

## Faculty of Law

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## OVERVIEW

The QUT Faculty of Law is one of Australia's largest tertiary educators in Law and Justice. The Faculty is a leader in its field, with world class lecturers and researchers on its academic staff.

The Faculty consists of the School of Law, the School of Justice, the Legal Practice Unit and the Law and Justice Research Centre. Amongst its facilities are a state-of-the-art electronic moot court, a dedicated Law Library and two 24-hour student computer labs.

The Faculty offers undergraduate study through the Bachelor of Laws (LLB) and the Bachelor of Justice (BJus) courses. A range of double degree programs is also available, including the Bachelor of Laws in conjunction with the Bachelor of Justice or with a bachelor degree in Applied Science, Arts, Business, Creative Industries, Journalism, Information Technology or Behavioural Science (Psychology).

A three-year accelerated Bachelor of Laws program is available for students who already hold a bachelor degree in another discipline. These students may also have the opportunity to select their elective units from the Law School's postgraduate program and graduate concurrently with a Graduate Certificate in Law.

The Faculty also offers a range of postgraduate study options in the Law and Justice disciplines, including graduate certificate and graduate diploma courses, masters degrees by coursework or research, and doctoral programs. These programs build on previous study and/or professional experience and allow graduate students to develop depth of expertise in their chosen specialist area.

The Law School prepares students for careers in law firms, government, public administration, business and other industries. The School of Justice produces graduates with qualifications for employment in policing, justice, defence, security and the social justice field.

What sets QUT Faculty of Law apart is its focus on education 'for the real world'. Faculty programs provide a sound balance of practical and theoretical training, facilitating the smooth transition of graduates into their chosen careers. The Faculty's real world approach is enhanced by its close liaison and collaboration with the legal and justice professions.

The Faculty is continually striving for excellence in learning and teaching in response to the demands of its graduates, their employers, the professions and the community. The Faculty's teaching and learning programs develop research and analytical skills within contextual and conceptual frameworks. A global approach to education is adopted which includes international visiting scholars, exchange programs for staff and students, and offshore programs. International and Indigenous content and perspectives are progressively being embedded in Faculty units.

In 2007/2008, the Faculty is reviewing its Bachelor of Laws program and it is anticipated that a revised curriculum for the course will be introduced from semester 1, 2009. The revised program (subject to University approval) will feature, amongst other things, a more flexible curriculum with greater elective choice for students. Electives will be streamed into groups reflecting the range of career destinations of law graduates, and groups reflecting the research strengths of the Faculty. Students who commence in the Bachelor of Laws in 2008 will be transitioned over to the new curriculum for 2009.

Other initiatives to enhance the quality of the educational experience offered by the Faculty include courses designed to develop graduate capabilities, a field in which the Faculty is an acknowledged leader, and online delivery of teaching. The Faculty's online teaching sites provide electronic access to a variety of course materials, and a broad array of Internet resources, including opportunities for staff-student communication such as email, SMS and internet chat.

Postgraduate research students are provided with dedicated office space and ICT facilities. The Faculty has staff qualified to supervise research in many fields including, but not limited to:

- Commercial Leases
- Commercial/Business Law
- Competition
- Consumer Protection
- Contract Law
- Crime and Criminology
- Cyber Law / E-Commerce
- Environmental Law
- Health Law
- Human Rights
- Indigenous Issues
- Intelligence and Security
- Legal / Justice Education
- Media Law
- Natural Resources Law
- Negligence
- Policing
- Property Law
- Public Law
- Tax Law
- Technology Law
- Trade Practices
- Intellectual Property and Copyright Law.

Through the Legal Practice Unit, the Faculty offers the Legal Practice Course (the Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice) to law graduates who wish to satisfy the practical training requirements to be admitted as legal practitioners. The course is offered twice a year in full-time mode, and three times a year in part-time (in-practice) and part-time (general) modes. The part-time in-practice mode is specially designed for persons who are already working in private or government law offices. The part-time courses are delivered online for the convenience of persons who are working full-time or who otherwise do not wish to study on campus. The full-time course is delivered on-campus in purpose-built premises that provide every full-time student with a work station and networked PC while they are working on campus. Our Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice is Queensland's longest established practical legal training course and we have successfully prepared over 1000 law graduates for admission as legal practitioners. The course has built a reputation for quality and for providing graduates with the set of skills they need to commence legal practice.

The QUT Faculty of Law, with its real world approach and its focus on the right balance of skills and theory, consistently achieves high graduate employment rates, further supporting its position as one of Australia's leading law faculties.

## SENIOR STAFF

### Faculty Office

*Dean:* Professor the Honourable M. Lavarch, LLB QIT

*Administration Manager:* W.A. Smith, BA(Hons) Syd, GradDipCourt & Parliamentary Reporting *Canb*

*Assistant Dean, Teaching and Learning:* M. Shirley, BA LLB(Hons) Qld, GradDipLegalPrac LLM *Bond*

*Assistant Dean, Research:* Professor W.D. Duncan, LLB Qld, LLM Lond, Solicitor

*Assistant Dean, International, Commercialisation and Community Engagement:* I. Davies, LLB(Hons) GradDipLegal-Prac LLM Qld

### School of Law

*Head:* Professor R. Mason, BA LLB(Hons) PhD Qld, LLM Syd.

#### Professors:

D.A. Butler, LLB (Hons) PhD QUT

S.A. Christensen, LLB (Hons) LLM QUT, Solicitor (Qld), Gadens Professor in Property Law

M. Cope, BA (Hons), LLM Qld, Barrister of Law

S.G. Coronas, BCom LLB Qld, LLM Lond, PhD Qld

W.D. Duncan, LLB Qld, LLM Lond, Solicitor

D.E. Fisher, LLB MA PhD *Edin*

B. Fitzgerald, BA PhD *Griff*, LLB(Hons) QUT, BCL *Oxon*, LLM *Harv*

S.Kift, LLB (Hons) Qld, LLM QUT

W.B. Lane, LLB Syd, LLM *Melb*, Clayton Utz Professor of Public Law

D.M. Morgan, BA(Hons) *Kent*

L. Willmott, BCom LLB (Hons) Qld, LLM *Camb*

#### Associate Professors:

S. Jackson, LLB(Hons) LLM Qld

### Legal Practice

*Director:* A.J. Chay, LLB LLM Qld, PhD *Griff*.

### School of Justice

*Head of School:* Professor R. Broadhurst, BA BEd PhD *W.Aust*, MPhil *Cantab*

#### Associate Professors:

B. Carpenter, BHMS (Hons) Qld, PhD *Griff*

G. Dean, MSW Qld, PhD QUT

B. Hocking, BA LLB *Monash*, DipGradLegStuds *Sthlm*, LLM Lond., PhD Qld

## RESEARCH CENTRE

### Law and Justice Research Centre

The **Law and Justice Research Centre** is the focal point and support structure for the research endeavours of the Faculty of Law, consistent with the Faculty's objectives and commitment to economic, cultural and social improvement through:

- Multidisciplinary collaborative approaches;
- Nationalisation and internationalisation; and
- High impact and professionally-valued research.

One of the Centre's primary goals is to participate actively in knowledge transfer, particularly to the professions, the community and industry. Another key goal is to support the Faculty's capacity to conduct priority-driven research designed to answer questions of immediate and future concern to the professions, the community and to government.

The fields of research expertise covered by our researchers embrace some of the more complex issues faced by Australian and global communities, and the areas of research

strength within the Faculty are nationally and internationally competitive.

We have a solid and rapidly growing research foundation and have identified specialist groups reflected in **research programs**, which are domains of established research activity and strength, with strong strategic direction and potential for future growth. The programs have developed due to the existing track record and activity of their members and because of the potential of the fields for national and international significance. The range of programs recognises Law's unique ability to contribute and 'value add' to a vast range of disciplines. The programs are:

- Commercial Property and Environment
- E-Business and E-Government
- Intellectual Property, Knowledge, Culture and Economy
- Health Law
- Citizenship, Government and Identity
- Criminal Justice
- Scholarship of Higher Education Learning in Law and Justice

The Law and Justice Research Centre allows the Faculty to respond to current challenges in research and research training by providing structures that offer greater collaboration and support for high quality research and encourage linking of research interest groups within an expanded Faculty research profile, and supports enhancement and sustainability of research productivity.

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## Bachelor of Journalism/Bachelor of Laws (IF07)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** 040313G

**Course duration (full-time):** 5 Years

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** Commonwealth Supported Place; Full fee tuition 2008: \$166 per credit point (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: Full fee tuition \$15,936; CSP \$5,938

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$10,032 per semester (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic Entry:** February

**International Entry:** February and July\* (\*July entry subject to availability)

**QTAC code:** 409912

**Past rank cut-off:** 92

**Past OP cut-off:** 5

**Assumed knowledge:** English (4, SA)

**Preparatory studies:** ENGLISH: Successful completion of a year of full-time vocational or tertiary study. For further information contact 07 3138 2000 or email [study@qut.com](mailto:study@qut.com)

**Total credit points:** 528

**Standard credit points per full-time semester:** 48(Semesters 3,4,5,6,9+10), 60(Semesters 1,2,7+8)

**Course coordinator:** Head, Undergraduate Studies [ugenq.ci@qut.edu.au](mailto:ugenq.ci@qut.edu.au) (Creative Industries); Dr. William Dixon Director, Undergraduate Programs (Law)

**Discipline coordinator:** Professor Alan Knight (Creative Industries)

**Campus:** Gardens Point and Kelvin Grove

### Overview

This five-year double degree in journalism and law is in high demand. It combines the practical skills and understanding of the journalism industry with the skills to work as a legal practitioner.

