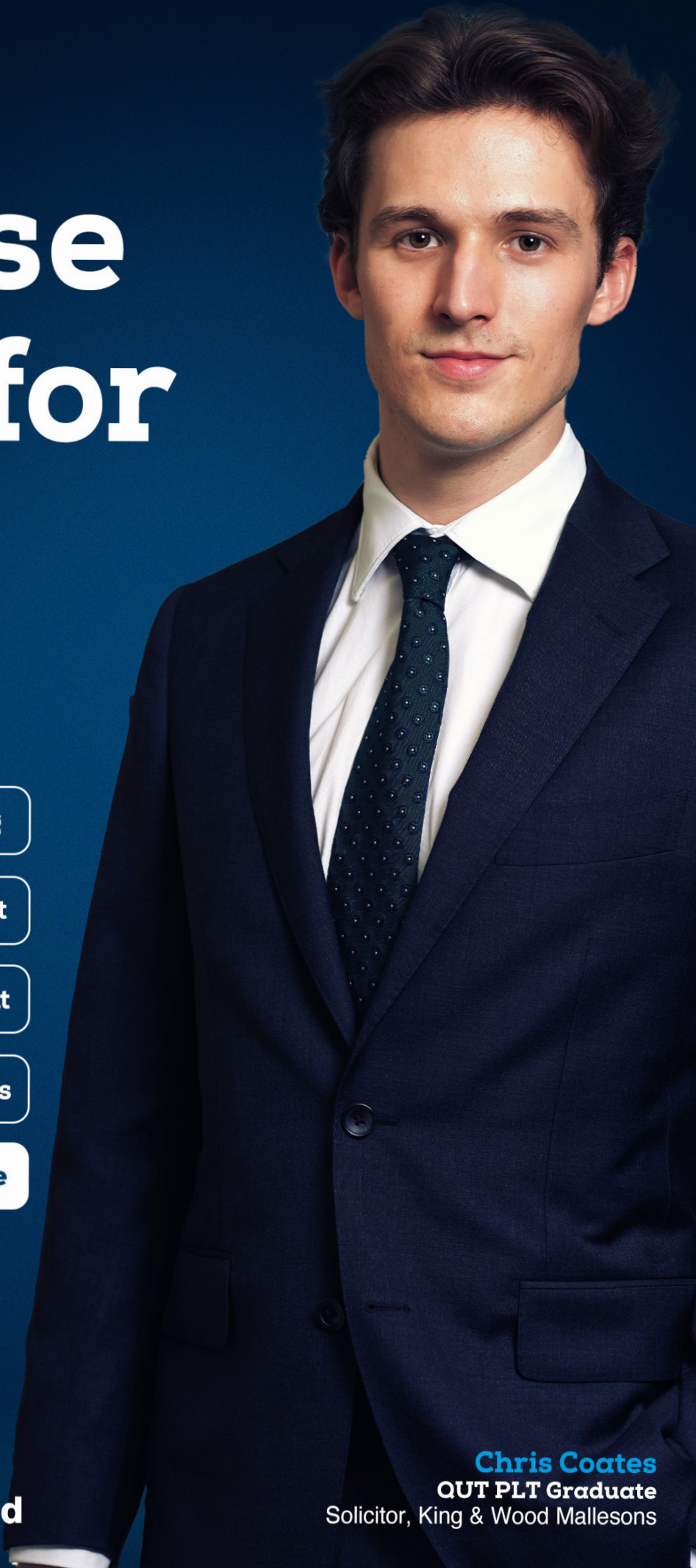


Why choose QUT for your PLT?

- Hands-on learning
- Exceptional support
- Real-world assessment
- No exams
- All of the above

PLT your way



Chris Coates
QUT PLT Graduate
Solicitor, King & Wood Mallesons

Do PLT your way

At QUT, our PLT program is designed to deliver the outcomes you need as you start your career. We offer a range of flexible study options to suit wherever you are at the start of your career.

You'll learn by working on simulated legal problems and tasks, and experience the work that lawyers undertake in real-world workplaces. This includes:

- interviewing and negotiating
- drafting legal documents
- writing legal letters
- executing property, litigation and commercial transactions and proceedings

Benefit from 350+ industry placement partners

As part of your course, you'll get hands-on experience with a four-week placement in a law office that we source for you through our relationships with firms, government, in-house legal departments, and non-profit organisations.

Find your own placement

If you would like to complete your placement at a firm outside our list of industry partners, you can choose to source your own placement.

Receive credit for current employment

If you're already working in a law office, you may be eligible for course credit and complete your PLT in as little as 16 weeks.



