Applications are invited for admission in September 2024 to read for the degree of Master of Laws in Arbitration and Dispute Resolution [LLM(Arb&DR)]. The usual duration of the programme is one academic year of full-time study or two academic years of part-time study. The application deadlines are:

- Main Round: 12:00 noon (GMT +8) on 29 December 2023 (Friday)
- Clearing Round: 12:00 noon (GMT +8) on 29 February 2024 (Thursday)

Offers of admission may be made on a rolling basis, and late applications will only be considered if places are still available. For further detailed information, please see https://llm.law.hku.hk/arbdr/.

ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS
To be eligible for admission to the programme, applicants shall:

a) comply with the General Regulations and the Regulations for Taught Postgraduate Curricula; and

b) hold the degree of Bachelor of Laws with at least a second-class honour of this University, or a qualification of equivalent standard from this University or another comparable institution accepted for this purpose; or

c) hold the degree in a discipline other than law with at least a second-class honour of this University, or a qualification of equivalent standard from this University or another comparable institution accepted for this purpose; and have at least two years of relevant experience and/or professional qualifications; or

d) have obtained either the Common Professional Examination of England and Wales or the Common Professional Examination Certificate of this University provided that, in either case, the candidate has also obtained a degree with at least a second-class honour of this University; or a qualification of equivalent standard from this University; or another comparable institution accepted for this purpose; and

e) for a candidate seeking admission based on qualification from a university or comparable institution outside Hong Kong for which the language of teaching and/or examination is not English, they shall satisfy the University English language requirement applicable to higher degrees as prescribed under General Regulation G2(b).

The Faculty has its specific requirements with regard to IELTS and TOEFL tests:

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ENQUIRIES
If you experience difficulties during your application, please email lawpgs@hku.hk for assistance.

October 2023

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1 Due to the arrangement of compulsory and core modules, applicants without a law degree can only apply for the part-time mode.

2 The faculty only accepts IELTS/TOEFL score reports if the result is obtained within two years of your application submission.