### Career Outcomes

outcomes Graduates may find work in private practice as a barrister or legal practitioner, practise in law-related government departments or within large companies as in-house lawyers. Journalism opportunities are the same as those for graduates of the Bachelor of Journalism. See page 30 for more information.

### Course Structure

The Creative Industries component is made up of 24 credit points of Faculty Foundation units, 144 credit points of Journalism-related units and 24 credit points of elective units.

The Law component is made up of 336 credit points of law subjects.

### Professional Recognition

The law degree component covers all the law units required for admission as a legal practitioner in Australia and is approved for the purposes of the Legal Practitioners' and Barristers' Admission Rules. QUT's journalism degree is

recognised by the Australian Journalists' Association (AJA) section of the Media, Entertainment and Arts Alliance (MEAA).

### OP Guarantee

The OP Guarantee does not apply to this program.

### Deferment

QUT allows current Year 12 school leavers to defer their undergraduate admission offer for one year, or for six months if offered mid-year admission, except in courses using specific admission requirements such as questionnaires, folios, auditions, prior study or work experience.

Non-year 12 students may also request to defer their QTAC offer on the basis of demonstrated special circumstances.

Find out more on deferment.

### Domestic student tuition fee (Dfee) places

Undergraduate domestic full fee places (Dfee) are available in this course.

Find out more on Dfee.

### Course structure

#### Year 1, Semester 1

KJB101	Digital Journalism
KJB120	Newsriting
KKB101	Creative Industries: People and Practices Introduction to Legal Research
LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method
LWB142	Law, Society and Justice

#### Year 1, Semester 2

KJB121	Journalistic Inquiry
KKB102	Creative Industries: Making Connections
LWB143	Legal Research and Writing
LWB144	Laws and Global Perspectives Creative Industries Elective

#### Year 2, Semester 1

KJB239	Journalism Ethics and Issues
KJB224	Feature Writing
KPB101	Foundations of Film and Television Production
LWB136	Contracts A

#### Year 2, Semester 2

KJB232	Radio and Television Journalism 1
KCB202	New Media Technologies Creative Industries Elective
LWB137	Contracts B

#### Year 3, Semester 1

KJB322	Desktop Publishing And Editing
KJB338	Radio and Television Journalism 2
LWB138	Fundamentals of Torts
LWB238	Fundamentals of Criminal Law

\* the offering of elective units is subject to sufficient student enrolment numbers and staff availability

\* some units are subject to quota restrictions

\* KK33, KK34, KJ32, KM32, IX07 and IX16 students ONLY are permitted to select electives from outside the Faculty of Creative Industries

**Year 3, Semester 2**

KJB303	News Production
KJB337	Public Affairs Reporting
LWB139	Select Issues in Torts
LWB239	Criminal Responsibility

**Semester 1 Units**

**Media & Communication**

KCB101	Communication in the New Economy
KCB102	Media and Society: From Printing Press to Internet
KCB103	Strategic Speech Communication
KCB201	Virtual Cultures
KCB302	Political Communication

**Year 4, Semester 1**

LWB231	Introduction to Public Law
LWB236	Real Property A
LWB240	Principles of Equity
LWB332	Commercial and Personal Property Law
LWB333	Theories of Law

**Communication Design**

KIB108	Animation Practices
KIB201	Interactive Writing

**Year 4, Semester 2**

LWB235	Australian Federal Constitutional Law
LWB237	Real Property B
LWB241	Trusts
LWB331	Administrative Law
LWB334	Corporate Law

**Dance**

KDB105	Architecture of the Body
KDB108	World Dance
KDB110	Deconstructing Dance in History

**Year 5, Semester 1**

LWB431	Civil Procedure
LWB432	Evidence
LWB434	Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning
KWB101	Introduction to Creative Writing
OR	null
	Creative Industries Elective

**Fashion**

KFB103	Introduction to Fashion
KFB206	Fashion and Modernity

**Year 5, Semester 2**

LWB433	Professional Responsibility
	Creative Industries Elective
	Law Elective Units

**Journalism**

KJB101	Digital Journalism
KJB120	Newswriting
KJB121	Journalistic Inquiry
KJB224	Feature Writing
KJB239	Journalism Ethics and Issues

**Creative Industries Faculty Undergraduate Open Electives**

**Faculty**

KKB004	Indigenous Creative Industries
KKB101	Creative Industries: People and Practices
KKB210	Computational Arts 1

**Creative Industries Faculty Undergraduate Open Electives**

These unit offerings are current at the time of publication but are subject to change.

Rules for selecting electives:

\* you must obey any elective rules as set out in your course requirements

\* you cannot select a unit that forms part of the compulsory units of your course or the compulsory units of your chosen sub-major area.

\* you must have successfully completed any pre/co-requisite units applicable

**Transition to New Professional Environments\***

KKB341	Workplace Learning 1
KKB342	Workplace Learning 2
KKB343	Service Learning 1
KKB344	Service Learning 2
KKB345	Creative Industries Project 1
KKB346	Creative Industries Project 2
KKB347	Becoming A Researcher: Understandings, Skills and Practices

**Music & Sound**

KMB003	Sex Drugs Rock 'n' roll
KMB004	World Music
KMB104	Music and Sound Skills
KMB105	Music and Sound Technology
KMB108	Sound Recording and Acoustics

**Film & Television**

KPB102	Film History
KPB106	Australian Television
KPB202	Film and Television Business Skills: Entrepreneurship and Investment
KPB203	Australian Film
KPB303	Critical Thinking About Television

**Performance Studies**

KTB101	20th Century Performance
KTB204	Understanding Performance
KTB061	Creative Industries Management
KTB062	Creative Industries Events and Festivals

**Visual Arts**

KVB102	Modernism
KVB104	Photomedia and Artistic Practice
KVB110	2D Media and Processes
KVB212	Australian Art, Architecture and Design
KVB304	Contemporary Art Issues

**Creative Writing & Cultural Studies**

KWB101	Introduction to Creative Writing
KWB102	Media Writing
KWB103	Persuasive Writing
KWB104	Creative Writing: The Short Story
KWB105	Film and Television Scriptwriting
KWB107	Introduction to Creative Non-Fiction
KWB108	Introduction To Literary Theory and Cultural Studies
KWB207	Great Books: The Literary Classics
KWB208	Modern Times (Literature and Culture in the 20th Century)
KWB308	Wonderlands: Literature and Culture in the 19th Century

**Semester 2 Units****Media & Communication**

KCB101	Communication in the New Economy
KCB103	Strategic Speech Communication
KCB104	Media and Communications Industries
KCB105	Media and Communication Research Methods
KCB202	New Media Technologies
KCB203	Consumer Cultures

**Communication Design**

KIB202	Enabling Immersion
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**Dance**

KDB106	Dance Analysis
KDB109	Funk, Tap and all that Jazz
KDB204	Australian Dance

**Faculty**

KKB102	Creative Industries: Making Connections
KKB211	Computational Arts 2

**Transition to New Professional Environments\***

KKB341	Workplace Learning 1
KKB342	Workplace Learning 2
KKB343	Service Learning 1
KKB344	Service Learning 2
KKB345	Creative Industries Project 1
KKB346	Creative Industries Project 2
KKB348	Becoming A Researcher: Contexts, Protocols and Impact
KKB350	Creative Industries International Study Tour

**Fashion**

KFB106	Unspeakable Beauty: A History of Fashion and Style
KFB207	Contemporary Fashion

**Journalism**

KJB101	Digital Journalism
KJB120	Newswriting
KJB121	Journalistic Inquiry
KJB224	Feature Writing
KJB280	International Journalism
KJB337	Public Affairs Reporting

**Music & Sound**

KMB002	Music and Spirituality
KMB007	Introductory Ensemble
KMB105	Music and Sound Technology
KMB107	Sound, Image, Text
KMB108	Sound Recording and Acoustics
KMB205	Sound Media Musicianship

**Film & Television**

KPB103	Film Genres
KPB104	Film and Television Production Resource Management
KPB107	Television's Greatest Hits
KPB205	Documentary Theory and Practice
KPB206	International Cinema

**Performance Studies**

- KTB104 Performance Innovation
- KTB207 Staging Australia
- KTB062 Creative Industries Events and Festivals

**Visual Arts**

- KVB103 Australian Art
- KVB104 Photomedia and Artistic Practice
- KVB108 Contemporary Asian Visual Culture
- KVB111 3D Media and Processes
- KVB211 Post 1945 Art
- KVB306 Video Art and Culture
- KVB307 Theories of Spatial Culture

**Creative Writing & Cultural Studies**

- KWB102 Media Writing
- KWB104 Creative Writing: The Short Story
- KWB105 Film and Television Scriptwriting
- KWB106 Corporate Writing and Editing
- KWB109 Ozlit
- KWB204 Creative Non-Fiction: Life Writing
- KWB206 Youth and Children's Writing
- KWB209 Shakespeare, Then and Now
- KWB307 Indigenous Writing
- KWB309 Popular Fictions, Popular Culture

**NOTES:**

\* Only one Workplace Learning unit may be completed

\* KKB290, KKB357, KKB320, KKB330, KKB340-1 and KKB340-2 are only available to students enrolled in Creative Industries courses.

