

William Wilberforce International Human Rights Law Centre



MASTER OF ARTS IN THEOLOGY AND HUMAN RIGHTS

and

Diplomate In International Human Rights Law

Professional Certification



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A. Master of Arts in Theology and Human Rights 3

(a). This Master of Arts programme is designed to bridge the gap between the Pastoral Christian Ministry and the Practice of Human Rights and Civil Rights Advocacy, by introducing pastors, church leaders, church administrators, lawyers, human rights advocates, and other professionals to substantive law, practice, procedures, and critical issues that impact the field of human rights.

B. Diplome in International Human Rights Law 7

(a). This Professional Certification Programme includes all of the court human rights courses that are a part of the Master of Arts programme and may be completed in preparation for completing the MA in Theology and Human Rights.

(b). This programme is designed for professionals who already have at least one graduate-level degree in theology, divinity, law, social science, political science, or business management and who wish to incorporate civil rights and human rights advocacy into their areas of professional practice and focus.

II. Wilberforce Fellow Professional Designation

Candidates who qualify for either the MA in Theology and Human Rights or the Diplome in Human Rights will automatically qualify for election as “Fellow” grade status in the William Wilberforce International Human Rights Law Centre.

MASTER OF ARTS IN THEOLOGY AND HUMAN RIGHTS

Course No.	Course Subject	Course Title	Course Description	Credit Hours
Core Theology Courses				
TH. 801	Theology	Christian World-view	Text: Peter Feldmein, <u>The Christian Tradition</u> https://global.oup.com/academic/product/the-christian-tradition-9780199374380?q=Christian%20worldview&lang=en&cc=us Course Completion: 1. Test 2. Research Paper	3
TH. 802	Theology	Old Testament Survey	Text: Mark W. Hamilton, <u>A Theological Introduction to the Old Testament</u> https://global.oup.com/academic/product/a-theological-introduction-to-the-old-testament-9780190203115?lang=en&cc=us Course Completion: 1. Test 2. Research Paper	3
TH. 803	Theology-BI 102	New Testament Survey	Text: Ben Witherington III, <u>Invitation to the New Testament</u> https://global.oup.com/academic/product/invitation-to-the-new-testament-9780190491949?q=Old%20Testament%20Survey&lang=en&cc=us Course Completion: 1. Test 2. Research Paper	3
TH. 804	Theology-	Systematic	Text: Robert W. Jensen, <u>Systematic Theology</u> (Vol. 1)	3

	BTH 121	Theology I	https://global.oup.com/academic/product/systematic-theology-9780195145984?q=systematic%20theology&lang=en&cc=us Course Completion: 1. Test 2. Research Paper	
TH. 805	Theology-BTH 221	Systematic Theology II	Text: Robert W. Jensen, <u>Systematic Theology</u> (Vol. II) https://global.oup.com/academic/product/systematic-theology-9780195145991?q=systematic%20theology&lang=en&cc=us Course Completion: 1. Test 2. Research Paper	3
Core Church Law Courses				
CL. 801	Church Law	Christianity and Law	John Witte, Jr., <u>Christianity and Law</u> https://www.cambridge.org/us/academic/subjects/religion/religion-general-interest/christianity-and-law-introduction?format=PB Course Completion: 1. Test 2. Research Paper	3
CL. 802	Church Law	Church and Human Rights	John Witte, Jr. <u>Christianity and Human Rights</u> https://www.cambridge.org/us/academic/subjects/religion/religion-ethics/christianity-and-human-rights-introduction?format=PB Course Completion: 1. Test 2. Research Paper	3
Core Human Rights Courses			* MA Candidates Must Complete 4 of the following Courses:	
MA 801	Human Rights	United Nations Organization	Text: Simon Chesterman, et al, <u>Law and Practice in the U.N.</u> https://global.oup.com/academic/product/law-and-practice-of-the-united-nations-	3

