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Call for applications



Master's Degree (LLM) in Extractive Industry Law in Africa

The **Faculty of Law of the University of Pretoria**, widely known as Africa's Global Law Faculty, is proud to introduce a specialised **Master's Degree in Extractive Industry Law in Africa**.

A first for the continent, this new programme focusses on extractive industries in Africa from a multidisciplinary perspective. The Programme comprehensively incorporates aspects of law, macro- and micro economics and management, finance, tax, mining engineering and earth sciences, as applied in contemporary oil, gas and mineral extraction.

Programme duration is one year, following a blended model of intensive, on-campus contact sessions and distance learning modules, to allow for a flexible learning experience and to accommodate working professionals. The Programme will be of particular interest to candidates from legal practice who work with the extractive industries, government officials, legislators, policymakers, and industry regulators. The programme also provides an excellent foundation for recent graduates on which to prepare for a career in this dynamic and exciting field.

This is a selection course, with a maximum of 25 students selected per year.

Requirements for application:

- Certified copy of a first degree in law (e.g. LLB or licence en droit or licenciatura em direito) from all African universities or abroad
- ⇒ Transcript of academic record
- ⇒ Curriculum Vitae
- ⇒ Valid ID and/or passport particulars with photograph
- ⇒ A letter of motivation written by the applicant indicating the applicant's personal and professional interest in the field of study, and how he or she would be likely to apply the qualification in his/ her future career
- ⇒ Listing of two suitable referees with contact details (applicants are encouraged, where feasible, to provide additional letters of recommendation in support of the application)
- ⇒ Where required, proof of English competence in the form of a TOEFL or IELTS test results

Application deadline: **31 October 2015**