**Potential Careers:**

Barrister, Crown Law Officer, In-House Lawyer, Information Officer, Journalist, Media Industry Specialist, Public Relations Officer/Consultant, Public Servant, Publishing Professional, Solicitor.



## Bachelor of Creative Industries (Media and Communication)/Bachelor of Laws (IF10)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** 040288C

**Course duration (full-time):** 5 years

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** Commonwealth Supported Place; Full fee tuition 2008: \$166 per credit point (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: Full fee tuition \$15,936; CSP \$5,938

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$9,552 per semester (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic Entry:** February

**International Entry:** February

**QTAC code:** 409192

**Past rank cut-off:** 90

**Past OP cut-off:** 6

**Assumed knowledge:** English (4, SA)

**Preparatory studies:** ENGLISH: Successful completion of a year of full-time vocational or tertiary study. For further information contact 07 3138 2000 or email [study@qut.com](mailto:study@qut.com)

**Total credit points:** 528

**Standard credit points per full-time semester:** 48 (Semesters 3,4,5,6,9+10), 60 (Semesters 1,2,7+8)

**Course coordinator:** Creative Industries: Head, Undergraduate Studies ([ugenq.ci@qut.edu.au](mailto:ugenq.ci@qut.edu.au)); Dr William Dixon Director Undergraduate Law Programs

**Discipline coordinator:** Creative Industries: Professor Alan Knight

**Campus:** Gardens Point and Kelvin Grove

### Overview

Media outlets operate in a regulatory environment in which changes occur rapidly and constantly. In an era where there is increasing public scrutiny of our media, the need for legal practitioners with specific media awareness has never been greater. This five-year double degree combines practical skills and contextual understanding of the media and communication industries with the skills to work as a legal practitioner.

### Career Outcomes

Graduates may choose to use their combined skills to work in-house for media outlets, regulatory bodies, or in law firms with specialist interests in the media. As a lawyer you may find work in private practice as a barrister or legal practitioner, practise in law-related government departments or within large companies as in-house lawyers. Media and communication opportunities are similar to those for graduates of the Bachelor of Creative Industries (Media and Communication) course.

### Course Structure

The Creative Industries component is made up of 24 credit points of Faculty Foundation units, 144 credit points from the Media and Communication major and 24 credit points of elective units.

The Law component is made up of 336 credit points of law

subjects.

### Professional Recognition

The law degree component covers all the law units required for admission as a legal practitioner in Australia and is approved for the purposes of the Legal Practitioners' and Barristers' Admission Rules.

### OP Guarantee

The OP Guarantee does not apply to this program.

### Deferment

QUT allows current Year 12 school leavers to defer their undergraduate admission offer for one year, or for six months if offered mid-year admission, except in courses using specific admission requirements such as questionnaires, folios, auditions, prior study or work experience.

Non-year 12 students may also request to defer their QTAC offer on the basis of demonstrated special circumstances.

Find out more on deferment.

### Domestic student tuition fee (Dfee) places

Undergraduate domestic full fee places (Dfee) are available in this course.

Find out more on Dfee.

### Course structure

#### Year 1, Semester 1

KCB101	Communication in the New Economy
KKB101	Creative Industries: People and Practices Introduction to Legal Research
LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method
LWB142	Law, Society and Justice

#### Year 1, Semester 2

KCB104	Media and Communications Industries
KCB105	Media and Communication Research Methods
KKB102	Creative Industries: Making Connections
LWB143	Legal Research and Writing
LWB144	Laws and Global Perspectives

#### Year 2, Semester 1

KCB102	Media and Society: From Printing Press to Internet
KCB103	Strategic Speech Communication
KCB201	Virtual Cultures
KCB302	Political Communication
LWB136	Contracts A

#### Year 2, Semester 2

KCB202	New Media Technologies
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KCB203	Consumer Cultures	Publishing Professional, Solicitor, Web Designer.
KCB304	Managing Communication Resources	
LWB137	Contracts B	

**Year 3, Semester 1**

KCB301	Media Audiences
SELECT:	Creative Industries Elective
LWB138	Fundamentals of Torts
LWB238	Fundamentals of Criminal Law

**Year 3, Semester 2**

LWB139	Select Issues in Torts
LWB239	Criminal Responsibility
KCB303	Applied Media Communication
	Select one unit from KKB175 or LWB480 or a Creative Industries Elective:
KKB175	Creative Industries Legal Issues
LWB480	Media Law
	Creative Industries Elective

**Year 4, Semester 1**

LWB231	Introduction to Public Law
LWB236	Real Property A
LWB240	Principles of Equity
LWB332	Commercial and Personal Property Law
LWB333	Theories of Law

**Year 4, Semester 2**

LWB235	Australian Federal Constitutional Law
LWB237	Real Property B
LWB241	Trusts
LWB331	Administrative Law
LWB334	Corporate Law

**Year 5, Semester 1**

LWB431	Civil Procedure
LWB432	Evidence
LWB434	Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning
	Law Elective

**Year 5, Semester 2**

LWB433	Professional Responsibility
	Law Elective
	Law Elective
	Law Elective

**Potential Careers:**

Academic, Advertising Professional, Barrister, Crown Law Officer, Educator, Government Officer, In-House Lawyer, Information Officer, Internet Professional, Marketing Officer/Manager, Media Industry Specialist, Organisational Communication Specialist, Policy Officer, Public Servant,

**Bachelor of Business  
(Accountancy)/Bachelor of Laws  
(Continuing students only) (IF37)**

Year offered: 2008

Admissions: No

CRICOS code: 006386F

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** Commonwealth Supported Place; Full fee tuition 2008: \$150 per credit point  
(*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: Full Fee Tuition \$14,400; CSP \$6,942

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$9,552 per semester  
(*subject to annual review*)

**QTAC code:** 419222; Dfee: 419266

**Total credit points:** 540

**Standard credit points per full-time semester:** 60 (years sem 1-5); 48 (sem 7 & 8); 56 (sem 6,9,10)

**Course coordinator:** Mr Andrew Paltridge (Business); Dr. William Dixon Undergraduate Director, (Law)

**Discipline coordinator:** Ms Ros Kent (Accounting)

**Discontinuation**

Students should note that from Semester 1, 2007 this course has been renamed and recoded to IF41 Bachelor of Business (Study Area A)/Bachelor of Laws. Therefore, there will be no further intake into this course, however, students who are currently enrolled, or have already been made an offer into this current course for 2007, are able to remain enrolled in it.

For course structure information on the new course, please refer to the new course.

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This course has been discontinued. Currently enrolled students should check the Course Summary Sheet (via QUT Virtual) for enrolment and unit information.

**Potential Careers:**

Public Servant.

## Bachelor of Information Technology/Bachelor of Laws (IF38)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** 006385G

**Course duration (full-time):** 5 Years

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** Commonwealth Supported Place; Full fee tuition 2008: \$166 per credit point (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: Full fee tuition \$15,936; CSP \$7,703

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$10,080 per semester (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic Entry:** February

**International Entry:** February

**QTAC code:** 419622

**Past rank cut-off:** 90

**Past OP cut-off:** 6

**Assumed knowledge:** English (4, SA), and for games technology and security majors, Maths B (4, SA), or for all other majors, Maths A, B or C (4, SA)

**Preparatory studies:** MATHS: QUT unit Preparatory Mathematics as a visiting student or QUT Continuing Professional Education course Mathematics Bridging. ENGLISH: Successful completion of a year of full-time vocational or tertiary study. For further information contact 07 3138 2000 or email [study@qut.com](mailto:study@qut.com)

**Total credit points:** 528

**Course coordinator:** IT: Ruth Christie; Dr. Bill Dixon Undergraduate Director Law Programs

**Campus:** Gardens Point

### OP Guarantee

The OP Guarantee does not apply to this program.

### Overview

An objective of this double degree is to provide graduates with the ability to practise law in light of the complex environments generated by manufacturers, data processing consultancies and private and government organisations. Alternatively, graduates can choose to practise as computing professionals specialising in legal applications or information systems.

