

GWP-University of Dundee International Water Law Scholarship Programme



Background

As capacity-building support to its Partner organisations, GWP, together with the University of Dundee, will offer scholarships for 30 participants to undertake a module in International Water Law, in Dundee, from 1-19 August 2011.

This joint GWP-University of Dundee International Water Law (IWL) Programme will take place, pending final confirmation of funding from GWP. When funded, the IWL Programme will cover full tuition for the module. Prospective participants need to secure their own funding for travel to Dundee and subsistence for the three-

week module (estimated at 550 GBP). Even though final funding is pending, GWP and the University of Dundee now invite applications from suitable candidates.

Target group

The module is aimed at persons working in water resources who wish to acquire specialist knowledge of international water law, especially as it relates to transboundary water challenges in the GWP regions. The module will be highly appropriate for those with a law degree who want to specialize in transboundary water. The primary target is mid- to high-

level professionals from governments, NGOs, international organizations, academia, and the private sector.

Participants who successfully complete the module assessments will receive a transcript from the University of Dundee which entitles the recipient to claim 20 SCQF (Scottish Credit and Qualifications Framework) credits, the equivalent of 10 ECTS (European Credit Transfer System) credits. A certificate of attendance ratified by both GWP and the University of Dundee will be given to the participants.

Requirements

Applicants to the joint GWP-University of Dundee IWL Programme should be from GWP Partner organisations and are required to be proficient in English, either as native speakers, or to a standard of an IELTS score of 6.5. A university degree is required in Hydrology, Environmental Science, Law, Agriculture, or related field.

Applications

Submit your application here:

http://www.dundee.ac.uk/media/dundee_website/water/documents/non-grad-app-form_unesco.doc and include:

- transcripts of university courses with grades, and copy of diploma
- a full CV and the contact information of two referees
- letter of motivation (description of past and current work as well as your suitability for the programme)
- GWP Partner institution with which you are associated

Please submit these documents in Word or pdf by e-mail to Mr Kenge James Gunya (kenge.james.gunya@gwpforum.org), from whom further information on the scholarship programme can be obtained. Applications will be accepted from 4 March to 30 April 2011. Successful candidates will be notified at the beginning of May 2011. For more information on the International Water Law programme, please contact John McCaffery (j.mccaffery@dundee.ac.uk).

The Global Water Partnership (GWP) is a worldwide network which for over a decade has successfully supported countries to implement the equitable and sustainable management of their water resources. The network has more than 2,000 institutional Partners, and spans over 70 countries in 13 regions. Its global secretariat is in Stockholm, Sweden. www.gwp.org

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<http://www.dundee.ac.uk/general/travel/maps.htm>