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The University supports the right to freedom of speech and the rights of its members to contribute to the diversity of views presented in our society.

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UTS has adopted the use of non-discriminatory language as a key strategy in providing equal opportunity for all staff and students. Guidelines for the use of non-discriminatory language have been developed and all members of the University community are encouraged to use them.

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  Corner Pacific Highway and Westbourne Street, Gore Hill
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  Reserve Road, Royal North Shore Hospital
- Gore Hill Research Laboratories
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  North Shore Hospital
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  Hospital
PRINCIPAL DATES FOR 1996

AUTUMN SEMESTER

January
9 Release of HSC results
12 Formal supplementary examinations for 1995 Spring semester students
12 Closing date for changes of preference to the Universities Admissions Centre (UAC) from 1995 NSW HSC applicants (by 6.00 p.m.)
15-30 Enrolment of students at City campus
26 Australia Day – public holiday
26 Public school holidays end
31 Enrolment of new undergraduate students at City campus including UAC and direct applicants (and 1-5 February)

February
1-5 Enrolment of new undergraduate students at City campus including UAC and direct applicants (and 31 January)
6-23 Enrolment of students at City campus

March
4 Classes begin
15 Last day to enrol in a course or add subjects
29 Last day to change to ‘pay now/up-front’ HECS payment
29 Last day to apply for leave of absence without incurring student fees/charges
29 Last day to withdraw from a subject without financial penalty
31 HECS census date

April
1 Public school holidays begin
5 Good Friday – public holiday
8 Easter Monday – public holiday
9 Graduation period begins
12 Last day to withdraw from a course or subject without academic penalty
8-12 Vice-Chancellors’ Week (non-teaching)

May
1 Applications available for selected undergraduate courses for Spring semester
7 Graduation period ends
13 Applications available for postgraduate courses
17 Examination Masters due
31 Final examination timetable available
31 Closing date for selected undergraduate applications for Spring semester

June
10 Queen’s Birthday – public holiday
14 Last teaching day of Autumn semester
14 Closing date for postgraduate applications for Spring semester
15-28 Formal examination period (and 1-5 July)

July
1 Public school holidays begin
1-5 Formal examination period (and 15-28 June)
5 Autumn semester ends
8-12 Vice-Chancellors’ Week (non-teaching)
12 Public school holidays end
15-19 Formal alternative examination period for Autumn semester students
19 Release of Autumn semester examination results
22 Formal supplementary examinations for Autumn semester students
22-26 Confirmation of Spring semester programs
25-26 Enrolment of new and readmitted students and students returning from leave/concurrent study
# SPRING SEMESTER

## July
- 29 Classes begin

## August
- 1 Applications available for undergraduate courses
- 2 Last day to withdraw from full-year subjects without academic penalty\(^2\)
- 5 Applications available for postgraduate courses
- 9 Last day to enrol in a course or add subjects
- 23 Last day to apply for leave of absence without incurring student fees/charges\(^2\)
  (Spring enrolments only)
- 30 Last day to change to ‘pay now/up-front’ HECS payment
- 30 Last day to withdraw from a subject without financial penalty\(^2\)
- 30 Last day to apply to graduate in Autumn semester 1997
- 31 HECS census date

## September
- 6 Last day to withdraw from a course or subject without academic penalty\(^2\)
- 20 Provisional examination timetable available
- 27 Closing date for undergraduate applications via UAC (without late fee)
- 27 Closing date for inpUTS Special Admission Scheme applications
- 30 Public school holidays begin
- 30 Graduation period begins
- 30 Vice-Chancellors’ Week (non-teaching) begins
- 30 Closing date for postgraduate applications (in some faculties)

## October
- 4 Vice-Chancellors’ Week (non-teaching) ends
- 4 Graduation period ends
- 7 Labour Day – public holiday
- 11 Public school holidays end
- 11 Examination Masters due
- 25 Final examination timetable available
- 31 Closing date for postgraduate research and course award applications
- 31 Closing date for undergraduate applications via UAC (with late fee)
- 31 Closing date for undergraduate applications direct to UTS (without late fee)

## November
- 8 Last teaching day of Spring semester
- 9-29 Formal examination period
- 29 Spring semester ends

## December
- 9-13 Formal alternative examination period for Spring semester students
- 20 Release of Spring semester examination results
- 23 Public school holidays begin

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2 HECS/Postgraduate course fees will apply after the HECS census date.
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PREFACE

This handbook is one of 10 faculty/institute handbooks: Business; Design, Architecture and Building; Education; Engineering; Humanities and Social Sciences; International Studies; Law; Mathematical and Computing Sciences; Nursing; and Science. Each handbook provides general information about the faculty/institute as well as detailed information on the courses and subjects offered.

The handbooks are part of a suite of 13 publications which also comprise the University Calendar and the undergraduate and postgraduate student handbooks. The Calendar contains the University By-law, which all students should read. It also includes a list of the University’s courses, giving the name, abbreviation and title as indicated on the testamur. Copies of the Calendar are held in the University Library and faculty offices, and may be purchased at the Co-op Bookshop.

The student handbooks provide information on the rights and responsibilities of students and on the services and facilities available to them. They will assist you in your dealings with the University’s administration and tell you whom to contact if you have a problem or need advice. You should make sure that you read the student rules published in these handbooks. Copies of the student handbooks are provided free to students at enrolment.

Other publications providing information of a general nature are the UAC Guide and the UTS Undergraduate Studies Guide which are available from the UTS Information Service.

For information not provided in any of the publications mentioned e.g. additional information on courses, methods of assessment and book lists, you should contact the UTS Information Service or your faculty office. If in doubt, don’t hesitate to ask.

We hope you will enjoy your time as a student at UTS and wish you well in your studies.

MESSAGE FROM THE DEAN

In welcoming new and re-enrolling students, I should briefly describe our Faculty. The Faculty of Law had its beginnings in 1975 when the then New South Wales Institute of Technology was invited by the New South Wales Government to offer an undergraduate course in law. That course has stood the test of time, and may be distinguished in a number of aspects from other law degrees. These include the skills program, a particularly strong professional core, and features which indicated the Faculty’s willingness to accommodate itself to the needs of mature students, particularly those in employment.

The Faculty has since developed combined and double degree programs and also offers graduate programs, including the Master of Laws (by coursework), and a Doctoral program, the first in Australia, the SJD (Doctor of Juridical Science). Through its International and Commercial Law Centre, the Faculty publishes both Lawasia and the Australian International Law News.

In 1990, as a result of the merger of the University of Technology, Sydney with the Kuring-gai College of Advanced Education, the Departments of Business Law in the City and of Legal Studies at Kuring-gai were incorporated with the Faculty. This meant that the new Faculty would also undertake supply programs in other faculties, particularly the Faculty of Business. The Faculty was also able to deliver Practical Legal Training through its affiliation with the College of Law at St Leonards between 1990 and 1995.

The year 1996 marks a new beginning for the Faculty with a fresh approach to the undergraduate Law degree based upon an enhanced professional core and a wider selection of elective subjects. Perhaps the greatest innovation is the opportunity to elect to study a professional practice major as an integral part of the undergraduate programs and to then proceed into the new Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice to complete legal training.
On behalf of the staff, academic and administrative, I want to assure you that it is our wish to see your stay with us is as pleasant as possible, and that you successfully complete your academic program.

David Flint
Dean, Faculty of Law
THE FACULTY OF LAW

The Faculty of Law was formally established in 1975 and began teaching in 1977. The Faculty is located at the City and Kuring-gai campuses, and offers a variety of undergraduate and postgraduate courses. The Faculty also supplies subjects in Business Law and Legal Studies. The undergraduate courses provide opportunities for full- and part-time study for those wishing to obtain professional qualifications in law.

COURSES AVAILABLE

Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) (LL54)
Doctor of Juridical Science (SJD) (LL53)
Master of Laws (by thesis) (LLM) (LL51)
Master of Laws (by coursework) (LLM) (LL52)
Master of Comparative Law (MCL) (LL63)
Master of Dispute Resolution (MDR) (LL59)
Master of Legal Studies (MLS) (LL68)
Master of Taxation Law (MTax) (LL58)
Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice (LP50)
Graduate Diploma in Australian Law (GradDipAustLaw) (LL57)
Graduate Diploma in Corporate Law (GradDipCorpLaw) (LL62)
Graduate Diploma in Law for Secondary Teachers (GradDipLaw) (LL64)
Graduate Diploma in Legal Studies (GradDipLS) (LL67)
Graduate Certificate in Dispute Resolution
Graduate Certificate in Comparative Law (LL56)
Graduate Certificate in Corporate Law (LL61)
Graduate Certificate in Law for Secondary Teachers (LL66)
Bachelor of Laws (LLB) (F/T) (LL02)
Bachelor of Laws (LLB) (P/T) (LL01)

Double degrees
Bachelor of Business/Bachelor of Laws (BBus LLB) (B004)
Bachelor of Science in Computing Science/Bachelor of Laws (BComp LLB) (LL06)

Combined degrees
Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Laws (BA LLB) (LL05)
Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of Arts (International Studies) (LLB BA) (LL07)
Bachelor of Science/Bachelor of Laws (BSc LLB) (LL04)

To be offered in 1996 subject to final approval of UTS Academic Board

NOTICES

Official University notices are displayed on the noticeboards on Level 1 of the Faculty of Law at Haymarket in the City campus, and Level 6 of the Kuring-gai campus; students are required to be acquainted with the contents of those announcements that concern them. Misreading or misunderstanding of official information will not be accepted as a reason for a student being unaware of matters so notified.

PARKING

At Haymarket in the City campus, the car park in Quay Street, opposite the Library, may have limited parking space available for students after 3.00 p.m. Kings car park and the Apple car park offer discounted student parking. Other commercial parking facilities are available at Her Majesty’s Theatre, Paddy’s Markets and the Entertainment Centre. Student parking is available on the Kuring-gai campus for a fee.

LAW STUDENTS’ SOCIETY

The Law Students’ Society (LSS) is governed by a Council of 12 student members, elected at the Society’s Annual General Meeting held at the beginning of the Autumn semester each year. The Council in turn elects an Executive consisting of the President, Vice-President, Treasurer
and Secretary. The Council meets on a monthly basis during each semester to review the Society's activities and discuss new initiatives. Justice Mary Gaudron of the High Court of Australia is one of two patrons, the other being Professor David Flint, Dean of the Faculty of Law. Interest and input are encouraged from students; many of the ideas acted upon come from members.

Social functions are an important part of university life and the LSS regularly organises functions for students. Popular events include the annual Black Tie Ball in May and a variety of 'drinks nights' throughout the semester. The Society can also assist in organising functions that students wish to hold.

**Services to members**

**Past exam papers**
The Society provides members with copies of past exam papers in each core subject to enable preparation for final examinations.

**Legislation service**
The Society can acquire both State and federal legislation on behalf of members from government printing offices.

**Secondhand book store**
The Society operates a secondhand bookshop through which members may buy and sell textbooks.

**Computer service**
The Society owns an Apple computer which is available for use by members.

**Mooting competition**
The Society conducts an internal mooting competition in the Autumn semester each year to select representatives for participation in intervarsity competitions.

**Affiliation with ALSA**
The Society is affiliated with the Australian Law Students' Association, the Asian-Pacific body representing Law students. As a result, members receive copies of the *Reporter* (quarterly journal) and *Decisions* (careers journal) publications, and may attend its annual eight-day conference in July.

**Student representation**
The Society is often requested to provide students' views on matters relating to the LLB program and to provide student input on various committees. The LSS also acts as a communication channel between the Faculty and the student body. The Society provides advocacy services and other assistance with academic appeals.

**Recent achievements**
In 1994, the LSS introduced an information service on topics such as the College of Law, Summer Clerkships, Honours, and study and exam techniques. The LSS has also been successful in obtaining better resources for the library and regularly donates books that are in heavy demand. Important improvements to the Business Law and Science Law courses have been negotiated by the LSS over the past few years, leading to greater equity and opportunity in courses.

Membership fees are currently $10 per annum.

Further details are obtainable from the LSS Office (Room B112 at Haymarket in the City campus) or by telephoning (02) 330 3408. A list of Council members is posted on the LSS noticeboard, located outside the LSS Office.

This year promises more great activities from the LSS and students are encouraged to actively participate.

**PRIZES**
An annual prize ceremony is held at the Faculty of Law in May of each year in recognition of the academic achievements of students.

The following is a list of prizes awarded for the LLB degree. These prizes may be awarded each semester but only if there is a candidate who reaches a level of academic achievement acceptable to the Faculty Board in Law.

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Awarded for outstanding contribution and service to the Faculty of Law.
The Law Society of New South Wales Prize
Proficiency in Skills $100 and Seminar 3 (Conveyancing) Certificate

The Australian Securities Commission Prize
Best performance in Corporate Law $100 and Certificate

Freehill Hollingdale and Page Prize
Best performance in Commercial Transactions $250 and Certificate

Gross Prize in Family Law
Best performance in Family Law $100 and Certificate

Gross Prize in Human Rights
Best performance in Human Rights $100 and Certificate

Karen Morton Memorial Prize
Best performance in Industrial and Intellectual Property $100 and Certificate

Abbott Tout Prize
Best performance in Local Government $100 and Certificate

Ebsworth and Ebsworth Prize
Best performance in Law of Insurance $200 and Certificate

Henningham and Ellis-Jones Prize
Best performance in Administrative Law $250 and Certificate

Veronica Pike Prize
Best performance by a female student in Law of Evidence $100 and Certificate

The following prizes may be awarded to students enrolled in the LLM and SJD postgraduate programs.

CCH Book Prize for Air Law
Second highest mark in Air Law Book

Phillips Fox Prize for Air Law
Highest mark in Air Law $200

Butterworths Book Prizes
These are offered as awards of academic merit.

SCHOLARSHIPS

There are presently two scholarships available for the LLB degree. These are the Phillips Fox Scholarship in Law, and the Tress Cocks and Maddox Scholarship in Law, tenable for one year only and awarded to an enrolled Law student. Information is available from the Faculty of Law.

ELIGIBILITY FOR AUSTUDY

Austudy provides financial help to full-time students who meet its income and assets requirements. Application forms and information about Austudy eligibility are available from offices of the Student Services Unit at the City and Kuring-gai campuses. Students who receive Austudy and decide to drop subjects during the semester need to be aware that to remain eligible for Austudy they must be enrolled in a minimum of 18 credit points or have a HECS liability for the semester of .375. The only exceptions made are for students with disabilities which interfere with their studies, students who are single supporting parents or those who have been directed by the University to reduce their study load. Student Welfare Officers in the Student Services Unit can assist students who wish to apply for exceptions on these grounds.

1 Prize awarded annually.
UNDERGRADUATE COURSES

The Faculty intends to introduce new undergraduate programs in 1996, which will allow a wider choice of elective subjects. Within these electives students will have the opportunity to undertake Practical Legal Training studies. Information regarding the new courses is set out below, followed by a description of the old undergraduate courses.

COURSE INFORMATION AND INQUIRIES

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Please contact Ms Lisa Gustowski on 281 2699 to make appointments to see the Director of Undergraduate Programs.

Undergraduate courses (new structure)

Bachelor of Laws

Subject to approval by the Academic Board and the Legal Practitioners Admission (LPA) Board, two new programs of full-time and part-time study in law will be available from 1996. Each will allow students the option of undertaking a Practical Legal Training (PLT) major as part of their undergraduate studies. Subsequently, graduates will be able to proceed, subject to the availability of places, into the Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice to complete the remaining component of the PLT requirements.

Alternatively, students may choose to complete their undergraduate degree from the choice of electives and delay PLT studies for up to two years or even to forego such studies completely. Applicants and students who decide on this latter course must realise that, under the current rules of the LPA Board, upon graduation they will not be able to practise as legal practitioners in New South Wales unless they are able to demonstrate substantial legal experience to the satisfaction of the LPA Board.

The objective of the Bachelor of Laws course is to enable students to reach a level of professional expertise where they have sufficient knowledge and ability to seek their own solutions to legal problems.

COURSE STRUCTURES

The overall structure will have two components—the core and elective subjects which include an optional PLT major.

A list of assumed and recommended reading for such stages as the Board deems appropriate will be prescribed by the Faculty Board, and revised from time to time. Pending this prescription, the list will include texts and references recommended in the subject Jurisprudence as prescribed assumed reading prior to entry into Stage 3. The list will normally include
works in Jurisprudence and theory, as well as works of current importance e.g. the ALRC report on Women and the Law. (This reading may be undertaken in non-teaching periods, or as the student finds most appropriate.)

(a) Core subjects (96 credit points)

The new core of 14 subjects will satisfy the Priestley requirements. It is composed of existing subjects with the exception of a new Legal Research, Method and Writing subject and a new Property subject (which deals with both real and personal property). The new core is as follows:

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<td>Practice and Procedure</td>
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(b) Elective subjects (up to 96 credit points)

Depending upon their course of study, students must take up to 96 credit points of elective subjects. It is anticipated that for most students this will include 24 credit points of Practical Legal Training.

Some electives will be highly recommended and students will receive help and advice at the time of determining elective choices. All electives have a value of six credit points.

From time to time, the Faculty Board will consider new electives devised to meet emerging legal developments or fresh areas of study.

Resources permitting, an array of electives will be made available (all of six-credit-point value) drawn from the following list:

- Advanced Company Law
- Advanced Contracts
- Advanced Criminal Law
- Advanced Family Law
- Advanced Public Law
- Advanced Taxation Law
- Citizenship and Immigration Law
- Commercial Transactions
- Communications Law
- Comparative Law A
- Comparative Law B
- Conflict of Laws
- Criminology
- Deceptive Trade Practices and Product Liability
- Dispute Resolution
- Environmental Law
- Human Rights
- Industrial and Intellectual Property
- Industrial Law
- Insolvency
- International Trade Law
- Jessup International Moot
- Jurisprudence
- Labour Law
- Land Dealings
- Law and Computers
- Law and Medicine
- Law of Insurance
- Local Government Law
- Public International Law
- Revenue Law
- Strata Titles and Community Schemes
- Succession
- Trade Practices Law
- Transport Law—Selected Problems
- Women and the Law
(c) PLT major (24 credit points)

Undergraduate students may elect to study the first five professional practice subjects contained within the new Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice (and the existing Graduate Certificate in Legal Practice). A student who completes them as part of the undergraduate degree program will receive advanced standing in the new Graduate Diploma course. In the undergraduate context this group of five subjects forms the optional Practical Legal Training major of 24 credit points:

- 75400 Regulation (4cp)
- 75401 Litigation (6cp)
- 75402 Property and Commercial Transactions (6cp)
- 75403 Corporate and Estate Management (4cp)
- 75404 Legal Profession (4cp)

(d) Non-law electives

Because of program constraints, joint and combined degree students will not be able to undertake non-law electives.

Law students may study up to 24 credit points of non-law electives. Students will be required to obtain the permission of the Associate Dean (or nominee) if they wish to enrol in non-law subjects offered by other faculties of the University or other universities.

In addition to seeking the approval of the Associate Dean, it will be necessary to approach the faculty or institution in which the non-law subjects are to be studied to obtain approval, and also to ensure that any local prerequisite or corequisite requirements are satisfied.
**Part-time attendance mode**

Timetable constraints may require attendance at daytime and evening classes. The course structure is as follows:

**Stage 1**
- 70113 Legal Process and History (10cp)
- 70105 Legal Research (4cp)

**Stage 2**
- 70217 Criminal Law (6cp)
- 70211 Law of Contract (8cp)

**Stage 3**
- 70311 Law of Tort (8cp)
- 70616 Federal Constitutional Law (8cp)

**Stage 4**
- 70317 Real Property (8cp)
- 70318 Personal Property (4cp)

**Stage 5**
- 70417 Corporate Law (8cp)
- 70617 Administrative Law (8cp)

**Stage 6**
- 70516 Equity and Trusts (8cp)
- 76xxx Elective subject 1 (6cp)

**Stage 7**
- 71005 Practice and Procedure (4cp)
- 71216 Law of Evidence (6cp)
- 71116 Remedies (6cp)

**Stage 8**
- 76xxx Elective subject 2 (6cp)
- 76xxx Elective subject 3 (6cp)
- 76xxx Elective subject 4 (6cp)

**Stage 9**
- 76xxx Elective subject 5 (6cp)
- 76xxx Elective subject 6 (6cp)
- 76xxx Elective subject 7 (6cp)

**Stage 10**
- 76xxx Elective subject 8 (6cp)
- 76xxx Elective subject 9 (6cp)
- 76xxx Elective subject 10 (6cp)

**Stage 11**
- 76xxx Elective subject 11 (6cp)
- 76xxx Elective subject 12 (6cp)

**Stage 12**
- PLT major (24cp)
  - or
- Four law electives (24cp)

**Double degrees**

**Bachelor of Business/ Bachelor of Laws**

Subject to approval of the Academic Board and the Legal Practitioners Admission (LPA) Board a new program of study leading to a double degree in Business and Law will be available from 1996. The double degree is of five years' duration and students undertake studies full time with classes held throughout the day and evening. The program will allow students the option of undertaking a Practical Legal Training (PLT) major as part of their undergraduate studies. Subsequently, graduates will be able to proceed, subject to the availability of places, into the Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice to complete the remaining component of the PLT requirements.

Alternatively, students may choose to complete their undergraduate degree from the choice of electives and delay PLT studies for up to two years, or even to forego such studies completely. Applicants and students who decide on this latter course must realise that, under the current rules of the LPA Board, upon graduation they will not be able to practise as a solicitor or barrister in New South Wales unless they are able to demonstrate substantial legal experience to the satisfaction of the LPA Board.

**Stage 1**
- 70113 Legal Process and History (10cp)
- 70105 Legal Research (4cp)
- 72205 Accounting A (4cp)
- 21xxx International Business Environment (4cp)

**Stage 2**
- 70217 Criminal Law (6cp)
- 70211 Law of Contract (8cp)
- 25110 Microeconomics (4cp)
- 2xxxx Quantitative Methods of Business (4cp)

**Stage 3**
- 70311 Law of Tort (8cp)
- 70616 Federal Constitutional Law (8cp)
- 2xxxx Financial Markets (4cp)
- 22205 Accounting B (4cp)
Stage 4
70318 Personal Property (4cp)
70317 Real Property (8cp)
2xxxx Business Finance (4cp)
2xxxx Business Law (4cp)
76xxx Elective subject 1 (6cp)

Stage 5
70417 Corporate Law (8cp)
70617 Administrative Law (8cp)
25110 Macroeconomics (4cp)
2xxxx Management and Organisations (4cp)

Stage 6
70516 Equity and Trusts (8cp)
2xxxx Marketing Principles (4cp)
2xxxx BBus major subject (6cp)
76xxx Elective subject 2 (6cp)

Stage 7
71005 Practice and Procedure (4cp)
71216 Law of Evidence (6cp)
2xxxx BBus major subject (6cp)
2xxxx BBus major subject (6cp)

Stage 8
71116 Remedies (6cp)
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2xxxx BBus major subject (6cp)
76xxx Elective subject 3 (6cp)

Stage 9
2xxxx BBus major subject (18cp)
2xxxx Business Strategy (4cp)
76xx Elective subject 4 (6cp)

Stage 10
PLT major (24cp)
or
Four law electives (24cp)

**BACHELOR OF BUSINESS MAJORS**
Accounting
Economics
Finance
International Business
Management
Marketing
Tourism

The subject 71212 Revenue Law must be taken in the Accounting concentration.

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**Bachelor of Science in Computing Science/Bachelor of Laws**

Subject to approval of the Academic Board and the Legal Practitioners Admission (LPA) Board a new program of study leading to a double degree in Computing Science and Law will be available from 1996. The double degree is of five years' duration and students undertake studies full time with classes held throughout the day and evening. The program will allow students the option of undertaking a Practical Legal Training (PLT) major as part of their undergraduate studies. Subsequently, graduates will be able to proceed, subject to the availability of places, into the Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice to complete the remaining component of the PLT requirements.

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Stage 1
70113 Legal Process and History (10cp)
70105 Legal Research (4cp)
31415 Principles of Software Development A (6cp)
31417 Computing Practice (6cp)

Stage 2
70217 Criminal Law (6cp)
70211 Law of Contract (8cp)
31425 Principles of Software Development B (6cp)
31429 Procedural Programming (6cp)

Stage 3
70311 Law of Tort (8cp)
70616 Federal Constitutional Law (8cp)
31414 Information Systems (6cp)
31416 Computer Systems Architecture (6cp)
Stage 4
70318 Personal Property (4cp)
70317 Real Property (8cp)
31424 System of Modelling (6cp)
31428 Quantitative Modelling (6cp)

Stage 5
70617 Administrative Law (8cp)
31436 Systems Software and Networks (8cp)
31434 Database Design (6cp)
70417 Corporate Law (8cp)

Stage 6
76xxx Elective subject 1 (6cp)
70516 Equity and Trusts (8cp)
31444 Systems Design and Development (10cp)

Stage 7
71216 Law of Evidence (6cp)
71005 Practice and Procedure (4cp)
31455 Software Development Case Study (Part 1)\(^1\) (5cp)
76xxx Elective subject 2 (8cp)
76xxx Elective subject 3 (8cp)

Stage 8
71116 Remedies (8cp)
31455 Software Development Case Study (Part 2)\(^1\) (5cp)
31464 Information Technology Planning and Design\(^1\) (8cp)
76xxx Elective subject 4 (8cp)

Stage 9
31454 Project Management and the Professional (8cp)
Industrial Experience

Stage 10
PLT major (24cp)
or
Four law electives (24cp)

\(^1\) These subjects may be replaced by computing science electives, on the approval of the Head of School of Computing Sciences.

### Combined degrees

Subject to approval of the Academic Board and the Legal Practitioners Admission (LPA) Board new programs of study combining Law with Arts, International Studies and Science will be available from 1996. The degrees are of five years' duration and students undertake studies full time with classes held throughout the day and evening. Each program will allow students the option to undertake a Practical Legal Training (PLT) major as part of their undergraduate studies. Subsequently, graduates will be able to proceed, subject to the availability of places, into the Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice to complete the remaining component of the PLT requirements.

Alternatively, students may choose to complete their undergraduate degree from the choice of electives and delay PLT studies for up to two years, or even to forego such studies completely. Applicants and students who decide on this latter course must realise that, under the current rules of the LPA Board, upon graduation they will not be able to practise as legal practitioners in New South Wales unless they are able to demonstrate substantial legal experience to the satisfaction of the LPA Board.
Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Laws

**Stage 1**
- 70113 Legal Process and History (10cp)
- 70105 Legal Research (4cp)

**Foundation Studies**
- A, B or C (5-6cp)

**Stage 2**
- 70217 Criminal Law (6cp)
- 70211 Law of Contract (8cp)

**Foundation Studies**
- A, B or C (5-6cp)

**Stage 3**
- 70311 Law of Tort (8cp)
- 70616 Federal Constitutional Law (8cp)

**Foundation Studies**
- A, B or C (5–6cp)

**Art major** (8cp)

**Stage 4**
- 70317 Real Property (8cp)
- 70318 Personal Property (4cp)
- 76xxx Elective subject 1 (6cp)

**Art major** (8cp)

**Art major/Elective** Studies (6–8cp)

**Stage 5**
- 70417 Corporate Law (8cp)
- 70617 Administrative Law (8cp)

**Art major/Elective** Studies (6–8cp)

**Art major** (8cp)

**Stage 6**
- 70516 Equity and Trusts (8cp)
- 76xxx Elective subject 2 (6cp)

**Art major/Elective** Studies (6–8cp)

**Stage 7**
- 71005 Practice and Procedure (4cp)
- 71216 Law of Evidence (8cp)

**Art major/Elective** Studies (6–12cp)

**Stage 8**
- 71116 Remedies (6cp)
- 76xxx Elective subject 3 (6cp)

**Art major/Elective** Studies (6–12cp)

**Stage 9**
- Arts major/Elective Studies (6–12cp)
- 76xxx Elective subject 4 (6cp)
- 76xxx Elective subject 5 (6cp)

**Stage 10**
- PLT major (24cp)
- or
- Four law electives (24cp)

**BACHELOR OF ARTS MAJORS**
- Aboriginal Studies
- Multicultural Studies
- Social, Political and Historical Studies
- Communication and Cultural Industries
- Information
- Communication
- Cultural Studies

The 96 credit points of the arts component of the course is broadly structured as follows:
- 24cp for foundation studies in arts
- 48cp for a major
- 24cp for other arts studies including up to
- 12cp for electives from other faculties
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Undergraduate courses (old structure)

Bachelor of Laws

COURSE OBJECTIVES

The objective of the Bachelor of Laws course is to enable students to reach a stage of creativity at which they have sufficient knowledge and sufficient ability to seek their own solutions to legal problems, solutions which they can justify in legal terms by using the legal materials at their disposal in a professional way.

Australia has a highly complex legal system and, as society has developed, so has the role of the lawyer. The range of knowledge and skill which lawyers now require is extensive. Today lawyers are increasingly called upon to act as negotiators to settle matters, and to advise and counsel parties. The function of the lawyer also includes foreseeing problems and preventing the incident of disputation as well as resolving disputes when they cannot be avoided. The course is concerned with the total range of functions of lawyers in the community. A preventive emphasis will also be apparent in the teaching of the various subjects throughout the course. Consideration will be given to how people can organise their affairs so as to anticipate and avoid potential disputes. In this regard, consideration will be given to the application of more than one and sometimes conflicting rules to a particular set of facts.

The primary object is not to produce specialists in any particular field of law. Although a degree of specialisation is allowed for in the provision of elective subjects, the view taken is that specialisation is something which comes later. The aim of the Law course is to provide a basis upon which subsequent specialisation can be built.

The subjects have been selected on the basis of two criteria: to provide (a) an overview of the legal system as a whole, and (b) an opportunity for the student to practise legal skills in differing contexts. The subjects are introductions, not to the law as a whole, but to the relevant branch of the law. They are designed to provide an understanding of the conceptual framework involved, the development of these concepts and a consideration of areas of current controversy. It is in the last area that the opportunity will be provided for students to develop their skill in the handling of legal material and thus reach the stage of independent legal creativity.

COURSE STRUCTURE

The duration of the LLB course is four years in the full-time attendance mode and six years in the revised part-time attendance mode. The course is arranged in stages on a semester basis.

The Autumn semester normally commences in early March and the Spring semester commences in early August.

Students must complete 17 core subjects (115 credit points), 12 skills seminars (28 credit points) and seven electives (49 credit points). A total of 192 credit points is required for course completion.

COURSE PROGRAM

Full-time attendance mode

The course structure is as follows. Credit-point values are shown in brackets. Timetable constraints may require attendance at daytime and evening classes.

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## UNDERGRADUATE COURSES (OLD STRUCTURE)

### Stage 1
- 70113 Legal Process and History (10cp)
- 70100 Skills: Legal Research and Writing (2cp)
- 70400 Skills: Computerised Legal Research (2cp)

### Stage 2
- 70212 Criminal Law (7cp)
- 70211 Law of Contract (8cp)
- 70200 Skills: Case Analysis and Statutory Interpretation (2cp)

### Stage 3
- 70311 Law of Tort (8cp)
- 70611 Federal Constitutional Law (7cp)
- Elective Skills 1 (2cp)

### Stage 4
- 70513 Succession (4cp)
- 70514 Family Law (5cp)
- 70612 Administrative Law (7cp)
- Elective subject 1 (7cp)
- Elective subject 2 (7cp)
- Elective subject 3 (7cp)
- Elective subject 4 (7cp)
- Elective subject 5 (7cp)

### Stage 5
- 70412 Corporate Law (7cp)
- 70511 Equity and Trusts (7cp)
- 70500 Skills: Drafting (2cp)

### Stage 6
- 71114 Remedies and Restitution (7cp)
- 71211 Law of Evidence (7cp)
- 70600 Skills: Pleadings (2cp)
- 70705 Skills: Litigation (4cp)

### Stage 7
- 71212 Revenue Law (7cp)
- 7112 Conflict of Laws (7cp)
- 70900 Skills: Moot (3cp)
- 71201 Skills: Alternative Dispute Resolution (2cp)

### Stage 8
- Elective Skills 2 (2cp)
- Elective Skills 3 (2cp)
- Elective subject 5 (7cp)
- Elective subject 6 (7cp)
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### Stage 9
- 71211 Law of Evidence (7cp)
- 71201 Skills: Alternative Dispute Resolution (2cp)

### Stage 10
- Elective Skills 2 (2cp)
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### Stage 11
- Elective Skills 3 (2cp)
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### Stage 12
- Elective subject 6 (7cp)
- Elective subject 7 (7cp)

## SKILLS SEMINARS

Skills seminars are designed to develop the ability of students to apply their theoretical knowledge in practical situations. They are not concerned with the teaching of the skills of practice, but rather with providing students with an opportunity to learn the law in a realistic context. The skills seminars will cover a variety of topics including research and opinion writing, legal interpretation and
drafting, office management, meeting procedures, computerised legal research, as well as a mooting program, simulated trials and practice in pleading, negotiation and settlement. Nine compulsory skills seminars and three elective skills seminars must be completed in the course.

ELECTIVES
Students are required to complete seven electives. The Faculty offers a wide variety of electives, the aim of which is to allow students to pursue specific interests and to develop a degree of specialisation. All electives have a credit-point value each of seven credit points equivalent to three semester hours of attendance per week over a semester.