### Cooperative Education Program

An optional one-year period of paid work experience in an area of information technology is available to eligible full-time students. The Cooperative Education Program is a joint venture between employers and educators to better prepare students for employment upon graduation. Companies that QUT's Cooperative Education students have worked with include Energex, Boeing, CITEC, Global Banking and Securities Transaction, various Queensland Government departments, Dialog, TABQ, RACQ and Sun Microsystems.

For more information visit the Faculty's Cooperative Education program home page at [www.fit.qut.edu.au/courses/undergrad/coop/](http://www.fit.qut.edu.au/courses/undergrad/coop/)

### Career Outcomes

Graduates of the Bachelor of Information Technology component may find employment as a: Programmer Systems Programmer Systems Manager Systems Designer Systems Analyst Computer Sales and Marketing Consultant Data Processing Manager

### Professional Recognition

The Bachelor of Information Technology component meets the knowledge requirements for membership of the Australian Computer Society. The Bachelor of Laws component covers the areas of law required for the purposes of admission to practise as a Solicitor and/or Barrister in all Australian states and territories.

### Further Information

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### Deferment

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### IF38 - B InfoTech/B Laws

#### Year 1, Semester 1

ITB001	Problem Solving and Programming
ITB002	IT Professional Studies
ITB004	Database Systems
ITB005	Systems Architecture

#### Year 1, Semester 2

ITB003	Object Oriented Programming
ITB006	Networks
ITB008	Modelling Analysis and Design
	IT Elective Unit selected from List

#### Year 2, Semester 1

ITB218	Applications Programming
ITB229	Database Design
LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method
LWB142	Law, Society and Justice

#### Year 2, Semester 2

ITB007	Web Development
ITB228	Enterprise Systems
LWB143	Legal Research and Writing
LWB144	Laws and Global Perspectives

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### Year 3, Semester 1

ITB009	Core Project Management
	IT Elective Unit selected from List
LWB136	Contracts A
LWB138	Fundamentals of Torts
LWB238	Fundamentals of Criminal Law

### Year 3, Semester 2

LWB137	Contracts B
LWB139	Select Issues in Torts
LWB239	Criminal Responsibility

### Year 4, Semester 1

LWB231	Introduction to Public Law
LWB236	Real Property A
LWB240	Principles of Equity
LWB333	Theories of Law

### Year 4, Semester 2

LWB235	Australian Federal Constitutional Law
LWB237	Real Property B
LWB241	Trusts
LWB334	Corporate Law

### Year 5, Semester 1

LWB332	Commercial and Personal Property Law
LWB431	Civil Procedure
LWB432	Evidence
LWB434	Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning
	Electives

### Year 5, Semester 2

LWB331	Administrative Law
LWB433	Professional Responsibility
	Electives

### IT Elective Unit List

#### Information Technology Elective Unit List

ITB001	Problem Solving and Programming
ITB002	IT Professional Studies
ITB003	Object Oriented Programming
ITB004	Database Systems
ITB005	Systems Architecture
ITB006	Networks
ITB007	Web Development
ITB008	Modelling Analysis and Design
ITB009	Core Project Management
ITB010	Core Project Implementation
ITB011	CCNA 1 & 2: Network Fundamentals and Routing Protocols

ITB012	CCNA 3&4: LAN SWITCHING/WIRELESS AND ACCESSING THE WAN
ITB016	Fundamentals of Games Design
ITB017	Advanced Games Design
ITB218	Applications Programming
ITB223	Software Development with ORACLE
ITB228	Enterprise Systems
ITB229	Database Design
ITB230	Project
ITB233	Enterprise Systems Applications
ITB239	Enterprise Data Mining
ITB254	Interaction Design
ITB257	Multimedia Systems
ITB259	Advanced Multimedia Systems
ITB260	E-Commerce Site Development
ITB264	Information Systems Consulting
ITB266	Information Management
ITB298	Business Process Modelling
ITB322	Information Resources
ITB360	Corporate Systems
ITB361	Socio-technical Systems
ITB362	Organisational Databases
ITB363	Project Management Practice
ITB364	Information Systems Development
ITB365	Business Analysis
ITB366	Information Systems Operations
ITB370	Project
ITB705	Intelligent Systems
ITB702	Algorithms and Data Structures
ITB706	Systems Programming
ITB712	Software Engineering Studies
ITB713	Advanced Java Programming
ITB716	Advanced Web Applications Development
ITB717	Enterprise Software Architecture
ITB720	Internet Protocols and Services
ITB721	Unix Network Administration
ITB722	Network Planning and Deployment
ITB730	Information Security Fundamentals
	ITB731 is offered bi-annually and will be available for 2009
ITB723	Wireless and Mobile Networks
ITB731	Security Technologies
ITB746	Modelling and Animation Techniques
ITB747	Real Time Rendering Techniques
ITB732	Cryptology and Protocols
ITB749	Scientific Programming
ITB750	Computer Game Studies
ITB751	Games Production

ITB761/2/3/4/5 Please check with the relevant coordinator for further information on Special Topics.

ITB762 Special Topic in 1/2008 is to be used for CCNA 1 & 2: Internetworking and Routing Basics

ITB761	Special Topic 1
ITB762	CCNA 1 & 2: INTERNETWORKING AND ROUTING BASICS
ITB763	Special Topic 3
ITB764	Special Topic 4
ITB765	Special Topic 5
ITB847	Computational Intelligence for Control and Embedded Systems
MAB281	Mathematics for Computer Graphics

### **Potential Careers:**

Barrister, Business Analyst, Crown Law Officer, Database Manager, Electronic Commerce Developer, In-House Lawyer, Programmer, Public Servant, Solicitor, Systems Analyst, Systems Manager, Systems Programmer, Web Designer.

## Bachelor of Applied Science/Bachelor of Laws (IF39)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** 012661G

**Course duration (full-time):** 5 Years

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** Commonwealth Supported Place; Full fee tuition 2008: \$218 per credit point (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: Full fee tuition \$20,928; CSP \$7,703

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$9,600 per semester (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic Entry:** February

**International Entry:** February

**QTAC code:** 419712

**Past rank cut-off:** 90

**Past OP cut-off:** 6

**Assumed knowledge:** English (4, SA) and Maths B (4, SA)

**Preparatory studies:** MATHS: QUT unit Preparatory Mathematics as a visiting student or QUT Continuing Professional Education course Mathematics Bridging. ENGLISH: Successful completion of a year of full-time vocational or tertiary study. For further information contact 07 3138 2000 or email [study@qut.com](mailto:study@qut.com)

**Total credit points:** 528 (Note: The minimum course load per semester required for full-time enrolment may be more than 36 credit points)

**Standard credit points per full-time semester:** 60 (years 1 and 4), 48 (years 2, 3 and 5)

**Course coordinator:** Dr Megan Hargreaves (Science); Dr. William Dixon Director, Undergraduate Programs (Law)

**Discipline coordinator:** Dr Perry Hartfield (Biochemistry); Dr Marion Bateson (Biotechnology); Dr Robert Johnson (Chemistry); Dr Ian Williamson (Ecology); Dr Robin Thwaites (Environmental Science); Dr Emad Kiriakous (Forensic Science); Dr Gary Huftile (Geoscience); Dr Scott McCue (Mathematics); Dr Christine Knox (Microbiology); Dr Greg Michael (Physics)

**Campus:** Gardens Point

### Career Opportunities

As a graduate, you may enter legal practice with an education in both the content and process of science and data analysis that will enable you to deal with the complexities of litigation that have a scientific and technological dimension, such as inventions, trade secrets, quantitative evidence, and constitutional disputes giving rise to environmental issues. On the other hand, you may choose to follow a career path in the sciences, enhancing your opportunities in a particular discipline such as environmental science or biotechnology through your knowledge of the law.

### OP Guarantee

The OP Guarantee does not apply to this course.

### Course Design

The course is designed to cover all major areas of the law as well as allowing students to choose any one of the science majors that are offered in the Bachelor of Applied

Science (SC01) course.

To complete the double degree in a shorter period of time, the co-major will be taken from the law program therefore it is not possible for students to choose any of the co-majors listed under the Bachelor of Applied Science course.

### Professional Recognition

Graduates will satisfy the requirements of membership in the relevant professional body for their chosen science major. See the Bachelor of Applied Science (SC01) course for details. The Bachelor of Laws component covers the areas of law required for admission as a legal practitioner and/or barrister in all Australian states and territories.

