16 March 2021
Open Afternoon

Diploma in Professional Legal Practice
University of Glasgow

2021/2022
What is the Diploma?

• “PEAT 1 is commonly known to students, universities and the profession as the Diploma in Professional Legal Practice.

• This vocational stage is the stage of legal education where knowledge, skills, attitudes and values are learned in a simulated environment.”
What is the Diploma... really?

• Last year at Uni

• Entry into the legal profession

• Chance to try different areas of law

• Exposure to “real life” situations

• Opportunity to network

• Time to focus on your future career
Why Glasgow?

- Innovative, practical courses
- Experienced, engaging tutors
- Networking opportunities
- Employability advice and events
- “Day One Ready” trainees
Glasgow’s Programme

• 1 academic session: full-time (two semesters)

• 2 academic sessions: part-time (four semesters)

• Induction (w/c Monday 13 September 2021)
Core Courses (taken by everyone):

- Civil Litigation
- Commercial Awareness
- Conveyancing
- Criminal Litigation
- Private Client
Optional Courses (everyone chooses three):

- Advanced Civil Litigation
- Advanced Criminal Litigation
- Commercial Contracts
- Commercial Conveyancing
- Corporate
- Employment Law
- Family Law
- Human Rights
- Introduction to Legal Innovation & Technology
- Public Law
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Assessment

• No traditional exams

• Online assessments

• Drafting

• Oral assessments
Networking

- Peers
- Tutors
- Glasgow Legal Network
- Mentoring Scheme
- Medico Legal Society
- Competitions
Future Career

• Careers Service
• Diploma Team
• Mock Interviews
• CV Reviews
• Mentoring Scheme
• Law Fair
• Post-Diploma Assistance
Further Information

- Applications **open on:** *Wednesday 24 February 2021*
- Applications **close on:** *Friday 16 April 2021*
- Complete application form (see website) and email to us: law-dip-legal-practice@glasgow.ac.uk
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