CORE SUBJECTS
70113 Legal Process and History
70211 Law of Contract
70212 Criminal Law
70311 Law of Tort
70312 Real Property
70411 Commercial Transactions
70412 Corporate Law
70511 Equity and Trusts
70513 Succession
70514 Family Law
70611 Federal Constitutional Law
70612 Administrative Law
71112 Conflict of Laws
71114 Remedies and Restitution
71115 Insolvency
71211 Law of Evidence
71212 Revenue Law

ELECTIVE SUBJECTS
77001 Comparative Law A
77003 Comparative Law B
77004 Administration of Criminal Justice
77006 Public International Law
77007 Human Rights
77008 Jurisprudence
77011 Industrial and Intellectual Property
77012 Criminology
77014 Law and Computers
77015 Labour Law
77016 Advanced Taxation Law
77017 Strata Titles and Community Schemes
77018 International Economic Law
77022 Law of Insurance
77023 Deceptive Trade Practices and Product Liability
77024 Environmental Law
77026 Local Government Law
77027 Trade Practices Law
77028 Advanced Company Law
77029 Land Dealings
77031 Law and Society
77037 Advanced Criminal Law
77039 Jessup International Moot
77040 Research Project 4
77042 Communications Law
77044 Advanced Family Law
77045 Law and Medicine
77046 Women and the Law
77047 Advanced Contracts
77048 Citizenship and Immigration Law
77049 Transport Law—Selected Problems
77050 Research Project 5
77051 International Trade Law
77052 Dispute Resolution
77053 Industrial Law
77054 Advanced Public Law
77057 Japanese Law

COMPULSORY SKILLS
70100 Skills: Legal Research and Writing
70200 Skills: Case Analysis and Statutory Interpretation
70300 Skills: Conveyancing
70400 Skills: Computerised Legal Research
70500 Skills: Drafting
70600 Skills: Pleadings
70705 Skills: Litigation
70900 Skills: Moot
71201 Skills: Alternative Dispute Resolution

ELECTIVE SKILLS
71000 Elective Skill: Law of Meetings
71001 Elective Skill: Advanced Computerised Legal Research
71002 Elective Skill: Legal Ethics A
71101 Elective Skill: Office Management
71102 Elective Skill: Legal Ethics B
71103 Elective Skill: Second Moot
71104 Elective Skill: Advanced Legal Research
71200 Elective Skill: Special Project

Students are advised that they should make their own inquiries of the Supreme Court of New South Wales to ascertain if exemption can be obtained on the basis of
having completed the elective skills 71002 Legal Ethics A and 71102 Legal Ethics B.

ELECTIVE SUBJECTS

In order to assist students to perceive the interrelationship of the various electives and their general orientation, and to make informed choices, the electives are classified into the groups indicated below.

**Criminal Law:** Administration of Criminal Justice, Human Rights, Criminology.


**Environmental Law:** Environmental Law, Local Government.

**Technology:** Industrial and Intellectual Property, Law and Computers, Communications Law.


**Research:** Research Projects 4 and 5.

**Labour and Industrial Relations:** Labour Law, Industrial Law.

**Land Law:** Strata Titles and Community Schemes, Environmental Law, Local Government, Land Dealings.


NON-LAW ELECTIVES

Students may study up to 14 credit points of non-law electives. Students must obtain the permission of the Associate Dean (or nominee) if they wish to enrol in non-law subjects as offered by other faculties of the University or other universities.

In addition to seeking the approval of the Associate Dean it is necessary to approach the Faculty or the Insearch Language Centre in which the non-law subjects are to be studied to obtain approval and also to ensure that any prerequisite or corequisite is satisfied.

Among the non-law electives available are those in Aboriginal Studies set out in the following list. Details may be obtained from the School of Adult Education.

- 015110 Aboriginal Cultures and Philosophies (8cp)
- 015115 Introducing Aboriginal Cultures and Philosophies (6cp)
- 015114 Aboriginal Studies (4cp)
- 54230 Aboriginal Social and Political History (8cp)
- 015111 Issues in Aboriginal Education (8cp)
- 015112 Aboriginal Initiatives in Education: Towards Community Control (8cp)
- 015113 Teaching Aboriginal Studies (8cp)
- 54231 Aboriginal People and the Media (8cp)
- 54330 The Politics of Aboriginal History (8cp)
- 54331 Aboriginal Forms of Discourse (8cp)

INTERNATIONAL STUDIES ELECTIVES

The Institute for International Studies offers electives in language studies and in the study of contemporary societies in parts of the non-English-speaking world. All subjects are taught over one semester and have a value of eight credit points.

**Language Studies**

All UTS students wishing to engage in language studies as a credited part of their degree are required to enrol through the Institute for International Studies, whether the language studies are undertaken on a UTS campus or elsewhere. The Institute offers some language programs at UTS, has made arrangements with other universities for languages to be taught to UTS students, and can make special arrangements for individual students to attend specific language programs where academic needs demand.

The individual student's level of language proficiency before entry to the UTS program decides their level of language
study. There is a range of entry levels to the various programs available. Most are available at beginners’ and post-HSC levels, and some at more advanced levels.

In 1996, the following programs will be available at UTS as part of the International Studies program and open to students in all faculties: Cantonese, Chinese, Indonesian, Japanese, Modern Standard Chinese and Spanish. (Modern Standard Chinese is a program for students who are either complete beginners or who first learnt Chinese at school in Australia.) In addition, arrangements are in place for French, German, Hindi, Italian, Korean and Thai to be taught to students.

There are no prerequisites for entry to any language program. The following subjects are available to all UTS students:

971121 Cantonese Language and Culture 1
972121 Cantonese Language and Culture 2
973121 Cantonese Language and Culture 3
974121 Cantonese Language and Culture 4
971111 Chinese Language and Culture 1
972111 Chinese Language and Culture 2
973111 Chinese Language and Culture 3
974111 Chinese Language and Culture 4
971414 French 1 (SU) ¹
972414 French 2 (SU)
973414 French 3 (SU)
974414 French 4 (SU)
971415 French 1 (MU) ²
972415 French 2 (MU)
973415 French 3 (MU)
974415 French 4 (MU)
971424 German 1 (SU) ¹
972424 German 2 (SU)
973424 German 3 (SU)
974424 German 4 (SU)
971425 German 1 (MU) ²
972425 German 2 (MU)
973425 German 3 (MU)
974425 German 4 (MU)
971710 Greek 1
972710 Greek 2
973710 Greek 3
974710 Greek 4
971615 Hindi 1
972615 Hindi 2
973615 Hindi 3
974615 Hindi 4
971311 Indonesian Language and Culture 1
972311 Indonesian Language and Culture 2
973311 Indonesian Language and Culture 3
974311 Indonesian Language and Culture 4
971434 Italian 1 (SU) ¹
972434 Italian 2 (SU)
973434 Italian 3 (SU)
974434 Italian 4 (SU)
971435 Italian 1 (MU) ²
972435 Italian 2 (MU)
973435 Italian 3 (MU)
974435 Italian 4 (MU)
971211 Japanese Language and Culture 1
972211 Japanese Language and Culture 2
973211 Japanese Language and Culture 3
974211 Japanese Language and Culture 4
971225 Korean 1
972225 Korean 2
973225 Korean 3
974225 Korean 4
971101 Modern Standard Chinese Language and Culture 1
972101 Modern Standard Chinese Language and Culture 2
973101 Modern Standard Chinese Language and Culture 3
974101 Modern Standard Chinese Language and Culture 4
971734 Russian 1
972734 Russian 2
973734 Russian 3
974734 Russian 4
971724 Serbian 1
972724 Serbian 2
973724 Serbian 3
974724 Serbian 4
971501 Spanish Language and Culture 1
972501 Spanish Language and Culture 2
973501 Spanish Language and Culture 3
974501 Spanish Language and Culture 4
971320 Thai 1
972320 Thai 2
973320 Thai 3
974320 Thai 4

Arrangements can also be made for students to undertake other language studies. Further information may be obtained from the Academic Administrator, Institute for International Studies,

¹ SU is an abbreviation for Sydney University.
² MU is an abbreviation for Macquarie University.
UTS, 9 Broadway, Sydney, NSW 2007; telephone 330 1574, fax 330 1578.

Contemporary Society

The Institute for International Studies offers a series of subjects that provide an introduction to the contemporary societies, politics, economics and cultures of the countries of East Asia and South-East Asia, Latin America and Western Europe that are the Institute’s areas of specialisation.

In 1996, introductory subjects on the contemporary societies of China, Japan, South-East Asia, Hong Kong, Taiwan, Latin America and Western Europe will be available.

There are no prerequisites for any of the Contemporary Society subjects in the International Studies program. All of the following subjects are taught in English and may be undertaken as electives by all UTS students with permission of the faculty in which their degree is based:

976101 Chinese East Asia
976111 Contemporary China
976211 Contemporary Japan
976501 Contemporary Latin America
976301 Contemporary South-East Asia
976401 Contemporary Western Europe

SUBJECTS OPEN TO OTHER FACULTIES

Students enrolled in other faculties in the University may apply for approval to enrol in law subjects. This approval is subject to the meeting of prerequisites and class sizes. Applications are to be made prior to enrolment to the Director of Undergraduate Programs of the Law Faculty.

NON-AWARD STUDENTS

Application may be made by persons not enrolled in the University to enrol in law subjects as non-award students. Applications should be directed to the Non-Award Studies Officer, Tower Building, Broadway.

MISCELLANEOUS STUDENTS

Law students who have completed the course may enrol as miscellaneous students in subjects they were not able to complete while enrolled. Applications should be directed to the Non-Award Studies Officer, Tower Building, Broadway.

THE SUMMER PROGRAM IN LAW

The Faculty offers a Summer program to enable enrolled Law students to undertake an elective and/or elective skill (if offered) at the conclusion of the Spring semester. The Summer program will consist of eight teaching weeks in January and February 1997, subject to the availability of resources.

Students who obtain a weighted average mark (WAM) of at least 55 per cent (determined by the Faculty) for subjects undertaken in Autumn semester 1996 and have no failures recorded for any subject undertaken in Spring semester 1996 may be permitted to enter the Summer program if the subject prerequisites are met.

Students who have to take supplementary examinations or who have a mark withheld will not be permitted to enrol in the Summer program.

Students must apply to the Administrative Officer for enrolment in the Summer program on or before 31 October 1996. No application received after this date will be considered. Applications from students who are or become ineligible to enter the Summer program are automatically eliminated.

Students may apply to take one elective (7cp), or one or two skills subjects (5cp). In cases of exceptional merit, permission to enrol in one elective and one skills subject may be given (10cp).

COMPUTER LABORATORY WITHIN THE FACULTY

Computers are available for student use at the Faculty of Law. Inquiries for booking the use of these machines should be directed to A Mowbray, the Faculty’s Law Computer Consultant.

RECOMMENDED READING PRIOR TO ENTRY

A Guide to Legal Problem Solving for Law Students, P Keyzer, Butterworths, or A Career in Law, Federation Press, may be purchased from the Sydney Law Cooperative Bookshop, Butterworths or the Law Book Company.
GRADUATE EMPLOYMENT AND SUMMER CLERKSHIP PROGRAMS

Students wishing to apply to enter the programs must do so in their penultimate year of study. The Faculty of Law participates in the Graduate Employment and Summer Clerkship programs conducted by many of the law schools of New South Wales in conjunction with the major Sydney law firms and government departments. Many of the firms will only employ graduates through the programs.

The application closing date for the programs is normally set in May/June of each year, and interested students are advised to watch the noticeboards as the deadlines imposed are strictly adhered to. Cate Guthleben is the Academic Coordinator to be contacted with regard to these programs.

ASSESSMENT

While assessment varies from subject to subject, students may be required to do one or more of the following: final examinations, informal examinations, take-home examinations, assignments, research work, class participation and presentation of seminar papers or a viva voce.

Coordinating examiners will advise students of the mode of assessment for their subjects by notice on the noticeboard by the end of the third week of the semester.

LODGEMENT OF ASSIGNMENT

Students are required to retain a copy of any assignment lodged in the assignment box.

Students who are handing in written work must submit it, with an assignment coversheet attached, in the assignment box located in the General Papers Office on Level 1, Haymarket (Room B101). The assignment box is cleared daily at 9.00 a.m. and assignments are stamped as arriving on the previous day. Assignments submitted by DX or by facsimile will not be accepted by the Faculty.

FORMAL REQUIREMENTS

Essays and other written work should be prepared in accordance with the guidelines laid down in the Faculty of Law's Guide To Essay Writing which may be obtained from the General Papers Office at a cost of $2.50.

All work submitted for assessment should bear an assignment coversheet available from the General Papers Office.

If required by the lecturer concerned, the work must be typed.

The work must be properly written with due regard to spelling, punctuation, grammar and syntax.

Unless otherwise instructed by the lecturer concerned, all written work should include footnotes or endnotes and a bibliography in the manner set out in the Guide To Essay Writing.

Any piece of written work which does not comply with these requirements may be:

- required to be rewritten in proper form;
- penalised in marks; or
- rejected without assessment.

LATE WORK

Any work submitted after the date for submission may be penalised in marks or rejected without assessment.

PLAGIARISM

Any acts of plagiarism will be penalised. Such penalties may include, depending upon the seriousness and nature of the offence:

- a requirement that the assignment be rewritten de novo;
- a penalty in the reduction of marks awarded to the work, which may include a reduction to zero, or a sharing of the mark awarded to the document amongst its apparent authors;
- a fail result in the subject concerned; and
- a referral of the matter to the Associate Dean or other appropriate body.

WEIGHTED AVERAGE MARK (WAM)

The WAM will only be used by the Faculty for the determination of entry to the Summer program.
PROGRESSION AND ACCELERATION POLICY

The following policy will apply to progression and accelerations.

Students will be permitted to enrol in subjects totalling up to 28 credit points per semester with the leave of the Associate Dean or nominee, if:

- there is no timetable clash;
- prerequisites and corequisites are satisfied;
- class size ceilings are not exceeded;
- the student’s academic record indicates he or she is capable of performing satisfactorily when accelerating; and
- the student can demonstrate that his/her work and other non-study commitments permit him/her to accelerate without detriment to his/her studies.

The Faculty of Law is unable to guarantee that there will be no timetable clash or no final examination clashes where students do not progress normally.

All students, whether full-time or part-time, who wish to enrol in subjects totalling up to 28 credit points per semester with the leave of the Associate Dean or nominee, if:

- there is no timetable clash;
- prerequisites and corequisites are satisfied;
- class size ceilings are not exceeded;
- the student’s academic record indicates he or she is capable of performing satisfactorily when accelerating; and
- the student can demonstrate that his/her work and other non-study commitments permit him/her to accelerate without detriment to his/her studies.

The Faculty of Law is unable to guarantee that there will be no timetable clash or no final examination clashes where students do not progress normally.

All students, whether full-time or part-time, who wish to enrol in any combination of subjects other than that which is normal progression are required to submit a Progression Variation form prior to enrolment or re-confirmation of the program.

EXEMPTIONS

Subject to the approval of the Faculty Board in Law it is possible for students to obtain exemptions for both law and non-law subjects.

Law subjects

Students may be able to obtain an exemption from a law subject if they are able to satisfy the Faculty Board that a comparable course of study has been successfully undertaken as an LLE subject within the Law Faculty of a recognised university. As a general rule, exemptions will not be given if the subject was studied more than six years ago. The period in the 'six-year rule' shall be calculated from the date on which the subject in which the exemption is sought was successfully completed, to when it is due to be undertaken in the Faculty of Law. However, the Faculty Board shall always retain a discretion to waive the strict application of the rule in cases where there is additional evidence of work or study experience. Indeed, in subjects where there have been significant recent changes in the law, an exemption may not be granted even though the subject was successfully completed less than six years ago.

The Faculty Board must be satisfied that the student has successfully completed a comparable subject elsewhere. To verify this the student must produce a transcript of his or her academic record and a copy of the relevant institution’s handbook containing a detailed description of the subject together with the reading guide that was current at the time of study.

Exemption for law subjects will only be granted to students who have studied law in a recognised law school. Students who have studied law through the Law Extension Committee of the Supreme Court will not be granted exemptions.

Non-law subjects

It is possible to obtain exemptions for non-law electives if students have completed a degree, diploma or associate diploma course from a recognised tertiary institution.

The maximum exemptions that can be granted on the basis of having completed a course are as follows:

- a degree course (three years full-time)—28 credit points
- a diploma course (three years full-time)—21 credit points
- an Associate Diploma course (two years full-time)—14 credit points

Students wishing to study non-law electives within their Law degree, in either other faculties of the University or within a degree course at another university, may...
be granted approval to undertake up to 14 credit points. Formal application to do so must be made in writing to the Faculty Board in Law.

**Part-completed courses**

No exemptions can be sought for a part-completed diploma or Associate Diploma course.

Students entering the Faculty of Law with a part-completed degree, either as transfer students from another faculty of the University or from another university, may be granted up to a maximum of 14 credit points.

Students who wish to undertake subjects at another university and receive accreditation for them must apply in writing to the Faculty Board in Law.

In addition, exemption is granted to holders of the following:

- Diploma in Criminology (DipCrimSyd): exemption granted—77012 (Criminology) + seven credit points of unspecified electives
- Diploma in Jurisprudence (DipJurisSyd): exemption granted—77008 (Jurisprudence) + seven credit points of unspecified electives
- Diploma in Labour Relations and The Law (DipLabRelSyd): exemption granted—77015 (Labour Law) + seven credit points of unspecified electives.

Students who are seeking exemptions should complete an Application for Exemptions form, which is available from the General Papers Office. It is recommended that all students seeking an exemption should make an application early in the course. Inquiries should be directed to the Administrative Officer, Faculty of Law.

**COURSE COMPLETION**

Students deemed to have completed the requirements for the degree may obtain a letter from the Academic Registrar to this effect, on the afternoon of the day the Examination Review Committee meets. These letters will be available for collection after 4.00 p.m. on that day from the UTS Information Service at Broadway.

**AWARD**

The degree is designated Bachelor of Laws (LLB) and is awarded as follows:

- LLB (with First Class Honours)
- LLB (with Second Class Honours)
- LLB

The degree with Honours will be awarded to those students who successfully complete the whole course at a sufficiently meritorious level in accordance with the Honours Rules.

**THE UNIVERSITY MEDAL**

The University may award a medal to students who have achieved outstanding academic merit throughout their undergraduate degree course. The medal awarded within the Bachelor of Laws program is to the student achieving the highest marks at First Class Honours level.

**ADMISSION TO PRACTICE**

The Supreme Court of New South Wales controls the admission of legal practitioners to practice in New South Wales. A person may gain entry to the profession by satisfying the requirements of the University of Technology, Sydney LLB degree and fulfilling certain other conditions prescribed by the Admission Rules of the Supreme Court.

**Requirements of Practical Legal Training before admission as a legal practitioner in the Supreme Court of New South Wales**

1. Current requirements will be the completion of the Professional program consisting of:
   - a course in Practical Legal Training;
   - a 15-week Graduate Certificate course at the College of Law or equivalent;
   - 60 hours of Continuing Practical Training;
   - 24 weeks of practical (work) experience.

2. These requirements have been adopted by the Legal Practitioners Admission Board (the replacement of
the Barristers and Solicitors Admission Boards) after consultation with:

- the Law Society of New South Wales
- the deans of law schools in New South Wales
- the Board of Governors of the College of Law

and after considering submissions by students of the various law school associations.

3. Students are advised that it is possible under the Solicitors Admission Rules to be granted exemption from the Practical Legal Training course requirement where it can be demonstrated that a student has substantial practical legal experience in New South Wales legal offices.

Exemptions must be based on special circumstances including alternative practical training of a quality, duration and substance which can be conclusively demonstrated as providing mastery of tasks, understanding and acquisition of skills to the same degree as might be acquired by a student satisfactorily completing the Practical Legal Training course of the New South Wales College of Law.

Guidelines are available from the Law Society of New South Wales.

4. In June 1994 the Law Society issued a newsletter (Professional Program: Bulletin 1) giving details of, and answering questions about, the Professional program. A copy of this newsletter may be obtained from the Legal Education Officer, The Law Society of New South Wales, 170 Phillip Street, Sydney, telephone (02) 220 0289.

REGULATIONS OF THE FACULTY OF LAW

The following regulations relating to research projects, Honours and Summer school refer only to the Bachelor of Laws program in the Faculty of Law.

Research project regulations

1. The regulations apply to the following elective subject 7xxxx Research Project:

2. A student undertaking a research project is required to demonstrate:
   (a) a high level of understanding of the law relevant to the topic;
   (b) the capacity to research and analyse legal material;
   (c) the ability to use research tools and skills; and
   (d) the ability to present the results of the research in a coherent and comprehensive form.

3. A student shall not complete more than one research project.

4. Assessment is based on a dissertation to be submitted by students which will normally be expected to lie within the following range:
   Research Project: 15,000–20,000 words

5. Where research related to research projects has been done for another purpose either in the Faculty of Law or elsewhere, full disclosure of that prior research must be made at the time the topic is submitted for approval. If the topic is approved notwithstanding such prior research, then that research shall not form part of the work completed for the research project and shall be excluded from the final assessment. The student shall provide further information concerning that research as may be requested by the Supervisor, the examiners or the Subject Coordinator.

6. The examiners of research projects may require the student to undergo a *viva voce* examination, in which case the *viva voce* shall form part of the assessment of the subject.
7. The Faculty Board in Law has ultimate control over all aspects of research projects. Any student, the Subject Coordinator or the Associate Dean has the right to approach the Board on any issue arising out of these regulations, a research project or assessment.

8. There shall be a Subject Coordinator for research projects who shall be appointed at the first Faculty Board meeting in the Faculty of Law each year and shall hold office until the first Faculty Board meeting the following year. During the absence of the Subject Coordinator, the Director or Associate Dean may act in his or her stead.

9. A student may enrol in the subject Research Project only if that student has:
   (a) successfully completed Stages 1-9 of the part-time program; and
   (b) successfully completed any core subject or elective subject relevant to the topic.

10. A student wishing to undertake a research project shall submit a written proposal to the Subject Coordinator on the form available from the General Papers Office. The proposal shall include the name of the topic of the proposed research project and the name of the Supervisor and must be signed by the Supervisor. Copies of these proposals shall be circulated by the Subject Coordinator to all members of the full-time academic staff of the Faculty of Law and, if no objection to the application is received by the Subject Coordinator within seven days of such circulation, the Subject Coordinator may approve the application, including the topic and the Supervisor. **Approval must be granted before enrolment is allowed.**

11. If the Subject Coordinator does not approve the application it shall be submitted to the next meeting of the Faculty Board, which may approve the application on such terms as it thinks fit, or disapprove the application.

12. A student is required to enrol in the research project subject no later than the beginning of the semester following that in which the Subject Coordina-

13. (a) Supervisors have the day-to-day control and supervision of research projects and students are required to meet with their supervisors regularly.

   (b) Any amendments to the research project proposal may be approved by the Supervisor if the project remains within the same substantial area as previously approved. However, any substantial amendments to the student's approved proposal shall be proposed in writing to the Supervisor and Subject Coordinator. Copies of the proposed amendment shall be circulated by the Subject Coordinator to all members of the Faculty's full-time academic staff and if no objection to the application is received within seven days of such circulation, the amendment is deemed to be approved.

14. A research project shall normally be taken over one semester and the dissertation shall be lodged with the Subject Coordinator not later than 5.00 p.m. on the Friday of the 15th week of the semester.

15. Upon the student's written request the Associate Dean may, after consultation with the student's Supervisor and the Subject Coordinator, grant the student an extension of time for the submission of the dissertation or permit the subject to extend over more than one semester.

The dissertation must comply with the following format rules:

   (a) Two copies of the dissertation shall be presented. One of these copies will be returned to the student after examination.

   (b) The dissertation shall be written in English in good quality typescript on one side of the paper only. In the body of the dissertation, one-and-one-half spacing is preferred, but double-spacing is permissible. Single spacing may only
be used for appendices, footnotes and quotations.

(c) The paper used shall be good quality medium weight white stock, sufficiently opaque for normal reading.

(d) The size of the paper shall be ISO A4 (297 mm x 210 mm).

(e) The margins on each sheet shall be not less than 40 mm on the left-hand side, and 20 mm on the right-hand side, top and bottom.

(f) The dissertation shall be accompanied by an abstract of not more than 400 words.

(g) Both copies of the dissertation shall be presented in a permanent and legible form and if not bound, then suitable for future binding.

(h) Each copy of the dissertation shall be enclosed in a stiff cover.

16. For the research project, there shall be two examiners, appointed by the Faculty Board. If there are any unresolved differences of opinion on any matter relevant to a student's assessment such differences shall be resolved by an umpire appointed by the Associate Dean.

17. Prior to final assessment of a research project the examiners may require the student to rewrite and resubmit the dissertation in whole or in part and in such a case the examiners shall provide details of the parts of the dissertation that require amendment, and their reasons for requiring such amendment. When a student is required to rewrite and resubmit the dissertation that student shall be permitted to extend the subject over two semesters and shall re-enrol in the subject for a second semester.

Honours regulations

1. Definitions

1.1 In these regulations 'subject' means any Law subject other than a Skills Seminar.

2. Awards

2.1 Awards of the degree shall be classified as follows:

(a) degree (with First Class Honours);

(b) degree (with Second Class Honours); and

(c) degree.

2.2 Award of the degree with Second Class Honours shall not be graded.

3. Requirements of Honours

3.1 To qualify for an award of the degree with Honours a student shall:

(a) successfully complete not less than 128 credit points of subjects and Skills Seminars (including not less than 16 credit points of Skills) within the Faculty of Law;

(b) successfully complete either the subject 77040 Research Project 4 or 77050 Research Project 5;

(c) obtain an Honours mark calculated in accordance with Regulation 5 hereof, of or above that prescribed herein, namely,

(i) for First Class Honours—75 per cent

(ii) for Second Class Honours—67.5 per cent

3.2 In exceptional circumstances the Faculty Board in Law may modify or dispense with the requirements of Regulation 3.1(a).

4. Effect of failure

4.1 Subject to Regulations 4.2 and 6 hereof, a student shall not be awarded the degree with Honours if he or she fails any subject or Skills Seminar.

4.2 In exceptional circumstances, and in particular if failure in a subject or Skills Seminar is occasioned by a student's illness or other personal difficulties beyond the student's control, the Faculty Board in Law may award the
degree with Honours notwithstanding any such failure.

5. Calculation of Honours marks

5.1 No marks awarded in Skills Seminars shall be taken into account when assessing a student’s Honours mark.

5.2 In the calculation of Honours marks, ‘Total Subject Mark’ means in relation to a student the sum of the student’s marks in all subjects, discounting the lowest marks in his or her six worst subjects with a minimum requirement of 12 subjects to be included in the calculation.

5.3 A student’s Honours mark shall, subject to Regulation 5.4, be obtained by application of the following formula, namely,

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\text{Total Subject Mark per cent} = \frac{\text{Total Subject Mark}}{\text{Number of subjects}}
\]

5.4 A student’s Total Subject Mark shall include the mark obtained by that student in the subject ‘Research Project’ notwithstanding that such mark would not otherwise be included in the Total Subject Mark.

6. Relation of Stage 1 to Honours

6.1 Any failure or failures in subjects or Skills Seminars prescribed for Stage 1 of the program for the degree of Bachelor of Laws shall be disregarded for all purposes, and shall in no way operate to preclude a student under Regulation 4.1 from being awarded the degree with Honours.

Regulations for Summer program in Law

1. Time

The Summer program in Law will consist of eight teaching weeks in January and February 1997.

2. Enrolment

2.1 A student may make application by the end of October prior to the Summer program in Law to the Associate Dean for enrolment in no more than one subject in the Summer program in Law provided that the Associate Dean may, where a student is in the opinion of the Associate Dean performing at an exceptional level and appears to have sufficient time to undertake more than one subject, permit that student to undertake no more than two subjects totalling 10 credit points.

2.2 The Associate Dean may approve an application for enrolment if the Head is satisfied that the student’s previous academic performance is satisfactory. Without prejudice to the provisions of Regulation 2.3, a student’s previous academic performance will normally be regarded as not satisfactory where the student’s WAM, as determined by the Faculty in the preceding Autumn semester, is less than 55.

2.3 A student may request and be granted a review of any refusal of enrolment by the Associate Dean. The review will be conducted by a committee nominated by the Associate Dean and approved by the Faculty Board.

2.4 Approval of enrolment shall be at the Associate Dean’s discretion and shall be conditional upon the student passing any prerequisite prior to the commencement of the Summer program and upon there being sufficient places in the Summer program available and the student passing all subjects in which the student is enrolled in the Spring semester immediately prior to the Summer program.

2.5 A student may withdraw from the Summer program by notice in writing to the Associate Dean by the HECS census date or, with the approval of the Associate Dean, at a later date.

3. Administration

The Associate Dean may from time to time determine maximum and minimum sizes of classes for each subject offered in the Summer program. If the minimum size is not reached in a subject the Associate Dean may cancel that subject.
Joint degrees

The joint degrees are of five years’ duration and students undertake studies full time. Law subjects are held mostly in the evenings while classes in the other disciplines are held mostly in the daytime. Within the BBus LLB degree students may major in any of the following: Accounting, Banking, Economics, Finance and Economics, Finance, Marketing, Management. The law component of both the joint and combined programs satisfies, in conjunction with the Practical Legal Training program of the College of Law, the admission requirements of the Supreme Court of New South Wales.

The course structures of these programs appear below. Students must complete at least 242 credit points for the LLB BA (International Studies), 240 credit points for the BA LLB or BSc LLB or BComp LLB, or at least 239 credit points for the BBus LLB. Credit-point values are shown in brackets.

Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Laws

The 96 credit points of the arts component of the course is broadly structured as follows:

- 24 credit points for foundation studies in arts;
- 48 credit points for a major;
- 24 credit points for other arts studies, including up to 12 credit points of electives from faculties other than Law, or Humanities and Social Sciences.

Foundation studies

Students will take a total of 24 credit points with at least five credit points from each of the three groups of subjects below by the end of the third semester. The aim of the foundation studies is to introduce a range of ideas and intellectual approaches from the broadly defined arts/social sciences as a basis for:

- the exploration of issues of social concern and public interest;
- the development of intellectual skills;
- the choice of areas to study in depth.

Group A

52101 History of Ideas (6cp)
52102 Politics and Political Institutions (6cp)
52103 Culture, History and Society (6cp)
52111 Contemporary Australia (6cp)

Group B

55860 Information Science 1 (6cp)
56955 Communication 1 (6cp)
55864 Psychology (6cp)

Group C

54100 Word and Text (5cp)
54101 Sound and Image (5cp)
54102 Making Australia (5cp)
54103 Communication Environments (5cp)

Major study

A major in the BA LLB is a sequence of subjects to a total of at least 48 credit points, which falls within a distinct and well-defined field of study. Several of the majors are interdisciplinary.
A major requires students to complete a minimum of six credit points and a maximum of 12 credit points at Level 1; a minimum of 12 credit points at Level 2; and a minimum of 12 credit points at Level 3.

Entry to Level 2 subjects requires completion of prerequisites at Level 1; entry to Level 3 subjects requires completion of Level 2 subjects; and so on.

The majors offered in the BA are:

- Aboriginal Studies
- Social, Political and Historical Studies
- Multicultural Studies
- Technology and Communication
- Information
- Communication
- Cultural Studies

Full details of the Arts majors and electives are contained in the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences Handbook.

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## Bachelor of Business/Bachelor of Laws

### Stage 1
- **70113** Legal Process and History (10cp)
- **70400** Skills: Computerised Legal Research (2cp)
- **70100** Skills: Legal Research and Writing (2cp)
- **22105** Accounting A (5cp)
- **25110** Microeconomics (5cp)

### Stage 2
- **70211** Law of Contract (8cp)
- **70212** Criminal Law (7cp)
- **70200** Skills: Case Analysis and Statutory Interpretation (2cp)
- **22205** Accounting B (5cp)
- **25209** Macroeconomics (5cp)

### Stage 3
- **70311** Law of Tort (8cp)
- **70611** Federal Constitutional Law (7cp)
- **21125** Australian Business Environment (5cp)
- **22115** Business Information Systems (5cp)

### Stage 4
- **70411** Commercial Transactions (7cp)
- **70312** Real Property (7cp)
- **70300** Skills: Conveyancing (3cp)
- **21130** Organisational Behaviour (5cp)
- **26122** Business Statistics (5cp)

### Stage 5
- **70612** Administrative Law (7cp)
- **70514** Family Law (5cp)
- **70513** Succession (4cp)
- **24105** Principles of Marketing (5cp)
- **25308** Financial Institutions and Markets (5cp)

### Stage 6
- **70412** Corporate Law (7cp)
- **70511** Equity and Trusts (7cp)
- **70500** Skills: Drafting (2cp)
- **25314** Business Finance 1 (5cp)
- **21215** Management and Communication Skills (5cp)

### Stage 7
- **71114** Remedies and Restitution (7cp)
- **71115** Insolvency (3cp)
- **70600** Skills: Pleadings (2cp)
- **70705** Skills: Litigation (4cp)
  - plus BBus major subjects (10cp)

### Stage 8
- **71112** Conflict of Laws (7cp)
- **71212** Revenue Law (7cp)
- **70900** Skills: Moot (3cp)
  - plus BBus major subjects (10cp)

### Stage 9
- **71211** Law of Evidence (7cp)
- **71201** Skills: Alternative Dispute Resolution (2cp)
  - Law elective (7cp)
  - plus BBus major subjects (10cp)

### Stage 10
- BBus major subjects (5cp)
Bachelor of Science/Bachelor of Laws

Stage 1
70113 Legal Process and History (10cp)
70400 Skills: Computerised Legal Research (2cp)
70100 Skills: Legal Research and Writing (2cp)
66013 Geology 1 (SL) (5cp)
65013 Chemistry 1 (SL) (5cp)

Stage 2
70211 Law of Contract (8cp)
70212 Criminal Law (7cp)
70200 Skills: Case Analysis and Statutory Interpretation (2cp)
65025 Chemistry 2 (SL) (5cp)
33171 Science Mathematics 1 (4cp)

Stage 3
70311 Law of Tort (8cp)
70611 Federal Constitutional Law (7cp)
60301 Treatment of Scientific Data (3cp)
66404 Physics 1 (SL) (5cp)

Stage 4
70411 Commercial Transactions (7cp)
70312 Real Property (7cp)
70300 Skills: Conveyancing (3cp)
67201 Materials Science 1 (4cp)
68081 Resource Management (3cp)

Stage 5
70612 Administrative Law (7cp)
70514 Family Law (5cp)
70513 Succession (4cp)
91389 Biology 1 (SL) (5cp)
67302 Polymers 1 (SL) (3cp)

Stage 6
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70500 Skills: Drafting (2cp)
91390 Biology 2 (SL) (5cp)
68082 Physics 2 (SL) (5cp)

Stage 7
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71115 Insolvency (3cp)
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70703 Skills: Litigation (4cp)
Science electives (12cp)

Stage 8
71112 Conflict of Laws (7cp)
71212 Revenue Law (7cp)
70900 Skills: Moot (3cp)
Science electives (12cp)

Stage 9
71211 Law of Evidence (7cp)
71201 Skills: Alternative Dispute Resolution (2cp)
Law elective (7cp)
Science electives (11cp)

Stage 10
Science electives (6cp)
Bachelor of Science in Computing Science/Bachelor of Laws

This joint degree is aimed at students who wish to pursue careers requiring knowledge of both computing science and the law. Some of the potential roles for graduates include:

- Computing professionals who are involved in the development, marketing or support of legal software. There exists a number of Australian companies who are supplying legal software. The products produced by these companies range from specialist office automation packages, through information retrieval and presentation programs, to leading-edge knowledge-based systems.

