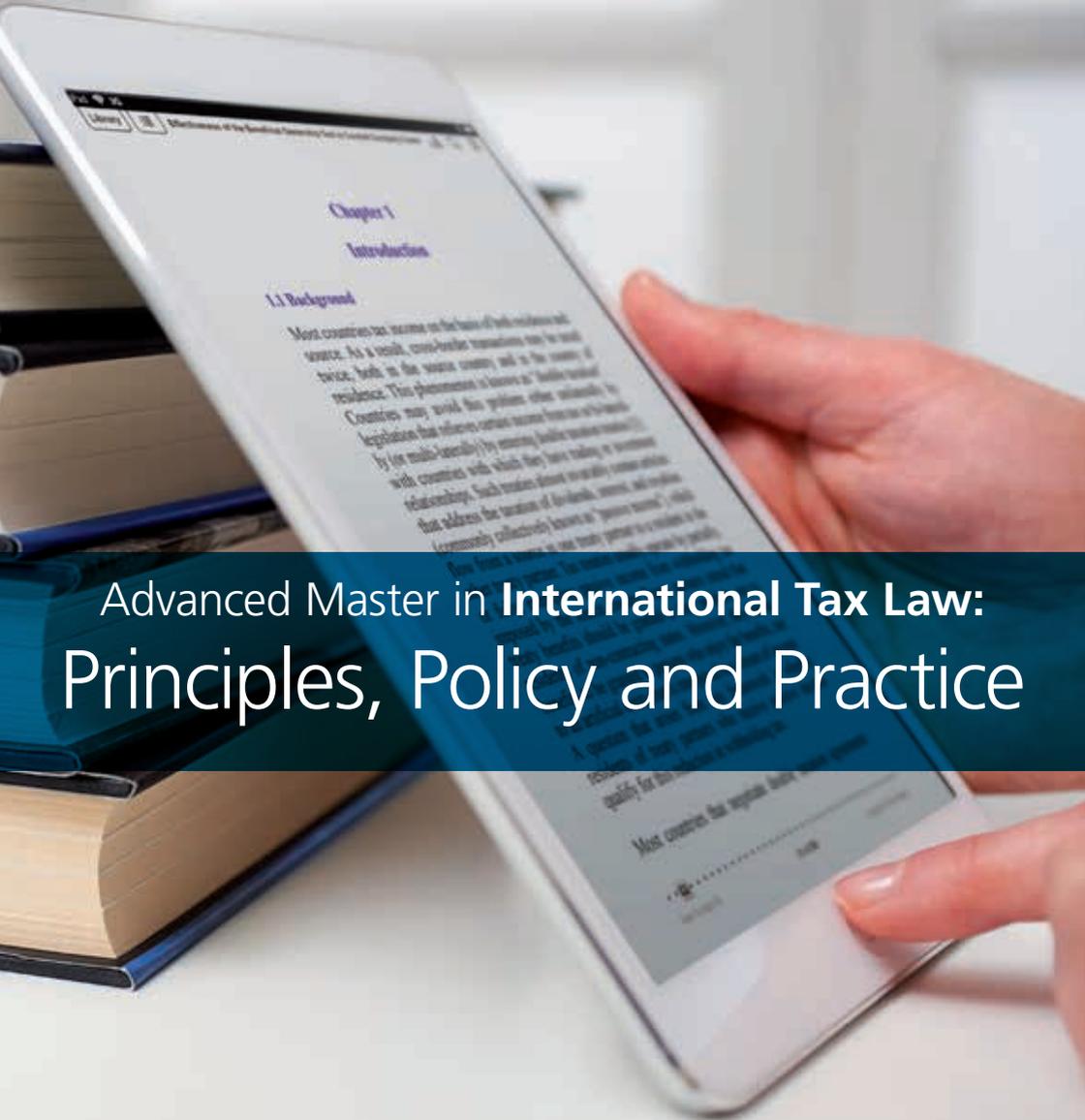




The University of Amsterdam and IBFD
join forces to offer an advanced LLM



Advanced Master in **International Tax Law:**
Principles, Policy and Practice



Faculty

Programme director: Dr Joanna Wheeler.

ACTL Director: Prof. Dr Dennis Weber.

IBFD Academic Chairman: Prof. Dr Pasquale Pistone.

Core teaching staff: UvA/ACTL staff members and IBFD tax specialists.

Guest lecturers: leading academics, experienced practitioners and representatives of government bodies, intergovernmental organizations and the judiciary.

About the UvA

The University of Amsterdam (UvA) is participating in the LLM programme through its Amsterdam Centre for Tax Law (ACTL). The ACTL staff includes a number of internationally renowned professors and PhD students from many different countries. Its staff members also have extensive experience in the advisory, government and judicial branches of the profession. In addition to its considerable research output and teaching activities, the ACTL organizes a lively programme of conferences and short courses.

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The University of Amsterdam, in close cooperation with renowned tax research institute IBFD, offers a one-year full-time LLM programme in international tax law to meet the growing demand for specialists in international tax law policy development.

The programme: Students receive a thorough grounding in the theoretical and practical issues of international tax law. Uniquely, the programme considers the policy options most appropriate to states according to their level of development and optional courses allow students to give their study a regional focus.

Skills training: The programme hones students' legal research, writing and oral presentation skills through an interactive teaching style, culminating in a mock tax treaty negotiation, a moot court module and an LLM thesis.

Students: The class size is limited to 25 students, to allow for lively class discussions and ensure that students receive individual attention. Students will be selected on the basis of academic merit and their ability to contribute to discussion within the programme.

Student benefits

- Exposure to the powerful combination of forces: the University of Amsterdam and IBFD.
- Unrestricted access to the IBFD Tax Research Platform.
- Access to IBFD's extensive international network and opportunities to develop long term contacts.
- Access to the IBFD Library with dedicated support.
- Study facilities at IBFD and the UvA.
- Special support from the UvA with finding accommodation and settling in.

[See overleaf for entry requirements and further information.](#)



Entry Requirements*

- A university first degree in law, or a university first degree in a related subject which included at least half a year of study in law;
- Experience in tax law, either through a university study of at least one quarter of an academic year or work experience at a sufficiently conceptual level;
- English language proficiency: TOEFL score of at least 100 ITB with at least 26 points in writing; or Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English at minimum level C; or IELTS minimum overall score of 7.0 with no individual results below 6.0.

- A willingness to actively participate in the classroom;
- An open mind towards different cultures.

* This is a brief overview of the requirements. The precise requirements are set out in detail on the website.

Finally

This is a one-year, full-time programme. For more information, visit the website: uva.nl/ilm-international-tax-law