

Overview

The Master of Jurisprudence, in Energy Law is a nonresidential, thirty credit hour program to be offered online with synchronous and asynchronous elements. There will be asynchronous delivery of reading and assessment material online, synchronous live lectures that will be archived for subsequent streaming, and online chat options for student-to-student and student-to-instructor interaction. In addition, each student will be required to attend a two-day live program of lectures and other activities at Tulane Law School during the summer.

The energy industry is highly regulated, and this program is designed to offer training in legal content that is an essential component of the knowledge base of both the regulated and the regulators. Enrolled students will be provided with the opportunity to upgrade and expand their knowledge and skill levels in their chosen profession. It will do this by providing not only live and online asynchronous instruction in the legal regime, but also extensive practical advice on how to deal with many of the issues facing both energy-related industries and the regulatory agencies such as the development and regulation of fossil fuel, electricity, nuclear and renewable energy sources, climate change, and alternative dispute resolution mechanisms.

Requirements Curriculum

ERGL 6200

Term 1		
Course ID	Title	Credits
ERGL 6000	Energy Law Regulation & Policy	3
ERGL 6400	Intro Leg Study Rsh & Writing	2
Term 2		
Course ID	Title	Credits
EVRL 6000	Environmental Law, Regulation, and Policy Survey	3
ERGL 6401	Int Leg Study Rsh & Writing II	2
Term 3		
Course ID	Title	Credits
ERGL 5800	Negotiations & Dispute Resolution	2
ERGL 6510	Administrative Law	3
Term 4		
Course ID	Title	Credits
ERGL 6250	Federal Regulation of Electric Public Utilities	3
One course from the following	ng list of electives:	
ERGL 6100	Clean Air Law	2
ERGL 6200	Law & Climate Change	2
ERGL 6360	Alternative Energy Source	3
ERGL 6500	Natural Resources Law	3
ERGL 6520	Fossil Fuel: Reg & Development	3
ERGL 6535	Utility Vegetation Management	2
EVRL 6010	Environmental, Social, and Governance	2
EVRL 6150	Clean Water Law	2
EVRL 6350	Pollution Control	2 or 3
Term 5		
Course ID	Title	Credits
Two courses from the follow	ving list of electives:	
ERGL 6100	Clean Air Law	2

Law & Climate Change

2



ERGL 6360	Alternative Energy Source	3
ERGL 6500	Natural Resources Law	3
ERGL 6520	Fossil Fuel: Reg & Development	3
ERGL 6535	Utility Vegetation Management	2
EVRL 6010	Environmental, Social, and Governance	2
EVRL 6150	Clean Water Law	2
EVRL 6350	Pollution Control	2 or 3
Term 6		
Course ID	Title	Credits
ERGL 6990	Capstone Course	3
One elective from the list of electiv	ves (2 or 3 credits)	

On-Site Education Immersion Weekend (EIW)

All students enrolled in the online MJ program must attend one EIW to be eligible to receive the master's degree. Students are welcome to attend more than the one EIW session. Each session is composed of two days of academic and other programming at the Law School during the summer. The EIW is designed to (a) supplement the online curriculum by involving students and faculty in discussion of new developments and unique other issues not addressed in the online curriculum; (2) provide students with networking opportunities by meeting their peers; (3) provide students and faculty opportunities to meet face-to-face; and (4) provide a tangible link between the students and the law school to promote their continued relationship to the school. The course is not offered for credit, but attendance is required for program completion.

Program String and Field of Study: LSMJL_GR, LERG

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