- Computing professionals acting in management roles, who need to understand the most appropriate ways in which the products of research and development may be exploited. Such managers will need to be able to make decisions in relation to such matters as available forms of intellectual property protection, contracts and international law.

- Lawyers who wish to specialise in computers and technology law as an area of practice.

Students will study subjects totalling 146 credit points from the Faculty of Law and 94 credit points from the School of Computing Sciences, for a total of 240 credit points.

Stage 1
70113 Legal Process and History (10cp)
70100 Skills: Legal Research and Writing (2cp)
31611 Information Systems (6cp)
31417 Computing Practice (6cp)

Stage 2
70212 Criminal Law (7cp)
70211 Law of Contract (8cp)
70200 Skills: Case Analysis and Statutory Interpretation (2cp)
31424 Systems Modelling (6cp)
31428 Qualitative Modelling (6cp)

Stage 3
70311 Law of Tort (8cp)
70611 Federal Constitutional Law (7cp)
68081 Physics 1 (SL) (5cp)
31415 Principles of Software Development A (6cp)
31416 Computer Systems Architecture (6cp)

Stage 4
70312 Real Property (7cp)
70411 Commercial Transactions (7cp)
70300 Skills: Conveyancing (3cp)
66404 Resource Management (3cp)
31425 Principles of Software Development B (6cp)
31429 Procedural Programming (6cp)

Stage 5
70514 Family Law (5cp)
70513 Succession (4cp)
70612 Administrative Law (7cp)
31436 Systems Software and Networks (8cp)
31434 Database Design (6cp)

Stage 6
70412 Corporate Law (7cp)
70511 Equity and Trusts (7cp)
70500 Skills: Drafting (2cp)
31444 Systems Design and Development (8cp)

Stage 7
71114 Remedies and Restitution (7cp)
71115 Insolvency (3cp)
70600 Skills: Pleadings (2cp)
70705 Skills: Litigation (4cp)
Industrial Experience (0cp)

Stage 8
71112 Conflict of Laws (7cp)
71212 Revenue Law (7cp)
70900 Skills: Moot (3cp)
31435 Software Development Case Study¹ (4cp)
31464 Information Technology Planning and Design¹ (8cp)

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Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of Arts in International Studies

DESCRIPTION

The Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of Arts in International Studies degree is offered jointly by the Faculty of Law and the Institute for International Studies. The degree provides full-time study for students wishing to obtain a professional qualification that satisfies the basic academic requirements of the Supreme Court of New South Wales for admission as a legal practitioner. A single testamur of LLB BA (International Studies) is awarded. The LLB component may be awarded with First or Second Class Honours. The program is designed for students who wish to obtain an international perspective and expertise to enable them to work overseas, provide specialised legal services to Australian ethnic communities, and satisfy the demand in firms for legal practitioners who can act for foreign investors.

In addition to pursuing the full program of the Bachelor of Laws, students are required to follow a major—a country or region of specialisation—in the International Studies program. Students study language and culture for at least two years in Sydney, and this is followed by a period of study overseas. In 1996, there will be eight majors offered within the International Studies program: China, Indonesia, Japan, Latin America (Chile and Argentina), South China (Hong Kong and Guangdong), Taiwan, Thailand and Western Europe (France, Germany and Italy).

Students are admitted to the International Studies program with no guarantee of entry to a specific major, although students' preferences are taken into consideration. The Institute reserves the right to allocate student majors according to its resources and arrangements with overseas universities.

In general, the International Studies program has no prior language requirement, except for some specific majors. Students wishing to do the Western
Europe major are required to have successfully completed French, German or Italian at HSC level or equivalent.

Each student's choice of major and subjects to study in the International Studies program requires the approval of the Board of Studies of the Institute for International Studies.

In exceptional circumstances, students may, with the approval of the Board of Studies of the Institute for International Studies, vary the designated subjects in their International Studies major. A list of approved substitute subjects may be found in the Institute for International Studies Handbook.

Each of the majors within the International Studies program has a value of 96 credit points, and includes 32 credit points (four subjects) of instruction in an appropriate Language and Culture; 16 credit points (two subjects) of the study of Contemporary Society; and 48 credit points (two semesters) of study at a university or institution of higher education in a country of the major.

Students do not need to have previously studied a language and culture other than English to be able to successfully complete the program. All students are required to complete four consecutive semesters of study of Language and Culture before proceeding to In-country Study. There are different classes available for students with different levels of language proficiency.

The Institute for International Studies makes the arrangements for students to spend two semesters of In-country Study at an institution of higher education in a country of their major. The costs of tuition and travel are borne by UTS. In most cases there will be no additional costs for students. However, those studying in countries or regions where the cost of living is high—e.g. Japan, Taiwan, Hong Kong or Western Europe—should be prepared to pay additional costs for accommodation and maintenance.

### COURSE PROGRAM AND ATTENDANCE PATTERN

All law subjects are taught over one semester. Students attend 12–15 hours of lectures and seminars per week. Students may be required to attend evening classes. The degree normally requires five years of full-time study for completion. For the International Studies component, students are required to complete a sequence of four subjects in Language and Culture; a subject in Contemporary Society; two semesters of study at an overseas university or institution of higher education; and a subject entitled International Legal Studies.

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977xxx In-country Study 1 (24cp)
Stage 8
978xxx In-country Study 2 (24cp)

Year 5

Stage 9
71005 Practice and Procedure (4cp)
71116 Remedies (6cp)
71216 Law of Evidence (6cp)
Elective subject 3 (6cp)
Elective subject 4 (6cp)

Stage 10
PLT major (24cp)
or
Four law electives (24cp)

INTERNATIONAL STUDIES MAJORS

CHINA
971111 Chinese Language and Culture 1 (8cp)
or
971101 Modern Standard Chinese Language and Culture 1 (8cp)

972111 Chinese Language and Culture 2 (8cp)
or
972101 Modern Standard Chinese Language and Culture 2 (8cp)

973111 Chinese Language and Culture 3 (8cp)
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973101 Modern Standard Chinese Language and Culture 3 (8cp)

974111 Chinese Language and Culture 4 (8cp)
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974101 Modern Standard Chinese Language and Culture 4 (8cp)

975411 Modernisation and Globalisation (8cp)
976111 Contemporary Society 2: Contemporary China (8cp)
977110 In-country Study 1: Semester in China (24cp)
978110 In-country Study 2: Semester in China (24cp)

INDONESIA
971311 Indonesian Language and Culture 1 (8cp)
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973411 Modernisation and Globalisation (8cp)
976301 Contemporary Society 2: Contemporary South-East Asia (8cp)
977310 In-country Study 1: Semester in Indonesia (24cp)
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JAPAN
971211 Japanese Language and Culture 1 (8cp)
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975341 Modernisation and Globalisation (8cp)
976211 Contemporary Society 2: Contemporary Japan (8cp)
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LATIN AMERICA
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976301 Contemporary Society 2: Contemporary South-East Asia (8cp)
977320 In-country Study 1: Semester in Thailand (24cp)
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WESTERN EUROPE
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59341 Modernisation and Globalisation (8cp)
976401 Contemporary Society 2: Contemporary Western Europe (8cp)
977400 In-country Study 1: Semester in France, Germany or Italy (24cp)
978400 In-country Study 2: Semester in France, Germany or Italy (24cp)

Further details of International Studies subjects may be found in the Institute for International Studies Handbook.

Combined degree students are required to confirm, during the University enrolment period, the subjects they intend to take for the year with the Institute at 9 Broadway (next door to the Co-op Bookshop).

The Language and Contemporary Society subjects in the International Studies program are also available as electives.

For more information on the International Studies program, telephone 330 1574, fax 330 1578 or e-mail iisinfo@uts.edu.au.
UNDERGRADUATE SUPPLY PROGRAMS

The Faculty of Law presents ‘supply’ Law courses—that is, studies in various strands of the law for students who are not aiming for a legal qualification, but who wish to become familiar with the law as it affects their chosen profession. Through its Supply program, the Faculty of Law presents courses to students in the Faculties of Business, Engineering and Nursing. Courses for the Bachelor of Engineering (Telecommunications Engineering) and for the School of Physical Sciences are currently being formulated.

Why is an understanding of the law important?

Increasingly, the modern environment requires an understanding of legal issues. Many areas are governed by complicated laws and regulations. The purpose of the Supply program is to foster an awareness of the role of law as a key strategic tool, to equip potential executives with the knowledge to deal with the legal aspects of their particular profession. It is inevitable that anyone in a responsible position in a profession, commerce or the public service will need to develop a specialist knowledge of particular branches of the law. The breach of a key legal provision could result in an otherwise advantageous arrangement being rendered totally ineffective, or worse, being penalised.

As well as undertaking ‘core’ law subjects as part of their major, Bachelor of Business students have the opportunity to select a Law sub-major—Business, Insolvency, Taxation or Foundations in Law. The Law sub-majors are designed to help students develop the knowledge and skills necessary to recognise legal pitfalls and to react appropriately. Students are, of course, also taught to utilise the law to achieve legitimate success. This is particularly true in the accounting and management professions.

Sub-major in Business Law

As can be seen from the list of units offered, the Business Law sub-major affords students a wide range of areas to choose from. It should be noted, however, that not all subjects listed will be offered each semester. Units offered in the Business Law sub-major include:

- 79659 Advanced Commercial Law (6cp)
- 79366 Banking Law (6cp)
- 79365 Company Law (6cp)
- 79660 Environmental Law in Business (6cp)
- 79270 Industrial and Labour Law (6cp)
- 79360 Insurance Contracts (6cp)
- 79603 International Business Law and Regulation (6cp)
- 79502 Law and Finance (6cp)
- 79403 Law and the Manager (6cp)
- 79211 Law for Marketing Management (6cp)
- 79462 Revenue Law (6cp)

One subject from the Insolvency Law sub-major (6cp)
One subject from the Taxation Law sub-major (6cp)

Sub-major in Insolvency Law

The Insolvency Law sub-major covers both personal bankruptcy and corporate external administration and offers a sequence of subjects in which theoretical and practical issues are dealt with concurrently to foster an environment in which the efficacy of the legal and accounting theory and insolvency practice are examined.

Students will study the following four units:

- 79161 Introduction to Insolvency Law (6cp)
- 79662 Business Bankruptcy (6cp)
- 79162 Corporate Insolvency and Administration (6cp)
- 22610 Accounting for Insolvency (to be the responsibility of the School of Accounting) (6cp)

Sub-major in Taxation Law

The Taxation Law sub-major offers an integrated sequence of subjects enabling students to specialise in this important area of law, applicable to the business and public sectors of Australia and its international relationships. Taxation is the ultimate interface of law, accounting and
business enterprises, and always requires specialist knowledge.

Students will select four units from the following:

79666 International Aspects of Australian Taxation Law (6cp)
79606 Advanced Revenue Law (6cp)
79667 Indirect Taxation (6cp)

either

79411 Advanced Companies and Securities Law (6cp)

or

79264 Securities Market Regulation (6cp)

Sub-major in Foundations in Law

This sub-major will facilitate students enrolled in the Bachelor of Business/Bachelor of Laws degree, and students considering transferring between the different degree programs.

Students are required to study the following Law degree subjects:

70211 Law of Contract (8cp)
70311 Law of Tort (8cp)
70317 Real Property (8cp)

UNDERGRADUATE SUPPLY SUBJECTS

The following subjects are offered by the Faculty of Law to undergraduate students enrolled in the Business, Engineering and Nursing degrees.

79161 Introduction to Insolvency Law (6cp)
79162 Corporate Insolvency and Administration (6cp)
79211 Law for Marketing Management (6cp)
79254 Securities Markets Regulation (6cp)
79270 Industrial and Labour Law (6cp)
79360 Insurance Contracts (6cp)
79364 Advanced Industrial and Labour Law (6cp)
79365 Company Law (6cp)
79366 Banking Law (6cp)
79370 Law and Contracts for Manufacturing (3cp)
79371 Legal Issues in Telecommunications (6cp)
79403 Law and the Manager (6cp)
79411 Advanced Companies and Securities Law (6cp)
79462 Revenue Law (6cp)
79502 Law and Finance (6cp)
79503 Law and Computing (6cp)
79603 International Business Law and Regulation (6cp)
79662 Business Bankruptcy (6cp)
79202 Business Law (4cp)
79659 Advanced Commercial Law (6cp)
79660 Environmental Law in Business (6cp)
79666 International Aspects of Australian Taxation Law (6cp)
79667 Indirect Taxation (6cp)
79001 Legal Issues and Disadvantaged Groups (3cp)
79002 Legal Aspects of Human Reproduction and Child Protection (3cp)
92125 Values in Nursing Practice (3cp)
92136 Reasoning and Judgment in Nursing Practice (3cp)
The subject descriptions shown below indicate the subject code and name, and number of credit points for the subject (e.g. 3cp). Also shown are the prerequisites or corequisites if any, and a brief outline of the content and texts. Unless specified the latest editions are recommended.

Prerequisites are subjects that must be completed before taking the subject to which they refer. Corequisites may be completed before or taken concurrently with the subject to which they refer.

It is required that, where prerequisites are set for a subject, that subject’s prerequisites have already been met (e.g. if a subject’s prerequisite is 70312 Real Property, then Real Property’s prerequisites of 70211 Law of Contract, 70311 Law of Tort, 70611 Federal Constitutional Law and 70200 Skills: Case Analysis and Statutory Interpretation have been completed).

**70100**

**SKILLS: LEGAL RESEARCH AND WRITING**

2cp  
**prerequisite: nil**

The aim is to teach the skills of effective legal research and writing to aid both in the study of law while a student and later as an adjunct to the practice of law.

This will be done by examining the basic recognition of legal material into primary and secondary source material, then taking the student through both areas using lectures, seminars and a program of class exercises.

**Text**


**70113**

**LEGAL PROCESS AND HISTORY**

10cp  
**prerequisite: nil**

This is an introductory subject that seeks to examine the Australian legal and constitutional environment and to provide those commencing their legal studies with a basic understanding of both how and why the law has developed as it has, and how and why there are certain restrictions on the law-making process of parliament. Using a historical approach, students will examine why our legal system is so different from that of our regional neighbours and the strengths and weaknesses of our system.

At the end of the subject, students should have a fully developed understanding of the Western legal tradition, the place of the common law in that system, and the ramifications of living under a Westminster parliamentary system.

The syllabus is as follows: philosophical background to the Western legal system; the concept of law including the normative and positivist approaches; law and justice distinguished; sources of law; the British acquisition of Australia; law in a multicultural Australia. The judicial process, including the existing federal and State court structures, including the appeal process; the litigation process, including basic documentation, the role of judge and jury, the adversary system, rudimentary rules of evidence and enforcement; the development of the principal sources of law, including the common law, equity and the law merchant; the development of the concept of judicial review and the rise of administrative law procedures and remedies; alternatives to litigation, including negotiation, arbitration and conciliation. The constitutional process including the origins and development of parliament; the concept of parliamentary sovereignty; the development of the Westminster or Cabinet form of government in both England and the colony of New South Wales. The Australian Constitution including its drafting 1889-1899; its division into the three functions of legislative, executive and judicial and the concept of separation of powers; the question of the independence of Australia and the rule of law.

**Texts**

SkILLS: CASE ANALYSIS AND STATUTORY INTERPRETATION

2cp
prerequisites: 70113 Legal Process and History; 70100 Skills: Legal Research and Writing; 70400 Skills: Computerised Legal Research

The subject will first deal with the reading and analysis of selected cases, with a view to identifying and formulating their ratio decidenendi and obiter dicta. The subsequent judicial treatment of those cases will then be examined, and students will learn how cases are applied, distinguished, followed and considered. Secondly, the subject will introduce students to the skills and techniques of interpreting statutes, with reference to language, the rules of construction and the Interpretation Acts.

Texts
Pearce D C and Geddes R S, Statutory Interpretation in Australia, Butterworths.
Gifford D, Statutory Interpretation, Law Book Company.
offences; offences against justice; criminal defences; criminal investigation and procedure.

Text

70300
SKILLS: CONVEYANCING
3cp
corequisite: 70312 Real Property
Considers the steps in a typical conveyancing transaction for land and a dwelling house erected thereon in New South Wales and the examination of the 1992 edition of the Contract for Sale of Land. Topics covered include a consideration of examples of certificate of title, folio identifier, deposited plan, S.88B instrument transfer and drainage diagram; formalities for an enforceable contract for the sale of land (S.54A Conveyancing Act, 1919); open contracts; exchange of a standard form contract; employment of real estate agents to sell land; survey certificate and building certificate; and Agreement for Sale of Land (1988 edition).

Text
Young P W, QC, Contract for Sale of Land in New South Wales, Butterworths.

70311
LAW OF TORT
8cp
prerequisites: 70113 Legal Process and History; 70100 Skills: Legal Research and Writing; 70400 Skills: Computerised Legal Research
The subject discusses the functions and aims of the tort, with special reference to its role in the distribution of losses in society, before examining the nature of tortious liability in the light of a selection of specific torts, namely, trespass to the person, goods and land; the action on the case for wilful injuries; conversion; negligence; breach of statutory duty; the rule in Rylands v. Fletcher; nuisance; occupier's liability; defamation. Reference is also made to defences, vicarious liability and contribution between tortfeasors.

Attention is drawn to the relevance of the type of conduct complained of (intentional, reckless, careless); the nature of the various interests protected (personal security, chattels, land, reputation, economic interests, domestic relations); the adaptability of tort law to changing needs and values of society (thus the introduction, dominance and current perceived limitations of the fault concept); and the element of policy expressed or implied in judicial decisions.

Texts
Luntz H and Hambly A D, Torts: Cases and Commentary, 3rd edn, Butterworths.
Gardiner D, Outline of Torts, Butterworths.

70312
REAL PROPERTY
7cp
The law relating to real property in New South Wales. Topics include Torrens title and priorities, old system title, adverse possession, possessory title, fixtures, legal definition of land, including fixtures, concurrent ownership, easements, covenants, mortgages and leases.

Texts
Butt P J, Introduction to Land Law, Law Book Company.
Stein R T J and Stone M, Torrens Title, Butterworths.

70400
SKILLS: COMPUTERISED LEGAL RESEARCH
2cp
prerequisite: nil
The subject aims to familiarise students with the basic tools available to engage in computer legal research. It includes the following: introduction to the concept of computerised researching and Boolean logic; examination of a number of on-line systems including INFO ONE and SCALE; introduction to the use of CD-ROM-based services such as INFO ONE's LAWPAC CDs and...
DISKROM's legislation products; and an introduction to Internet-based services.

Text
Course materials are issued at the start of the semester.

70411
COMMERCIAL TRANSACTIONS
7cp
prerequisites: 70211 Law of Contract; 70311 Law of Tort; 70611 Federal Constitutional Law; 70200
Skills: Case Analysis and Statutory Interpretation
Topics include classifications of personal property, choses in action and choses in possession; acquisition of title to goods; dispositions of personality under the Sale of Goods Act (this is the major topic); reservation of title (Romalpa) clauses; remedies of unpaid seller; brief treatment of relevant portions of Trade Practices Act (Cth); law of bailment; insurance; securities interests in chattels; law of negotiable instruments with particular reference to cheques. (Please note that this subject does not emphasise consumer protection matters which are dealt with elsewhere in the LLB syllabus.)

Texts
Pentony B, Materials and Cases on Commercial Transactions, Butterworths.
Helmore B A, Commercial Law and Personal Property in NSW, Law Book Company.

70412
CORPORATE LAW
7cp
prerequisites: 70513 Succession; 70514 Family Law; 70612 Administrative Law; 70411 Commercial Transactions
corequisite: 70511 Equity and Trusts
The response of the law to the activities of business entities is the matter dealt with in this subject. Although the emphasis is on corporations, there will be a brief discussion of the manner in which non-corporate entities including partnerships are regulated. The study of corporations law will include an overview of the historical developments, the current method of regulation and the proposals for reform.

Texts

70500
SKILLS: DRAFTING
2cp
prerequisites: 70513 Succession; 70514 Family Law
The principles and problems of legal drafting will be examined, discussed and analysed. Students will apply their knowledge of substantive law to given sets of facts and clients' instructions. Appreciation and understanding of the principles of good drafting will be emphasised, including communication, clarity, originality of expression and use and adaptation of precedents. Students will draft, redraft and critically analyse various clauses and documents. Exercises may be drawn from examples such as agreements, deeds, powers of attorney, statutory declarations, articles of association and wills.

Texts
Rowling C and Tamsitt G, Hutley's Australian Wills Precedents, Butterworths.
Dick R, Legal Drafting, Carswell.

70511
EQUITY AND TRUSTS
7cp
prerequisites: 70411 Commercial Transactions; 70513 Succession; 70514 Family Law; 70612 Administrative Law
corequisite: 70412 Corporate Law
The subject deals with the law of trusts and those principles of equity not dealt with in other subjects. Topics include the nature of equity; equitable estates and interests; equitable priorities; assignments in equity; fiduciary obligations; confidential information; the nature of trusts; express trusts; charitable trusts; implied trusts; constructive trusts; powers, rights and duties of trustees; rights of beneficiaries.

Texts
Evans M B, Outline of Equity and Trusts, Butterworths.

**70513 SUCCESSION**

4cp

**Prerequisites:** 70312 Real Property; 70411 Commercial Transactions; 70300 Skills: Conveyancing

This subject deals with the formal and essential requirements of wills, the provisions of the *Wills, Probate and Administration Act 1898*, the *Family Provisions Act 1982*, consequences of intestacy, admission of wills to probate and the responsibilities of administration of an estate.

**Text and References**


**70514 FAMILY LAW**

5cp

**Prerequisites:** 70312 Real Property; 70411 Commercial Transactions; 70300 Skills: Conveyancing

The subject introduces students to the principles that govern the legal relationship between family members when there is a breakdown in the family unit, whether the legal relationship arises out of marriage or a de facto relationship. The interaction between social issues, public policy and the relevant law is an important feature of the subject.

Topics include: family law in its social context; domestic violence; the history of divorce and related legislation; divorce and nullity; property claims and settlements (including a consideration of the application of trust concepts and equitable principles, and capital gains tax implications); spousal maintenance and financial agreements; guardianship, custody and access; child maintenance and child support; costing issues counselling, conciliation and dispute resolution; the enforcement of orders, including custody orders, and the application of the Hague Convention, and financial orders; and the role of lawyers in family law.

**Texts**


**70600 SKILLS: PLEADINGS**

2cp

**Prerequisite:** 70500 Skills: Drafting

The principles and practice of pleading as they relate to various causes of action (such as contracts, torts, equity and *Trade Practices Act* cases) based on a set of given facts. Students will be expected to undertake various exercises in drafting pleadings, which will demonstrate their ability to formulate a cause of action in the context of the requirements of relevant rules of court.

**Texts**

Court Forms, *Precedents and Pleadings (NSW)*, loose-leaf, Butterworths.

**70611 FEDERAL CONSTITUTIONAL LAW**

7cp

**Prerequisites:** 70113 Legal Process and History; 70100 Skills: Legal Research and Writing; 70400 Skills: Computerised Legal Research

**Corequisite:** 70212 Criminal Law

This subject deals with the interpretation and implementation of the Australian Constitution. As the Constitution is the foundation document of the Commonwealth, Federal Constitutional Law deals with some of the fundamental relationships within our society. These include the relationship between the States, the States and the Federal Government, the three branches (the executive, legislature and judiciary) of the Federal Government,
together with the rights of the individual found in the Constitution.

Texts and References
Hanks P J, Constitutional Law in Australia, Butterworths.
Zines L, The High Court and the Constitution, Butterworths.

70612
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW

7cp
prerequisites: 70312 Real Property; 70411 Commercial Transactions; 70300 Skills: Conveyancing

This subject deals with the supervision of the executive arm of government by the courts and by other statutory mechanisms. Topics include the grounds of review of administrative decisions, in particular natural justice, ultra vires, jurisdictional error and error of law; remedies available at common law upon judicial review including the prerogative writs and equitable remedies; judicial review under the Administrative Decisions (Judicial Review) Act 1976 (Cth); review of Commonwealth decisions under the Administrative Appeals Tribunal Act 1976 (Cth); role and function of the Ombudsman; if time permits, freedom of information and privacy legislation will also be touched upon, and the ICAC.

Texts
or
Douglas and Jones, Cases and Materials on Administrative Law, Federation Press.
and
Allars M, Introduction to Australian Administrative Law, Butterworths.

70705
SKILLS: LITIGATION

4cp
prerequisite. 70500 Skills: Drafting
corequisite: 70600 Skills: Pleadings

Commences with an examination of the legislation governing the jurisdiction of the NSW Supreme Court, District Court and Local Court, and the respective rules of court, which determine the procedure to be followed by litigants in those courts. The various stages of a civil action are analysed, from the filing of originating process to the final hearing, and attention will be paid to mentions, notices of motion and interlocutory applications, function and use of affidavits, discovery and inspection of documents, interrogatories, setting matters down for hearing, state of readiness hearings, and preparation for the final hearing.

Texts
Lindsay GC, Guide to the Practice of the Supreme Court of NSW, Law Book Company.
Young P W, O'Leary K F and Hogan A E, Supreme Court Civil Procedure: NSW, Butterworths.
Cairns B, Australian Civil Procedure, Butterworths.
Ritchie's Supreme Court Procedure: NSW, Butterworths.
Taylor P W (ed), District Court Procedure: NSW, Butterworths.

70900
SKILLS: MOOT

3cp
prerequisites: 70600 Skills: Pleadings; 70705 Skills: Litigation

Students must participate in one moot on a point of law arising from a set of agreed facts before a judge or barrister. Attendance is required at two seminars, each of one hour, at the beginning of the semester, and thereafter at the moot itself. Students must present the moot judge with written submissions, including a list of authorities, at least three days before the scheduled date of the moot.

Texts
As most of the work required of students involves intensive library research and
preparation, and as the relevant area of law differs from moot to moot, there are no texts or references. However, there is the Faculty's Guide to Mooting, which provides basic instruction to mooters. This is available from the General Papers Office.

71000

ELECTIVE SKILL: LAW OF MEETINGS

2cp
prerequisites: 70100 Skills: Legal Research and Writing; 70400 Skills: Computerised Legal Research; 70113 Legal Process and History; 70212 Criminal Law
corequisite: 70412 Corporate Law

The topics dealt with are: order at public meetings; role of the chair; pre-meeting procedures; motions and amendments; resolutions and rescission; formal and procedural motions; points of order; quorum; voting (including proxies); company meetings; constitution and standing orders; and committees.

Texts

71001

ELECTIVE SKILL: ADVANCED COMPUTERISED LEGAL RESEARCH

2cp
prerequisites: 70400 Skills: Computerised Legal Research; 70511 Equity and Trusts

Aims to give students a fuller understanding of computerised systems which can be of assistance in legal research and practice. Apart from updating and expanding upon material presented in the earlier subject—70400 Skills: Computerised Legal Research—the course deals with more specialised systems such as Lexis, Westlaw and Law Point.

Text
Course materials will be made available at the start of the semester.

71002

ELECTIVE SKILL: LEGAL ETHICS A

2cp
prerequisites: 70100 Skills: Legal Research and Writing; 70400 Skills: Computerised Legal Research; 70113 Legal Process and History; 70212 Criminal Law

corequisite: 70412 Corporate Law

Considers the present structure, functions and role of the legal profession in Australia. Particular attention will be given to such matters as the regulation of the profession, ethics and professional conduct, together with contemporary issues, such as advertising and specialisation. A detailed examination will be made of the reports on the legal profession by the NSW Law Reform Commission and the way in which the recommendations have been carried into practice.

Texts

71101

ELECTIVE SKILL: OFFICE MANAGEMENT

2cp
prerequisites: 70100 Skills: Legal Research and Writing; 70400 Skills: Computerised Legal Research; 70113 Legal Process and History; 70212 Criminal Law

This subject is intended to develop an understanding of the principles of office management, particularly as they apply to a legal practice, so that students will be able to both manage their own office and better understand their duties when employed by a firm. The subject will examine personnel management, office design, legal accounting, computers and information processing and the use of various professional resources. In addition, it will look at how decisions are made, how decisions should be made, how clients are obtained and how clients are kept. The focus of the subject will be not simply what is done in managing a law office but why it is done.

Texts
Pannett, A, Managing the Law Firm, Legal

71102
**ELECTIVE SKILL: LEGAL ETHICS B**
2cp
prerequisites: 70100 Skills: Legal Research and Writing; 70400 Skills: Computerised Legal Research; 70113 Legal Process and History; 70212 Criminal Law

Prepares students for entry into the legal profession by assisting them to develop an awareness of the ethical requirements of the profession, both by statute and by custom. Students will be expected to achieve a thorough knowledge and understanding of the laws, regulations and ethical conduct relevant to practice as legal practitioners in New South Wales.

**Texts**
New South Wales Bar Association Rules.

71103
**ELECTIVE SKILL: SECOND MOOT**
2cp
prerequisite: 70900 Skills: Moot

Students who elect to take this subject must participate in a moot, or mock trial, on a point of law arising from a set of agreed facts, before a judge or barrister. Attendance is required at two seminars, each of one hour, at the beginning of the semester, and thereafter at the moot itself. Students must present the moot judge with written submissions, including a list of authorities, at least three days before the scheduled date of the moot.

71104
**ELECTIVE SKILL: ADVANCED LEGAL RESEARCH**
2cp
prerequisites: 70100 Skills: Legal Research and Writing; 70511 Equity and Trusts

Assists students to consolidate and perfect their researching skills gained in earlier skills seminars. The areas covered are a revision of Australian primary sources; Australian and English secondary sources, concentrating on federal law, but including selected State material; American secondary sources, including the *Digest*, legal encyclopaedias and Shepard’s; selected primary and secondary material of Canada and New Zealand; international law; European Union materials; and treaties.

**Text**

71112
**CONFLICT OF LAWS**
7cp
prerequisites: 70412 Corporate Law; 70511 Equity and Trusts

Deals with the international jurisdiction of the Australian courts, the recognition and enforcement of foreign judgments and decrees, and the problem of choice of law as it arises with respect to specific areas of law such as marriage, matrimonial causes, contract, torts, *inter vivos* property transactions and succession. The subject also deals with choice-of-law issues as they arise between the Australian States.

**Texts**
*Dicey and Morris on the Conflict of Laws*, Sweet and Maxwell.
71114
REMEDIES AND RESTITUTION
7cp
prerequisites: 70412 Corporate Law; 70511 Equity and Trusts; 70612 Administrative Law
Deals with the range of court-ordered remedies available to a plaintiff in civil proceedings. The more common remedies are those administered at either common law or in equity: damages; restitution; quasi-contract; equitable remedies (declarations, specific performance, injunctions, Anton Pillar orders, account, equitable damages); and statutory and common law remedies for deceptive conduct. The enforcement of remedies will also be considered.

Texts
Spry I C F, Equitable Remedies, Law Book Company.
Finn P D, Essays on Restitution, Law Book Company.

71115
INSOLVENCY
3cp
prerequisites: 70412 Corporate Law; 70511 Equity and Trusts
This subject is in two sections. The first half deals with bankruptcy, including debtor's petitions; creditors' petitions; acts of bankruptcy; bankruptcy notices; property available to creditors; effect of bankruptcy on property and legal proceedings; proofs of debt; meetings of creditors after bankruptcy; realisation of the bankrupt's estate; discharge; annulment and arrangements with creditors outside bankruptcy. The second half covers the winding up of insolvent companies, including: the statutory demand procedure; commencement of winding up; effect of winding up on the company, directors and creditors; appointment and powers of the liquidator; property available to creditors; proofs of debt; challenging the liquidator's decisions; termination of winding up.

Texts
Lewis A N, Australian Bankruptcy Law, Law Book Company.
McDonald, Henry and Meek, Australian Bankruptcy Law and Practice, loose-leaf, Law Book Company.
Australian Corporation Law, Volume 1, Butterworths.

71200
ELECTIVE SKILL: SPECIAL PROJECT
2cp
prerequisite: 70514 Family Law
The Special Project enables students to develop legal skills in an approved area of interest to them. A staff member of the Faculty will be appointed by the Associate Dean to supervise the student's work. Students interested in attempting this subject must consult the Director before enrolling to ensure that the proposed work is appropriate as a Special Project.