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### Course structure - Major in Biochemistry

#### Year 1, Semester 1

	Introduction to Legal Research #
LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method
LWB142	Law, Society and Justice
SCB111	Chemistry 1
SCB112	Cellular Basis of Life Either
MAB101	Statistical Data Analysis 1 Or
MAB104	Introductory Quantitative Methods

#### Year 1, Semester 2

LWB143	Legal Research and Writing
LWB144	Laws and Global Perspectives
SCB120	Plant and Animal Physiology
SCB121	Chemistry 2
SCB122	Cell and Molecular Biology

#### Year 2, Semester 1

LQB381	Biochemistry: Structure and Function
LQB383	Molecular and Cellular Regulation
LQB386	Microbial Structure and Function
LWB136	Contracts A

#### Year 2, Semester 2

LQB481	Biochemical Pathways and Metabolism
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LQB483	Molecular Biology Techniques
LWB137	Contracts B Either
LQB484	Introduction to Genomics and Bioinformatics Or
LQB486	Clinical Microbiology 1

#### Year 3, Semester 1

LQB581	Functional Biochemistry
LQB582	Biomedical Research Technologies
LWB138	Fundamentals of Torts
LWB238	Fundamentals of Criminal Law

#### Year 3, Semester 2

LQB681	Biochemical Research Skills
LQB682	Protein Biochemistry and Bioengineering
LWB139	Select Issues in Torts
LWB239	Criminal Responsibility

#### Year 4, Semester 1

LWB231	Introduction to Public Law
LWB236	Real Property A
LWB240	Principles of Equity
LWB332	Commercial and Personal Property Law
LWB333	Theories of Law

#### Year 4, Semester 2

LWB235	Australian Federal Constitutional Law
LWB237	Real Property B
LWB241	Trusts
LWB331	Administrative Law
LWB334	Corporate Law

#### Year 5, Semester 1

LWB431	Civil Procedure
LWB432	Evidence
LWB434	Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning Law Elective Units *

#### Year 5, Semester 2

LWB433	Professional Responsibility Elective Units *
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### Course structure - Major in Biotechnology

#### Year 1, Semester 1

	Introduction to Legal Research #
LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method
LWB142	Law, Society and Justice
SCB111	Chemistry 1
SCB112	Cellular Basis of Life



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	Either
MAB101	Statistical Data Analysis 1
	Or
MAB104	Introductory Quantitative Methods

### Year 1, Semester 2

LWB143	Legal Research and Writing
LWB144	Laws and Global Perspectives
SCB120	Plant and Animal Physiology
SCB121	Chemistry 2
SCB122	Cell and Molecular Biology

### Year 2, Semester 1

LQB381	Biochemistry: Structure and Function
LQB383	Molecular and Cellular Regulation
LQB386	Microbial Structure and Function
LWB136	Contracts A

### Year 2, Semester 2

LQB483	Molecular Biology Techniques
LQB484	Introduction to Genomics and Bioinformatics
LWB137	Contracts B
	Either:
LQB481	Biochemical Pathways
	Or
LQB486	Clinical Microbiology 1

### Year 3, Semester 1

LWB138	Fundamentals of Torts
LWB238	Fundamentals of Criminal Law
	Select TWO units from:
LQB583	Genetic Research Technology
LQB584	Medical Cell Biology
LQB585	Plant Genetic Manipulation

### Year 3, Semester 2

LWB139	Select Issues in Torts
LWB239	Criminal Responsibility
	Select TWO units from:
LQB682	Protein Biochemistry and Bioengineering
LQB684	Medical Biotechnology
LQB685	Plant Microbe Interactions

### Year 4, Semester 1

LWB231	Introduction to Public Law
LWB236	Real Property A
LWB240	Principles of Equity
LWB332	Commercial and Personal Property Law
LWB333	Theories of Law

### Year 4, Semester 2

LWB235	Australian Federal Constitutional Law
LWB237	Real Property B
LWB241	Trusts
LWB331	Administrative Law
LWB334	Corporate Law

### Year 5, Semester 1

LWB431	Civil Procedure
LWB432	Evidence
LWB434	Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning
	Elective Units *

### Year 5, Semester 2

LWB433	Professional Responsibility
	Elective Units *

## Course structure - Major in Chemistry

### Year 1, Semester 1

	Introduction to Legal Research #
LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method
LWB142	Law, Society and Justice
SCB111	Chemistry 1
SCB112	Cellular Basis of Life
	Either
MAB101	Statistical Data Analysis 1
	Or
MAB104	Introductory Quantitative Methods

### Year 1, Semester 2

LWB143	Legal Research and Writing
LWB144	Laws and Global Perspectives
MAB100	Mathematical Sciences 1A
SCB121	Chemistry 2
SCB131	Experimental Chemistry

### Year 2, Semester 1

LWB136	Contracts A
PQB312	Analytical Chemistry for Scientists and Technologists
PQB313	Analytical Chemistry for Industry
PQB331	Structure and Bonding

### Year 2, Semester 2

LWB137	Contracts B
PQB401	Chemical Reactions 1
PQB442	Chemical Spectroscopy
	Either
PQB404	Nanotechnology and Nanoscience
	Or
PQB423	Process Principles

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### Year 3, Semester 1

LWB138	Fundamentals of Torts
LWB238	Fundamentals of Criminal Law
PQB502	Materials Chemistry and Characterisation
PQB531	Chemical Reactions 2

### Year 3, Semester 2

LWB139	Select Issues in Torts
LWB239	Criminal Responsibility
PQB631	Applied Molecular Science
PQB642	Chemical Research

### Year 4, Semester 1

LWB231	Introduction to Public Law
LWB236	Real Property A
LWB240	Principles of Equity
LWB332	Commercial and Personal Property Law
LWB333	Theories of Law

### Year 4, Semester 2

LWB235	Australian Federal Constitutional Law
LWB237	Real Property B
LWB241	Trusts
LWB331	Administrative Law
LWB334	Corporate Law

### Year 5, Semester 1

LWB431	Civil Procedure
LWB432	Evidence
LWB434	Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning
	Elective Units *

### Year 5, Semester 2

LWB433	Professional Responsibility
	Elective Units *

### Course structure - Major in Ecology

#### Year 1, Semester 1

	Introduction to Legal Research #
LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method
LWB142	Law, Society and Justice
SCB111	Chemistry 1
SCB112	Cellular Basis of Life
	Either
MAB101	Statistical Data Analysis 1
	Or
MAB104	Introductory Quantitative Methods

#### Year 1, Semester 2

LWB143	Legal Research and Writing
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LWB144	Laws and Global Perspectives
NQB201	Planet Earth
NQB202	History of Life on Earth
SCB120	Plant and Animal Physiology

#### Year 2, Semester 1

LWB136	Contracts A
NQB301	Soils and Sedimentation
NQB321	Ecology
	Either
NQB322	Invertebrate Biology
	Or
NQB323	Vertebrate Biology

#### Year 2, Semester 2

LWB137	Contracts B
NQB421	Experimental Design
NQB422	Genetics and Evolution
	Either
NQB401	Spatial Analysis of Environmental Systems
	Or
NQB423	Plant Biology

#### Year 3, Semester 1

LWB138	Fundamentals of Torts
LWB238	Fundamentals of Criminal Law
NQB502	Field Mapping and Monitoring of Natural Resources
NQB521	Population Genetics and Molecular Ecology

#### Year 3, Semester 2

LWB139	Select Issues in Torts
LWB239	Criminal Responsibility
NQB621	Population Management
NQB622	Population Genetics

#### Year 4, Semester 1

LWB231	Introduction to Public Law
LWB236	Real Property A
LWB240	Principles of Equity
LWB332	Commercial and Personal Property Law
LWB333	Theories of Law

#### Year 4, Semester 2

LWB235	Australian Federal Constitutional Law
LWB237	Real Property B
LWB241	Trusts
LWB331	Administrative Law
LWB334	Corporate Law

#### Year 5, Semester 1

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LWB431	Civil Procedure
LWB432	Evidence
LWB434	Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning Elective Units *

### Year 5, Semester 2

LWB433	Professional Responsibility Elective Units *
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### Course structure - Major in Environmental Science

#### Year 1, Semester 1

	Introduction to Legal Research #
LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method
LWB142	Law, Society and Justice
SCB111	Chemistry 1
SCB112	Cellular Basis of Life Either
MAB101	Statistical Data Analysis 1 Or
MAB104	Introductory Quantitative Methods

#### Year 1, Semester 2

LWB143	Legal Research and Writing
LWB144	Laws and Global Perspectives
NQB202	History of Life on Earth
SCB120	Plant and Animal Physiology
SCB121	Chemistry 2

#### Year 2, Semester 1

LWB136	Contracts A
NQB301	Soils and Sedimentation
NQB321	Ecology Either
NQB322	Invertebrate Biology Or
NQB323	Vertebrate Biology

#### Year 2, Semester 2

LWB137	Contracts B
NQB401	Spatial Analysis of Environmental Systems
NQB421	Experimental Design Either
NQB422	Genetics and Evolution Or
NQB423	Plant Biology

#### Year 3, Semester 1

LWB138	Fundamentals of Torts
LWB238	Fundamentals of Criminal Law
NQB501	Environmental Modelling

NQB502	Field Mapping and Monitoring of Natural Resources
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#### Year 3, Semester 2

LWB139	Select Issues in Torts
LWB239	Criminal Responsibility
NQB601	Sustainable Environmental Management
NQB602	Environmental Chemistry

#### Year 4, Semester 1

LWB231	Introduction to Public Law
LWB236	Real Property A
LWB240	Principles of Equity
LWB332	Commercial and Personal Property Law
LWB333	Theories of Law

#### Year 4, Semester 2

LWB235	Australian Federal Constitutional Law
LWB237	Real Property B
LWB241	Trusts
LWB331	Administrative Law
LWB334	Corporate Law