“ QUT’s firm connections gave me the opportunity to turn my workplace experience into a real job. The practical skills I learnt during PLT transfer well into the real world and let me hit the ground running with my placement. I now mentor other PLT students to give them the same experience I had. ”

Mark Goldsworthy

QUT PLT Graduate
Barrister at McPherson Chambers



“ I was taught by experienced lawyers who mentored me and helped me get a head start in my career. ”

Zosia Kilmartin

QUT PLT Graduate
Director of Kilmartin Knyvett Lawyers

Course structure

Skills

4 weeks

Complete a 4-week skills block at the start of the course, delivered online. This includes a 5-day on-campus intensive*.

Practice Areas

Full-time: 12 weeks
Part-time: 24 weeks

- Complete work in litigation, property, commercial, and select two other practice areas from 2 options.
- Complete this block in 12 weeks full-time, or 24 weeks part-time online (excluding breaks).

Career preparation

4 weeks[^]

This 4-week component helps you develop key attributes that employers look for in new lawyers.

Placement

4 weeks[^]

QUT will find you a 4-week placement in a Brisbane law office. Placements in other areas are subject to availability.

More PLT essentials

Learn from expert teaching staff

As a QUT PLT student, you'll learn from passionate teachers who have practised as solicitors and barristers, and gain feedback and insight from current practicing lawyers.

Access exceptional support

QUT's range of high-quality facilities, systems and support structures means you'll receive the support you need, during and after study, to get ahead and practice law with confidence.

Flexible course delivery options

You'll start with a 5-day on-campus intensive. External students will receive the remainder of the course online. If you enrol in our Interactions unit and our Criminal Practice elective, you'll have the option to attend court hearings on-campus or online.

Intake dates

For those studying online, intake dates are in January, March, July, and August. If you're studying full-time on campus, you'll start in either January or July at Gardens Point.

From classroom to courtroom

QUT's PLT course is approved by the Queensland Legal Practitioners Admissions Board as meeting the practical training requirements for admission to the legal profession in Queensland.

*Subject to Legal Practitioners Admissions Board permission.
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Course fees

Reduced fees are available based on your workplace experience. Contact pltsupport@qut.edu.au to check if you qualify for advanced standing. Scan the QR code for course fees.

FEE-HELP is available

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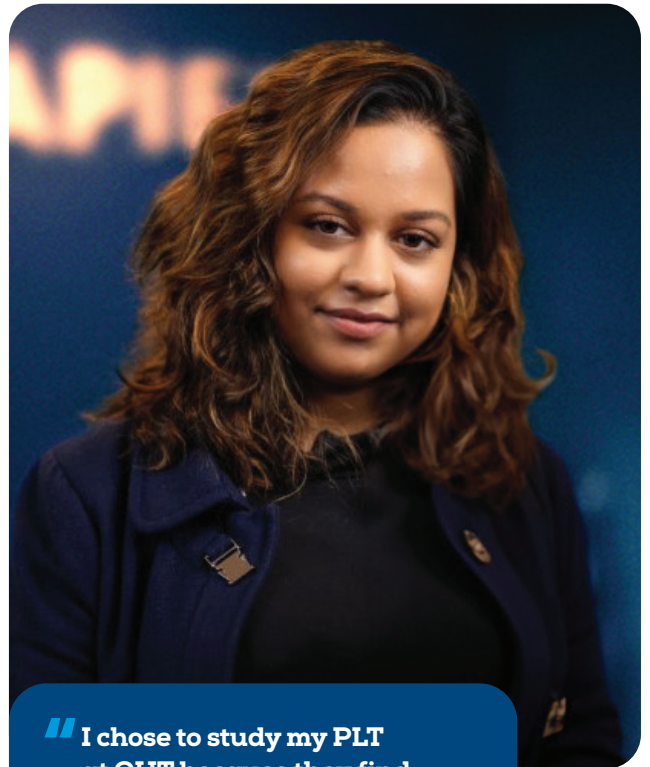
Apply before you graduate

The QUT PLT course is open to students with a completed bachelor law degree. You can also start with two units of study left in your undergraduate law degree, as long as those two units are not 'Priestley 11' units, and you satisfy the Queensland Legal Practitioners Admissions Board's 'early start' requirements.

Apply now



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“ I chose to study my PLT at QUT because they find placements for every student and set you up for your future career. QUT offered me a placement in the area of law I wanted to work in, and the experience it gave me helped me land my first graduate position. ”

Prathnaa Haripersad

QUT PLT Graduate

Consultant - Workplace Strategy at Mapien

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