71201
SKILLS: ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION
2cp
prerequisite: 70900 Skills: Moot
The subject introduces the various types of dispute resolution, and the fundamental negotiation concepts of listening and questioning; the successful dispute resolution; the theory and techniques of negotiation with a simulation to illustrate principles and participation in a skills exercise; a brief examination of conciliation and arbitration methods, with distinctions being drawn between the main forms of dispute resolution; and
examination of dispute resolution criteria prepared in the first section and formal debriefing for the simulation exercises.

References

**71211**

**LAW OF EVIDENCE**

7cp

**prerequisites:** 70412 Corporate Law; 70511 Equity and Trusts

The subject includes the following topics: types of evidence; relevance, admissibility, weight of evidence; the course of the trial; functions of the judge and jury; the burden and standard of proof; competence and compellability of witnesses; privilege; character evidence; the rule against hearsay evidence and the common law and statutory exceptions; confessions and illegally obtained evidence; presumptions and corroboration.

**Texts**


**71212**

**REVENUE LAW**

7cp

**prerequisites:** 70412 Corporate Law; 70511 Equity and Trusts; 70612 Administrative Law

After an introduction to the federal and State taxation systems, the subject concentrates on a study of income tax law. Topics include the scheme of the *Income Tax Assessment Act*; concepts of income and capital; the concept of assessable income; the treatment of trading stock; allowable deductions and tax accounting; the taxation of different types of taxpayers; tax avoidance; objections, appeals and other administrative procedures; questions of source and residence; capital gains tax; imputation and fringe benefits tax.

**Texts**


**Elective subjects**

**77001**

**COMPARATIVE LAW A**

7cp

**prerequisite: nil**

The first section is concerned with an introduction to the major legal systems in the world. Emphasis will be placed on a study of the development of the Romano-Germanic system of law, the formation of the socialist legal system and the law of the United States of America. These legal systems will be compared with the common law system. Among the topics covered will be a study of the meaning, sources and structure of law in the legal systems under consideration. The civil law method will be illustrated by cases dealing with liability for torts (articles 1382–1386 of the French Civil Code). Other topics which will be discussed include the legal profession and the legal education in civil law as well as countries, an assessment of the adversary and inquisitorial criminal procedures, and the protection of human rights through the incorporation of customary law into domestic law.

The second section is devoted to French Administrative Law and the jurisprudence of the Conseil d’Etat.

**Texts**

Certoma C L, *The Italian Legal System*, Butterworths.
77003
COMPARATIVE LAW B

7cp
prerequisite: nil

The subject exposes students to another legal system. It is designed to introduce students to the reception of legal systems in the countries of South and South-East Asia, with special reference to the reception of English law and Islamic law.

Texts
Lewis B. *The Arabs in History*, Hutchinsons.
Coulson N. *History of Islamic Law*, Edinburgh University Press.

77004
ADMINISTRATION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE

7cp
prerequisite: 70212 Criminal Law

Topics include criminal investigation covering police interrogation, arrest, detention, search, seizure, remedies against the police, reception of confessional evidence and discretion to exclude evidence; criminal prosecution: bail, summary proceedings, committal proceedings, jury trials, discretion to prosecute, indictment, joint trials, pleas, duties of prosecutor, duties of trial judge; course of evidence, verdict, sentencing, criminal compensation, appeals.

Texts

77006
PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL LAW

7cp
prerequisite: 70611 Federal Constitutional Law

The following topics are selected for study in this subject with particular attention being paid to the development of the law through the machinery of the United Nations in its relationship with the state, international organisations and even the individual. The topics are: nature, characteristics and function of international law; sources of international law (including the role and characteristics of the International Court of Justice); law of treaties; concept of state sovereignty and domestic jurisdiction; relationship between international law, municipal law and the individual (including the international protection of human rights); statehood and sovereignty; personality, rights and duties of states; recognition of states and governments; state succession; territorial sovereignty of the land and sea (with emphasis on limits); jurisdiction of states (including jurisdictional competence, immunity from jurisdiction, asylum and extradition); immunities and privileges in diplomatic and consular relations; international organisations (especially the United Nations); armed conflict and settlement of international disputes.

Texts

77007
HUMAN RIGHTS

7cp
prerequisite: 70611 Federal Constitutional Law

The subject covers the establishment and enforcement of human rights, constitutional rights, common law rights, and international protection of human rights. Topics include freedom of speech, assembly and association; women's rights; antidiscrimination law; the rights (including land rights) of Aboriginals and the rights of immigrants and refugees.

Texts
77008

**JURISPRUDENCE**

7cp

*prerequisite: 70312 Law of Tort*

Deals with theoretical questions which are relevant to an understanding of the notion of law (e.g. What is the law of the state? Is there any other command, convention or the like that can also be called ‘law’?). It also includes a discussion of different approaches to the study of law (e.g. philosophical, sociological, historical, analytic, international, comparative) to determine its derivation, nature and function, as well as a discussion of the doctrines and techniques of legal analysis and evaluation. The various approaches are compared and criticised in the context of sociopolitical problems, conflicts and other phenomena. Topics here include causation and the law, sovereignty and the law, legal rights and duties, law and ideology. Their treatment in the common law will be examined. A number of theorists are considered e.g. von Savigny, Austin, de Jouvenel, Dworkin.

In conceptual terms, law is analysed as a logical system (legal), as a part of a composite system (social), and as a specific legal institution (e.g. constitutional law). Constitutionalism will be distinguished from legality, and the problem of political or social revolution addressed (in other words, how can legality be justified vis-a-vis the ensuing struggle for sovereignty in the state which is always present in any revolution?).

**Texts**


77011

**INDUSTRIAL AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY**

7cp

*prerequisite: 70312 Real Property*

This subject is intended to introduce and provide an understanding of the ways in which the legal system recognises, protects and regulates the exploitation of exclusive rights in certain intangible industrial and intellectual ‘property’. The basic structure will be: confidential information—trade secrets and the problem of know-how, scope of the present law, classification of type of protection, relation to patent system. Remedies available in industrial property. *Patents*: history of patents, patentable subject matter, application process, employee’s inventions, patent office and third party objections, grounds of invalidity, infringement, licences, assignment, Crown use, patents of addition, extensions. *Designs*: subject matter, registration, invalidity, infringement, relationship to the copyright system. *Trademarks and trade names*: protection at common law, passing off and S.52 of the *Trade Practices Act* 1974, unfair competition, trademark legislation and its relation to common law protection, right to apply, purpose of registration, distinctiveness, deception and confusion, defensive registration, certification marks, infringement, assignment, registered user agreement, the licensing and exploitation of marks, non-use and use by competitors. *Copyright*: history of copyright protection, nature of works and subject matter in which copyright subsists, nature of exclusive rights, ownership, assignment, licensing, infringement.

**Texts**


*Australian Industrial and Intellectual Property*, loose-leaf, CCH.


77012
CRIMINOLOGY
7cp
prerequisite: 70212 Criminal Law
This subject explores how crime is socially constructed. A diverse range of criminological issues is considered. These include official and non-official measures of crime; theories of crime; variables of crime (age, sex, ethnicity, socioeconomic status), as well as specific offences (e.g. homicide, white collar crime, sexual and non-sexual assault and disorderly behaviour). Additionally, methods of controlling crime and preventing crime are reviewed. Readings for this subject are derived from a collection of books, reports, articles and current conference papers.

Texts
Matthews R and Young J (eds), Issues in Realist Criminology, Sage Contemporary Criminology, 1992.

77014
LAW AND COMPUTERS
7cp
prerequisites: 70400 Skills: Computerised Legal Research; 70312 Real Property; 70212 Criminal Law
An introduction to computers as they relate to the administration and practice of the law, and to specific areas of the law as they relate to computers. After an analysis of computer concepts and terminology, with basic instruction in the use of personal computers, the subject deals with legal issues raised by computer technology (e.g. computer crime, software copyright and data protection), and the development of computer applications for legal use, with the major focus on leading-edge technologies, such as expert systems and hypertext systems.

Text
Electronic course materials are issued throughout the semester.

77015
LABOUR LAW
7cp
prerequisites: 70212 Criminal Law; 70311 Law of Tort
The subject consists of two parts: individual aspects of the employment relationship; and the formation, foundation and termination of the employment contract. The subject also examines the rights and liabilities of employers and employees under common law principles and legislation including occupational health and safety law, anti-discrimination law and remedies involving reinstatement.

Texts

77016
ADVANCED TAXATION LAW
7cp
prerequisite: 71212 Revenue Law
This subject builds on the understanding obtained from the completion of the core subject 71212 Revenue Law. It provides the student interested in a further study of taxation law, a specialised area of legal practice, with the opportunity to pursue that interest. Topics covered include a comparative study of taxable entities, case studies, budget implications; taxation of companies: specific tax issues, imputation/franking credits, capital gains tax issues; taxation of trusts: specific tax issues, taxation of beneficiaries and trustees; taxation of partnerships: specific tax issues, taxation of superannuation funds; taxation of joint ventures; international aspects of taxation; tax planning: income splitting assignments, Part IV A...
and section 260; tax administration; other taxes.

**Texts**


**77017**

**STRATA TITLE AND COMMUNITY SCHEMES**

*7cp*

**prerequisite:** 70312 *Real Property*

An introduction to the laws and practices regulating strata title developments and the increasing numbers of strata leasehold and community title developments. Topics include overviews of the various schemes (including alternatives to strata, strata leasehold and community title), boundaries, subdivision procedures, local government approval, staged development, common and association property, by-laws and management statements, managing agents, management procedures, disputes, insurance, variation and termination of schemes, strata leasehold lot and common property leases, the role of the solicitor acting for a developer, vendor, purchaser and mortgagee.

**Texts**


Bugden G F, *Strata Title Management Practice in New South Wales*, CCH.


**77018**

**INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC LAW**

*7cp*

**prerequisite:** *Commercial Transactions*

This is a branch of Public International Law and it is concerned, as the name would suggest, with the application of that law to the international economy. Because of the vastness of the topic, it is not possible to cover the subject in one semester: it is therefore proposed to deal with certain basic aspects, as well as a number of topics which are particularly pertinent at the time of lecturing. In this introductory topic, the following items will be discussed: sources of law; the present regime: the new economic order; the new world corporate order; the international economic order; the economic union. **Investment:** control of the multinational corporation; settlement of international investment disputes. **Finance:** The international Monetary Fund; floating currencies; foreign exchange control law and international contracts (Article VII of the IMF); aspects of international fiscal law; European monetary system; sovereign debt problems; Eurocurrency markets. **Trade:** the general agreements on tariffs and trade; the World Trade Organisation; protectionism and legal reactions; trading blocs, others; UNCTAD and the GSP; political controls and boycotts; international contracts, uniformity of international trade law; international commodity agreements. **National law and international economic law:** sovereign immunity; extraterritorial jurisdiction; subject matter jurisdiction; antitrust law; corrupt practices; securities law; personal jurisdiction; taxation (current problems, pricing, unitary taxation).

**Texts**

There is no single textbook covering the whole field. However the following texts are an excellent introduction:


**77022**

**LAW OF INSURANCE**

*7cp*

**prerequisites:** 70211 *Law of Contract*; 70411 *Commercial Transactions*

The subject concentrates on a study of the general principles of insurance law, but does not examine in detail the special rules
governing each class of insurance contract. After the nature of the contract of insurance is noted, key concepts will be dealt with: insurable interest, indemnity and subrogation, risk, non-disclosure, misrepresentation, conditions, warranties, premium. Subsidiary matters such as assignment of policies, liens and reinsurance will be considered. The role of insurance intermediaries in the formation of contracts of insurance will be examined. The subject thus focuses on the legal rights and liabilities of parties to an insurance contract in the context of common law principles and statutory modification. In addition, consideration will be given to the regulatory framework within which the insurance industry operates in Australia.

**Texts**
*Australian and New Zealand Insurance Reporter*, loose-leaf, CCH.

### 77023

**DECEPTIVE TRADE PRACTICES AND PRODUCT LIABILITY**

7cp

**Prerequisite:** 70411 Commercial Transactions

The following topics are considered: the constitutional basis of the *Trade Practices Act*; liability under the *Trade Practices Act* and Fair Trading legislation for misleading and deceptive conduct; remedies and criminal liability under the *Trade Practices Act*; liability for unconscionable conduct; liability of suppliers, service providers, financiers and manufacturers for defective products (including standards and bans).

**Texts**


### 77024

**ENVIRONMENTAL LAW**

7cp

**Prerequisite:** 70612 Administrative Law

The following topics will be considered: the philosophy of environmental law; the constitutional support for environmental actions; the legislative framework of both the Commonwealth and the States; the concept of ecologically sustainable development; the precautionary principle and its implementation through the legal process; pollution law in New South Wales covering the system of licensing and regulations; land use control; the use of natural resources (such as mining and forestry); the role of the courts—Supreme Court, the Land and Environment Court and the Local Court.

**Texts**

### 77026

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT LAW**

7cp

**Prerequisite:** 70612 Administrative Law

The functions, powers and duties of local government authorities, including the following topics: councils, members of council, council servants, council meetings, council powers, enforcement of local government and planning laws; control of local government authorities, administrative review, judicial review, common law actions against councils and their employees; finance, rates, valuation of land; acquisition of land; land use control, land use planning, development control; building regulation; subdivision; liquor law as it affects councils.

**Text**
77027

TRADE PRACTICES ACT

7cp
prerequisites: 70312 Real Property; 70411 Commercial Transactions

Topics include: introduction and economics; constitutional issues; monopolisation and relevant market analysis; mergers; anti-competitive agreements; resale price maintenance; price discrimination; exclusive dealing and international anti-trust and extraterritoriality.

Texts

77028

ADVANCED COMPANY LAW

7cp
prerequisite: 70412 Corporate Law

Given the fluid nature of company law, it is inappropriate to list a definitive set of topics, as the content will change to reflect current developments. This subject includes the following topics: equity finance, law of maintenance of capital, law of dividends, law concerning preference shares, share buy-backs, financial assistance; debt finance, debentures, secured indebtedness, priorities, guarantees; takeovers, takeovers code, defences, corporate disclosure; securities market, regulatory theories, corporate law reform processes, the Australian Securities Commission, the Stock Exchange and the stockbroker, regulation of specific market behaviour; company management; investigations; companies in difficulty, receivership, schemes of arrangement, official management, liquidation.

Text

77029

LAND DEALINGS

7cp
prerequisites: 70312 Real Property; 70300 Skills: Conveyancing

Examines the law on conveyancing in detail. It covers the formation of an enforceable contract; agreements and deeds; open contracts; caveat emptor, pre-contract inquiries and vendor disclosure; auction sales; deposits; risk and duty of care pending completion; statement of title; requisitions and objections; right of rescission; defects in title; errors and misdescription; legality of use and structures; inquiries and affectations; rates and notices; vacant possession; time for completion; remedies.

Texts

77037

ADVANCED CRIMINAL LAW

7cp
prerequisites: 70212 Criminal Law; 70412 Corporate Law

The subject is aimed at developing research, writing and analytical skills in developing areas of criminal law. Topics covered include issues arising out of the proposed Model Criminal Code for Australia, including attempt, strict and vicarious liability, the liability of companies and their officers, complicity, conspiracy, and the burden of proof. Developments in defences of provocation, duress and consent are analysed. Criminal liability issues such as intention, knowledge and recklessness are reviewed. Current topics such as proceeds of crime, investigative agencies' powers, Aboriginal persons, street offences, white-collar offences, complex fraud trials and the proposed uniform evidence Bills are discussed. The role of the criminal appellate law procedure is reviewed.

Text
Johnson P and Howie R, Criminal Practice and Procedure in New South Wales, Butterworths.
77039

JESSUP INTERNATIONAL MOOT
7cp
prerequisite: 70900 Skills: Moot
This elective encourages participation in the Jessup International Moot. This moot was established in 1962 by the American Society of International Law and is named in honour of Professor P C Jessup, Professor of International Law and Diplomacy at Columbia, and judge of the International Court of Justice 1960–69. The moot is now organised by the Association of Student International Law Societies, which operates under the auspices of the American Society of International Law in Washington. The moot is probably the most prestigious of international moots. Australia first entered the competition in 1977 and the University first entered a team in 1983.

The workload involved is particularly demanding: the problems circulated are on complex and current issues of international law. Detailed research into both international and comparative law is essential to prepare complex pleadings for both sides with a maximum size prescribed. The work involved is certainly no less than that for a large research project. The memorials are assessed by memorial judges, often including distinguished teachers of international law who do not sit in the round. In addition, there are at least two separate assessments of the moot by benches. These will typically consist of law teachers, practitioners and judges.

Because of the rules of the Jessup Moot, no assessment will be available until after conclusion of the Australian finals of the Jessup Moot in each year.

77040

RESEARCH PROJECT 4
7cp
prerequisites: 70412 Corporate Law; 70511 Equity and Trusts and any other subject relevant to the topic chosen
The Research Project enables students to develop research skills in an approved area of interest to them. A staff member of the Faculty will be appointed by the Associate Dean to supervise the student’s work. Students will be required to secure the approval of a topic by the Subject Coordinator before enrolling in the subject.

The aim of the Research Project is to further develop students’ research skills. Students are required to demonstrate a high level of understanding of the law relevant to the topic; the capacity to research and analyse legal material; the ability to use research tools and skills; and the ability to present the results of the research in a coherent and comprehensive form.

Students who hope to graduate with Honours must complete one of the Research Projects. Results will be taken into account in calculating the ‘Honours mark’ (see Honours Regulations, above).

Experience shows that most students require two semesters to complete a Research Project and are therefore advised to commence work and submit a proposal at least 12 months before anticipated completion of the Law course. If the project is to continue over two semesters students must also enrol in the subject in the second semester and pay HECS.

Students must obtain the signed approval of the Subject Coordinator of their Research Project topic together with that of their proposed supervisor before they may enrol in the subject.

Students may complete either 77040 Research Project 4 or 77050 Research Project 5 as an elective subject within the LLB.

77042

COMMUNICATIONS LAW
7cp
prerequisites: 70412 Corporate Law; 70612 Administrative Law
Telecom, Optus and Vodaphone compete with each other to supply services using new communications technologies described as ‘Information Superhighways’. Australia’s traditional broadcasters now face competition from cable-delivered pay television services.

The laws devised to regulate the provision of communications services are often referred to as the ‘Rules of the Road’. The once obvious distinction between broadcasting and telecommunications is becoming blurred. Many of the recent communications laws suffer from overly hasty drafting in an effort to keep up with new technologies.
The first half of this subject deals with traditional areas of communications regulation: defamation, contempt of court and contempt of parliament. The second half compares the statutory regimes established to regulate competition in, and the content of, telecommunications and broadcasting services. The roles and functions of the Australian Telecommunications Authority (AUSTEL), and the Australian Broadcasting Authority (ABA) are examined against a background of the media industry’s efforts at ‘self-regulation’.

Texts

77044
ADVANCED FAMILY LAW
7cp
prerequisite: 70514 Family Law
This subject will explore the legal relationships arising between members of families with particular emphasis on families involved in a breakdown of their family unit. Families constituted under the *Family Law Act 1975* and through de facto relationships will be the main focus of this subject. Other family units (e.g. gay and lesbian couples) will be referred to whenever relevant to the laws being studied.

Topics will include the financial consequences of family breakdown; child support; critical analysis of custody determinants; court process; practice matters and reform issues.

Texts

77045
LAW AND MEDICINE
7cp
prerequisite: 70612 Administrative Law
Deals with those areas of law that interact with the practice and administration of medicine and other health services. It includes the following topics: professional liability and medical negligence (including the issue of patient consent); medical ethics and issues, such as abortion, euthanasia and in vitro fertilisation; medical records (access and confidentiality); expert medical evidence in criminal and civil cases; regulation of the medical profession and health services (licensing and certification, review of administrative decisions affecting doctors and health workers, health insurance, public health); legal aspects of mental health and intellectual disability (including legal capacity, the administration of the estates of the mentally ill and intellectually handicapped, and the rights of the mentally ill and intellectually handicapped generally).

Texts

77046
WOMEN AND THE LAW
7cp
prerequisites: 70513 Succession; 70514 Family Law
This subject examines the role of the law in constructing and dismantling inequalities between men and women, and women’s place in society and within the legal profession.

Students will be expected to become familiar with the substantial body of knowledge relating to feminist jurisprudence and to conduct their own empirical research into particular areas of the law. Classes and assignments will involve the formulation of ideas and theories from relevant materials and also critical assessment of those ideas and theories. Particular attention will be paid to the relationship between women, law and the family (divorce, separation, de facto relationships, custody and domestic violence). The subject deals with the role
of the law in constructing and
deconstructing inequalities between
women and men; women and crime
(women as criminals and victims of
crime); women and sexuality; women and
work (including women as lawyers).

**Texts**

Graycar R and Morgan J, *The Hidden
Gender of Law*, Federation Press.
Naffine N, *Law and the Sexes*, Allen and
Unwin.

**77047**

**ADVANCED CONTRACTS**

7cp

prerequisites: 70511 Equity and Trusts; 71114
Remedies and Restitution

This subject addresses the question of how
contract law assists in the negotiation and
enforcement of agreements, as well as the
resolution of disputes arising out of
agreements. It will deal with selected areas
of practical relevance and legal difficulty
in the application of principles of contract
law to various transactions (uncertainty,
the exercise of judicial discretion to fill
gaps in agreements, implied terms,
illegality, termination of contracts); the
intervention of equity (estoppel, penalties,
relief from forfeiture, restitution,
unconscionability); legislative intervention
(Trade Practices Act 1974 (Cth), Fair Trading
Act 1987 (NSW), Contracts Review Act 1980
(NSW)); the relationship between tort law
and contract law, with reference to the law
of obligations.

**Texts**

Cheshire and Fifoot's *Law of Contract*,
Butterworths.
Greig D W and Davis J L R, *The Law of
Contract*, Law Book Company.
Meagher R F, Gummow W M C and
Lehane J R F, *Equity: Doctrines and Rem­
edies*, Butterworths.
Oxford University Press.
Tettenborn A M, *An Introduction to the Law
of Obligations*, Butterworths.

**77048**

**CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION
LAW**

7cp

prerequisite: 70612 Administrative Law

This subject deals with the development of
a distinct Australian citizenship, the right to
travel and immigration control in Australia.
Constitutional law issues, the legislative
framework and the Australian Government’s
humanitarian and international
obligations are treated. Particular topics
include: granting of citizenship, passports,
statutory concept of entry, refugee status,
change of status, deportation, government
policy, immigration programs, departmental
procedures and comparative study of
immigration control systems.

**Texts**

Burnett R, *Australian Immigration Law*,
loose-leaf, Butterworths.
Bevan V, *The Development of British Immi­
gration Law*, Croom Helm.
Department of Immigration, Local Gov­
ernment and Ethnic Affairs, *Procedures
Advice Manual*, loose-leaf, AGPS.
Fransman L, *British Nationality Law*,
Fourmat Publishing.
Pryles M, *Australian Citizenship Law*, Law
Book Company.

**77049**

**TRANSPORT LAW—SELECTED
PROBLEMS**

7cp

prerequisite: 70611 Federal Constitutional Law

This subject deals with the legal regime
governing the operation of the domestic
and international transportation systems.
Topics include the regulatory regime of
air, sea, land (road/rail), and multi-modal
transport; the carriage of goods and
passengers by sea (intra-state, interstate
and international carriage; charter parties;
bills of lading; admiralty jurisdiction;
maritime liens; salvage; general average);
domestic and international carriage of
goods, luggage, baggage and passengers
by air (especially the Warsaw Conven­
tion); the carriage of goods by land and
rail; and legal issues connected with the
multimodal transport of goods.

**Texts**

Chorley R S and Giles O C, *Shipping Law*,
Pitman.
77050
RESEARCH PROJECT 5
8cp
prerequisites: 70412 Corporate Law; 70511 Equity and Trusts and any other subject relevant to the topic chosen

The Research Project enables students to develop research skills in an approved area of interest to them. A member of the Faculty will be appointed by the Associate Dean to supervise the student's work. Students will be required to secure the approval of a topic by the Subject Coordinator before enrolling in the subject.

The aim of the Research Project is to further develop students' research skills. Students are required to demonstrate a high level of understanding of the law relevant to the topic; the capacity to research and analyse legal material; the ability to use research tools and skills; and the ability to present the results of the research in a coherent and comprehensive form.

Students who hope to graduate with Honours must complete one of the Research Projects. Results will be taken into account in calculating the 'Honours mark' (see Honours Regulations, above).

Experience shows that most students require two semesters to complete a Research Project and are therefore advised to commence work and submit a proposal at least 12 months before anticipated completion of the Law course. If the project is to continue over two semesters students must also enrol in the subject in the second semester and pay HECS.

Students must obtain the signed approval of the Subject Coordinator of their Research Project topic together with that of their proposed supervisor before they may enrol in the subject.

Students may complete either 77040 Research Project 4 or 77050 Research Project 5 as an elective within the LLB.

77051
INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW
7cp
prerequisites: 70612 Administrative Law; 71112 Conflict of Laws

This subject deals with legal aspects of international business transactions. An introductory segment explaining the international legal framework for the conduct of international trade in goods and services is followed by sessions dealing with the law relating to international sale of goods (governed by the International Convention on Sale of Goods), the law relating to international carriage of goods (governed by international conventions and international custom), the alternative methods for conduct of international business including joint ventures and countertrade, government mechanisms controlling entry of goods and unfair trading practices such as dumping and subsidisation of goods, financing international transactions (which will be primarily concerned with Uniform Rules for Documentary Credits) and international governmental agreements regulating trade in services.

Texts

77052
DISPUTE RESOLUTION
7cp
prerequisite: 71201 Skills: Alternative Dispute Resolution

The subject deals with the jurisprudence of dispute resolution, and the theory, dynamics and essential characteristics of each dispute resolution process, so that effective strategies for resolving a wide range of disputes can be formulated. Students will be given some exposure to, and training in, dispute resolution so that they can improve their use of negotiations, mediation and arbitration in practice.

Topics include: the concepts of dispute resolution, including negotiations, mediation, conciliation and arbitration; the nature of disputes: existing dispute resolution procedures; the theoretical, ethical and practical issues of negotiation and mediation.
Texts

**77053**

**INDUSTRIAL LAW**

7cp

prerequisites: 70212 Criminal Law; 70311 Law of Tort

Examines the Australian system for resolving industrial disputes by compulsory conciliation and arbitration. It concentrates on the federal arbitration system (and on federally registered unions), but reference will be made to State and overseas legislation, where appropriate. Topics include constitutional limitations to federal power; the workings of the *Industrial Relations Act*, including the content of awards; the legal status of trade unions; the legislative controls upon a trade union’s internal affairs; protection of unionism; legal controls over trade unions.

**Texts**

*Australian Labour Law Reporter*, loose-leaf, CCH.
*Australian Industrial Law Review*, CCH.
Smith D et al., *Trade Union Law in Australia*, Butterworths.

**77054**

**ADVANCED PUBLIC LAW**

7cp

prerequisites: 70611 Federal Constitutional Law; 70612 Administrative Law

This elective subject builds on the knowledge acquired by students in the subjects 70611 Federal Constitutional Law and 70612 Administrative Law. Topics covered in lectures will include: freedom of speech; freedom of assembly and association; due process; parliamentary restriction of judicial review; public policy; nationhood; an Australian republic; recent developments in constitutional and administrative law.

**Texts**

Zines I, *The High Court and the Constitution*, Butterworths.
Stein I (ed.), *Locus Standi*, Law Book Company.

**77057**

**JAPANESE LAW**

7cp

prerequisite: nil

This is an introductory subject to Japanese law. The primary aim of this subject is to help students build a knowledge base of Japanese law. For this reason the subject covers a wide range of topics, including the history of Japanese legal systems, the Japanese Constitution, the legal education and profession, the role of law in Japanese society and equal opportunity law. As part of the role of law in Japanese society, the subject will deal with dispute resolution in more depth.

**Texts**

UNDERGRADUATE SUBJECT DESCRIPTIONS

UNDERGRADUATE SUPPLY SUBJECTS

The following units are offered in the Faculty of Law’s Supply program. All units are of one semester’s duration. The prerequisite for all law units offered in the Business degree is at least Business Law (79202). Additional prerequisites for some advanced units are required. For units offered in the Nursing degree the prerequisite is 92125 Values in Nursing Practice. Not all subjects are offered every semester, and not all subjects are offered on both the City and Kuring-gai campuses.

Students are advised to consult the Director of the Undergraduate Supply Program, Michael Adams (330 5418), for information regarding unit coordinators and current assessment details.

79161
INTRODUCTION TO INSOLVENCY LAW
6cp
Insolvency Law sub-major
The aim of this unit is to introduce students to the history of bankruptcy; law and practice of bankruptcy; the purposes of bankruptcy legislation and procedures to be followed. The unit also compares the roles of trustee in bankruptcy with those of corporate liquidators and the broader issues of insolvency law.

79162
CORPORATE INSOLVENCY AND ADMINISTRATION
6cp
Insolvency Law sub-major
Topics covered in this unit include administration; proof of debts; mutual credit and set-off; secured creditors; property available to creditors; distribution and priority of debts; corporate insolvency (winding up) and voluntary administration.

79202
BUSINESS LAW
4cp
Core
This subject introduces students to the fundamental requirements of law in the contemporary business environment. Every aspect of business is now regulated by legislation and case law. All business decisions will naturally have a legal dimension to them and this may involve either a potential civil or criminal liability. Law is a dynamic subject and is constantly changing, thus lifelong skills need to be attained, with a strong emphasis on efficient research. The content focuses on fundamental legal skills followed by solid business applications, such as contract, negligence, trade practices, the environment and others.

79211
LAW FOR MARKETING MANAGEMENT
6cp
Business Law sub-major
The aim of this unit is to provide students with a sound knowledge of the relevant federal and State laws which affect business decisions in the field of marketing and to provide them with an understanding of the complex laws regulating marketing activities. Topics include consumer protection; product liability; product safety and standards; intellectual property and the regulation of competition, as well as risk assessment and compliance strategies.

79264
SECURITIES MARKET REGULATION
6cp
prerequisites: 79202 Business Law; 79365 Company Law
Taxation Law and Business Law sub-major
The objectives of this unit are to develop an understanding of the regulatory legal and financial nature of securities markets including the process of regulation and the various players involved, and an understanding of the different theoretical frameworks within which regulations can be analysed. Topics include the process of regulation; role of the legal regulators; role
of ethics upon the market; regulatory theories; market manipulation; insider trading, takeovers; information disclosure and creative accounting.

**79270**

**INDUSTRIAL AND LABOUR LAW**

*6cp*

*Business Law sub-major; Employment Relations sub-major*

The aim of this unit is to provide students with an awareness and understanding of the legal background to employer/employee relations and the industrial system as it operates, and is changing, within Australia. Topics include industrial tribunals; awards; industrial action, trade unions and employer organisations; collective bargaining and workers' compensation.

**79360**

**INSURANCE CONTRACTS**

*6cp*

*Business Law sub-major*

This unit will enable students to develop an understanding of the common law principles governing the enforceability of contracts, remedies for breach, termination and the law of agency; the changes effected by the principles associated with the drafting of insurance policy documentations and the impact that provisions of the *Insurance Contracts Act* have on this process.

**79364**

**ADVANCED INDUSTRIAL AND LABOUR LAW**

*6cp*

*Elective*

In conjunction with the Industrial and Labour Law unit, this subject will form an integral part of the whole area of Industrial Relations. Students will study aspects of the law governing the relationship of employer and employee and the rights and duties which attach to individuals in their capacity as employers and employees not covered in Industrial and Labour Law. It will include tortious, criminal and statutory liability including the protection of personal safety of employees and Workers' Compensation legislation. It will also deal with statutory regulation of the contract of employment apart from the conciliation and arbitration legislation.

**79365**

**COMPANY LAW**

*6cp*

*Accounting major; Business Law sub-major*

This unit is designed to provide students with a sound understanding of fundamental aspects of company law as it applies to the modern business corporation. Topics include incorporation; corporate constitution; promotion and pre-incorporation; company membership; duties of controlling shareholders; the raising of equity and debt; companies in difficulty; accounts and audit; reorganisation; takeovers and investigations.

**79366**

**BANKING LAW**

*6cp*

*Business Law sub-major; Banking sub-major*

This unit aims to provide students with an understanding of the manner in which banking institutions are regulated, dealing with the changes following the deregulation of banking. Topics include a historical introduction to the law relating to banking; statutory regulation of banking; the banker-customer relationship; negotiable instruments; the provision of loans and other banking facilities.

**79370**

**LAW AND CONTRACTS FOR MANUFACTURING**

*3cp*

*Bachelor of Technology in Manufacturing Engineering*

This unit aims to familiarise the student with the Australian legal framework, the sources of commercial engineering law in Australia and the responsibilities of engineers in a manufacturing environment, and to prepare the student for the procedures and processes of operating and negotiating contractual matters as a client, consultant or contractor. Topics include an introduction to Australian law; elements of engineering contracting including the contract life cycle; contract organisation;
application of quality assurance; occupational safety and security; environmental protection; product liability; intellectual property and principles of employment contracts.

79371
LEGAL ISSUES IN TELECOMMUNICATIONS
6cp
Bachelor of Engineering in Telecommunications Engineering
This unit introduces students to the legal context of telecommunications and information technology in Australia and internationally, and develops students' understanding of the interplay between technical, commercial and legal aspects of introducing a new product or service, and in particular how the regulatory structure shapes market opportunities. Topics to be covered include contract law; product liability; professional liability; intellectual property law; patents; privacy; consumer rights.