		ons	9780199399499?q=United%20Nations%20Organizations&lang=en&cc=us Course Completion: 1. Test 2. Research Paper	
MA 802	Human Rights	International Law and Human Rights	Text: Ilias Bantekas, <u>International Human Rights Law & Practice</u> https://www.cambridge.org/us/academic/subjects/law/human-rights/international-human-rights-law-and-practice-2nd-edition?format=PB Course Completion: 1. Test 2. Research Paper	3
MA 803	Human Rights	Slavery and Human Trafficking	Text: Prabha Kotiswaran, <u>Revisiting the Law and Governance of Trafficking, Forced Labor and Modern Slavery</u> https://www.cambridge.org/us/academic/subjects/law/human-rights/revisiting-law-and-governance-trafficking-forced-labor-and-modern-slavery?format=PB Course Completion: 1. Test 2. Research Paper	3
MA 804	Human Rights	African Human Rights Law and Organizations	Text: Rachel Murray, <u>Human Rights in Africa</u> https://www.cambridge.org/us/academic/subjects/law/human-rights/human-rights-africa-oau-african-union?format=HB Course Completion: 1. Test 2. Research Paper	3
MA 805	Human Rights	European Human Rights Law and Organizations	Text: Eva Brems, <u>Diversity and European Human Rights</u> https://www.cambridge.org/us/academic/subjects/law/human-rights/diversity-and-european-human-rights-rewriting-judgments-echr?format=PB Course Completion: 1. Test 2. Research Paper	3
MA 806	Human Rights	U.S. Civil Rights Law and History	Text: Austin Sarat, <u>Civil Rights in American Law, History, and Politics</u> https://www.cambridge.org/us/academic/subjects/law/us-law/civil-rights-american-law-history-and-politics?format=PB	3

			<p>Course Completion:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Test 2. Research Paper 	
MA 807	Human Rights	International Labor Organization and the U.N.	<p>Text: Yossi Daharr, <u>Global Justice and International Labour Rights</u> https://www.cambridge.org/us/academic/subjects/law/employment-law/global-justice-and-international-labour-rights?format=PB</p> <p>Course Completion:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Test 2. Research Paper 	3
Master of Arts Thesis Paper			* MA Candidates Must Complete 40,000 word thesis	6

DIPLOMATE IN INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS LAW

Professional Certification Programme

Core Human Rights Courses			* Diplomate Candidates Must Complete 7 of the following Courses:	
MA 801	Human Rights	United Nations Organizations	Text: Simon Chesterman, et al, <u>Law and Practice in the U.N.</u> https://global.oup.com/academic/product/law-and-practice-of-the-united-nations-9780199399499?q=United%20Nations%20Organizations&lang=en&cc=us Course Completion: 1. Test 2. Research Paper	3
MA 802	Human Rights	International Law and Human Rights	Text: Ilias Bantekas, <u>International Human Rights Law & Practice</u> https://www.cambridge.org/us/academic/subjects/law/human-rights/international-human-rights-law-and-practice-2nd-edition?format=PB Course Completion: 1. Test 2. Research Paper	3
MA 803	Human Rights	Slavery and Human Trafficking	Text: Prabha Kotiswaran, <u>Revisiting the Law and Governance of Trafficking, Forced Labor and Modern Slavery</u> https://www.cambridge.org/us/academic/subjects/law/human-rights/revisiting-law-and-governance-trafficking-forced-labor-and-modern-slavery?format=PB Course Completion: 1. Test 2. Research Paper	3
MA 804	Human Rights	African Human Rights Law and Organizations	Text: Rachel Murray, <u>Human Rights in Africa</u> https://www.cambridge.org/us/academic/subjects/law/human-rights/human-rights-africa-oau-african-union?format=HB Course Completion: 1. Test 2. Research Paper	3

MA 805	Human Rights	European Human Rights Law and Organizations	Text: Eva Brems, <u>Diversity and European Human Rights</u> https://www.cambridge.org/us/academic/subjects/law/human-rights/diversity-and-european-human-rights-rewriting-judgments-echr?format=PB Course Completion: 1. Test 2. Research Paper	3
MA 806	Human Rights	U.S. Civil Rights Law and History	Text: Austin Sarat, <u>Civil Rights in American Law, History, and Politics</u> https://www.cambridge.org/us/academic/subjects/law/us-law/civil-rights-american-law-history-and-politics?format=PB Course Completion: 1. Test 2. Research Paper	3
MA 807	Human Rights	International Labor Organization and the U.N.	Text: Yossi Daharr, <u>Global Justice and International Labour Rights</u> https://www.cambridge.org/us/academic/subjects/law/employment-law/global-justice-and-international-labour-rights?format=PB Course Completion: 1. Test 2. Research Paper	3
Master of Arts Thesis Paper			** Diplomate Candidates Must Complete 15,000 word thesis	3

Programme Application Fee: \$50 (USD)
Course Fees: \$ 150.00 (USD) per Credit Hour
Books: Not included

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