#### Year 5, Semester 1

LWB431	Civil Procedure
LWB432	Evidence
LWB434	Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning Elective Units *

#### Year 5, Semester 2

LWB433	Professional Responsibility Elective Units *
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### Course structure - Major in Forensic Science

#### Year 1, Semester 1

	Introduction to Legal Research
LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method
LWB142	Law, Society and Justice
SCB111	Chemistry 1
SCB112	Cellular Basis of Life Either
MAB101	Statistical Data Analysis 1 Or
MAB104	Introductory Quantitative Methods

#### Year 1, Semester 2

LWB143	Legal Research and Writing
LWB144	Laws and Global Perspectives
SCB121	Chemistry 2
SCB122	Cell and Molecular Biology
SCB131	Experimental Chemistry

**Year 2, Semester 1**

LQB383 Molecular and Cellular Regulation  
 LWB136 Contracts A  
 PQB331 Structure and Bonding  
 SCB384 Crime Scene and Forensic Science

**Year 2, Semester 2**

JSB979 Forensic Scientific Evidence  
 LWB137 Contracts B  
 PQB312 Analytical Chemistry for Scientists and Technologists  
 PQB401 Chemical Reactions 1

**Year 3, Semester 1**

LWB138 Fundamentals of Torts  
 LWB238 Fundamentals of Criminal Law  
 PQB513 Instrumental Analysis  
 PQB584 Forensic Physical Evidence

**Year 3, Semester 2**

LWB139 Select Issues in Torts  
 LWB239 Criminal Responsibility  
 Either  
 LQB680 Forensic DNA Profiling  
 Or  
 PQB684 Forensic Analysis

**Year 4, Semester 1**

LWB231 Introduction to Public Law  
 LWB236 Real Property A  
 LWB240 Principles of Equity  
 LWB332 Commercial and Personal Property Law  
 LWB333 Theories of Law

**Year 4, Semester 2**

LWB235 Australian Federal Constitutional Law  
 LWB237 Real Property B  
 LWB241 Trusts  
 LWB331 Administrative Law  
 LWB334 Corporate Law

**Year 5, Semester 1**

LWB431 Civil Procedure  
 LWB432 Evidence  
 LWB434 Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning  
 Elective Units

**Year 5, Semester 2**

LWB433 Professional Responsibility  
 Elective Units

**Year 1, Semester 1**

Introduction to Legal Research #  
 LWB141 Legal Institutions and Method  
 LWB142 Law, Society and Justice  
 SCB110 Science Concepts and Global Systems  
 SCB111 Chemistry 1  
 Either  
 MAB101 Statistical Data Analysis 1  
 Or  
 MAB104 Introductory Quantitative Methods

**Year 1, Semester 2**

LWB143 Legal Research and Writing  
 LWB144 Laws and Global Perspectives  
 NQB201 Planet Earth  
 NQB202 History of Life on Earth  
 SCB222 Exploration of the Universe

**Year 2, Semester 1**

LWB136 Contracts A  
 NQB301 Soils and Sedimentation  
 NQB311 Mineralogy  
 NQB321 Ecology

**Year 2, Semester 2**

LWB137 Contracts B  
 NQB401 Spatial Analysis of Environmental Systems  
 NQB411 Petrology  
 NQB412 Structural Geology and Field Methods

**Year 3, Semester 1**

LWB138 Fundamentals of Torts  
 LWB238 Fundamentals of Criminal Law  
 NQB512 Stratigraphy  
 NQB513 Geophysics

**Year 3, Semester 2**

LWB139 Select Issues in Torts  
 LWB239 Criminal Responsibility  
 NQB602 Environmental Chemistry  
 NQB614 Hydrogeology

**Year 4, Semester 1**

LWB231 Introduction to Public Law  
 LWB236 Real Property A  
 LWB240 Principles of Equity  
 LWB332 Commercial and Personal Property Law  
 LWB333 Theories of Law

**Year 4, Semester 2**

**Course structure - Major in Geoscience**

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LWB235	Australian Federal Constitutional Law
LWB237	Real Property B
LWB241	Trusts
LWB331	Administrative Law
LWB334	Corporate Law

## Year 5, Semester 1

LWB431	Civil Procedure
LWB432	Evidence
LWB434	Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning Elective Units *

## Year 5, Semester 2

LWB433	Professional Responsibility Elective Units *
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## Course structure - Major in Mathematics [WITH Mathematics C from Senior]

### Year 1, Semester 1

	Introduction to Legal Research #
LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method
LWB142	Law, Society and Justice
MAB101	Statistical Data Analysis 1
MAB111	Mathematical Sciences 1B
MAB112	Mathematical Sciences 1C

### Year 1, Semester 2

LWB143	Legal Research and Writing
LWB144	Laws and Global Perspectives
MAB210	Statistical Modelling 1
MAB220	Computational Mathematics 1 One Science unit - selected from:
SCB111	Chemistry 1
SCB112	Cellular Basis of Life
SCB123	Physical Science Applications

### Year 2, Semester 1

LWB136	Contracts A One Science unit - selected from:
SCB110	Science Concepts and Global Systems
SCB111	Chemistry 1
SCB112	Cellular Basis of Life Two Level 2 Mathematics units* - available units are:
MAB311	Advanced Calculus
MAB312	Linear Algebra
MAB314	Statistical Modelling 2
MAB315	Operations Research 2
*	Students must complete at least one of MAB311, MAB312, MAB413

### Year 2, Semester 2

LWB137	Contracts B Three Level 2 Mathematics units* - available units are:
MAB313	Mathematics of Finance
MAB413	Differential Equations
MAB414	Applied Statistics 2
MAB420	Computational Mathematics 2
MAB480	Introduction to Scientific Computation
*	Students must complete at least one of MAB311, MAB312, MAB413

### Year 3, Semester 1

LWB138	Fundamentals of Torts
LWB238	Fundamentals of Criminal Law Two Level 3 Mathematics units - available units are:
MAB521	Applied Mathematics 3
MAB522	Computational Mathematics 3
MAB523	Introduction to Quality Management
MAB525	Operations Research 3A
MAB526	Statistical Science 3
MAB672	Advanced Mathematical Modelling

### Year 3, Semester 2

LWB139	Select Issues in Torts
LWB239	Criminal Responsibility Two Level 3 Mathematics units - available units are:
MAB524	Statistical Inference
MAB613	Partial Differential Equations
MAB621	Discrete Mathematics
MAB623	Financial Mathematics
MAB624	Applied Statistics 3
MAB625	Operations Research 3B

### Year 4, Semester 1

LWB231	Introduction to Public Law
LWB236	Real Property A
LWB240	Principles of Equity
LWB332	Commercial and Personal Property Law
LWB333	Theories of Law

### Year 4, Semester 2

LWB235	Australian Federal Constitutional Law
LWB237	Real Property B
LWB241	Trusts
LWB331	Administrative Law
LWB334	Corporate Law

### Year 5, Semester 1

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LWB431	Civil Procedure
LWB432	Evidence
LWB434	Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning Elective Units *

### Year 5, Semester 2

LWB433	Professional Responsibility Elective Units *
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### Course structure - Major in Mathematics [WITHOUT Mathematics C from Senior]

#### Year 1, Semester 1

	Introduction to Legal Research #
LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method
LWB142	Law, Society and Justice
MAB100	Mathematical Sciences 1A
MAB101	Statistical Data Analysis 1
SCB110	Science Concepts and Global Systems

#### Year 1, Semester 2

LWB143	Legal Research and Writing
LWB144	Laws and Global Perspectives
MAB111	Mathematical Sciences 1B
MAB112	Mathematical Sciences 1C
MAB210	Statistical Modelling 1

#### Year 2, Semester 1

LWB136	Contracts A
MAB220	Computational Mathematics 1 Two Level 2 Mathematics units* - available units are:
MAB311	Advanced Calculus
MAB312	Linear Algebra
MAB314	Statistical Modelling 2
MAB315	Operations Research 2
*	Students must complete at least one of MAB311, MAB312, MAB413

#### Year 2, Semester 2

LWB137	Contracts B Three Level 2 Mathematics units* - available units are:
MAB313	Mathematics of Finance
MAB413	Differential Equations
MAB414	Applied Statistics 2
MAB420	Computational Mathematics 2
MAB480	Introduction to Scientific Computation
*	Students must complete at least one of MAB311, MAB312, MAB413

#### Year 3, Semester 1

LWB138	Fundamentals of Torts
LWB238	Fundamentals of Criminal Law Two Level 3 Mathematics units - available units are:
MAB521	Applied Mathematics 3
MAB522	Computational Mathematics 3
MAB523	Introduction to Quality Management
MAB525	Operations Research 3A
MAB526	Statistical Science 3
MAB672	Advanced Mathematical Modelling

#### Year 3, Semester 2

LWB139	Select Issues in Torts
LWB239	Criminal Responsibility Two Level 3 Mathematics units - available units are:
MAB524	Statistical Inference
MAB613	Partial Differential Equations
MAB621	Discrete Mathematics
MAB623	Financial Mathematics
MAB624	Applied Statistics 3
MAB625	Operations Research 3B

