2 of M92K Political and Legal Theory (Double Degree - Konstanz)

- Year 2 of M92H Public Policy (Double Degree - Konstanz)
- Year 2 of TPOS-M9PT MA in International Development
- Year 2 of TPOS-M1P8 Postgraduate Taught International Politics and East Asia
- Year 2 of TPOS-M9PS Postgraduate Taught Political and Legal Theory
- Year 2 of TPOS-M9PQ Postgraduate Taught United States Foreign Policy