79376
INDUSTRIAL AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY
6cp
Elective
This subject focuses on the key intellectual property issues under copyright, patents, trademarks and common law areas. The subject develops skills and practices for protecting valuable intangible property, which can amount to millions of dollars and deals with the Commonwealth legislation and the various international treaties.

79403
LAW AND THE MANAGER
6cp
Business Law sub-major
This unit attempts to apply a selective number of legal topics to areas of interest to both public and private sector managers and aims to highlight a range of legal situations that directly affect managers. Topics covered include employment law; decision making and the legal consequences of decisions; administrative law; alternative dispute resolution; intellectual property, computers and the law.

79411
ADVANCED COMPANIES AND SECURITIES LAW
6cp
prerequisites: 79202 Business Law and 79365 Company Law
Taxation Law sub-major; Business Law sub-major; Professional Accounting Practice sub-major
As an advanced elective unit the aim is to examine in depth certain selected topics, with an emphasis on the practical and comprehensive treatment of topical areas, and to develop an understanding of the operations of the securities market and the Australian Securities Commission. Topics could include areas regulated by the Corporations Law, securities regulation, the broker/client relationship, the control of improper activities relating to takeovers, investigation and market manipulations and the simplification reform program.

79462
REVENUE LAW
6cp
Accounting major; Business Law sub-major
This unit aims to develop students' conceptual and analytical skills and an appreciation of law as a strategic business tool. It concentrates on a study of the Australian income tax system including the Income Tax Assessment Act. Topics include the concepts of income and capital, assessable income, allowable deductions, capital gains tax, fringe benefits tax, tax accounting, trusts, partnerships, and anti-avoidance.

79502
LAW AND FINANCE
6cp
Business Law sub-major
In this unit, students are introduced to a number of relevant aspects of law relating to private sector financing, an area of law that has undergone dramatic changes over recent years, becoming more sophisticated, complex and diverse. Topics could include an evaluation of the different methods of secured and unsecured financing, liability for financial advice, taxation aspects of financing and financial restructuring.
79503

LAW AND COMPUTING

6cp

Students are introduced to the relevant aspects of the law relating to computing, both common law and statute law. Areas of the law to be examined could include contracts, trademarks, patents, copyright, privacy, computers and crime.

79603

INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS LAW AND REGULATION

6cp

International Business major; Business Law sub-major

Students are introduced to those legal rules that affect most directly traders doing business where there is an international element involved. The unit focuses on matters relating to the formation of contracts in international business transactions, municipal and international regulation of such transactions, resolution of disputes with regard to contracts, and international tortious liability.

79606

ADVANCED REVENUE LAW

6cp

prerequisites: 79202 Business Law; 79462 Revenue Law

Advanced Revenue Law is an elective unit building on the principles developed in Revenue Law. The aim of the unit is to consider issues that are topical, controversial and important. Because of this, the content and style of the unit will change from year to year, reflecting developments and changed emphases. Topics could include capital gains tax, fringe benefits tax and salary packaging, taxation of retirement payments and superannuation funds, liability for professional negligence, tax ethics and tax agents.

79659

ADVANCED COMMERCIAL LAW

6cp

Business Law sub-major

Students are taught to develop a knowledge of business contractual obligations and their application to specific transactions. Topics include sale of goods; consumer protection; product liability; negligence; trusts; partnerships; agency; insurance; credit; negotiable instruments and bankruptcy.

79660

ENVIRONMENTAL LAW IN BUSINESS

6cp

Business Law sub-major; Societal and Corporate Issues in Accounting sub-major

This subject examines environmental law issues as they relate to the business community. Topics covered include international environmental law; ESD, precautionary principle; natural resources management; pollution; waste management; liability of corporate officers; risk management; environmental audits; due diligence; taxes; tradable permits.

79662

BUSINESS BANKRUPTCY

6cp

Insolvency Law sub-major

This is the second unit offered in the Insolvency sub-major and aims to provide students with an appreciation of the requirements for those appointed to act as receivers and managers and to alert students to alternatives to insolvency. Topics include how and why receivers are appointed, role of trustees in bankruptcy and aspects of personal and partnership bankruptcies.
79666
INTERNATIONAL ASPECTS OF AUSTRALIAN TAXATION LAW
6cp
prerequisites: 79202 Business Law; 79462 Revenue Law
Taxation Law sub-major; Professional Accounting Practice sub-major
This unit focuses on the offshore aspects of taxation. Although topics would vary from time to time, they could include an analysis of the concept of residence and source of income, taxation of offshore royalties, operation of double tax arrangements, international tax planning.

79667
INDIRECT TAXATION
6cp
prerequisites: 79202 Business Law; 79462 Revenue Law
Taxation Law sub-major; Small Business sub-major
This unit will introduce students to the policy implications raised by direct taxes. It will analyse options for reform and overseas experience with indirect tax systems and examine the basic principles of current indirect taxes in Australia and their practical implications. The topics focus on areas such as payroll tax, sales tax, land tax and stamp duty.

SUBJECTS SUPPLIED TO STUDENTS IN THE FACULTY OF NURSING

79001
LEGAL ISSUES AND DISADVANTAGED GROUPS
3cp
Elective
This unit aims to assist nurses working with disadvantaged groups to act as advocates for their clients, and to give them a sound understanding of the legal framework which supports and protects these groups in the community and hospitals. Particular reference will be made to mental health and anti-discrimination legislation.

79002
LEGAL ASPECTS OF HUMAN REPRODUCTION AND CHILD PROTECTION
3cp
Elective
This elective unit deals with some of society's most contentious topics and the attempt to introduce laws to deal with the dilemmas associated with them. Topics covered include abortion, surrogacy, in vitro fertilisation, euthanasia, child abuse and adoption legislation.

92125
VALUES IN NURSING PRACTICE
3cp
Core—Bachelor of Nursing
This is an introductory law unit developed for students in the Bachelor of Nursing and aims to provide an understanding of the legal framework within which the nursing profession exists. Specifically, it aims to demonstrate some points of interaction between the legal and ethical worlds as they relate to nursing. Topics also include an overview of the meaning of negligence, the notion of professional misconduct, industrial law and the mutual responsibilities of employers and employees.

92136
REASONING AND JUDGMENT IN NURSING PRACTICE
3cp
Core—Bachelor of Nursing
This unit focuses on legal issues relevant to nursing practice, such as the duty of care, breach of duty, the tort of negligence, trespass to the person, informed consent and circumstances where medical treatment intervenes between injury and death.
POSTGRADUATE COURSES

COURSE INFORMATION AND INQUIRIES

Administrative Officer (Postgraduate)
Ms Mary Ferguson
Telephone: 281 2699
Fax: 281 2127

Administrative Assistant (Postgraduate)
Mr Paul Holt
Telephone: 281 2699
Fax: 281 2127

Administrative Secretary (Postgraduate)
Mrs Nola Grierson
Telephone: 281 2699
Fax: 281 2127

Academic advice may be obtained from the Director of Postgraduate Programs
Mrs Alexis Goh
Telephone: 281 2699
Fax: 281 2127

UNIVERSITY GRADUATE SCHOOL

Inquiries in relation to application requirements, scholarships, fees and other administrative issues should be directed to the University Graduate School.

For inquiries about admissions, telephone 330 1523.

For inquiries about fees or records, telephone 330 1520.

For inquiries about scholarships, telephone 330 1521.

RULES FOR POSTGRADUATE STUDENTS

Candidates should consult the UTS Calendar or the Postgraduate Student Handbook for relevant rules. Copies of the UTS Calendar may be purchased from the Co-op Bookshop, and are also held in the University library.

EXEMPTIONS

Exemptions are not granted for subjects undertaken towards another completed academic program, or for studies not undertaken at the postgraduate level.

Applications for exemption will not be considered until after enrolment. Certified copies of academic transcripts and details of the subject content and assessment must be produced for each exemption sought.

As a general rule, exemptions may be granted for subjects studied less than six years ago. In subjects where there has been significant recent change in the law, the granting of exemptions will be at the discretion of the Subject Exemptions Subcommittee of the Faculty Board.

FEE EXEMPTION

In some cases postgraduate candidates may make application to the Faculty for exemption from postgraduate course fees on the grounds of disadvantage or financial hardship. Candidates who are granted exemption from postgraduate course fees will be charged HECS by the deferred taxation method for their program of study. Application for fee exemption must be made at the commencement of each semester of enrolment. Application forms and further details on postgraduate fee exemption are available from the University Graduate School.

CROSS-INSTITUTIONAL ENROLMENT

Subject to approval by the Director of Postgraduate Programs, candidates may undertake subjects in postgraduate programs at other universities. Up to one-half of the coursework component may be undertaken at another university. Applications to take subjects at overseas universities will also be considered.

A formal application, detailing the academic content and attendance and assessment requirements of the subject(s) proposed to be completed, must be made to the Director before enrolling with the other institution.
SCHOLARSHIPS

Information about the various scholarships available to postgraduate candidates is available from the Scholarships Manager, telephone 330 1521. Applications for scholarships for 1996 closed on 27 October 1995.

Candidates for the Graduate Certificate in Comparative Law and Master of Comparative Law should note that, as scholarship positions vary from country to country, applicants are advised to contact the Australian embassy in their country of origin to receive current information.

FEES

Australian residents

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Note: External award and non-award students—contact the External Award Office on 330 1559.

The fees quoted above are the overall cost of the program in 1996. Fees are charged per semester according to the credit-point value of the subject(s) in which the student is enrolled. In most cases students could expect to pay $110 per credit point. For example, a standard one-semester subject is worth six credit points and the tuition fee for such a subject would be $660.

All students are also required to pay annual student union and service fees. In 1995 these fees were $293 for new students and $273 for re-enrolling students.

1 Does not include MDR (LL59) or courses for international students.
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¹ $4,000 per semester; most students require at least two semesters to complete.

DEFERMENT OF ENROLMENT

Deferment is not available for postgraduate programs offered by UTS. Offers of admission that are not accepted lapse on the date of enrolment. Applicants who do not accept an offer of admission should therefore re-apply at the next intake.

PROVISION OF DOCUMENTATION RELATING TO POSTGRADUATE APPLICATIONS

Applicants to any program should note the following University requirements:

- All applications and associated documentation must be sent directly to the University Graduate School. Do not send any material to the Faculty.
- Original or certified copies of your documentation must be submitted. It is recommended that copies certified by the issuing authority or by an Australian university (e.g. UTS Information Service) be provided. UTS will also accept copies of an original document where verified by a certified accountant; a bank manager; a barrister or solicitor; a postal manager; a school principal; the university admission centre of any Australian State; an Australian overseas diplomatic mission; or a police officer at or above the rank of sergeant. The person verifying the original documents must provide his or her signature and telephone number and affix the official stamp or seal of their organisation on the copy. Photocopies certified by a Justice of the Peace will not be accepted.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES—COURSEWORK AND SJD PROGRAMS

Applicants should complete either a UTS Application for Admission—Postgraduate Courses form or a Doctoral Degrees Application form available from the University Graduate School, the UTS Information Service, or the Faculty of Law.

Completed applications, including certified copies of the academic transcripts for all qualifications the applicant has obtained and a full curriculum vitae, should be addressed to the Academic Registrar if lodged by post, or if lodged in person may be handed to staff at the UTS Information Service, Level 4, City campus, Broadway. Certified copies of original documentation can be made at the UTS Information Service if required.

Most coursework applicants may apply for admission at four stages (check the entry for your proposed program):

Summer program: Applications for the Summer program 1996 closed on Friday 27 October 1995. Applicants will be notified
about their application in early December 1995. Enrolment will take place in the first week of January 1996.

**Autumn semester:** Applications for the Autumn semester closed on **Friday 27 October 1995**. Applicants will be notified about their application in late January 1996. Enrolment will take place in February 1996.

**Winter program:** Applications for the Winter program close **Friday 24 May 1996**. Applicants will be notified about their application and enrolled in June 1996.

**Spring semester:** Applications for the Spring semester close **Friday 24 May 1996**. Applicants will be notified about their application and enrolled in July 1996.

Please note that the number of places available in the programs is limited. However, all appropriately qualified persons are encouraged to submit an application. Applications are assessed in the first instance by the Director of Postgraduate Programs and UTS staff will not speculate as to an applicant’s likelihood of success.

**OVERSEAS STUDENTS**

Applicants must satisfy the English language proficiency requirements of the University, which require international candidates to have a minimum International English Language Testing System (IELTS) score of 6.5 before enrolling in postgraduate studies. For further details contact the International Programs Office, PO Box 123, Broadway 2007 Australia, telephone 61 2 330 1531; fax 61 2 330 1530.

Owing to student visa restrictions international candidates must enrol on a full-time basis only.

Applicants who are not permanent residents of Australia should complete a UTS International Programs Application for Admission form, available from the International Programs Office. Completed applications, with originals or certified copies of all supporting documents, should be addressed to the Director of International Programs. Applications by non-residents should be accompanied by the A$50 application fee (non-refundable).

**ATTENDANCE**

The postgraduate program may be undertaken on a full-time or part-time basis. Please note, because of visa requirements, international students must study full time. A number of different attendance modes are available.

The majority of postgraduate subjects are offered within the Autumn and/or Spring semesters. As a guideline, a six-credit-point subject offered within the Autumn semester would normally require attendance of two hours each week over a 14-week semester. Lectures are usually scheduled in the evenings, commencing no earlier than 5.00 p.m.

**Autumn semester**—
4 March to 14 June 1996  
**Spring semester**—
29 July to 8 November 1996

The Faculty offers a number of postgraduate subjects in an intensive attendance mode in the Summer and Winter programs. In Summer and Winter program subjects, the contact hours are equivalent to those of one- or two-semester subjects, but lectures are held daily over a concentrated period. For example, a six-credit-point subject offered in the Summer program may require students to attend for two-and-a-half hours per day over 10 days. Summer/Winter program candidates are required to commence preparation in advance of the lectures, and complete their assessment in the semester following the period of attendance.

This attendance mode is particularly suited to interstate or international candidates who may complete their coursework requirements in the Summer and Winter programs. However, students may not undertake subjects totalling more than 24 credit points in any one Summer or Winter program.

In 1996, the Summer program will be held in January; the Winter program will be held in June–July. Some courses are not taught in Winter/Summer programs. Please check the individual course entry.

Some postgraduate subjects, such as the Research Project, Research Paper and the International Comparative Law Project, do not require formal attendance at the Faculty, and may be completed externally,
subject to appropriate academic supervision arrangement.

**ASSESSMENT**

While assessment varies from subject to subject, students may be required to do one or more of the following: final examinations, informal examinations, take-home examinations, assignments, research work, class participation, presentation of seminar papers or a *viva voce*.

Coordinating examiners will advise students of the mode of assessment for their subjects by notice on the noticeboard by the end of the third week of the semester.

The written assessment for a six-credit-point subject will normally total 6,000–7,500 words; the written assessment for a 12-credit-point subject will normally total 12,000–15,000 words.

**FORMAL REQUIREMENTS**

Essays and other written work should be prepared in accordance with the guidelines laid down in the Faculty of Law’s *Guide to Essay Writing* which may be obtained from the General Papers Office. (Price as at 1995: AU$2.50).

**MANDATORY CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION**

Participation in postgraduate study may entitle candidates to MCLE points. If this particular educational activity is relevant to a student’s immediate or long-term needs in relation to their professional development and practice of the law, they may claim one ‘unit’ per hour of attendance, refreshment breaks not included. For further details contact the Law Society of NSW.

**TRANSFERS TO OTHER POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMS**

Candidates who wish to transfer to other postgraduate degree programs offered by the Faculty of Law must meet admission criteria (see the individual entries in this handbook for further details).

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**Doctor of Philosophy**

A candidate for the PhD is required to submit a thesis of approximately 100,000 words representing an original contribution to the knowledge of a subject. Applicants should contact the Director of Postgraduate Programs to discuss their proposed program of study before they submit their application.

**ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

Candidates for the PhD must have a Master’s degree, or a Bachelor’s degree with First Class Honours or Second Class Honours (Division 1).

Candidates will also be required to provide satisfactory evidence of their ability to undertake advanced research appropriate to their doctoral program.

**AREAS OF RESEARCH INTEREST**

The academic staff of the Faculty have research interests in the following areas: dispute resolution; air law; business law (national and international), particularly in relation to banking and finance; Chinese law, in particular foreign investment, copyright, and dispute resolution; comparative law; computer law and computerised legal retrieval; economic law; environmental law; European Union law; family law; human rights law; intergovernmental immunity; international law, including international migration law, international relations, and international trade and financial law; intellectual and industrial property law; joint ventures and trade agreements; jurisprudence; legal drafting; legal philosophy; legal research and selected aspects of legal history; local government; statutory interpretation; taxation—domestic and international; tort law; trade law.

This list is intended as a guide only and proposals for supervision of research degrees in other areas may be considered.

**TRANSFER FROM LLM (BY THESIS)**

Candidates in the LLM (by thesis) program may apply to transfer to the PhD after a minimum of one year’s study, and having reached a standard equivalent to that of a Bachelor’s degree with First Class
Honours or Second Class Honours (Division 1). Candidates applying to transfer must demonstrate, with the support of their supervisor(s), that their topic has Doctoral scope. Final approval of the transfer resides with the University Graduate School Board.

**DISSERTATION TOPIC**

PhD candidates must provide details of their proposed topic when they submit their application. The topic will then be submitted to the Higher Degree Committee for approval. Final approval for the admission of candidates and approval of topics reside with the University Graduate School Board. Once final approval is obtained, the topic cannot be changed except with the approval of these committees.

**SUPERVISION**

PhD candidates must discuss the supervision of their Doctoral program with the Director. Supervisors will be appointed from within the full-time staff of the Faculty of Law. Subject to approval, an external co-supervisor may also be appointed. Candidates are required to meet with their supervisor(s) at least once a month, to discuss the research being undertaken.

**PROGRESS REPORTS**

At the end of each semester of candidacy, PhD candidates must submit a report to their principal supervisor detailing their progress to date. The supervisor will indicate whether progress is satisfactory or unsatisfactory.

**DOCTORAL ASSESSMENT**

PhD candidates are required to undergo a Doctoral assessment within the first year of candidacy. The object of the assessment is to ensure that candidates are equipped with the knowledge to carry out their research program, and have made sufficient progress to complete their program within the prescribed time.

The Doctoral assessment may take the form of a written or oral examination. As part of the assessment, candidates will normally present a seminar to the University on their dissertation topic and methodology, of approximately one hour’s duration.

Candidates who do not satisfy the requirements for the Doctoral assessment will not be permitted to proceed with their candidacy unless, with the approval of the Academic Board, they are invited to re-attempt the assessment.

**ATTENDANCE**

PhD candidates are not normally required to attend classes, though some coursework may be required before commencing the thesis. Regular contact should be maintained with the supervisor(s) throughout a candidate’s enrolment. Candidates must comply with the University Graduate School Board’s Code of Practice for Supervisors and Doctoral Candidates.

Interstate and international applicants should note that some attendance in Sydney is a requirement.

**MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM ENROLMENT PERIODS**

The PhD program requires the following minimum enrolment periods:

For candidates with a Master’s degree, the program may be completed in a minimum of four semesters of full-time enrolment, or six semesters of part-time enrolment. For candidates with a Bachelor’s degree (Honours), the program may be completed in a minimum of six semesters of full-time enrolment, or eight semesters of part-time enrolment.

Regarding the maximum enrolment period, full-time students must submit their thesis not later than 10 semesters from the date of their registration; for part-time students, the maximum time allowed is 15 semesters from the date of their registration.

Candidates must lodge a Notification of Intent to Submit a Thesis form with the University Graduate School at least two months before submitting their thesis. Information about the requirements on the presentation and format of the thesis will be forwarded to candidates when this form is lodged.
ORAL PRESENTATION

Candidates are required to make an oral presentation of the thesis within the final six months before the submission of the thesis.

This is in addition to the Doctoral assessment which is required in the early stages of enrolment in the PhD program.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES

Applicants for the PhD degree should contact the Director of Postgraduate Programs to discuss their proposed program of study before submitting their application.

They should complete a Doctoral Degrees Application for Admission form, available from the University Graduate School, the UTS Information Service, or the Faculty of Law.

PhD applications may be lodged at any stage of the academic year.

All applicants will receive notification in writing of the success of their application.

Doctor of Juridical Science

The Doctor of Juridical Science (SJD) program offered by the Faculty of Law was the first degree of its kind in Australia. It combines coursework and original research culminating in a Doctoral dissertation. With this unique combination of coursework and research, the SJD program counters the isolation experienced by many PhD candidates. The SJD program provides candidates with the opportunity to develop their Doctoral topic through their coursework program, and allows candidates to benefit from contact with other postgraduate candidates and the academic staff of the Faculty.

A candidate for the SJD program must complete coursework totalling 48 credit points. A brief description of the subjects offered by the Faculty is outlined at the end of this handbook; detailed descriptions are available from the Administrative Secretary.

After completion of the coursework component, the SJD candidate undertakes a Doctoral dissertation. The dissertation must represent an original contribution to a field of study, and have a legal focus and analysis. It should be approximately 50,000-70,000 words in length. All coursework requirements must be completed before the dissertation is commenced.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Candidates for the SJD program must have a Master’s degree in Law, or a Bachelor’s degree with First Class Honours or Second Class Honours (Division 1). Candidates are also required to provide satisfactory evidence of their ability to undertake advanced research appropriate to their doctoral program.

TRANSFER FROM OTHER POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMS

It may be possible to transfer to the SJD in accordance with the University Rules. For more information contact the University Graduate School.
DISSERTATION TOPIC
As the SJD degree is a professional legal qualification, dissertation topics should have a legal focus and analysis. SJD candidates should submit proposals for dissertation topics to the Director of Postgraduate Programs before lodging their application. Proposals will then be submitted for the approval of the Graduate Courses Committee. Final approval for the dissertation topic resides with the University Graduate School Board. Once final approval is obtained, the topic cannot be changed except with the approval of these committees.

SUPERVISION
Candidates should discuss the supervision of their Doctoral program with the Director of Postgraduate Programs when they submit their proposed topic. Supervisors will be appointed from within the full-time staff of the Faculty of Law. Subject to approval, an external co-supervisor may also be appointed.

PROGRESS REPORTS
At the end of each semester of enrolment in the dissertation component, candidates must submit a report to their principal supervisor detailing their progress to date. The supervisor will indicate whether progress is satisfactory or unsatisfactory.

DOCTORAL ASSESSMENT
SJD candidates are required to undergo a Doctoral assessment within the first year of enrolment in the dissertation component. The object of the assessment is to ensure that candidates are equipped with the knowledge to carry out their research program, and have made sufficient progress to complete their program within the prescribed time.

The Doctoral assessment may take the form of a written or oral examination. As part of the assessment, the candidate will normally present a seminar to the University on their dissertation topic and methodology, of approximately one hour's duration.

Candidates who do not satisfy the requirements for the Doctoral assessment will not be permitted to proceed with their candidacy unless, with the approval of the Academic Board, they are invited to re-attempt the assessment.

MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM ENROLMENT PERIODS
The SJD program requires the following minimum enrolment periods:
For candidates with a Master’s degree, the program may be completed in a minimum of four semesters of full-time enrolment or six semesters of part-time enrolment.
For candidates with a Bachelor’s degree (Honours), the program may be completed in a minimum of six semesters of full-time enrolment or eight semesters of part-time enrolment.

Regarding the maximum enrolment period, full-time students must submit their dissertation no later than 10 semesters from the date of their registration; for part-time students, the maximum time allowed for completion of all academic requirements is 15 semesters from the date of their registration. Since the SJD degree is primarily a research degree, the recommended full-time enrolment pattern is a minimum two semesters of coursework and four semesters of research.

The recommended part-time enrolment pattern is a minimum of four semesters of coursework and 8 semesters of research.

ORAL PRESENTATION
Candidates are required to make an oral presentation of the dissertation in the final six months before the submission of the dissertation.

COURSE STRUCTURE
Flexibility in attendance is one of the features of the SJD program offered by UTS. Candidates may undertake any combination of subjects offered in the different attendance modes, to a total of 48 credit points, before commencing their dissertation component. The Summer and Winter programs are available to SJD students.
APPLICATION PROCEDURE

The process of having a dissertation topic approved and supervisors appointed usually takes two to three months. Applicants need to have their dissertation topic approved before commencing the coursework component. The first step is to contact the Director of Postgraduate Programs in the Faculty of Law to discuss the proposed research topic before submitting a formal application. Applicants should then complete a UTS Doctoral Degrees Application for Admission form, available from the University Graduate School, the UTS Information Service or the Faculty of Law.

Master of Laws (by thesis)

A candidate for the Master of Laws (by thesis) is required to submit a thesis of approximately 40,000–60,000 words, representing an original investigation, criticism or review of a field of legal research, of a standard suitable for publication. Candidates are required to submit reports to their principal supervisor each semester, detailing their progress. Applicants should contact the Director of Postgraduate Programs to discuss their proposed thesis topic before submitting their application.

AREAS OF RESEARCH INTEREST

The particular postgraduate research interests of academic staff are listed on pages 138-9.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Candidates for the Master of Laws (by thesis) must have an LLB degree or equivalent qualification, must demonstrate competence in the area of research and may be required to satisfy other additional requirements. Final approval for the admission of candidates and approval of topics resides with the University Graduate School Board.

ATTENDANCE

Candidates are not normally required to attend formal classes, though some coursework may be required before commencing the thesis topic. Monthly contact must be maintained with the supervisors throughout a candidate’s enrolment. Candidates should comply with the University Graduate School Board’s Code of Practice for Supervisors and Master’s (by thesis) Candidates.

MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM ENROLMENT PERIODS

The program may be completed in a minimum of four semesters of full-time study or six semesters of part-time study. The maximum period allowed for completion of the thesis is six semesters of full-time study or nine semesters of part-time study.
Candidates must lodge a Notification of Intent to Submit a Thesis form with the University Graduate School at least two months prior to submitting their thesis. Information on the presentation and format of the thesis will be forwarded to candidates when this form is lodged.

**UTS RULES FOR STUDENTS ENROLLED IN A MASTER’S DEGREE (BY THESIS)**

Candidates should consult the UTS Calendar or the Postgraduate Student Handbook for the relevant rules.

**APPLICATION PROCEDURES**

Applicants for the Master of Laws (by thesis) should contact the Director of Postgraduate Programs to discuss their proposed thesis topic before submitting their application.

Applicants should complete a UTS Application for Candidature—Master’s Degrees by Thesis form, available from the University Graduate School, the UTS Information Service, or the Faculty of Law.

Applicants may apply for admission at any stage of the academic year.

**Master of Laws (by coursework)**

The Master of Laws (by coursework) program offers candidates a wide choice of subjects and features innovative attendance patterns to suit practising professionals.

The program may be undertaken on either a full-time or part-time basis, with the majority of candidates currently enrolled on a part-time basis and completing the program over a period of two to three years.

Candidates are required to complete subjects totalling 48 credit points. A brief description of the subjects offered in the program is outlined at the end of this handbook; detailed descriptions are available from the Administrative Secretary.

**ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

Candidates for the Master of Laws (by coursework) program must have an LLB or high professional standing for admission as Category A applicants. They may also be required to satisfy other additional requirements.

Applicants with other legal qualifications may be admitted as Category B candidates. Applicants in this category are required to attend seminars in Advanced Legal Research in their first year of enrolment. Candidates must pass this subject and all other subjects attempted in the first year of candidacy.

The number of places available in the program each year is limited. However, all suitably qualified persons are encouraged to apply. Applications are assessed by the Director of Postgraduate Programs in the first instance, and other UTS staff will not speculate on an applicant’s likelihood of success.
CONCENTRATIONS OFFERED IN THE LLM (BY COURSEWORK)

A student may choose an appropriate mix of subjects to constitute a major within the LLM (by coursework) program in a specific area. The majors available are:

- Dispute Resolution
- Asian Law
- Commercial Law
- Intellectual and Industrial Property Law
- Industrial Law
- International Banking and Financial Law
- International Business Law
- International Transport Law
- Public Law
- Taxation Law

To undertake a major, candidates must complete subjects totalling a minimum of 30 credit points within the area of the major. Honours candidates must complete subjects totalling 18 credit points plus the Research Project to qualify for a major. A student wishing to take more than 30 credit points in Dispute Resolution subjects should enrol in the Master of Dispute Resolution.

COURSE STRUCTURE

Flexibility in attendance is one of the features of the LLM (by coursework) program offered by UTS. Candidates may undertake any combination of subjects offered in the different semesters, requiring a total of 48 credit points to complete the degree.

AWARDING OF HONOURS

Candidates who wish to be eligible for Honours in the Master of Laws (by coursework) are required to enrol in 77725 Research Project over two semesters. This Research Project would comprise 12 credit points of the 48 credit points required to complete the program. As the project will normally develop and extend work done in one or more of the subjects already undertaken, candidates are recommended to enrol in the project in their final two semesters. Candidates considering enrolment in the Research Project should obtain a copy of the Research Project Regulations, available from the Administrative Secretary.

Candidates who enter the program under 'Category B' admission criteria are also eligible to be awarded the LLM degree with Honours. The result for the compulsory corequisite subject Advanced Legal Research is not included in calculating the average score for 'Category B' candidates.

To be eligible for Honours in the LLM by coursework, candidates must complete 77725 Research Project and attain an average mark of 75 per cent in their subjects.

MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM ENROLMENT PERIODS

The LLM program may be completed in a minimum of two semesters of full-time attendance or four semesters of part-time attendance.

Maximum time periods for completion also apply:

- for a full-time student, discontinuation of registration may take place if all academic requirements for the course are not completed within six semesters from the time of registration;
- for a part-time student, discontinuation of registration may take place if all academic requirements for the course are not completed within nine semesters from the time of registration.
Master of Dispute Resolution

The Master of Dispute Resolution (MDR) is the first Master's degree in dispute resolution in Australia. The MDR is a multidisciplinary program and provides the theory, skills and practice of dispute resolution particularly to professionals, executives and administrators. The MDR promotes understanding of and research into this developing area of legal, commercial, organisation and community application. Dispute resolution as a discipline covers dispute prevention and minimisation, dispute management, dispute resolution and dispute system design.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should hold a Bachelor's degree from an Australian university, or an equivalent tertiary qualification. Applicants who have not gained the requisite tertiary qualification may be admitted if they demonstrate equivalent work experience and the ability to undertake projects at an advanced level. Completion of the qualifications of professional bodies in dispute resolution e.g. the Institute of Arbitrators, may be accepted as proof of ability to undertake such projects. Applicants who do not hold a tertiary qualification may be offered a place in the program which is conditional, that is, the compulsory core subject must be satisfactorily completed before a formal admission to the program.

ATTENDANCE

The MDR program is offered on a part-time basis only, and is completed over a minimum of two-and-a-half years of study.

The MDR program requires completion of subjects totalling 54 credit points (see Course Structure below). There is a variety of ways in which these subjects will be offered. Some of the more theoretical subjects will be offered in the traditional format, with weekly lectures of approximately two hours per subject over a 15-week semester. The majority of subjects focus on theory and practical skills and use a combination of lectures and intensive workshops. Subjects offered in the intensive workshop mode will have an equivalent number of contact hours to subjects offered in the traditional lecture format. In the latter subjects, seminar paper presentation days are held approximately one month after the intensive workshop. Some attendance between 9.00 a.m. and 5.00 p.m. on weekdays and weekends may be a requirement of the MDR program.

The majority of the MDR subjects will be offered in the Autumn and Spring semesters, though a limited number of electives are offered in the Summer and Winter programs. In 1996, the compulsory core subject, 77735 Dispute Resolution, will be offered in the Autumn semester and in the Winter program.

MASTER OF LAWS MAJORING IN DISPUTE RESOLUTION

Subjects offered in the MDR program may also be undertaken as part of a major in Dispute Resolution within the LLM (by coursework) program—see the LLM (by coursework) entry above for further details. To undertake a major in Dispute Resolution within the LLM program, candidates must complete dispute resolution subjects totalling 30 credit points, including the compulsory core subject 77735 Dispute Resolution. LLM/SJD candidates are limited to a maximum of 30 credit points of dispute resolution subjects. Candidates who wish to complete more than 30 credit points in dispute resolution should enrol in the MDR program.

Only applicants with an undergraduate legal qualification are eligible for entry into the LLM program. It should be noted that the MDR program offers a more in-depth qualification in Dispute Resolution; course selection will depend upon a candidate's career goals and other relevant considerations. Please contact the Course Coordinator or the Centre for Dispute Resolution for further details. MDR candidates will be given priority in enrolment over LLM/SJD candidates in any Dispute Resolution subjects.
ASSESSMENT

Assessment for MDR subjects may involve a variety of methods including a research paper or papers requiring high standards of academic scholarship, seminar participation, and seminar presentation. Participation in skills-based workshops will also form a significant percentage of the assessment mark. Some observation evaluations of practical skills are also used in the intensive workshops but do not contribute towards assessment for the course. The observation evaluations may be relevant when applying for accreditation with professional organisations external to the University.

The written assessment component of the introductory core subject, 77735 Dispute Resolution, requires the completion of papers totalling 12,000 words.

The six-credit-point elective subjects require the presentation of paper(s) totalling 6,000 words for each subject undertaken.

The compulsory final subject is either the Research Project or the Research Paper, which requires candidates to produce a paper of a high academic standard totalling 15,000–20,000 words and 8,000–10,000 words respectively.

MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM ENROLMENT PERIODS

The MDR program may be completed in a minimum of five semesters of part-time attendance.

Discontinuation of registration may take place if all academic requirements for the program are not completed within nine semesters from the time of registration.

COURSE STRUCTURE

Candidates must complete two compulsory subjects. 77735 Dispute Resolution is the compulsory first subject. The 77780 Research Paper (DR) or 77781 Research Project (DR) must be completed as the final subject. Students also complete electives totalling 30 credit points.