#### Year 4, Semester 1

LWB231	Introduction to Public Law
LWB236	Real Property A
LWB240	Principles of Equity
LWB332	Commercial and Personal Property Law
LWB333	Theories of Law

#### Year 4, Semester 2

LWB235	Australian Federal Constitutional Law
LWB237	Real Property B
LWB241	Trusts
LWB331	Administrative Law
LWB334	Corporate Law

#### Year 5, Semester 1

LWB431	Civil Procedure
LWB432	Evidence
LWB434	Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning Elective Units *

#### Year 5, Semester 2

LWB433	Professional Responsibility Elective Units *
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### Course structure - Major in Microbiology

#### Year 1, Semester 1

Introduction to Legal Research #

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LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method
LWB142	Law, Society and Justice
SCB111	Chemistry 1
SCB112	Cellular Basis of Life Either
MAB101	Statistical Data Analysis 1 Or
MAB104	Introductory Quantitative Methods

### Year 1, Semester 2

LWB143	Legal Research and Writing
LWB144	Laws and Global Perspectives
SCB120	Plant and Animal Physiology
SCB121	Chemistry 2
SCB122	Cell and Molecular Biology

### Year 2, Semester 1

LQB381	Biochemistry: Structure and Function
LQB383	Molecular and Cellular Regulation
LQB386	Microbial Structure and Function
LWB136	Contracts A

### Year 2, Semester 2

LQB483	Molecular Biology Techniques
LQB486	Clinical Microbiology 1
LWB137	Contracts B Either
LQB481	Biochemical Pathways and Metabolism Or
LQB484	Introduction to Genomics and Bioinformatics

### Year 3, Semester 1

LWB138	Fundamentals of Torts
LWB238	Fundamentals of Criminal Law
LQB586	Clinical Microbiology 2
LQB587	Applied Microbiology 1: Water, Air and Soil

### Year 3, Semester 2

LWB139	Select Issues in Torts
LWB239	Criminal Responsibility Either
LQB686	Microbial Technology and Immunology Or
LQB687	Applied Microbiology 2: Food and Quality Assurance

### Year 4, Semester 1

LWB231	Introduction to Public Law
LWB236	Real Property A
LWB240	Principles of Equity
LWB332	Commercial and Personal Property Law

LWB333	Theories of Law
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### Year 4, Semester 2

LWB235	Australian Federal Constitutional Law
LWB237	Real Property B
LWB241	Trusts
LWB331	Administrative Law
LWB334	Corporate Law

### Year 5, Semester 1

LWB431	Civil Procedure
LWB432	Evidence
LWB434	Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning Elective Units *

### Year 5, Semester 2

LWB433	Professional Responsibility Elective Units *
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## Course structure - Major in Physics

### Year 1, Semester 1

	Introduction to Legal Research #
LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method
LWB142	Law, Society and Justice
SCB110	Science Concepts and Global Systems
SCB111	Chemistry 1 Either
MAB100	Mathematical Sciences 1A Or
MAB111	Mathematical Sciences 1B

### Year 1, Semester 2

LWB143	Legal Research and Writing
LWB144	Laws and Global Perspectives
MAB112	Mathematical Sciences 1C
PQB250	Mechanics and Electromagnetism
PQB251	Waves and Optics

### Year 2, Semester 1

LWB136	Contracts A
MAB311	Advanced Calculus
PQB350	Thermodynamics of Solids and Gases
PQB360	Global Energy Balance and Climate Change

### Year 2, Semester 2

LWB137	Contracts B
PQB450	Energy Fields and Radiation
PQB451	Electronics and Instrumentation Either
MMB451	Energy Management

Or

PQB460 Astrophysics 1

**Year 3, Semester 1**

LWB138 Fundamentals of Torts

LWB238 Fundamentals of Criminal Law

PQB550 Quantum and Condensed Matter Physics

PQB551 Physical Analytical Techniques

**Year 3, Semester 2**

LWB139 Select Issues in Torts

LWB239 Criminal Responsibility

PQB650 Advanced Theoretical Physics

PQB651 Experimental Physics

**Year 4, Semester 1**

LWB231 Introduction to Public Law

LWB236 Real Property A

LWB240 Principles of Equity

LWB332 Commercial and Personal Property Law

LWB333 Theories of Law

**Year 4, Semester 2**

LWB235 Australian Federal Constitutional Law

LWB237 Real Property B

LWB241 Trusts

LWB331 Administrative Law

LWB334 Corporate Law

**Year 5, Semester 1**

LWB431 Civil Procedure

LWB432 Evidence

LWB434 Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning

Elective Units \*

**Year 5, Semester 2**

LWB433 Professional Responsibility

Elective Units \*

**Potential Careers:**

Actuary, Analytical Chemist, Astrophysicist, Barrister, Biochemist, Biologist, Biotechnologist, Chemist, Chemist Industrial, Coastal Scientist, Conservation Biologist, Crown Law Officer, Ecologist, Environmental Scientist, Forensic Scientist, Geologist, Geophysicist, Geoscientist, Health Physicist, Hydrogeologist, Immunologist, In-House Lawyer, Industrial Chemist, Laboratory Technician (Chemistry), Marine Scientist, Mathematician, Medical Biotechnologist, Medical Physicist, Microbiologist, Molecular Biologist, Natural Resource Scientist, Physicist, Plant Biotechnologist, Population Ecologist, Programmer, Quantitative Analyst, Social Scientist, Solicitor, Statistician, Virologist.

**Footnotes for Law Units**

# Introduction to Legal Research is a two (2) hour lecture conducted in the first week only of Semester 1, 2004. It is designed to introduce students to the basics of legal research and provide an orientation to use of the Law Library. Students will be expected to undertake a library exercise in LWB141 Legal Institutions and Method using the skills and information outlined in this lecture.

\* Law Elective Units - In order to satisfy the requirements for the Bachelor of Laws component of the double degree, a student is required to complete a total of 48 credit points of elective units.



## Bachelor of Business/Bachelor of Laws (IF41)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** 006386F

**Course duration (full-time):** 5 Years

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** Commonwealth Supported Place; Full fee tuition 2008: \$150 per credit point (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: Full fee tuition \$14,400; CSP \$8,500

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$9,552 per semester (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic Entry:** February

**International Entry:** February and July\* (\*Subject to availability)

**QTAC code:** 419222

**Past rank cut-off:** 90

**Past OP cut-off:** 6

**Assumed knowledge:** English (4, SA) and Mathematics A, B or C (4, SA)

**Preparatory studies:** MATHS: QUT unit Data Analysis for Business as a visiting student or QUT Continuing Professional Education course Mathematics Bridging; ENGLISH: Successful completion of a year of full-time vocational or tertiary study. For further information contact 07 3138 2000 or email [study@qut.com](mailto:study@qut.com)

**Total credit points:** 528

**Standard credit points per full-time semester:** 60

**Course coordinator:** Mr Andrew Paltridge (Business); Director, Undergraduate Programs (Law)

**Discipline coordinator:** Dr John Sweeting (Accountancy); Ms Gayle Kerr (Advertising); Dr John Chen (Banking & Finance); Dr Radhika Lahiri (Economics); Ms Sherrena Buckby (Electronic Business); Dr Paul Barnes (Human Resource Management); Mr Simon Ridings (International Business); Dr Paul Barnes (Management); Mr Bill Proud (Marketing); and Ms Robina Xavier (Public Relations).

**Campus:** Gardens Point

### OP Guarantee

The OP Guarantee does not apply to this program.

### Career Outcomes

The Bachelor of Laws component of this double degree covers the areas of law required for the purposes of admission to practise as a Solicitor and/or Barrister in all Australian states and territories. Graduates of the Bachelor of Business may find employment as Accountants, Advertising Professionals, Banking and Finance Consultants, Economists, Human Resource Managers, International Business Specialists, Managers, Marketing Officers, Public Relations Officers.

### Professional Recognition

The Bachelor of Laws degree satisfies the academic requirements for admission to practise as a Solicitor or Barrister in Queensland.

The Bachelor of Business degree may, subject to choice of major, extended major, or specialisation, allow graduates to

satisfy the academic requirements for membership as follows:

\*All majors: Chartered Secretaries Australia (CSA) - enrolment in the Graduate Diploma in Applied Corporate Governance.

\*Accountancy: CPA Australia (associate membership & enrolment in the CPA Program), Institute of Chartered Accountants in Australia (ICAA)(enrolment in the CA Program).

\*Advertising - Advertising Federation of Australia, Australian Association of National Advertisers, Australian Direct Marketing Association and the Queensland Commercial Radio Association;

\*Banking and Finance: Financial Services Institute of Australasia (FINSIA).

\*Economics: Economic Society of Australia (Queensland Division).

