



INTERNATIONAL
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MSc in Energy Law, Business, Regulation and Policy

The Programme

The Programme aims to provide postgraduate-level studies specializing in Energy Law, Business, Energy Policy, Geostrategy, Environmental Issues, and regulatory intervention in the energy sector. Given the rapid transformation in the energy sector, the need for **highly skilled professionals** who understand these complex interrelationships has never been greater and the specialization in the evolving energy sector has been a **strategic career choice**.

Programme Structure *(Three Terms)*

During the first term, full-time students are required to follow 5 mandatory courses. During the second term, full-time students follow a further 4 mandatory courses and 2 elective courses. During the third term, work is dedicated exclusively to the Master's Dissertation.

The Mandatory Courses

First Term

- ▶ Energy Law
- ▶ Energy Economics
- ▶ Energy Infrastructure, Grids & Storage Technologies
- ▶ Energy Business, Finance & ESG
- ▶ Alternative Dispute Resolution in the Energy Sector

Second Term

- ▶ Energy Market Design, Competition & State Aid Law
- ▶ Energy Sustainability, Climate Change & Environmental Policy
- ▶ Energy Politics & Security
- ▶ Cross-border Energy Trade - Energy Agreements

The Elective Courses *(students choose two)*

- ▶ Renewable Energy Project Management & Design
- ▶ Water Resources Law, Policy & Governance
- ▶ Quantitative Methods for Energy and Environmental Economists
- ▶ Mergers and Acquisitions in the Energy Industry
- ▶ International & European Environmental Law
- ▶ Energy Trading, Derivatives & Risk Management
- ▶ Recent Developments in Energy Law & Business
- ▶ Energy Digitalisation, AI & Cybersecurity Law
- ▶ ESG Compliance & Climate Litigation

Schedule

Duration of the Programme

3 Semesters full-time (FT) or 6 Semesters part-time (PT)

Lectures are held on weekends (twice a month on average), while examinations take place on weekday afternoons.

Teaching of courses can either take place in a classroom or/and through **distance learning** as defined by current relevant legislation.



A Holistic,
inter-disciplinary
approach to Energy
Law, Business, Markets,
Regulation, Policy &
Environment

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- ✓ **Distance Learning** (Teaching of courses & examination take place through distance learning; flexible study options)
- ✓ **Global Perspective** (Expert International Faculty & Content)
- ✓ **Public University**
- ✓ **English Instruction** (all courses are taught in English)
- ✓ **Mode: classes only on weekends** (Convenient for working Professionals)

The Master's Dissertation

In order to be awarded the MSc degree, students must take 9 core courses, 2 elective courses, as well as a Master's Dissertation. By the end of the taught courses, students will choose a dissertation topic relevant to the MSc programme. The topic is chosen by the student, based on his/her academic interests, with input and advice from a faculty member, who acts as the supervisor, working closely with the student. The dissertation is an individual paper of original scientific work.

Admissions

Our admissions policy supports equality of opportunity. We are focused on building a student community from various backgrounds and national origin.

To be considered for a Master's programme, candidates are required to have:

- ▶ A good university degree from a recognised University
- ▶ English language certificate with a good score (IELTS or TOEFL or Proficiency)

Target Audience

The MSc is aimed at graduates in Law, Political Sciences, Economics, Business Studies, Engineering, and related specializations, with a strong motivation to acquire or broaden their specialization and pursue a career in energy related domains.

Career Path

The MSc Programme offers a highly flexible qualification suitable for a wide range of career opportunities in many sectors. Our graduates acquire specialized knowledge and expertise for successful careers in national and international organizations, energy companies, law firms, regulatory authorities, and public sector entities dealing with energy issues.

Collaborations-Partnerships

We have fruitful collaborations with various organizations based on signed Memoranda of Understanding, such as i) the Regulatory Authority for Waste, Energy and Water, ii) DESFA (National Natural Gas System Operator S.A.), iii) Law Firms, iv) the Bar Association of Thessaloniki, v) Universities abroad, as well as other Institutions, offering our students and graduates a wide range of free seminars, workshops, as well as chances for internships.

Applications are open!



Where to find us

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The University

The **International Hellenic University (IHU)** is the first Greek **public** University where programmes are taught **exclusively in English**. It is located in Thessaloniki, a vibrant student metropolis. We are focused on attracting leading academics and outstanding students from Europe and across the world. The IHU offers **full scholarships** to exceptional, prospective students.

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