



## Lunchtime Tax Seminars Spring Term 2010

All seminars will take place at the  
Institute of Advanced Legal Studies, 17 Russell Square, London WC1B 5DR,  
at 12.45pm (sharp) until 1.45pm.

Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> February 12.45-1.45pm <i>LTS 1</i>	<b>ECJ and Dividend Taxation II</b>
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> February 12.45-1.45pm <i>LTS 2</i>	<b>ECJ Dividend Taxation III</b>
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> February 12.45-1.45pm <i>LTS 3</i>	<b>Recent Tax Directive Cases</b>
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> March 12.45-1.45pm <i>LTS 4</i>	<b>ECJ and Exit Taxes</b>
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> March 12.45-1.45pm <i>LTS 5</i>	<b>ECJ Cases Update I</b>

TAX CONFERENCES	
<b>Friday 29<sup>th</sup> January</b>	<b>5<sup>th</sup> Annual “Avoir Fiscal” Anniversary Seminar</b>
<b>Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>5<sup>th</sup> EC Tax Students Conference: “The ECJ: Judicial Activism vs Judicial Protection”</b>
Registration Fees apply to both conferences. To register your interest in attending, contact: Belinda Crothers, IALS, 17 Russell Square, London WC1B 5DR. Email: <a href="mailto:Belinda.Crothers@sas.ac.uk">Belinda.Crothers@sas.ac.uk</a>	

Seminars will be held in the IALS Council Chamber

*Seminars are accredited with one CPD hour with the Solicitors Regulation Authority. CPD accreditation from the Bar Standards Board has been applied for. Those wishing to obtain CPD accreditation must register on arrival.*

If you would like to attend any of the above seminars please RSVP to: [IALS.Events@sas.ac.uk](mailto:IALS.Events@sas.ac.uk)

**SEMINARS ARE FREE - ALL WELCOME**



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## **MA in Taxation (Law, Administration and Practice)**

### **Why not consider studying for a MA in Taxation (Law, Administration and Practice), here at the Institute of Advanced Legal Studies?**

The MA in Taxation is an advanced level programme in all aspects of taxation, including tax law, tax administration, tax policy and taxation in practice. It is aimed at those who have decided that they intend to devote a substantial part of their working careers to the field of taxation, whether as government officials, tax advisors or in-house tax specialists. Applications are particularly welcomed from those with several years of experience in the taxation field, whether in government or in the private sector. The degree is not focused solely on UK taxation, and applications are particularly welcomed from overseas candidates.

The programme is not limited to tax law, and applicants are not required to have a prior law degree, nor a prior degree or professional qualification in accountancy or taxation. Just as tax in practice attracts bright individuals from a diverse range of backgrounds, this programme is devised for those who come from a range of academic disciplines.

The programme is designed to be completed over one year (full-time) or two years (part-time). The programme is modular, and each candidate is required to complete 10 modules, most involving approximately 24 hours of classroom time. The teaching is designed to make the degree accessible to those who are working and studying part-time, with all the teaching being undertaken in the evenings, over weekends, or sometimes in 'block weeks'. There are no core or required courses, and students may choose whatever courses are most appropriate to them from those on offer.

The teaching is carried out by some full-time academics, but a large part of the teaching is done by part-time academics who are also in practice. There are also guest lectures.

### **Knowledge and understanding**

Students will acquire a detailed knowledge of those areas of taxation law, tax administration and tax practice which they choose to study. They will learn to look at tax problems in a more holistic fashion and apply a policy- and principles-oriented approach. They will also develop their research and writing skills.

Students will acquire a sense of having joined an elite of taxation specialists from around the world, and a network of similar individuals whom they may encounter throughout their subsequent professional lives in a range of situations from handling clients jointly to negotiating double taxation conventions across the table from one another.

Ma in Taxation: Mode of Study: 12 months full-time or 24 months part-time. Students must complete ten modules, each comprising approximately 24 hours of teaching time. There are no compulsory courses. Students may substitute a 10-15,000 word dissertation of original work in place of 3 taught modules.

Fees (2009-10, subject to uplift in 2010-11): Full-time Home and EU Masters students: £7,874; Part-time Home and EU Masters students: £3,937; Full-time Overseas Masters students: £10,721.

**Website:** [http://ials.sas.ac.uk/postgrad/courses/MA\\_tax\\_law.htm](http://ials.sas.ac.uk/postgrad/courses/MA_tax_law.htm)