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COLLEGE

HND LEGAL SERVICES

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Our students

82%
OF STUDENTS
ON AVERAGE,
WERE VERY HAPPY
WITH THE COURSE
AND THE COLLEGE
IN PREVIOUS YEARS

82% OF OUR STUDENTS, ON AVERAGE, COMPLETE
THE HND LEGAL SERVICES COURSE SUCCESSFULLY

82%

WE CURRENTLY
HAVE AROUND
112
FULL-TIME
STUDENTS
ON THE COURSE

75%

AROUND 75% OF OUR STUDENTS PROGRESS
FROM YEAR 2 TO UNIVERSITY

ROBERT GORDON
UNIVERSITY (RGU)
BA/BA (HONS)
LAW & MANAGEMENT
(YEAR 3)

UNIVERSITY
OF ABERDEEN
BACHELOR OF LAWS
(YEAR 1)

UNIVERSITY OF STIRLING

Two main options:
BACHELOR OF LAWS (LLB)
BA LAW (BAL)

(YEAR 1) entry to LLB requires two As in 2nd year
(YEAR 2) entry to BAL requires two As in 2nd year
(YEAR 1) entry to BAL is at UoS's discretion

Our lecturing team

AMANDA BURGESS

Following completion of the BA (Honours) Law & Management Degree at uni, Amanda went on to gain industry experience of contract law in the Oil & Gas sector. She also gained certification as a Law Society of Scotland Registered Paralegal whilst working in the field of Domestic Conveyancing.

In 2014, Amanda brought her knowledge of these areas into the classroom, and during her years at NESCOL, has also developed an interest in Professional Ethics and Employment law.



KAREN SHEARER

After completing the HND Legal Services at the college, Karen went on to gain her Bachelor of Laws (Honours) Degree at uni and then completed her Diploma in Professional Legal Practice. She has been working as a lecturer at NESCOL since 2016.



JANE WATT

Having worked as a solicitor in a private practice in Aberdeen, specializing in Divorce and Family Law, Jane joined NESCOL in 2004. She has used her experience particularly in delivering the Civil Law subject. In her spare time, Jane enjoys swimming a lot.



ALEX GIBB

Alex entered the profession after graduating with a Bachelor of Laws (Honours) degree. During his 20 years' of teaching at NESCOL, Alex has taught a wide variety of subjects, with a particular focus on Personal Injury, Health & Safety, and Succession.



Alex plays an active role in building and maintaining professional links between the College and universities across Scotland, and is a regular contributor to student textbooks.

Funding

Students applying for HND Legal Services must also apply for funding through SAAS for the course fee (and optionally, for a student loan). Applications can be made on the SAAS website from early April:

www.saas.gov.uk