A typical program may be:

Year 1

Semester 1
77735 Dispute Resolution (two-semester subject)

Semester 2
77735 Dispute Resolution (cont.) (12cp)
77745 Negotiation (6cp)

Year 2

Semester 1
77746 Advanced Mediation (6cp)
77761 Dispute Resolution in Commerce (6cp)

Semester 2
77747 Pacific Rim Dispute Resolution (6cp)
77749 Construction Industry Dispute Resolution (6cp)

Year 3

Semester 1
77781 Research Project (DR) (12cp)

ELECTIVES

Electives for the MDR program may be chosen from subjects which include the following:

77746 Advanced Mediation (6cp)
77750 Anti-Discrimination Dispute Resolution (6cp)
77752 Commercial Arbitration (Domestic) (6cp)
77763 Community Dispute Resolution (6cp)
77749 Construction Industry Dispute Resolution (6cp)
77765 Court-based Dispute Resolution (6cp)
77761 Dispute Resolution in Commerce (6cp)
77764 Environmental Dispute Resolution (6cp)
77760 Family Dispute Resolution (6cp)
77762 Industrial Dispute Resolution (6cp)
77751 International Commercial Arbitration (6cp)
77717 International Commercial Dispute Resolution\(^1\) (12cp)
77745 Negotiation (6cp)
77747 Pacific Rim Dispute Resolution (6cp)
77748 Victim/Offender Dispute Resolution (6cp)
77780 Research Paper (DR) (6cp)

\(^1\) Equivalent to two electives.

A limited number of electives will be offered in any one year. Brief descriptions of the subjects listed are given below. Detailed subject descriptions are available from the Secretary to the Course Coordinator or the Centre for Dispute Resolution, telephone 281 1623, fax 281 1529.

AWARDING OF HONOURS
To qualify for Honours in the MDR candidates must attain a minimum average mark of 75 per cent and must complete the two-semester subject 77781 Research Project (DR).

Graduate Certificate in Dispute Resolution\(^1\)
The Graduate Certificate in Dispute Resolution is a shorter course for students who do not wish to undertake the full Master of Dispute Resolution. It will provide practical experience and skills-based tuition, with scope for students to concentrate on areas of special interest.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
Applicants should hold a three-year undergraduate degree from an Australian university or equivalent. Applicants who have not gained the requisite tertiary qualifications may be admitted if they demonstrate equivalent work experience and a proven ability to undertake projects at an advanced level. Admission of the second category of students will be at the discretion of the Dean, the Director of Postgraduate Programs and the Course Coordinator. Admission will also be conditional upon these candidates satisfactorily completing the initial compulsory subject 79771 Dispute Resolution (S).

ATTENDANCE
The GCDR program will be offered on a part-time basis only and will require the completion of 24 credit points completed over a minimum of two semesters (see Course Structure below). These subjects will be offered in a variety of ways, mostly using a combination of lectures and intensive workshops. Subjects offered in the intensive workshop mode will have an equivalent number of contact hours to subjects offered in the traditional lecture format. If a subject is taught in intensive workshops, seminar paper presentation days are held approximately one month after the workshop. Attendance at these follow-up days is compulsory.

Some attendance between 9.00 a.m. and 6.00 p.m. on weekdays and weekends will be a requirement of the GCDR program.

\(^1\) Proposed new course for introduction in 1996, pending final approval
COURSE STRUCTURE

Students complete the core subject and then 18cp of electives chosen from the list below.

**Core subject**

- 797111 Dispute Resolution (S) (6cp)

**Electives**

- 77745 Negotiation (6cp)
- 77746 Advanced Mediation (6cp)
- 77760 Family Dispute Resolution (6cp)
- 77761 Dispute Resolution in Commerce (6cp)
- 77783 International Commercial Dispute Resolution (6cp)

ASSESSMENT

Participation in skills programs will form a significant percentage of the assessment mark. Candidates will be required to submit research papers in each subject. For example, candidates will be required to submit a paper of 6,000–7,500 words for a subject valued at six credit points.

TRANSFER TO THE MDR

Candidates who wish to transfer to the MDR program will be required to complete a Master’s qualifying subject. This will take the form of an additional six-credit-point subject 77780 Research Paper (DR). If the Master’s qualifying subject is passed, candidates will not take out the Graduate Certificate in Dispute Resolution but will be transferred to the Master of Dispute Resolution with advanced standing.

MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM ENROLMENT PERIODS

The GCDR program may be completed in a minimum of two semesters of part-time attendance.

Discontinuation of registration may take place if all academic requirements for the program are not completed within four semesters from the time of registration.

**Master of Taxation Law**

The Master of Taxation Law program is designed to provide specialist education in the complex area of taxation, a key factor in all activities of modern business. Candidates for this program must complete coursework totalling 48 credit points, over a minimum of five semesters of part-time study. The program may be undertaken in two formats:

1. incorporation of the core requirements of the Institute of Chartered Accountants for the Professional Year (PY) program; or
2. the Master of Taxation Law program may be undertaken by those who are already lawyers, or members of the ACA or ICA, by substituting additional taxation electives for the PY component.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

The minimum requirements for admission to the Master of Taxation program are:

- a degree with an appropriate major;
- completion of a relevant Graduate Diploma at a credit average level; or
- satisfaction of the admission criteria established by the Institute of Chartered Accountants for their Professional Year, or admission criteria set by the Australian Society of Certified Practising Accountants.

In assessing candidates, account is also taken of their professional standing and experience. The number of places available each year is limited.

Applications are assessed by the Course Coordinator, and other UTS staff cannot speculate on an applicant’s likelihood of success.
## COURSE STRUCTURE

A typical Master of Taxation Law program may be:

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## AWARDING OF HONOURS

To qualify for Honours in the MTax degree, candidates must attain a minimum average subject mark of 75 per cent.

## ELECTIVES

Master of Taxation candidates will undertake a combination of the following subjects totaling 48 credit points, depending on their interests and relevant experience:

- Accounting Module 1 (PY) (6cp)
- Accounting Module 2 (PY) (6cp)
- Advanced Taxation (6cp)
- Applied Legal Research (6cp)
- Applied Research Skills (6cp)
- Capital Gains Tax (12cp)
- Tax Administration (6cp)
- Corporate Accounting Issues (6cp)
- Customs Duties/Levies (6cp)
- EDP Control and Audit (6cp)
- International Taxation 1 (6cp)
- International Taxation 2 (6cp)
- Land Tax and Payroll Tax (6cp)
- Land Tax and Payroll Tax (6cp)
- Superannuation Law (6cp)
- Contemporary Issues in Taxation (6cp)
- Taxation Module (PY) (6cp)
- Taxation Paper (1 semester) (6cp)
- Taxation Project (2 semesters) (12cp)

Brief descriptions of the subjects listed are given below. Detailed subject descriptions are available from the Administrative Secretary.

In addition to these subjects, candidates may, with the approval of the Course Coordinator, choose appropriate subjects offered within the LLM/SJD programs (see the subject listing at the end of this handbook). Written application to undertake options from the LLM/SJD programs must be made to the Course Coordinator before enrolment.

1. These electives are offered by the Faculty of Business.
Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice

Subject to the approval of the Academic Board and the Legal Practitioners Admission Board this new program of study in legal practice will be available from Spring 1996. UTS graduates possessing an undergraduate Law degree will proceed, subject to the availability of places in the Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice, to complete the requirements for approval to practise in New South Wales.

COURSE STRUCTURE

Stage 1

Semester 1
75400 Regulation (4cp)
75401 Litigation (6cp)
75402 Property and Commercial Transactions (6cp)
75403 Corporate and Estate Management (4cp)
75404 Legal Profession (4cp)

Stage 2

Semester 2
75405 Accounts, Finance and the Commercial Environment (4cp)
75406 Professional Conduct (4cp)
75407 Professional Work Management (4cp)
75408 Legal Drafting (4cp)
75409 In Practice (4cp)
75410 Alternate Dispute Resolution (4cp)
75411 Practical Experience (24 weeks) (0cp)

Graduate Diploma in Australian Law

The Graduate Diploma in Australian Law (GradDipAustLaw) is designed to permit lawyers from common law jurisdictions to satisfy their academic requirements for admission as a legal practitioner of the Supreme Court of New South Wales.

Further, candidates may also be required to undertake a Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice in order to satisfy the requirements for admission.

Applicants should contact the Legal Qualifications Committee of the Supreme Court of NSW to determine the subjects they are required to complete to be eligible for admission to practice in NSW before lodging their application.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Candidates for the Graduate Diploma must have a Bachelor’s degree in Law, or be admitted to practice as a solicitor or barrister in a common law jurisdiction. (This course is not appropriate for candidates who are already admitted to practice in NSW.)

Applicants must also satisfy the English language proficiency requirements of the University, which requires international candidates to have a minimum International English Language Testing System (IELTS) score of 6.5 or its equivalent before enrolling in postgraduate studies. For further details contact the International Programs Office at the UTS postal address.

Owing to student visa restrictions, international candidates are required to enrol on a full-time basis only.

ATTENDANCE

The Graduate Diploma may be undertaken on either a full-time or part-time basis. (Overseas students can only study on a full-time basis under current Australian regulations.) The program requires the completion of subjects totalling a minimum of 48 credit points. Candidates will normally need to study over two or three semesters, depending upon timetabling.

A program of undergraduate subjects is scheduled for individual students.
Timetable clashes may result in the program of study extending beyond two semesters.

**MINIMUM ENROLMENT PERIOD**

The Graduate Diploma requires a minimum of one semester of study for a full-time student, and two semesters of study for a part-time student.

The usual period of enrolment is three semesters.

**COURSE STRUCTURE**

A minimum program for an overseas lawyer seeking admission in NSW may be:

Administrative Law
Australian Land Law
Federal Constitutional Law
Legal Ethics A and B

However, each candidate's program may vary, depending on the number of subjects he or she is required to take in order to be admitted to practice in NSW.

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**Graduate Diploma in Corporate Law**

The Graduate Diploma in Corporate Law (GradDipCorpLaw) aims to enhance professional practice in the field of corporate law by providing continuing professional education at the postgraduate level.

**ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

Applicants should hold an undergraduate degree in Law, or equivalent. In addition, a knowledge of company law or experience in the field of corporate law is essential.

**COURSE STRUCTURE**

Candidates must complete the compulsory subject, Corporations Finance and Securities, together with electives totalling 36 credit points.

**ELECTIVES**

Electives for the Graduate Diploma in Corporate Law will be chosen from the following subjects:

- 79718 Advanced Taxation (6cp)
  - or
- 79763 Contemporary Issues in Taxation (6cp)
- 77715 Banking Law (12cp)
- 77768 Insurance Law (6cp)
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  - or
- 79752 Employment Legislation (6cp)
Graduate Certificate in Corporate Law

The Graduate Certificate in Corporate Law aims to enhance professional practice in the field of corporate law by providing continuing professional education at the postgraduate level.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should hold an undergraduate degree in Law, or equivalent. In addition, a knowledge of company law or experience in the field of corporate law is essential.

COURSE STRUCTURE

Candidates must complete the compulsory subject, Corporations Finance and Securities, together with electives totalling 12 credit points.

ELECTIVES

Electives for the Graduate Certificate in Corporate Law may be chosen from the following subjects:

- 79718 Advanced Taxation (6cp)
- 79763 Contemporary Issues in Taxation (6cp)
- 77715 Banking Law (12cp)
- 77768 Insurance Law (6cp)
- 70500 Skills: Drafting1 (2cp)
- 77726 Patent Law of Australia (12cp)
- 77727 Design Law (12cp)
- 77728 Trademark Law of Australia (12cp)
- 77755 Superannuation Law (6cp)
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- 79711 Advanced Industrial Law (6cp)
- 79753 Current Issues in Industrial Law (6cp)
- 79752 Employment Legislation (6cp)

1 Students who have completed an equivalent subject as part of their undergraduate program will not be permitted to enrol in this subject.
77721  Restrictive Trade Practices (12cp)  
or  
77712  Deceptive Trade Practices and Product Liability (12cp)  
77732  Advanced Remedial Law: Equitable Remedies (6cp)  

A limited number of electives is offered in any one year. Brief descriptions of the subjects listed are given below. Detailed subject descriptions are available from the Administrative Secretary.

Master of Comparative Law

The Faculty of Law recognises that the traditional format of a common law LLM may not be appropriate for candidates from civil law countries. Accordingly, the Faculty offers graduate programs specifically designed for the needs of civil lawyers who wish to gain an understanding of the research skills, methodologies, general concepts and doctrines of the common law, particularly those applicable to international and transnational business transactions.

Central to this is a coursework program leading to the award of Master of Comparative Law. This is an intensive course which provides the bridge between the civil law and the common law.

After completing the coursework requirements of the Graduate Certificate in Comparative Law, and instead of taking out the Graduate Certificate, a student in the Master of Comparative Law (MCL) program may select any approved graduate subjects so that the total number of additional credit points taken is 36.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Applicants for the Master of Comparative Law must hold a Bachelor's degree in Civil Law, or be admitted to practice as a lawyer in a civil law jurisdiction, and have completed the requirements for the Graduate Certificate in Comparative Law.

Applicants must be international students from a civil law jurisdiction.

Applicants must also satisfy the English language proficiency requirements of the University, which requires international candidates to have a minimum International English Language Testing System (IELTS) score of 6.5 or its equivalent before enrolling in postgraduate studies.

For further details contact the International Programs Office at the UTS postal address.
ATTENDANCE

The program is offered over one year of full-time attendance. Due to student visa restrictions, international candidates are required to enrol on a full-time basis only. Candidates may also choose subjects offered in the Summer and Winter programs.

COURSE STRUCTURE

Candidates are required to complete subjects totalling 48 credit points chosen from postgraduate subjects offered by the Faculty of Law and approved by the Director including (and normally beginning with) the subject 77742 Advanced Comparative Law—The Common Law and a capstone subject Comparative Law Research Project. Students may, with the approval of the Director, take subjects from other law schools.

ASSESSMENT

The assessment for each subject may include: written papers; presentation of papers; defence of written papers; and written and/or oral examinations prescribed in writing for each subject by the Course Coordinator for each student, having regard to the student’s experience, legal culture and preferences.

Graduate Certificate in Comparative Law

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Central to this is a coursework program leading to the award of the Graduate Certificate in Comparative Law. This is an intensive course which provides a bridge between civil law and common law.

COURSE STRUCTURE

Graduate Certificate candidates complete 73100 Advanced Comparative Law—The Common Law. The topics in this subject include: sources of the common law; the development of the common law in England and its reception in Australia; courts and lawyers in Australia; law-finding in the common law; contract law in the common law; Australian public law and aspects of the law regulating business transactions in Australia. Three principal areas are addressed:

- Legal Technique in the Common Law
- Introduction to Business Law
- Selected Issues in International and Transnational Law.

This subject may also include visits to the courts and to law firms.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Applicants for the Graduate Certificate must hold a Bachelor’s degree in Civil Law, or be admitted to practice as a lawyer in a civil law jurisdiction. (This course is not appropriate for candidates with common law qualifications, or those who are admitted to practice in a common law jurisdiction.)

Applicants must also satisfy the English language proficiency requirements of the University, which requires international
candidates to have a minimum International English Language Testing System (IELTS) score of 6.5 or equivalent before enrolling in postgraduate studies. For further details contact the International Programs Office at the UTS postal address.

ATTENDANCE

The Graduate Certificate is normally offered in an intensive tuition mode, over approximately five to seven weeks of full-time study.

After successfully completing the subject Advanced Comparative Law, candidates are eligible to graduate with the Graduate Certificate in Comparative Law. Alternatively, candidates may apply to transfer into the LLM program with advanced standing or into the Master of Comparative Law (see below).

ASSESSMENT

Assessment for the Graduate Certificate is based on class participation and an essay of approximately 5,000 words on a topic of comparative law.

If appropriate, candidates undergo an oral examination as an alternative or in addition to the written paper.

TRANSFER TO THE LLM OR MCL PROGRAM

Candidates who have successfully completed the Graduate Certificate program may, subject to the approval of the Course Coordinator, apply to transfer into the LLM or MCL program. Transfer applicants must satisfy the Faculty's entry requirements for LLM or MCL candidates.

Candidates who are permitted to transfer to the LLM or MCL are not awarded the Graduate Certificate. However, credit is given for the coursework completed towards the Graduate Certificate program:

(a) Candidates who elect to transfer into the LLM (by thesis) program after successfully completing all the assessment requirements for the Graduate Certificate program submit a reduced thesis of approximately 30,000 words.

(b) Candidates who transfer into the LLM (by coursework) program after successful completion of all requirements for the Graduate Certificate are credited with 12 credit points of coursework (25 per cent of the total course requirement). LLM (by coursework) candidates will choose their program from the range of subjects offered within the LLM/SJD program. For more information refer to the subject listings at the end of this handbook.

Attendance in Sydney is required for the LLM (by coursework). However, by choosing subjects offered within the intensive Summer and Winter programs it is possible to minimise the period of attendance required.

(c) Candidates who elect to transfer into the Master of Comparative Law program after successful completion of all requirements for the Graduate Certificate are credited with 12 credit points of coursework (25 per cent of the total course requirement). MCL candidates will choose their program from the range of approved graduate subjects offered by the Faculty. Assessment is undertaken by the Course Coordinator, and may include written assignments, seminar presentations and written or oral examinations.
Master of Legal Studies

The Faculty of Law recognises that there are a number of non-lawyers who wish to undertake legal study in order to function effectively in their chosen profession. Accordingly, the Faculty offers this program which provides candidates with a sound theoretical background as well as the practical skills to be able to identify the legal ramifications of issues that they may encounter in their professional capacity. This graduate program has been specifically designed for non-lawyers who wish to have a more detailed understanding of the legal issues raised in their specific area of practice or interest.

The Master of Legal Studies is not a professional legal qualification.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Applicants for this degree should hold an undergraduate degree from an Australian university or an equivalent tertiary qualification. Applicants who have not gained the requisite tertiary qualifications may be admitted if they can demonstrate equivalent work experience and the ability to undertake research at an advanced level.

ATTENDANCE

This program will be offered on both a part-time and full-time basis and is expected to be completed over one-and-a-half years on a full-time basis or its equivalent.

COURSE STRUCTURE

The course is structured first to provide candidates with a general appreciation of the Australian legal system and, secondly, to allow candidates to select an area of specialty and undertake a major in one of 10 areas. In addition, all candidates will undertake seminars in Advanced Legal Research in their first year of study.

Candidates must complete 62 credit points for the Master of Legal Studies:

- Advanced Legal Research (2cp)
- The Legal Process¹ (12cp)

Subjects chosen from the Faculty’s graduate and postgraduate subjects (36cp)
- MLS Research Project (12cp)

Candidates may either choose electives to complete a major or choose any combination of electives. Majors in the following 10 specific areas are offered:

- Asian Law
- Commercial Law
- Dispute Resolution
- Industrial Law
- Intellectual and Industrial Property Law
- International Banking and Financial Law
- International Business Law
- Public Law
- Taxation Law
- International Transport Law

The choice of subjects that may be completed for each major is detailed below. The availability of subjects and majors may vary depending on the demands on the resources of the Faculty of Law.

Asian Law

- 72100 Legal Process (12cp) (core)
- 77800 MLS Research Project¹ (12cp) (core)

Electives may be chosen from the following. Candidates must complete at least 30 credit points.

- 77802 International Economic Law (LS) (6cp)
- 77803 Current Problems of Public International Law (LS) (6cp)
- 77804 International Business Transactions (LS) (6cp)
- 77805 Chinese Trade and Investment Law (LS) (6cp)
- 77806 Chinese Law and Legal Systems (LS) (6cp)
- 77807 Economic Law of the People’s Republic of China (LS) (6cp)
- 77808 Indonesian Trade and Investment Law (LS) (6cp)
- 79704 Japanese Law and Business (6cp)

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Public Law

72100 Legal Process (12cp) (core)
77800 MLS Research Project1 (12cp) (core)

Electives may be chosen from the following. Candidates must complete at least 30 credit points.

77830 Current Problems of Public International Law (LS) (12cp)
77834 Advanced Administrative Law (LS) (12cp)
77841 Advanced Constitutional Law (LS) (12cp)
77835 Planning and Development Law 1 (LS) (6cp)
77750 Anti-Discrimination Dispute Resolution (6cp)
77836 Planning and Development Law 2 (LS) (6cp)
77851 Law and Medicine (LS) (12cp)

1 Research Project only available to MLS students.

Taxation Law

72100 Legal Process (12cp) (core)
77800 MLS Research Project1 (12cp) (core)

Electives may be chosen from the following. Candidates must complete at least 30 credit points.

77837 Tax Procedures, Sales Tax and Stamp Duties (LS) (12cp)
77719 Capital Gains Tax (12cp)
79707 International Taxation 2 (6cp)
77755 Superannuation Law (6cp)
77767 Tax Administration (6cp)
79701 Stamp Duties (6cp)
79702 Land Tax and Payroll Tax (6cp)
79706 Customs Duties/Levies (6cp)
79762 International Taxation 1 (6cp)
79707 International Taxation 2 (6cp)
79718 Advanced Taxation (6cp)
79761 Indirect Taxation (6cp)
79763 Contemporary Issues in Taxation (6cp)
79764 Taxation Project (12cp)
79792 Taxation Paper (6cp)

1 Research Project only available to MLS students.

AWARDING OF HONOURS

To qualify for Honours in the MLS, candidates must attain an average subject mark of 75 per cent.
Graduate Diploma in Legal Studies

The Graduate Diploma in Legal Studies is not a professional legal qualification. It is a course designed for non-lawyers who wish to augment their current professional practice with a knowledge of legal issues which arise in their field of practice or interest.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Applicants for this degree should hold an undergraduate degree from an Australian university or an equivalent tertiary qualification. Applicants who have not gained the requisite tertiary qualifications may be admitted if they can demonstrate equivalent work experience and the ability to undertake research at an advanced level.

ATTENDANCE

This program will be offered on both a part-time and full-time basis and is expected to be completed over one-and-a-half years on a full-time basis or its equivalent.

COURSE STRUCTURE

The course is structured to first provide candidates with a general appreciation of the Australian legal system and, secondly, to allow students to select an area of specialty and undertake a major in one of 10 areas. In addition, all candidates will undertake seminars in Advanced Legal Research in their first year of study. Candidates must complete 50 credit points for the Graduate Diploma in Legal Studies.

- Advanced Legal Research (2cp)
- The Legal Process\(^1\) (12cp)
- Subjects chosen from the Faculty’s graduate and postgraduate subjects (36cp)

Majors in the following 10 specific areas are offered:

- Asian Law
- Commercial Law
- Dispute Resolution
- Industrial Law
- Intellectual and Industrial Property Law
- International Banking and Financial Law
- International Business Law
- Public Law
- Taxation Law
- International Transport Law

The choice of subjects that may be completed for each major is detailed in the entry for the Master of Legal Studies. The availability of subjects and majors may vary depending on the demands on the resources of the Faculty of Law.

\(^1\) Students who have undertaken equivalent study may be exempted, and will take another subject or subjects.
Graduate Diploma in Law for Secondary Teachers

The Graduate Diploma in Law for Secondary Teachers aims to prepare secondary school and TAFE teachers for teaching the HSC 2-unit and 3-unit Legal Studies courses.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

The Graduate Diploma is directed towards all qualified teachers teaching, or intending to teach, Legal Studies to secondary school or TAFE students. There are no other prerequisites for admission.

ATTENDANCE

The Diploma course is offered on a part-time basis and involves the equivalent of 240 hours of instruction content. It is intended to be completed over two years. Candidates must complete a total of 48 credit points.

COURSE STRUCTURE

Candidates must complete the following four core subjects:

- 72100 Legal Process (12cp)
- 77847 Law in Context (12cp)
- 77845 International Law, the Environment and Technological Change (12cp)
- 77846 World Order and Indigenous Peoples (12cp)

Graduate Certificate in Law for Secondary Teachers

The Graduate Certificate in Law for Secondary Teachers aims to prepare secondary school and TAFE teachers for teaching the HSC 2-unit Legal Studies courses. The course requires the completion of subjects totaling 24 credit points.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Entry to the course will be available to all qualified teachers who are teaching, or intending to teach, Legal Studies to secondary school or TAFE students. There are no other prerequisites for admission.

ATTENDANCE

The Certificate course is offered on a part-time basis and will involve the equivalent of 120 hours of instruction contact. It is intended to be completed over one year. Candidates must complete a total of 24 credit points.

ASSESSMENT

Components of the assessment for the certificate may include a combination of assignments/essays, class presentations and examinations.

COURSE STRUCTURE

Candidates must complete the following two core subjects:

- 72100 Legal Process (12cp)
- 77847 Law in Context (12cp)
The following law subjects are offered within the postgraduate programs of the Faculty of Business, including the Master of Business Administration, Master of Business (Accounting), Master of Business (Accounting and Finance), Master of Business (Employment Relations), Master of Business (Marketing), Graduate Diploma in Accounting and Finance, Graduate Diploma in Employment Relations, and the Graduate Diploma in Marketing.

All inquiries about these postgraduate degrees should be directed to the Graduate School of the Faculty of Business, telephone 330 3552.

Some subjects may be available to students in other Faculties and they should check with their Faculty.

As an undergraduate law qualification is not a prerequisite for these subjects (though background knowledge/experience may be assumed for some subjects), they are ideal for persons who have not completed a first degree in Law who wish to extend their knowledge in particular areas of the law.

The following are approved subjects. However not all subjects are offered every semester.

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Brief descriptions of the subjects listed are given below. Detailed subject descriptions are available from the Administrative Secretary.
EXTERNAL AWARD STUDY

Students who are enrolled in a postgraduate course leading to an award at another tertiary institution may apply to undertake subjects with the Faculty of Law that will count towards that award.

Admission is subject to the joint approval of both institutions and to the availability of places.

Brief descriptions of the subjects offered by the Faculty of Law are outlined below. Detailed descriptions are available from the Administrative Secretary if required.

As the number of subjects offered in any year is limited, applicants should confirm the timetable for the forthcoming semester with the Faculty of Law before submitting an application.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Applicants must be enrolled in an equivalent degree at their home institution.

Please note that undergraduate students will not normally be permitted to enrol in postgraduate subjects offered by the Faculty of Law.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES

Applicants should complete an External Award Study—Application for Admission form. This form is available from the UTS Non-Award Studies Officer, the UTS Information Service or the Faculty of Law.

Completed applications, including a curriculum vitae and certified copies of all required documents, should be sent to:

UTS External Award Studies
Admission Branch
University of Technology, Sydney
PO Box 123
Broadway NSW 2007
telephone 330 1559.

External Award applicants must also obtain a letter of authority from their university’s Registrar, which should be forwarded to the above address.

The closing dates for applications are as follows:

Summer program—31 October 1995
Autumn semester—30 December 1995
Winter program—31 May 1996
Spring semester—30 June 1996
EXTENSION (NON-AWARD) STUDY

Extension study in postgraduate Law allows candidates who do not wish to undertake a full degree program the opportunity to learn or upgrade their knowledge in a selection of subjects.

Extension students undertake subjects offered in the Faculty's degree programs. Brief descriptions of the subjects offered by the Faculty of Law are outlined below. Detailed descriptions are available from the Administrative Secretary if required. As the number of subjects offered in any year is limited, applicants should confirm the timetable for the forthcoming semester with the Faculty of Law before submitting an application.

In addition, extension study may entitle students to Mandatory Continuing Legal Education points. Contact the Law Society of NSW for further details.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Applicants are expected to have achieved an appropriate level of knowledge in relation to the area to be studied, or to demonstrate the ability to successfully undertake postgraduate study.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES

Applicants should complete an Extension (Non-Award) Study Application form, available from the Non-Award Studies Officer, the UTS Information Service or the Faculty of Law.

Completed applications, including a brief résumé, proof of age, Australian permanent residency and educational status should be returned to:

Non-Award Studies Officer
Admissions Branch
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FEES

Fees are paid at registration where a UTS iD card will be issued for use of the Library and other student facilities. Fees are non-refundable after the commencement of semester. However, where a student is forced to withdraw due to illness or disability a letter requesting reimbursement (supported with appropriate verification) should be submitted to the Non-Award Studies Officer for consideration.
POSTGRADUATE SUBJECT DESCRIPTIONS

The availability category shows the degree program(s) in which the subject is offered. With the approval of the Director of Postgraduate Programs it may be possible to undertake relevant subjects that are not indicated. Written application must be made to the Director before the commencement of each semester of enrolment. Not all subjects or programs are offered every semester.

The following degree abbreviations are used for the sake of convenience (note that these are not the official UTS course abbreviations):

Graduate Certificate in Comparative Law (GCCL)
Graduate Certificate in Corporate Law (GCCP)
Graduate Certificate in Dispute Resolution (GCDR)
Graduate Certificate in Law for Secondary Teachers (GCLST)
Graduate Diploma in Corporate Law (GDCL)
Graduate Diploma in Industrial Property (GDIP)
Graduate Diploma in Law for Secondary Teachers (GDLST)
Graduate Diploma in Legal Studies (GDLS)
Master of Comparative Law (MCL)
Master of Dispute Resolution (MDR)
Master of Law (by coursework) (LLM)
Master of Legal Studies (MLS)
Master of Taxation (TAX)
Doctor of Juridical Science (SJD)
Graduate Supply (SUPPLY)

Key to abbreviations for the LLM (by coursework) and MLS/GDLS majors:

[dr] Dispute Resolution
[a] Asian Law
[c] Commercial Law
[ip] Intellectual and Industrial Property Law

Industrial Law
International Banking and Financial Law
International Business Law
International Transport Law
Public Law
Taxation Law

22730
EDP CONTROL AND AUDIT
6cp; 1 semester

Examine the objectives of computer security and controls, and the application of auditing techniques to verify the adequacy of such security and controls. Topics considered include the use of communication networks, and cryptographic security for safeguarding the integrity of computer systems.

22751
CORPORATE ACCOUNTING ISSUES
6cp; 1 semester

Examine the issues surrounding the provision of corporate reports to external users. Topics considered include the role of a conceptual framework of financial reporting, the role of financial reporting in promoting the efficient allocation of scarce resources, corporate social responsibility in accounting, and the 'public interest' role of accountants.

22760
APPLIED RESEARCH SKILLS
6cp; 1 semester

Examine univariate statistical techniques, introduces students to multivariate statistical techniques. Topics covered include experimental studies and analysis of their data and computerised databases in Australia and their information content.
22810
ACCOUNTING MODULE 1
6cp; 1 semester
Professional Year
availability TAX
This subject incorporates the topics specified in the study guidelines issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants in Australia for candidates undertaking the Professional Year examination. Students need to be concurrently enrolled at UTS and at the ICA.

22812
ACCOUNTING MODULE 2
6cp; 1 semester
Professional Year
availability TAX
This subject incorporates the topics specified in the study guidelines issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants in Australia for candidates undertaking the Professional Year examination. Students need to be concurrently enrolled at UTS and at the ICA.

72100
LEGAL PROCESS
12cp; 1 semester
availability GDIP, GCLST, GDLST, GDLS, MLS
This subject is a prerequisite for all subjects in the Graduate Diploma in Industrial Property. It is designed to give students from non-legal backgrounds a grounding in the principles of legal processes. It deals with the nature of law, the sources of law and the system of law governing NSW as part of the Commonwealth of Australia. Students are instructed in case analysis, the doctrine of precedent, statutory interpretation, legal reasoning and legal research skills. It also introduces the law of torts, property, contracts, trade practices and criminal law. This is a compulsory subject for MLS, GDLS.

77700
ADVANCED LEGAL RESEARCH
2cp; 1 semester
availability LLM, SJD, GDLS, MLS
These seminars are on the methodology of research appropriate to graduate study involving the primary and principal secondary sources of law in NSW and the Commonwealth of Australia. In addition, the sources of law in a selected number of jurisdictions—England, United States, New Zealand, Canada and the European Union—are considered. The sources of international law constitute a special topic. Advanced Legal Research is a corequisite for Category B LLM candidates, but is available to all LLM and SJD candidates. It is a compulsory subject for MLS, GDLS.

77701
INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC LAW
6cp; 1 semester
availability LLM, SJD
Designed to develop an understanding of the law governing the international economy and relations between participants in that economy. The concept of international economic law will be examined, and topics will include specific resource issues such as the common heritage; the deep sea bed; Antarctica; international legal regulation of investment, finance and trade; the institutions—IMF, IBRD, WTO—and the relationship between national and international economic law involving such concepts as extraterritoriality and sovereign immunity.

77702
CURRENT PROBLEMS OF PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL LAW
12cp; 2 semesters
availability LLM, SJD
Assists students to develop an advanced understanding of the subject, including topics such as recent developments; sources of public international law; dispute resolution; diplomatic immunity; the law of the sea; extradition and asylum; international protection and human rights; treaty practice and procedure; the recognition of states and governments.

77703
INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS
6cp; 1 semester
availability LLM, SJD
Topics include international trade law; transport of goods; taxation of
international business transactions; financial aspects; foreign investment law; extraterritoriality; international business contracts; and dispute settlement.

77704
EUROPEAN UNION LAW
12cp; 1 semester
{c}{ib}; availability LLM, SJD
Topics include the activities of the European institutions especially the EU; the political and economic origins of EU and its institutional structures with emphasis on the European Court of Justice; the laws of the member states and the free movement of goods, workers, capital and services. The subject concentrates on the emerging transnational protection of social and economic rights and the jurisprudence of the European Court of Justice.

