

COURSE DETAIL

CLIMATE LAW AND POLICY

Country

United Kingdom - England

Host Institution

Lady Margaret Hall, University of Oxford

Program(s)

Summer in Oxford, Lady Margaret Hall

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Legal Studies Environmental Studies

UCEAP Course Number

154

UCEAP Course Suffix

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UCEAP Official Title

CLIMATE LAW AND POLICY

UCEAP Transcript Title

CLIMATE LAW/POLICY

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course introduces climate change law and policy. It examines climate change as a disruptive legal phenomenon, exploring how it is framed and how legal systems have responded to it. It provides a foundation in climate law and policy across international, EU, and selected national legal orders. It covers also climate litigation, including the growing importance of judicial adjudication and the role of courts in climate governance. Building on this foundation, the course then examines specific climate measures in greater depth, including carbon markets, greenhouse gas removal technologies, and critical raw material mining. Finally, it addresses greenwashing and the risks it poses to the credibility and effectiveness of climate action.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

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<https://www.lmh.ox.ac.uk/climate-law-policy>

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Course Last Reviewed

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