77705
MARITIME LAW
12cp; 2 semesters
{c}{ib}; availability LLM, SJD
This subject is divided into two main areas—admiralty law and the law on the carriage of goods by sea. In both cases, reference will be made to pertinent international conventions and their adoption (or otherwise) in Australia, as well as to current international deliberations. Within the first main group of topics, the areas of admiralty law studied include safety; registration, nationality and ownership of ships; sale and purchase of ships; securities (mortgages and maritime liens); admiralty jurisdiction; collisions and limitation of liability; salvage, towage and pilotage; and maritime employment. The second main group of topics examines the regulation of shipping conferences, and the rights and obligations of parties to contract for the carriage of goods by sea (carrier and shipper), with special reference to charterparties and bills of lading. The areas studied include anti-trust laws; the Hague; Hague-Visby and Hamburg Rules; seaworthiness and the duty to take care of cargo, demurrage, general average, freight, and marine insurance. Problems associated with intermodal transport operations will also be discussed.

77706
ADVANCED ADMINISTRATIVE LAW
12cp; 2 semesters
{p}; availability LLM, SJD
Topics will include major developments in the common law and in federal administrative law. Particular attention will be paid to developing forms of remedies, the alternative forms of review of administrative action through, for example, the Ombudsman, and current issues and prospective developments. Administrative law is relevant to all forms of government activity including regulation of trade and commerce.

77707
ADVANCED CONSTITUTIONAL LAW
12cp; 2 semesters
{p}; availability LLM, SJD
A consideration of current issues in constitutional law, the three arms of government, and a review of recent developments in various aspects of federal powers.

77709
PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT LAW 1
6cp; 1 semester
{p}; availability LLM, SJD
Topics in this subject include government involvement in the planning and development process as developer and as intervener; executory discretions in the development process; individual participation in the planning process; review of decisions; a case study for the interaction between private rights and public interests; a case study for the interaction of planning law and environmental concerns and recent developments.

77710
INTERNATIONAL AND COMPARATIVE LAW PROJECT
12cp; 2 semesters
availability LLM, SJD
Owing to career commitments, most practising lawyers are unable to undertake postgraduate work overseas, and therefore miss the advantages of studying in a different culture and environment. In an endeavour to redress this, the Faculty of
Law offers the International and Comparative Law Project. This subject permits a candidate to undertake an approved course of study overseas of a limited duration, and credit this towards the LLM (by coursework) or SJD program. Upon return to Australia, the candidate must present evidence of work completed which will be assessed; further written work may be required. The Faculty has approved programs of study in various locations overseas e.g. the Hague Academy of International Law and Santa Clara University Law School. Other programs are available, or students may submit proposals for alternative programs. Further details may be obtained from the Administrative Officer of Postgraduate Programs.

77711
CORPORATIONS, FINANCE AND SECURITIES
12cp; 2 semesters
{c}; availability LLM, SJD
As evident from the title, this subject focuses on the regulation of corporations, the provision of corporate finance and the issuing of securities. This subject considers a number of topics in each of these broad areas. Under the heading of corporations, the study concentrates on the manner in which corporations are regulated, including the current regulatory framework, the role and powers of the Australian Securities Commission and the developments in the area of directors’ duties. Under the heading of finance the subject focuses on an overview of the financial markets from an economist’s point of view and on the various financing methods used including leasing, subordination, use of commercial paper as a financing technique, syndication and participation, credit facilities and the overall taxation implication for each of the above. Under the heading of securities, the regulation of takeovers, the regulation of the securities industry, the rules which control public offerings of securities and the criminal and civil penalties for breach are examined.

77712
DECEPTIVE TRADE PRACTICES AND PRODUCT LIABILITY
12cp; 2 semesters
{c}; availability LLM, SJD
An advanced study of Parts V and VI of the Trade Practices Act (Cth) (and analogous legislation). Topics covered include deceptive trade practices; remedies; unconscionable conduct; and the liability of suppliers, service providers and manufacturers. Emphasis is placed upon recent legal developments.

77713
TAX PROCEDURES, SALES TAX AND STAMP DUTIES
12cp; 2 semesters
{c}; availability LLM, SJD
The topics covered include the Commissioner’s powers to obtain information; imputation of tax; administrative law and tax; tax avoidance; tax appeals and objections; sales tax; and stamp duties.

77714
COMPUTERISED LEGAL INFORMATION SYSTEMS
6cp; 1 semester
availability LLM, SJD
The study of hypertext, free text retrieval systems and knowledge-based applications (expert systems). Although principally a practical subject, the implementation of programs which are capable of legal reasoning will necessitate consideration of the nature and types of such reasoning.

77715
BANKING LAW
12cp; 2 semesters
{c}; availability LLM, SJD
This is an advanced study of banking law concentrating on relations between the bank and its corporate customers. The following topics are examined: the regulatory framework within which banks operate, the relationship between bank and customer; and the activities of banks including cheques, bills of exchange, foreign currency lending, and secured and unsecured lending.
INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW
12cp; 1 semester
{c}{ib}; availability LLM, SJD
Topics include the sale of goods; representation overseas; finance; export credits and insurance; carriage of goods; arbitration and litigation; customs law; and international trade regulation.

INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL DISPUTE RESOLUTION
12cp; 1 semester
{a}{dr}{c}{ib}; availability MDR, LLM, SJD, MLS, GDLS, GCDR
Topics covered include negotiation in international commercial disputes; cross-cultural commercial negotiations; transnational aspects of arbitration; arbitration as contract; statutory regulation of arbitration; international arbitration law; negotiating with Japan and a Middle Eastern country; the role of dispute resolution centres; arbitration institutions; and drafting and analysing arbitration agreements. A compulsory component of the subject is a three-day skills workshop.

Note: This subject cannot be taken if 77751 International Commercial Arbitration has already been completed towards the degree program.

AIR LAW
12cp; 2 semesters
{c}{ib}{it}; availability LLM, SJD
This subject is dealt with at both the international and domestic levels. Topics include the regulation and organisation of aviation (including sovereignty); the system of carrier liability with emphasis on the Warsaw system; third-party liability (including damage caused to third parties on surface, environmental damage and aviation products liability); aviation insurance; and security issues.

CAPITAL GAINS TAX
12cp; 2 semesters
{c}{t}; availability LLM, SJD, TAX
An in-depth study of capital gains tax (CGT) including consideration of legislative amendments since introduction of the CGT; the effects of CGT on partnerships, trusts, companies, non-residents, and death; the 'nightmare' provisions; CGT and convertible notes; CGT and rollover provisions; current practical problems; overseas experience; the role of the CGT Subcommittee; and ATO rulings and practice.

INTERNATIONAL TAXATION
12cp; 2 semesters
{c}{ib}{if}{t}; availability LLM, SJD
This subject considers the following topics: changes enacted and proposed since the 1985 Tax Reform measures; impact of international tax changes on Australian businesses; capitalisation and foreign controllers; the foreign credit tax system and imputation system; Australian measures against tax havens; taxation of foreign service income; relocation of corporate residence offshore; tax consequences of international information flows; non-resident trusts; transfer-pricing; enforcement and compliance moves by the Australian Taxation Office; New Zealand and US experiences; and controlled foreign corporations.

RESTRICTIVE TRADE PRACTICES
12cp; 2 semesters
{c}; availability LLM, SJD
This is an advanced study of the law and recent developments in the area. Where relevant, a comparative analysis will be undertaken and the regulation of competition in the United States and the European Union will be studied. The subject examines the constitutional basis for the Trade Practices Act 1974 (Cth), the recent developments to expand the applicability of the Act, and the rationale for such regulation from both a lawyer's and economist's perspective. The specific prohibitions which will be examined
include misuse of market power, mergers, collusive conduct, exclusionary conduct, boycotts, exclusive dealing agreements and resale price maintenance. Current topics include the deregulation of government business enterprises.

77722
ADVANCED MEDIA LAW
12cp; 2 semesters
(c); availability LLM, SJD
An examination of legal problems relating to both electronic and print communications. In the field of electronic communications the various aspects of establishment and regulation will be considered. In addition, there will be a consideration of the law applicable to all media—defamation and contempt—particularly in relation to recent developments.

77724
INTERNATIONAL BANKING AND FINANCIAL LAW
12cp; 2 semesters
(c); availability LLM, SJD
An advanced study of monetary systems; monetary obligations; foreign money obligations; the problem of the governing law; sovereign risk; exchange control; covenants; default; and types of finance.

77725
RESEARCH PROJECT
12cp; 2 semesters
availability LLM, SJD
Candidates for the LLM with Honours must undertake the Research Project; however, the Research Project may be approved for candidates for the LLM or SJD. Candidates undertaking the Research Project must research and write a paper of approximately 15,000–20,000 words of a standard suitable for publication, on a topic approved by the Faculty. In most cases the Research Project will extend and develop research done in one or more of the LLM or SJD subjects already undertaken, but in appropriate circumstances a candidate may undertake a new topic. The Research Project is subject to rules approved by the Faculty Board; copies of the rules are available from the Administrative Officer.

77726
PATENT LAW OF AUSTRALIA
12cp; 2 semesters
(c); availability LLM, SJD
Provides candidates with an opportunity to study the current law and practice relating to the protection of intellectual property rights in inventions and technological advances. Topics include confidential information; history of patents for inventions; current legislation and reform; subject matter; right to apply; employees' inventions and joint ownership; form of application; specifications and fair basing; novelty and obviousness; opposition; grounds of invalidity; Crown use; patents of addition; extensions of term; Patent Conventions; infringement; licences; assignment; remedies and penalties; and the value of the patent system in the economy. LLM/SJD students attend classes in the first semester of enrolment and complete a research paper in the second semester.

77727
DESIGN LAW
12cp; 2 semesters
(c); availability LLM, SJD
A study of the law relating to the registration of designs and an overview of the law of copyright. Topics include the history of registered design legislation; meaning of design; requirements for registration; novelty or originality; registration process; infringement; term; ownership of registered design; rights created by registration; rectification of the register; licences and assignment; compulsory licences; transition provisions; design and copyright overlap; relevance of the Trade Practices Act 1974; international obligations and Circuits Layout Act 1988. The overview of copyright law will encompass a consideration of both works and other subject matter under the Copyright Act 1968. LLM/SJD students attend classes in the first semester of enrolment and complete a research paper in the second semester.
TRADEMARKS LAW OF AUSTRALIA
12cp; 2 semesters
{IP}; availability LLM, SJD
The subject comprises a study of the trademark monopoly, trademark protection and practice. Topics include passing off; trade libel; unfair competition; misleading or deceptive trademark conduct under the Trade Practices Act 1974; the Trademarks Act 1955; right to apply; purposes of registration; distinctiveness; deception and confusion; the possibility of protection for misappropriation rather than confusion; division of the register; defensive registration; certification marks; infringement; assignment; the registered user system; the exploitation of marks; remedies; international conventions and commercial counterfeiting; trademark jurisprudence. LLM/SJD students attend classes in the first semester of enrolment and complete a research paper in the second semester.

CHINESE TRADE AND INVESTMENT LAW
6cp; 1 semester
{A}{C}{IB}{IF}{T}; availability LLM, SJD
An introduction to the trade and investment law of the People's Republic of China. Topics include the role of law in China; the law-making process and interpretation; legal aspects of China's foreign trade; legal aspects of foreign investment in China; contractual and equity joint ventures and wholly owned foreign enterprises; taxation of foreign interests; foreign exchange control; securities and futures; Special Economic Zones; banking and finance; and dispute resolution.

CORPORATE INSOLVENCY AND RESTRUCTURING
6cp; 1 semester
{C}; availability LLM, SJD
An advanced study of corporate insolvency law. Topics include the regulating structure; secured and unsecured creditors; reservations; liquidation; schemes of arrangement; official management; the role of directors and foreign companies; and foreign proceedings.

ADVANCED REMEDIAL LAW: DAMAGES
6cp; 1 semester
{C}; availability LLM, SJD
An advanced study of the following topics: compensation and the measure of damages; the Once for All Rule; certainty; causation; remoteness; mitigation; contributory negligence; effect of taxation, inflation; interest; contrast of promissory, reliance, restitutionary and indemnity damages; concurrent liability in contract and tort; pre-contract expenditure; non-pecuniary loss; discretionary benefits; property damages; economic loss; damages in equity; date of assessment of damages; and punitive damages.

ADVANCED REMEDIAL LAW: EQUITABLE REMEDIES
6cp; 1 semester
{C}; availability LLM, SJD
Topics include the inadequacy of damages; discretion—unconscionability and hardship; discretion—constant supervision, partial enforcement through injunction; discretion—lack of mutuality, unclean hands, laches, ready willing and able, public interest; part performance; protection of private property rights; protection of public interest; urgent relief; Mareva injunctions and Anton Pillar orders; rescission; declaration; account; rectification and delivery-up of documents; and receivers.

CHINESE LAW AND LEGAL SYSTEMS
6cp; 1 semester
{A}{IB}; availability LLM, SJD
This subject provides a background to further specialist study of contemporary Chinese Law, including Chinese commercial law relating to foreign investment, Chinese communist legal styles, attitudes and structures, and traditional imperial Chinese legal attitudes and methods.
77734
LAW AND MEDICINE
12cp; 2 semesters
{p}; availability LLM, SJD
Deals with the areas of law that interact with the practice and administration of medicine and other health services. It includes medical negligence; consent; medical records; expert medical evidence in criminal and civil cases; the law of medical ethics; legal aspects of mental health and intellectual disability including legal capacity and the rights of mentally ill and intellectually handicapped persons generally.

77735
DISPUTE RESOLUTION
12cp; 2 semesters
{dr}; availability MDR, LLM, SJD
An introduction to the theoretical and practical aspects of this newly developing area which is applicable to all professions, business and government. It is designed to give an overview of the processes of dispute resolution which includes dispute prevention and minimisation, dispute management, and dispute system design. Topics include an overview of dispute resolution processes in Australia; the theoretical basis of the recent movement; introduction to mediation and negotiation theory; communication skills; critiques of Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) and its implementation, and introduction into dispute resolution programs in Australia. A compulsory component of the subject is a four-day mediator training workshop.

77736
ADMIRALTY LAW
6cp; 1 semester
{it}; availability LLM, SJD
This subject gives students an appreciation of public and private international law aspects of maritime commerce and transportation, whilst ensuring a knowledge of the Australian law governing the relevant areas selected for study. Reference is made to pertinent international conventions and their adoption (or otherwise) in Australia, as well as to current international deliberations. Topics include maritime safety; registration; nationality and ownership of ships; securities (mortgages and maritime liens); admiralty jurisdiction, collision and limitation of liability; salvage, towage and pilotage; maritime employment.

77737
CARRIAGE OF GOODS BY SEA
6cp; 1 semester
{it}; availability LLM, SJD
This subject, designed to complement Admiralty Law, examines the regulation of shipping conferences, and the rights and obligations of parties to the contract for the carriage of goods by sea (carrier and shipper), with special reference to charterparties and bills of lading. The areas studied include anti-trust laws; the Hague, Hague-Visby and Hamburg Rules; seaworthiness and the duty to take care of cargo; demurrage; general average; freight and marine insurance. Problems associated with intermodal transport operations will also be discussed.

77738
ADVANCED INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC LAW
6cp; 1 semester
{c}{ib}{if}{it}; availability LLM, SJD
Designed to develop an advanced understanding of the law governing the international economy, and the relations between participants in that economy. Aspects of international economic law are considered including the IMF; floating currencies; foreign exchange control law; international contracts—Article VIII of the IMF; aspects of international fiscal law; the European Monetary System; sovereign debt problems; and Eurocurrency markets.

77740
RESEARCH PAPER
6cp; 1 semester
availability LLM, SJD
The Research Paper may be approved for LLM and SJD candidates. Candidates must submit a proposed topic to the Faculty Board for approval. This subject does not fulfil the Faculty Board’s requirements for the awarding of Honours within the LLM.
EUROPEAN UNION ANTI-TRUST LAW
6cp; 1 semester
available LLM, SJD
Designed to provide an understanding of the provisions of Articles 85 and 86 of the Treaty of Rome, with a brief survey of their relationship to one of the member states of the European Union (normally the UK).

ADVANCED COMPARATIVE LAW—THE COMMON LAW
12cp; 1 semester
available GCCL, LLM, SJD (international students only)
This is an intensive subject which provides the bridge between the civil law and the common law. It opens with tuition and practical exercises in the research skills and methodology of the common law. The topics covered by Advanced Comparative Law are: primary and secondary sources of the common law; the development of the common law; courts and lawyers; the spread and reception of the common law; law finding in the common law; contract law in the common law; public law and the common law and business transactions in the common law. The subject also involves visits to the courts and Sydney law offices. The program is open to graduates and lawyers from civil law countries; it would not normally be undertaken by those who have common law qualifications, or who are admitted to practice in a common law jurisdiction.

ECONOMIC LAW IN EASTERN EUROPE
6cp; 1 semester
available LLM, SJD
Topics to be covered include the functions of law in Eastern Europe; the legal environment of business; privatisation and re-privatisation policy and its legal forms; aspects of company law; banking law; taxation systems; anti-trust legislation; insurance and reinsurance; securities markets; foreign investment laws; the EU and association agreements; OECD and ‘Partners in Transition’; aspects of contracts in corporate business; and dispute resolution processes.

FRANCHISING LAW
6cp; 1 semester
available LLM, SJD
Introduces students to the role of franchising in the economy, the strengths and weaknesses of franchising, and the applicable law. Topics include trade practices and franchising; intellectual property and franchising; dispute resolution between franchisor and franchisee; taxation and stamp duty considerations; and international franchising.

NEGOTIATION
6cp; 1 semester
available MDR, LLM, SJD, MLS, GDLS, GCDR
This subject provides an understanding of the theories and processes of negotiation and includes approaches to negotiation. It concentrates on principled negotiation as taught by the Harvard Law School’s Negotiation Project and utilises materials from the Project. It covers the use of negotiation as a process of dispute resolution and for contract formations. Students’ skills in negotiation are developed.

ADVANCED MEDIATION
6cp; 1 semester
available MDR, LLM, SJD, MLS, GDLS, GCDR
corequisite: 77735 Dispute Resolution or demonstrated experience in the field
This subject concentrates on the micro-skills of mediation at an advanced level. It is designed to give students an in-depth understanding of the detail of the skills and techniques used by experienced mediators. The skills will be further developed to an advanced level. Co-mediation and mediation in multiparty disputes are also included.
77747
PACIFIC RIM DISPUTE RESOLUTION
6cp; 1 semester
{dr}; availability MDR, LLM, SJD, MLS, GDLS
corequisite: 77735 Dispute Resolution or demonstrated experience in the field
This subject focuses on the use of dispute resolution in the context of dealings with our Pacific neighbours. It will concentrate on the indigenous dispute resolution in a number of countries within the Pacific Rim. Dispute resolution in commercial and legal disputes between companies and individuals from each of those countries and Australia is then covered. Skills in cross-cultural negotiation will be developed.

77748
VICTIM-OFFENDER DISPUTE RESOLUTION
6cp; 1 semester
{dr}; availability MDR, LLM, SJD, MLS, GDLS
corequisite: 77735 Dispute Resolution or demonstrated experience in the field
The theory and practical implications of using the newer dispute resolution processes, particularly mediation, in the criminal justice system are examined. Programs in Australia and other countries utilising these processes will be examined. Issues to be addressed include theoretical implications for the criminal justice system and for sentencing; the rights and needs of victims; drafting a program for a pilot project in NSW; and future directions for victim-offender dispute resolution both in Australia and overseas.

77749
CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY DISPUTE RESOLUTION
6cp; 1 semester
{dr}; availability MDR, LLM, SJD, MLS, GDLS
corequisite: 77735 Dispute Resolution or demonstrated experience in the field
The theory and practical implications of using the newer dispute resolution processes in the construction industry are examined. Dispute prevention and management are also included. This industry is recognised as one which has attracted experimentation in resolution processes. The history of these processes and their successes and failures and the place of formal and informal arbitration within the industry will be covered. New initiatives and current construction industry dispute resolution programs in the USA and Australia will be studied.

77750
ANTI-DISCRIMINATION DISPUTE RESOLUTION
6cp; 1 semester
{dr}; availability MDR, LLM, SJD, MLS, GDLS
corequisite: 77735 Dispute Resolution or demonstrated experience in the field
Designed to cover the theory and practical implications of using the newer dispute resolution processes in anti-discrimination and equal opportunity disputes. The processes used within this area combine investigation with assisted negotiation for the disputants to resolve their own dispute and an imposed decision. The implications of vesting these very diverse functions in one body, and even in one person, will be addressed. New initiatives for dispute resolution within the area of discrimination will be examined, and the reasons for their growth analysed.

77751
INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL ARBITRATION
6cp; 1 semester
{dr}; availability MDR, LLM, SJD
Topics in this unit include ad hoc arbitrations; relevant legislation and international conventions; international Institutional Arbitration Associations; scope, formal requirements and validity of agreement to arbitrate; drafting in regard to ICSID arbitrations; curial intervention; compulsory reference of an international commercial dispute to arbitration in Australia; drafting stabilisation and renegotiation clauses; composition of the arbitral tribunal; the language of arbitration; award of damages in international arbitration; sovereign immunity; international standard construction contracts; power of the international arbitral tribunal to deal with defaults, delaying tactics or refusal of a member to participate in the making of an award; provisions for correcting international commercial arbitration award; recourse against award
under the UNCITRAL model law; recognition and enforcement of foreign arbitral award under the UNCITRAL model law and the New York Convention; liability of the arbitrator for negligence and/or wilful neglect of duty.

Note: This subject cannot be undertaken if 77717 International Commercial Dispute Resolution has already been completed towards the program.

77752
COMMERCIAL ARBITRATION (DOMESTIC)
6cp; 1 semester
{dr}; availability MDR, LLM, SJD, MLS, GDLS
Topics to be covered include the arbitration agreement and its scope; the arbitrator's jurisdiction; reference by the court to a referee or arbitrator; the inherent jurisdiction of the court to interfere in arbitral proceedings; agreement binding on the Crown; the appointment of arbitrators and other related matters; the umpire entering upon the reference; the distinction between an arbitration certification, valuation, assessment, an exception clause, reference to arbitrator, or quasi-arbitrator; powers and duties of the Arbitration Tribunal; subpoena; evidence; legal representation; amiable compositeur or ex aequo et bono; interim awards; specific performance; extension of ambit of arbitration proceedings; duties of parties; right of appeal; exclusion agreements; misconduct; remission of award; removal of arbitrator or umpire; sundry provisions; Scott v Avery Clause; foreign awards.

77753
JURISPRUDENCE: ASPECTS OF JUSTICE IN MODERN LEGAL SYSTEMS
6cp; 1 semester
availability LLM, SJD
Deals with competing theories of justice and of rights in different legal orders. It is an exercise in comparative and cross-cultural thinking in terms of modern applied jurisprudence. Students will be encouraged to confront some theories of justice with the practice of law in various legal traditions. The fundamental values of law (such as its autonomy, neutrality, certainty and the rule of law) will be examined in the context of competing attitudes to justice: attitudes of the general public, and reasoning of judges in coming to judicial decisions.

77754
ADVANCED CORPORATE INSOLVENCY AND RESTRUCTURING
6cp; 1 semester
{c}; availability LLM, SJD
prerequisite: 77730 Corporate Insolvency and Restructuring
An advanced study of insolvency law and the related issues, with a particular emphasis on trends in, and styles of, formal and informal debt restructuring. Lectures will also analyse case studies to demonstrate the application of legal and commercial principles in a practical context.

77755
SUPERANNUATION LAW
6cp; 1 semester
{c}{t}; availability TAX, LLM, SJD
Provides an overall understanding of the taxation, legal and industry matters affecting superannuation. Specific topics covered include the history of superannuation; overview of current situation; trust deed issues; legislative framework—ITAA and OSSA and Regs, SGL; relationship of superannuation to topical issues such as insolvency, family law, administration companies, and surplus.

77756
COPYRIGHT LAW
12cp; 2 semesters
availability LLM, SJD
The principles of copyright, the development of case law and the structure and ambit of the legislation. Students will be required to develop a detailed knowledge of the Copyright Act 1968 as amended, and associated regulations, and to have a comprehensive knowledge of relevant case law. Students attend classes in the first semester of enrolment and complete a research paper in the second semester.
ADVANCED FAMILY LAW: PROPRIETARY REMEDIES

6cp; 1 semester
availability LL.M, SJD

Provides instruction at an advanced level into the forms of proprietary relief which are available in domestic property disputes. Topics to be covered include statutory principles of family property relief; principles governing the exercise of judicial discretion and appellate intervention; ascertaining family assets; valuation of assets and financial disclosure; property applications involving trusts and companies; the use of restitution in domestic property applications; enforcement; evidentiary issues in the Family Court; advanced advocacy.

PRIVATE INTERNATIONAL LAW

6cp; 1 semester
availability LL.M, SJD

An advanced study of the principles of private international law as they operate within the Commonwealth of Australia and in relation to overseas countries, with emphasis on issues of current relevance, and with reference to American and European law. In particular, current developments at the Hague Conference on Private International Law and in the European Union will be examined.

FAMILY DISPUTE RESOLUTION

6cp; 1 semester
availability MDR, LL.M, SJ.D, MLS, GDL.S, GCDR
corequisite: 77735 Dispute Resolution

This subject covers dispute resolution for family disputes. It will provide a framework for developing both skills in the use of dispute resolution processes within the family, and a critical evaluation of the use of such techniques. The use of alternative dispute resolution within the court system for the resolution of family disputes will also be studied. An essential feature of this subject will be the study of the special problems that arise in resolving disputes within families, including power imbalances, gender issues, domestic violence and offences against children.

DISPUTE RESOLUTION IN COMMERCE

6cp; 1 semester
availability MDR, LL.M, SJ.D, MLS, GDL.S, GCDR

This subject will explore the applications of dispute resolution theory and practical skills to the corporate environment. It will explore the causes of conflict within a corporation, and between a corporation and the outside world. The range of dispute resolution processes will be studied to ascertain their relevance and the problems in applying them to the various types of dispute that occur. Students will have the opportunity to study the impediments to changing the dispute resolution culture of an organisation, and they will be encouraged to build models for implementing change in a range of corporate environments. The differences between implementation between the public and private sectors and between different sectors of the corporate/business world will also be explored.

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTE RESOLUTION

6cp; 1 semester
availability MDR, LL.M, SJ.D, MLS, GDL.S

This subject will teach the history of industrial dispute resolution in Australia. It will look at the relevance of dispute resolution to the workplace and to the relationship between unions and management. As this latter is a new area for the use of mediation and dispute resolution in Australia, the subject will seek to develop a model process for such dispute resolution, particularly in view of the introduction of enterprise bargaining and the initiative to introduce mediation/dispute resolution into the industrial relations area in NSW. Input from industry will be provided.
77763
COMMUNITY DISPUTE RESOLUTION
6cp; 1 semester
availability MDR, LLM, SJD, MLS, GDLS
This subject introduces a particular application of dispute resolution for the resolution of disputes involving the community. The history of community dispute resolution in Australia is given. The Community Justice Centres of NSW collaborate in its teaching. Topics covered include dispute resolution by police in a crisis, consumer complaints, disputes involving the elderly, together with neighbourhood and family disputes. The use of dispute resolution to cover multiparty community disputes is addressed. Lastly, the arguments for and against the use of mediation and other forms of dispute resolution in communities will be given and the whole movement critiqued.

77764
ENVIRONMENTAL DISPUTE RESOLUTION
6cp; 1 semester
availability MDR, LLM, SJD, MLS, GDLS
corequisite: 77735 Dispute Resolution
This subject studies the use of dispute resolution in environmental disputes and the potential for developing dispute resolution processes in this area. It will also examine the application of dispute resolution processes to planning issues, and matters currently dealt with by the Land and Environment Court of NSW. In development of students’ practical skills, the subject will explore strategies that may be used for dispute resolution in multiparty disputes, for policy development and where public interest groups are involved.

77765
COURT-BASED DISPUTE RESOLUTION
6cp; 1 semester
availability MDR, LLM, SJD, MLS, GDLS
corequisite: 77735 Dispute Resolution
This subject explores the incorporation of dispute resolution processes into the court system. It draws on programs in courts in Australia and overseas. It addresses the impact of dispute resolution on the formal state-provided dispute resolution system, and examines the interface of the formal and informal systems, and the effect of the informal system on society’s norms and the adversarial system of social control.

77766
ECONOMIC LAW OF THE PEOPLE’S REPUBLIC OF CHINA
6cp; 1 semester
availability LLM, SJD
This subject provides an in-depth understanding of China’s modernisation program and its interpretation of ‘economic law’. Topics include domestic economic contract law; foreign economic contract law; the traditional Chinese concept of ‘contract’ versus communist Chinese ideology and pragmatism.

77767
TAX ADMINISTRATION
6cp; 1 semester
availability TAX, LLM, SJD
Access to timely and relevant tax-related information is crucial to the ATO’s attempts to correctly assess taxpayers and to taxpayers’ attempts to resist assessments. The subject analyses critically the rationale for and structure of the current tax administration system, and then proceeds to a detailed analysis of the key strategic elements of that system including tax audits, self-assessment, objections and appeals, and collection and recovery of unpaid tax. Alternatives for reform are also examined.

77769
ADVANCED EUROPEAN UNION LAW
6cp; 1 semester
availability LLM, SJD
prerequisite: 77704 European Union Law
This subject builds upon 77704 European Union Law to provide an in-depth study of the current position of the European Union (EU) in the world today. The topics to be discussed all involve current issues within the EU or the current issues affecting the EU and other trading blocs. Throughout the subject the relevance of EU law to the Commonwealth, its economy and legal relations will be explored.
77772
MIGRATION LAW
6cp; 1 semester
availability LLM, SJD
This subject deals with the development of a distinct Australian citizenship, the right to travel and immigration control in Australia. Constitutional law issues, the legislative framework and the Australian government's humanitarian and international obligations are treated. Particular topics include the granting of citizenship; passports; statutory concept of entry; refugee status; change of status; deportation; government policy; immigration programs; departmental procedures; administrative discretion; legal institutions; natural justice; criminal offences; legal practice and procedure; and comparative study of immigration control systems.

77773
PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT LAW 2: POLLUTION CONTROL LEGISLATION
6cp; 1 semester
availability LLM, SJD
The subject looks at pollution control legislation in NSW. Topics include the granting of development approvals and pollution control licences; the role of State and local government bodies; court remedies available for breaches of pollution legislation and overlapping Commonwealth and State legislation.

77774
CURRENT ISSUES IN CORPORATE LAW
6cp; 1 semester
availability LLM, SJD
This is an advanced study of current developments and central issues in corporate law. Topics include issues in corporate governance and the Corporations Law Simplification Program.

77778
ADVANCED COMPUTERISED LEGAL RESEARCH
6cp; 1 semester
availability LLM, SJD
This subject analyses existing CD-ROM, on-line and Internet resources; builds upon existing research skills and develops strategies for integrating computerised legal research; brings students up to date with recent developments in legal information retrieval and associated technologies; introduces students to specialised systems and products and aims to enable students to critically evaluate computerised applications to law.

77780
RESEARCH PAPER (DR)
6cp; 1 semester
availability MDR
Candidates in the MDR are required to complete either a Research Paper (DR) or Research Project (DR) as their final subject. The Research Paper (DR) requires the submission of a paper approximately 8,000–10,000 words which researches an area of alternative dispute resolution. Prior to enrolment, students should consult the Faculty in order to have their topic approved and supervisors appointed by the Faculty's Graduate Studies Committee. All topics and supervisors must be finalised prior to the commencement of the relevant semester i.e. by July for Spring semester and by November for Autumn semester. The Research Paper (DR) is subject to rules approved by the Faculty Board. Copies of these rules are available from the Administrative Secretary.

This subject does not satisfy the Faculty Board's requirements for the awarding of Honours in the MDR. Candidates for Honours in the MDR should enrol in 77781 Research Project (DR).

77781
RESEARCH PROJECT (DR)
12cp; 2 semesters
availability MDR
Candidates in the MDR are required to complete either a Research Paper (DR) or Research Project (DR) as their final subject. The Research Paper (DR) requires the
submission of a paper approximately 15,000–20,000 words which researches an area of alternative dispute resolution. Prior to enrolment, students should consult the Faculty in order to have their topic approved and supervisors appointed by the Faculty’s Graduate Studies Committee. All topics and supervisors must be finalised prior to the commencement of the relevant semester i.e. by July for Spring semester and by November for Autumn semester. The Research Project (DR) is subject to rules approved by the Faculty Board. Copies of these rules are available from the Administrative Secretary. Candidates for Honours in the MDR need to complete this subject and attain an average mark of at least 75% in their coursework subjects.

77782
ADVANCED MEDIA LAW: LIBEL LAW AND PRIVACY
6cp; 1 semester
{c} availability LMM, SJD
This is an advanced study of media law which concentrates on the areas of libel law and of privacy. It aims to build the student's knowledge of media law and encourage critical analysis. Topics covered include right of privacy, intrusion, publication of private matters, appropriation, libel and slander, traditional defences and libel law reform.

77801
INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW (LS)
12cp; 1 semester
{c}{ib}; availability MLS, GDLS
Topics include the sale of goods; representation overseas; finance; export credits and insurance; carriage of goods; arbitration and litigation; customs law and international trade regulation.

77802
INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC LAW (LS)
6cp; 1 semester
{c}{ib}; availability MLS, GDLS
Designed to develop an understanding of the law governing the international economy and relations between participants in that economy. The concept of international economic law will be examined, and topics will include specific resource issues such as the common heritage; the deep sea bed; Antarctica; international legal regulation of investment, finance and trade; the institutions—IMF, GATT, IBRD; and the relationship between national and international economic law involving such concepts as extraterritoriality and sovereign immunity.

77803
CURRENT PROBLEMS OF PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL LAW (LS)
6cp; 1 semester
{ib}{p}; availability MLS, GDLS
Assists students to develop an advanced understanding of the subject, including topics such as recent developments; sources of public international law: dispute resolution; diplomatic immunity; the law of the sea; extradition and asylum; international protection and human rights; treaty practice and procedure; the recognition of states and governments.

77804
INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS (LS)
6cp; 1 semester
{c}{ib}; availability MLS, GDLS
Topics include international trade law; transport of goods; taxation of international business transactions; financial aspects; foreign investment law; extraterritoriality; international business contracts; and dispute settlement.

77805
CHINESE TRADE AND INVESTMENT LAW (LS)
6cp; 1 semester
{a}{c}{ib}; availability MLS, GDLS
An introduction to the trade and investment law of the People’s Republic of China. Topics include the role of law in China; the law-making process and interpretation; legal aspects of China’s foreign trade; legal aspects of foreign investment in China; contractual and equity joint ventures and wholly owned foreign enterprises; taxation of foreign interests; foreign exchange control; securities and futures; special Economic...
Zones; banking and finance; and dispute resolution.

77806  
CHINESE LAW AND LEGAL SYSTEMS (LS)  
6cp; 1 semester  
{a}{ib}; availability MLS, GDLS  
This subject provides a background to further specialist study of contemporary Chinese law, including Chinese commercial law relating to foreign investment, and investigates Chinese communist legal styles, attitudes and structures, as well as traditional imperial Chinese legal attitudes and methods.

77807  
ECONOMIC LAW OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA (LS)  
6cp; 1 semester  
{b}; availability MLS, GDLS  
This subject provides an in-depth understanding of China's modernisation program and its interpretation of 'Economic Law'. The topics studied include: domestic economic contract law, foreign economic contract law, the traditional Chinese concept of 'contract' versus communist Chinese ideology and pragmatism.

77808  
INDONESIAN TRADE AND INVESTMENT LAW (LS)  
6cp; 1 semester  
{c}{ib};{if}{it}; availability MLS, GDLS  
An overview of the legal system of Indonesia, with particular emphasis on trade and investment law. Topics will include the Indonesian legal system; business organisation; joint ventures; securities law; foreign investment; land law; exchange control and litigation and arbitration.

77811  
DECEPTIVE TRADE PRACTICES AND PRODUCT LIABILITY (LS)  
12cp; 2 semesters  
{c}; availability MLS, GDLS  
An advanced study of Parts V and VI of the Trade Practices Act (and analogous legislation). Topics covered include deceptive trade practices; remedies; unconscionable conduct; and the liability of suppliers, service providers and manufacturers. Emphasis is placed upon recent legal developments.

77812  
RESTRICTIVE TRADE PRACTICES (LS)  
12cp; 2 semesters  
{c}; availability MLS, GDLS  
This is an advanced study of the law and recent developments in the area. Where relevant, a comparative analysis will be undertaken and the regulation of competition in the United States and the European Union will be studied. The subject will examine the constitutional basis for the Trade Practices Act 1974 (Cth), the recent developments to expand the applicability of the Act and the rationale for such regulation from both a lawyer's and economist's perspective. The specific prohibitions which will be examined include misuse of market power, mergers, collusive conduct, exclusionary conduct, boycotts, exclusive dealing agreements and resale price maintenance. Current topics including the deregulation of government business enterprises.

77813  
CORPORATE INSOLVENCY AND RESTRUCTURING (LS)  
6cp; 1 semester  
{c}; availability MLS, GDLS  
An advanced study of corporate insolvency law. Topics include the regulating structure; secured and unsecured creditors; reservations; liquidation; schemes of arrangement; official management; the role of directors; and foreign companies and foreign proceedings.

77815  
PATENT LAW OF AUSTRALIA (LS)  
12cp; 1 semester  
{ip}; availability MLS, GDLS  
Provides candidates with an opportunity to study the current law and practice relating to the protection of intellectual property rights in inventions and technological advances. Topics include confidential information; history of patents for
inventions; current legislation and reform; subject matter; right to apply; employees’ inventions and joint ownership; form of application; specifications and fair basing; novelty and obviousness; opposition; grounds of invalidity; Crown use; patents of addition; extensions of term; patent conventions; infringement; licences; assignment; remedies and penalties; and the value of the patent system in the economy.

77816
DESIGN LAW (LS)
12cp; 1 semester
{ip}; availability MLS, GDLS
A study of the law relating to the registration of designs and an overview of the law of copyright. Topics include the history of registered design legislation; meaning of design; requirements for registration; novelty or originality; registration process; infringement; term; ownership of registered design; rights created by registration; rectification of the register; licences and assignment; compulsory licences; transition provisions; design and copyright overlap; relevance of the Trade Practices Act 1974; international obligations and Circuits Layout Act 1988. The overview of copyright law will encompass a consideration of both works and other subject matter under the Copyright Act 1968.

77817
TRADEMARKS LAW OF AUSTRALIA (LS)
12cp; 1 semester
{ip}; availability MLS, GDLS
The subject comprises a study of the trademark monopoly, trademark protection and practice. Topics include passing off; trade libel; unfair competition; misleading or deceptive trademark conduct under the Trade Practices Act 1974; the Trademarks Act 1955; right to apply; purposes of registration; distinctiveness; deception and confusion; the possibility of protection for misappropriation rather than confusion; division of the register; defensive registration; certification marks; infringement; assignment; the registered user system; the exploitation of marks; remedies; international conventions and commercial counterfeiting; trademark jurisprudence.

77818
FRANCHISING LAW (LS)
6cp; 1 semester
{c}; availability MLS, GDLS
Aims to acquaint students with the role of franchising in the economy, the strengths and weaknesses of franchising, and the relevant applicable law. Topics will include trade practices and franchising; intellectual property and franchising; dispute resolution between franchisor and franchisee; taxation and stamp duty considerations; and international franchising.

77819
COPYRIGHT ACT (LS)
12cp; 1 semester
availability MLS, GDLS
The principles of copyright, the development of case law and the structure and ambit of the legislation. Students will be required to develop a detailed knowledge of the Copyright Act 1968, and associated regulations, and to have a comprehensive knowledge of relevant case law.

77820
CORPORATIONS, FINANCE AND SECURITIES (LS)
12cp; 2 semesters
{c}; availability MLS, GDLS
This subject will focus on the regulation of corporations, the provision of corporate finance and the issuing of securities. It will consider a number of topics in each of these broad areas. Under the heading of corporations, the subject will concentrate on the manner in which corporations are regulated, including the current regulatory framework, the role and powers of the Australian Securities Commission and the developments in the area of directors’ duties. Under the heading of finance the subject will focus on an overview of the financial markets from an economist’s point of view and on the various financing methods used including leasing, subordination, use of commercial paper as a financing technique, syndication and participation, credit facilities and the overall taxation implication for each of them. Under the heading of securities, the regulation of takeovers, the regulation of
the securities industry, the rules which control public offerings of securities and the criminal and civil penalties for breach will be examined.

**77821**

**BANKING LAW (LS)**

12cp; 2 semesters
\{c\} availability MLS, GDLS

This is an advanced study of banking law concentrating on relations between the bank and its corporate customers. The topics are the regulatory framework within which banks operate, the relationship between bank and the customer and the activities of banks including cheques, bills of exchange, foreign currency lending, secured and unsecured lending.

**77822**

**INTERNATIONAL BANKING AND FINANCIAL LAW (LS)**

12cp; 2 semesters
\{c\} availability MLS, GDLS

An advanced study of monetary systems; monetary obligations; foreign money obligations; the problem of the governing law; sovereign risk; exchange control; covenants; default; and types of finance.

**77823**

**ADVANCED CORPORATE INSOLVENCY AND RESTRUCTURING (LS)**

6cp; 1 semester
\{c\} availability MLS, GDLS

prerequisite: 77730 Corporate Insolvency and Restructuring

An advanced study of insolvency law and related issues, with a particular emphasis on trends in, and styles of, formal and informal debt restructuring. Lectures will also analyse case studies to demonstrate the application of legal and commercial principles in a practical context.

**77824**

**EUROPEAN UNION LAW (LS)**

12cp; 1 semester
\{c\} availability MLS, GDLS

Topics include the activities of the European institutions especially the EU; the political and economic origins of EU and its institutional structures with emphasis on the European Court of Justice; the laws of the member states and the free movement of goods, workers, capital and services. The subject concentrates on the emerging transnational protection of social and economic rights and the jurisprudence of the European Court of Justice.

**77825**

**ADVANCED INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC LAW (LS)**

6cp; 1 semester
\{c\} availability MLS, GDLS

Designed to develop an advanced understanding of the law governing the international economy, and the relations between participants in that economy. Aspects of international economic law shall be considered including the IMF; floating currencies; foreign exchange control law and international contracts; Article VIII of the IMF; aspects of international fiscal law; the European monetary system; sovereign debt problems; and Eurocurrency markets.

**77826**

**EUROPEAN UNION ANTI-TRUST LAW (LS)**

6cp; 1 semester
\{c\} availability MLS, GDLS

Designed to provide an understanding of the provisions of Articles 85 and 86 of the Treaty of Rome, with a brief survey of their relationship to one of the member states of the European Union (normally the UK).

**77827**

**ECONOMIC LAW IN EASTERN EUROPE (LS)**

6cp; 1 semester
\{c\} availability MLS, GDLS

Topics include the functions of law in Eastern Europe; the legal environment of business; privatisation and re-privatisation policy and its legal forms; aspects of company law; banking law; taxation systems; anti-trust legislation; insurance and re-insurance; securities markets; foreign investment laws; the EU and
association agreements; OECD and 'Partners in Transition'; aspects of contracts in corporate business; and dispute resolution processes.

**77828**

PRIVATE INTERNATIONAL LAW (LS)

6cp; 1 semester  
availability MLS, GDLS

An advanced study of the principles of private international law as they operate within the Commonwealth of Australia and in relation to overseas countries, with emphasis on issues of current relevance, and with reference to American and European law. In particular, current developments at the Hague Conference on Private International Law and in the European Union will be examined.

**77829**

ADVANCED EUROPEAN UNION ANTI-TRUST LAW (LS)

6cp; 1 semester  
availability MLS, GDLS  
prerequisite: 77704 European Union Law

This subject builds upon European Union Law 77704 to provide an in-depth study of the current position of the European Union (EU) in the world today. The topics all involve the current issues within or affecting the EU and other trading blocs. Throughout the subject the relevance of EU law to the Commonwealth, its economy and legal relations will be explored.

**77830**

MARITIME LAW (LS)

12cp; 2 semesters  
availability MLS, GDLS

This subject is divided into two main areas—admiralty law and the law pertaining to the carriage of goods by sea. In both cases, reference will be made to pertinent international conventions and their adoption (or otherwise) in Australia, as well as to current international deliberations. Within the first main group of topics, the areas of admiralty law studied include safety; registration, nationality and ownership of ships; sale and purchase of ships; securities (mortgages and maritime liens); admiralty jurisdiction; collisions and limitation of liability; salvage, towage and pilotage; and maritime employment. The second main group of topics examines the regulation of shipping conferences, and the rights and obligations of parties to contract for the carriage of goods by sea (carrier and shipper), with special reference to charter parties and bills of lading. The areas studied include anti-trust laws; the Hague; Hague-Visby and Hamburg Rules; seaworthiness and the duty to take care of cargo; demurrage, general average, freight, and marine insurance. Problems associated with intermodal transport operations will also be discussed.

**77831**

AIR LAW (LS)

12cp; 2 semesters  
availability MLS, GDLS

This subject is dealt with at both the international and domestic levels. The topics considered include the regulation and organisation of aviation (including sovereignty); the system of carrier liability with emphasis on the Warsaw system; third-party liability (including damage caused to third parties on surface, environmental damage and aviation products liability); aviation insurance and security issues.

**77832**

ADMIRALTY LAW (LS)

6cp; 1 semester  
availability MLS, GDLS

This subject gives students an appreciation of public and private international law aspects of maritime commerce and transportation, whilst ensuring a knowledge of the Australian law governing the relevant areas selected for study. Reference will be made to pertinent international conventions and their adoption (or otherwise) in Australia, as well as to current international deliberations. Topics to be studied include maritime safety; registration; nationality and ownership of ships; securities (mortgages and maritime liens); admiralty jurisdiction; collision and limitation of liability; salvage, towage and pilotage; maritime employment.
77833
CARRIAGE OF GOODS BY SEA (LS)
6cp; 1 semester
{lt}; availability MLS, GDLS
This subject, designed to accompany Admiralty Law, examines the regulation of shipping conferences, and the rights and obligations of parties to the contract for the carriage of goods by sea (carrier and shipper), with special reference to charter parties and bills of lading. The areas studied include anti-trust laws; the Hague, Hague-Visby and Hamburg Rules; seaworthiness and the duty to take care of cargo; demurrage; general average; freight and marine insurance. Problems associated with intermodal transport operations will also be discussed.

77834
ADVANCED ADMINISTRATIVE LAW (LS)
12cp; 2 semesters
{p}; availability MLS, GDLS
Topics include major developments in the common law and in federal administrative law. Particular attention will be paid to developing forms of remedies, the alternative forms of review of administrative action through, for example, the Ombudsman, and current issues and prospective developments. Administrative law is relevant to all forms of government activity including regulation of trade and commerce.

77835
PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT LAW 1 (LS)
6cp; 1 semester
{p}; availability MLS, GDLS
Topics in this subject include government involvement in the planning and development process as developer and as intervenor; executory discretions in the development process; individual participation in the planning process; review of decisions; a case study for the interaction between private rights and public interests; a case study for the interaction of planning law and environmental concerns; and recent developments.

77836
PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT LAW 2: POLLUTION CONTROL LEGISLATION (LS)
6cp; 1 semester
{p}; availability MLS, GDLS
The subject looks at pollution control legislation in NSW. Topics include the granting of development approvals and pollution control licences; the role of State and local government bodies; court remedies available for breaches of pollution legislation and overlapping Commonwealth and State legislation.

77837
TAX PROCEDURES, SALES TAX AND STAMP DUTIES (LS)
12cp; 2 semesters
{c}{t}; availability MLS, GDLS
The topics covered include the Commissioner's powers to obtain information; imputation of tax; administrative law and tax; tax avoidance; tax appeals and objections; sales tax; and stamp duties.

77838
CAPITAL GAINS TAX (LS)
12cp; 2 semesters
{c}{t}; availability MLS, GDLS
An in-depth study of capital gains tax (CGT) including consideration of legislative amendments since introduction of the CGT; the effects of CGT on partnerships, trusts, companies, non-residents, and death; the 'nightmare' provisions; CGT and convertible notes; CGT and rollover provisions; current practical problems; overseas experience; the role of the CGT Subcommittee; and ATO rulings and practice.

77839
SUPERANNUATION LAW (LS)
6cp; 1 semester
{c}{t}; availability MLS, GDLS
Provides an overall understanding of the taxation, legal and industry matters affecting superannuation. Specific topics covered include the history of superannuation; overview of current situation; trust deed issues; legislative framework—ITAA, OSSA and Regs, SGL; relationship
of superannuation to topical issues such as insolvency, family law, administration companies, and surplus.

77840
TAX ADMINISTRATION (LS)
6cp; 1 semester
Availability MLS, GDLS
Access to timely and relevant tax-related information is crucial to the ATO's attempts to correctly assess taxpayers and to taxpayers' attempts to resist assessments. The subject analyses critically the rationale for and structure of the current tax administration system, and then proceeds to a detailed analysis of the key strategic elements of that system including tax audits, self-assessment, objections and appeals, and collection and recovery of unpaid tax. Alternatives for reform are also examined.

77841
ADVANCED CONSTITUTIONAL LAW (LS)
12cp; 2 semesters
Availability MLS, GDLS
A consideration of current issues in constitutional law, the three arms of government, and a review of recent developments in various aspects of federal powers.

77845
INTERNATIONAL LAW, THE ENVIRONMENT AND TECHNOLOGICAL CHANGE
12cp; 1 semester
Availability GDLST, GCLST
This subject is designed to develop an understanding of the international dimension of legal issues. The nature and function of the global environment will be examined in the context of legal institutions and their effectiveness for exercising control over the conservation of natural resources. There will also be a consideration of the need to evaluate and assess the legal resources required to respond to problems arising from technological change.

77846
WORLD ORDER AND INDIGENOUS PEOPLES
12cp; 1 semester
Availability GDLST, GCLST
This subject is designed to develop an understanding of what is meant by world order and the extent to which its perception may be affected by such factors as national events, business interests and humanitarian concerns. Within this context the roles of indigenous people at a global level will be reviewed. The development of global recognition and how Australia has responded to these international developments will be examined.

77847
LAW IN CONTEXT
12cp; 1 semester
Availability GDLST, GCLST
This subject develops an appreciation and evaluation of the legal system within the Australian context. Using case studies, the subject examines contemporary Australian law and the relationship between the individual and the state.

77849
COMPARATIVE COMPANIES AND SECURITIES LAW
6cp; 1 semester
Availability MLS, GDLS
This subject encompasses a comparative study of European and Australian companies and securities law, with particular emphasis on the differences between the civil and the common law systems.

77850
PSYCHOLOGY AND DISPUTE RESOLUTION
6cp; 1 semester
Availability MDR, LLM, SJD, MLS, GDLS
A comprehensive introduction to the elements of human behaviour and personality that affect the dispute resolution process. This course is designed to build an understanding of human processes and to gradually develop skills, abilities and confidence in assessing and handling these processes within the mediation context. Emotions, defence mechanisms,
rapport, change and influence processes, personality type, values and beliefs are explored in relation to the mediator, the parties and across a range of dispute resolution situations.

77851
LAW AND MEDICINE
6cp; 2 semesters
{p}; availability MLS, GDLS
This subject deals with the areas of law which interact with the practice and administration of medicine and other health services. It includes medical negligence; consent; medical records; expert medical evidence in criminal cases; the law of medical ethics; legal aspects of mental health and intellectual disability including legal capacity and the rights of the mentally ill and intellectually handicapped generally.

77852
CURRENT ISSUES IN CORPORATE LAW
6cp; 1 semester
{c}; availability MLS, GDLS
This is an advanced study of current developments and central issues in corporate law. Topics covered will include issues in corporate governance and the Corporations Law Simplification Program.

77853
ADVANCED COMPUTERISED LEGAL RESEARCH
6cp; 1 semester
availability MLS, GDLS
This subject analyses existing CD-ROM, on-line and Internet resources; builds upon existing research skills and develops strategies for integrating computerised legal research; brings students up to date with recent developments in legal information retrieval and associated technologies; introduces students to specialised systems and products and aims to enable students to critically evaluate computerised applications to law.

77854
ADVANCED MEDIA LAW: LIBEL LAW AND PRIVACY
6cp; 1 semester
{c}; availability LMM, SJD
This is an advanced study of media law which concentrates on the areas of libel law and of privacy. It aims to build the student's knowledge of media law and encourage critical analysis. Topics covered include right of privacy, intrusion, publication of private matters, appropriation, libel and slander, traditional defences and libel law reform.

79701
STAMP DUTIES
6cp; 1 semester
availability TAX, LLM, SJD, MLS, GDLS
This unit gives a general overview of stamp duty, the means by which stamp duty is imposed, and the major instruments and transactions that are subject to duty and most frequently encountered in daily practice. Topics to be covered include imposition and territorial nexus; assessment of duty and consequences of non-stamping; conveyances; trusts; Clayton's contracts; goods, wares and merchandise exemption; land-owning companies and trusts; leases; hiring arrangements; loan securities; insurance and financial institutions duty.

79702
LAND TAX AND PAYROLL TAX
6cp; 1 semester
availability TAX, MLS, GDLS
This subject is divided into two components. The first component, Land Tax, canvasses basic principles and more complex legal issues, including general liability, practical aspects and administration and special matters, such as jointly owned land, 'special trusts'. The second component explores complex taxation issues in relation to Payroll Tax, including issues of general liability; group employers; practical aspects and administration and other special matters such as relevant contracts; and tax concessions.
79703
LEGAL ASPECTS OF CONTRACTS ADMINISTRATION
6cp; 1 semester
availability SUPPLY, MLS, GDLS
This subject aims to provide participants with an appreciation of the legal issues that affect the complex contractual arrangements that are a feature of the purchasing and materials management function.

79706
CUSTOMS DUTIES/LEVIES
6cp; 1 semester
availability TAX, SJD, LLM
This unit covers a wide range of substantive Customs commercial laws, which have a significant role in the conduct of trade between nations. The international focus of this subject is designed to meet the requirements of students practising either in Australia or overseas. It affords an insight into the application of Customs commercial controls, through a consideration of the underlying principles. The emphasis in the subject is directed to the relevant public international law, which is at the root of Customs administration. The practical application of anti-dumping and countervailing measures through Australian domestic laws will be referred to by way of example. A similar approach is also adopted when considering the questions of the valuation of imported goods, the application of the harmonised commodity classification system, and concessional entry including a consideration of preference and origin rules. There is also a discussion of the electronic information systems, the Customs audit process and appeal provisions. Reference is made to a number of other matters of relevance to the collection of duties and to the import and export of goods. The subject is interdisciplinary and will involve the discussion and practical application of economic, accounting and legal concepts in the analysis of international trade.

79707
INTERNATIONAL TAXATION 2
6cp; 1 semester
availability TAX, MLS, GDLS
International tax planning is one of the key elements in any strategy of expansion. The appropriate tax advice will help avoid pitfalls. This subject will cover issues including a tax treatment of non-residents—industry provisions, royalties, sales in Australia by overseas manufacturers and merchants, ex-Australian profits: withholding tax—interpretative provisions, deemed interest, exclusions, recoupment and anti-avoidance legislation, dividends and interest and international tax avoidance; and transfer pricing—anti-avoidance legislation, key elements of Division 13, administrative provisions, and other considerations.

79711
ADVANCED INDUSTRIAL LAW
6cp; 1 semester
availability SUPPLY, LLM, SJD, MLS, GDLS
prerequisite: 79731 Industrial Law
Develops understanding of the legal regulation of the employer-employee relationship. Instils an awareness of solutions to problems in this field attempted by other legal systems, and an understanding of current problems. Students develop skills in the preparation for, and presentation of, cases before industrial tribunals. Seeks to develop an understanding of our industrial arbitration system and the regulation of wages and working conditions under awards at both the federal and State levels.

79718
ADVANCED TAXATION
6cp; 1 semester
availability TAX, MLS, GDLS
This subject is concerned with taxation practice. It is not intended to be prescriptive, and variations will be made by the lecturer to cater for the interests of students and to take account of current developments in revenue law. Subjects covered include: recent amendments and case law; fundamentals of tax planning; S.51 (1); advanced problems; partnerships;
trusts; taxation and stamp duty problems in estate management; company distributions, losses, superannuation and employee benefits; foreign source income and tax havens; alienation of income; legislative and judicial techniques to minimise tax avoidance; objections and appeals; other revenue laws.

79729
LEGAL ENVIRONMENT OF BUSINESS
6cp; 1 semester
availability SUPPLY, MLS, GDLS

Strand 1: Emphasis on commercial concepts
The objective of this subject is to understand the basic principles of the legal system in Australia and its impact on business; to introduce students to legal reasoning, identification of key issues, and options for dispute resolution. Topics covered include the Constitution; Parliament and government; crime and tort; the law of property and contract; consumer protection and restrictive trade practices; and the law of international business in Australia.

Strand 2: Emphasis on computer law
Addresses the basic principles of law and the legal system in Australia as outlined in Strand 1, with emphasis on understanding the law of business and the impact of computers, including issues relating to intellectual property e.g. copyright protection of computer software, patents and confidential information.

79731
INDUSTRIAL LAW
6cp; 1 semester
availability SUPPLY, LLM, SJD, MLS, GDLS

Provides an understanding of the matters encompassed by industrial law. The common law and subsequent statute law relating to employer and employee are discussed, and an understanding of the legal regulation of the working conditions and pay of Australian employees at both the federal and State levels is developed. The parameters of industrial law, and the employer-employee relationship in both the individual and collective aspect, are analysed in depth.

79732
LAW FOR ADMINISTRATORS
6cp; 1 semester
availability SUPPLY

Examines the laws relevant to administrators and decision makers. It covers the Constitution's limits and administration; legal rules; implementation of legal rules; judicial controls over administrative decision making; rule and rule-making in business regulation; tribunals and adjudication; advocacy; administrative law reform; reform of the Australian administrative process.

79733
COMPANIES AND SECURITIES LAW
6cp; 1 semester
availability SUPPLY, MLS, GDLS

Explores company law in depth in relation to cases, and provides current information on the field of corporate enterprise. Topics covered include national companies legislation in Australia; ASC policy in practice; reform of company accounting standards; registration of company auditors and liquidators; new procedures for the registration of changes; promoters' contracts; extended duties of directors and executive officers; special investigation.

79737
ENGINEERING LAW
6cp; 1 semester
availability SUPPLY

The object of this subject is to introduce engineers to some of the areas of the law in which they may be involved. Topics covered include advanced contract law; standard form construction contracts and custom-made agreements; collusive tendering practices; Quality Assurance Contracting (AS 2990); contractual limitation of liability for engineers; advanced design liability; the role of the engineering consultant in preventing disputes and preparing for arbitration; copyright considerations in plans, drawings and computer software; rise and fall considerations in engineering projects; advanced aspects of international contracting and dispute resolution and aspects of the Trade Practices Act 1974 with regard to collusive tendering practices.
MARKETING LEGISLATION IN AUSTRALIA
6cp; 1 semester
availability SUPPLY, MLS, GDLS
This subject aims to acquaint the student with the major pieces of marketing legislation. Topics covered will include the major consumer legislation in Australia including the Trade Practices Act, Fair Trading Act, Contracts Review Act, Consumer Claims Tribunal Act, and Door to Door Sales Act; product liability in Australia; regulation of advertising; trademarks, passing off, copyright and patents; privacy and credit laws.

INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS LAW
6cp; 1 semester
availability SUPPLY
prerequisite: 79729 Legal Environment of Business or demonstrated equivalent knowledge
This unit examines aspects of the law of the international sales of goods; aspects of the legal environment of the conduct of business abroad; international economic institutions; Australia and its major trading partners; aspects of the anti-trust legislation and incentives to export; fiscal aspects of trade; the protection of Australian industry; foreign investment law; the transnational corporation.

LAW FOR MANAGERS
6cp; 1 semester
availability SUPPLY, MLS, GDLS
Community strand
Topics to be covered include introduction to the legal system; constitutional aspects; the nature of legal rules; the legislative framework for actions against public or community managers (e.g. tort, contract); particular aspects of law referring to public employment and the employment of professionals; aspects of the law concerning legal forms available for community organisations; and the tax treatment and responsibilities of boards of managers and trustees.

EMPLOYMENT LEGISLATION
6cp; 1 semester
availability SUPPLY, LLM, SJD, MLS, GDLS
This subject considers in detail the main aspects of Australian and NSW employment legislation, together with special legislation concerning leave with pay, workers’ compensation, occupational health and safety, and anti-discrimination. A special component of this subject is the study of the legislation and common law affecting industrial disputes.

CURRENT ISSUES IN INDUSTRIAL LAW
6cp; 1 semester
availability SUPPLY, LLM, SJD, MLS, GDLS
This subject focuses on current developments and central issues in industrial relations law; and ensures that students are familiar with current knowledge and practice in the field. Topics include current legislative changes and proposed changes, common law development, and recent arbitration and judicial decisions.

APPLIED LEGAL RESEARCH
6cp; 1 semester
availability TAX
This subject is provided for those with basic researching skills associated with Australian domestic law, but who have had no exposure to the law of some of our major trading partners and international law. Topics covered will include a revision of Australian primary sources; primary and secondary sources of the UK, America, Canada, New Zealand and the European Union and aspects of international law including customary law, treaties, International Court of Justice, and international law organisations.

INDIRECT TAXATION
6cp; 1 semester
availability SUPPLY, LLM, SJD, TAX, MLS, GDLS
In this subject students will examine the legal and procedural issues arising from the legislation. The subject is structured to
examine the general liability to taxation, special matters which arise in the operation of legislation and the practical aspects and administration associated with the legislation.

79762
INTERNATIONAL TAXATION 1
6cp; 1 semester
availability TAX, MLS, GDLS
A comprehensive explanation of the important issues within the international environment of business is provided. The subject will place emphasis on the more important taxation issues, and will respond to new issues as they arise.

79763
CONTEMPORARY ISSUES IN TAXATION
6cp; 1 semester
availability TAX, MLS, GDLS
This subject examines key current issues in taxation within the Australian environment. As emphasis is placed on important contemporary issues, the subject content and presentation may vary in order to respond to changes in legislation and practice.

79764
TAXATION PROJECT
12cp; 2 semesters
availability TAX—only available with the permission of the Director

79775
FINANCE LAW
6cp; 1 semester
availability SUPPLY, MLS, GDLS
This subject aims to enhance students' knowledge of finance law and current practice. Topics include fundraising by equity and debt; money market regulations; loans; leasing; trade finance; banking practice.

79781
READINGS IN INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS LAW
6cp; 1 semester
availability SUPPLY
prerequisite: 79742 International Business Law or demonstrated equivalent knowledge
Formal lectures in selected areas may be required, as directed by the coordinating lecturer. This subject allows a degree of flexibility in programming for specialised needs of individual students.

79791
BUSINESS LAW PROJECT
6cp; 1 semester
availability SUPPLY
Students undertaking the Business Law Project will write and present a formal project on an aspect of the law relating to business. There will be no formal lectures. Students will select a topic in consultation with the Coordinator and will be individually supervised.

79792
TAXATION PAPER
6cp; 1 semester
availability TAX — only available with the permission of the Director

79811
TAXATION MODULE
6cp; 1 semester
Professional Year
availability TAX
Incorporates the topics specified in the study guidelines issued by the Institute of Chartered Accounts in Australia for candidates who are undertaking the Professional Year examination.
CENTRES WITHIN THE FACULTY

International and Commercial Law Centre (ICLC)

OBJECTIVES

The International and Commercial Law Centre maintains close links with the legal profession, the commercial community generally and with the wider international arena. The idea for the Centre evolved from views in the Faculty that there is a role to be filled in assisting, in even a small way, in integrating Australia into the wider Pacific Rim and European regions. In particular, it is felt that such a centre can facilitate the dissemination of knowledge about commercial and international law and foreign legal systems. Achieving these objectives will go some way to establishing Sydney as a major international and commercial centre.

The Centre’s activities promote the internationalisation of our legal profession and should ultimately have an impact in creating closer relations with Australia’s trading partners. The Centre exports legal knowledge which will help raise Australia’s profile in the immediate area and worldwide. It will also perform the much-needed function in Sydney of facilitating the collection and dissemination of knowledge concerning rapidly evolving commercial law areas such as banking and financial law, international taxation, and corporate securities and regulation, and their increasing international implications.

ADVISORY BOARD

The Centre is advised by an Advisory Board of eminent lawyers from the private profession, government and the business community. The Centre’s Patron is Sir Laurence Street, AC, KCMG. Members of the Advisory Board include nominees of:

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Professor R D Guthrie, Vice-Chancellor, UTS
Professor David Flint, Dean, Faculty of Law, UTS
Mr Geoff Moore, Faculty of Law, UTS
The Director of the Centre is Mrs Alexis Goh.

ACTIVITIES

The Centre publishes the Australian International Law News and Lawasia, and provides ongoing support to postgraduate programs within the Faculty of Law. The Centre also provides a postgraduate legal education program for lawyers from civil law jurisdictions and arranges visits by eminent international academics to lecture in the area of international or commercial law.

The Centre also sponsors seminars on topical legal issues. Information on forthcoming seminars is available from the Executive Secretary of the ICLC telephone (02) 281 2699.

SPONSORSHIP

The Centre is sponsored by the Faculty of Law of the University of Technology, Sydney and corporate sponsors.

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Major sponsorship opportunities are available in connection with the Centre's activities, including sponsorship of specific seminars, workshops, international forums or course programs. These activities attract a high-profile audience and represent valuable sponsorship vehicles.

As a commercially aware organisation, the Centre welcomes sponsorship inquiries from interested parties. Sponsorship inquiries should be directed to the Director of the Centre, Alexis Goh (telephone (02) 281 2699).

Centre for Dispute Resolution

The Centre is jointly sponsored by the Faculties of Law and Business. It is a multidisciplinary Centre established to promote excellence in teaching, research, development, continuing professional education and consultancy in the discipline of dispute resolution. The Centre concentrates on the areas of the professions, commerce and government. It addresses domestic, international and Asia-Pacific applications in these areas.

In February 1995, the first Chair in Dispute Resolution was launched by the endowing law firm, Freehill Hollingdale and Page.

During 1995 the Centre provided the teaching for the Master of Dispute Resolution program based in the School of Law and taught individual subjects for students in the Master of Business Administration. The Centre has developed a Graduate Certificate in Dispute Resolution which is being introduced in 1996.

In 1995 the Centre also carried out consultancy work, designing dispute resolution systems (particularly for complaints handling) for government departments and private enterprise. In addition, it carried out a major research project on migrating ADR to small to medium sized enterprises which was funded by the Department of Industry, Science and Technology. The Centre also undertook a major consultancy for the State Rail Authority (NSW) to design a grievance-handling procedure. It was invited to teach in two Asian and two European countries. A substantial grant was received from the Department of Business and Regional Development in 1994 to carry out research in dispute resolution.

The Centre will continue to carry out consultancy work in 1996 and will provide continuing professional education and training courses in all aspects of dispute resolution. It will continue to encourage and facilitate research. The Centre operates as an information centre on dispute resolution for a wide range of people and organisations, both within Australia and overseas. It will continue to do so in 1996.

Seminars on topical dispute resolution issues will also be sponsored by the Centre. For information concerning these contact the Marketing Officer, Wiebke Benze, telephone 281 1623, fax 281 1529.
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