\*Human Resource Management - Australian Human Resources Institute, Australian Institute of Training and Development, Australian Institute of Management;

\*International Business - Australian Institute of Export;

\*Management - Australian Institute of Management;

\*Marketing: Australian Marketing Institute, Market Research Society of Australia, Australian Institute of Management, Australian Institute of Export (Qld) Ltd, American Marketing Association.

\*Public Relations - Public Relations Institute of Australia.

### Law Elective Units

For information on the availability of law elective units, please refer to the relevant section in the Bachelor of Laws course entry in the Faculty of Law section.

### Course Design

Students are required to complete 528 credit points, comprised of 192 credit points for the Bachelor of Business program and 336 credit points for the Bachelor of Laws program.

For the Business component, students undertake 7 Faculty core units and 6 units from one of the following Majors plus 3 specialisation units.

### Deferment

QUT allows current Year 12 school leavers to defer their undergraduate admission offer for one year, or for six months if offered mid-year admission, except in courses using specific admission requirements such as questionnaires, folios, auditions, prior study or work experience.

Non-year 12 students may also request to defer their QTAC offer on the basis of demonstrated special circumstances.

Find out more on deferment.

### Advertising

#### Year 1 Semester 1

BSB119 International and Electronic Business

BSB126 Marketing

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LWB141 Legal Institutions and Method  
LWB142 Law, Society and Justice

### Year 1 Semester 2

BSB110 Accounting  
BSB115 Management, People and Organisations  
LWB143 Legal Research and Writing  
LWB144 Laws and Global Perspectives

### Year 2 Semester 1

BSB114 Government, Business and Society  
AMB200 Consumer Behaviour  
LWB136 Contracts A  
LWB138 Fundamentals of Torts

### Year 2 Semester 2

BSB122 Quantitative Analysis and Finance  
BSB113 Economics  
LWB137 Contracts B  
LWB139 Select Issues in Torts

### Year 3 Semester 1

AMB220 Advertising Theory and Practice  
AMB230 Internet Promotion  
LWB231 Introduction to Public Law  
LWB236 Real Property A  
LWB240 Principles of Equity

### Year 3 Semester 2

AMB221 Advertising Copywriting  
AMB222 Media Planning  
LWB235 Australian Federal Constitutional Law  
LWB237 Real Property B  
LWB241 Trusts

### Year 4 Semester 1

AMB320 Advertising Management  
AMB330 Advertising Strategy and Planning  
LWB238 Fundamentals of Criminal Law  
LWB332 Commercial and Personal Property Law  
LWB333 Theories of Law

### Year 4 Semester 2

AMB321 Advertising Campaigns  
AMB202 Integrated Marketing Communication  
LWB239 Criminal Responsibility  
LWB331 Administrative Law  
LWB334 Corporate Law

### Year 5 Semester 1

LWB431 Civil Procedure

LWB434 Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning  
Law Elective  
Law Elective

### Year 5 Semester 2

LWB432 Evidence  
LWB433 Professional Responsibility  
Elective  
Elective

## Banking & Finance

### Year 1 Semester 1

BSB113 Economics  
BSB115 Management, People and Organisations  
LWB141 Legal Institutions and Method  
LWB142 Law, Society and Justice

### Year 1 Semester 2

BSB114 Government, Business and Society  
BSB126 Marketing  
LWB143 Legal Research and Writing  
LWB144 Laws and Global Perspectives

### Year 2 Semester 1

BSB110 Accounting  
BSB122 Quantitative Analysis and Finance  
LWB136 Contracts A  
LWB138 Fundamentals of Torts

### Year 2 Semester 2

EFB102 Economics 2  
BSB119 International and Electronic Business  
LWB137 Contracts B  
LWB139 Select Issues in Torts

### Year 3 Semester 1

EFB210 Finance 1  
EFB201 Financial Markets  
LWB231 Introduction to Public Law  
LWB236 Real Property A  
LWB240 Principles of Equity

### Year 3 Semester 2

EFB307 Finance 2  
EFB312 International Finance  
LWB235 Australian Federal Constitutional Law  
LWB237 Real Property B  
LWB241 Trusts

### Year 4 Semester 1

EFB200 Applied Regression Analysis

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EFB318	Portfolio and Security Analysis
LWB238	Fundamentals of Criminal Law
LWB332	Commercial and Personal Property Law
LWB333	Theories of Law

### Year 4 Semester 2

	Any finance unit
	Any finance unit
LWB239	Criminal Responsibility
LWB331	Administrative Law
LWB334	Corporate Law

### Year 5 Semester 1

LWB431	Civil Procedure
LWB434	Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning
	Law Elective
	Law Elective

### Year 5 Semester 2

LWB432	Evidence
LWB433	Professional Responsibility
	Law Elective
	Law Elective

## Economics

### Year 1 Semester 1

BSB113	Economics
BSB115	Management, People and Organisations
LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method
LWB142	Law, Society and Justice

### Year 1 Semester 2

BSB114	Government, Business and Society
BSB126	Marketing
LWB143	Legal Research and Writing
LWB144	Laws and Global Perspectives

### Year 2 Semester 1

BSB110	Accounting
EFB102	Economics 2
LWB136	Contracts A
LWB138	Fundamentals of Torts

### Year 2 Semester 2

BSB119	International and Electronic Business
EFB210	Finance 1
LWB137	Contracts B
LWB139	Select Issues in Torts

### Year 3 Semester 1

EFB211	Firms, Markets and Resources
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EFB202	Business Cycles and Economic Growth
LWB231	Introduction to Public Law
LWB236	Real Property A
LWB240	Principles of Equity

### Year 3 Semester 2

	Any economics unit
EFB328	Public Economics and Finance
LWB235	Australian Federal Constitutional Law
LWB237	Real Property B
LWB241	Trusts

### Year 4 Semester 1

BSB122	Quantitative Analysis and Finance
EFB200	Applied Regression Analysis
LWB238	Fundamentals of Criminal Law
LWB332	Commercial and Personal Property Law
LWB333	Theories of Law

### Year 5 Semester 1

LWB431	Civil Procedure
LWB434	Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning
	Law Elective
	Law Elective

### Year 4 Semester 2

EFB329	Contemporary Applications of Economics Theory
EFB314	International Trade and Economic Competitiveness
LWB239	Criminal Responsibility
LWB331	Administrative Law
LWB334	Corporate Law

### Year 5 Semester 2

LWB432	Evidence
LWB433	Professional Responsibility
	Law Elective
	Law Elective

## Accountancy

### Year 1 Semester 1

BSB110	Accounting
BSB115	Management, People and Organisations
LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method
LWB142	Law, Society and Justice

### Year 1 Semester 2

BSB122	Quantitative Analysis and Finance
BSB114	Government, Business and Society
LWB143	Legal Research and Writing

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LWB144 Laws and Global Perspectives

### Year 2 Semester 1

BSB113 Economics

AYB121 Financial Accounting

LWB136 Contracts A

LWB138 Fundamentals of Torts

### Year 2 Semester 2

BSB119 International and Electronic Business

BSB126 Marketing

LWB137 Contracts B

LWB139 Select Issues in Torts

### Year 3 Semester 1

AYB220 Company Accounting

AYB225 Management Accounting

LWB231 Introduction to Public Law

LWB236 Real Property A

LWB240 Principles of Equity

### Year 3 Semester 2

AYB221 Computerised Accounting Systems

AYB301 Auditing

LWB235 Australian Federal Constitutional Law

LWB237 Real Property B

LWB241 Trusts

### Year 4 Semester 1

EFB101 Data Analysis for Business

AYB311 Financial Accounting Issues  
or

AYB321 Strategic Management Accounting

LWB238 Fundamentals of Criminal Law

LWB332 Commercial and Personal Property Law

LWB333 Theories of Law

### Year 4 Semester 2

EFB210 Finance 1

AYB339 Accountancy Capstone

From Semester 1, 2007, AYB339 Accountancy Capstone will replace EFB102 Economics 2 in this structure. If you are a continuing student in 2007 you may choose to complete EITHER AYB339 Accountancy Capstone OR EFB102 Economics 2 if EFB102 and AYB339 are not required for professional recognition by either the ICAA or CPA Australia. Prerequisites for AYB339 Accountancy Capstone are: AYB220 Company Accounting and either AYB311 Financial Accounting Issues or AYB321 Strategic Management Accounting. If you wish to enrol in AYB339 Accountancy Capstone you should contact the School of Accountancy to discuss your study program to ensure you will meet the unit pre-requisites.

LWB239 Criminal Responsibility

LWB331 Administrative Law

LWB334 Corporate Law

### Year 5 Semester 1

LWB364 Introduction to Taxation Law

LWB366 Law of Commercial Entities

LWB431 Civil Procedure

LWB434 Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning

### Year 5 Semester 2

LWB432 Evidence

LWB433 Professional Responsibility

Law Elective

Law Elective

## Electronic Business

### Year 1 Semester 1

BSB115 Management, People and Organisations

BSB119 International and Electronic Business

LWB141 Legal Institutions and Method

LWB142 Law, Society and Justice

### Year 1 Semester 2

BSB114 Government, Business and Society

BSB126 Marketing

LWB143 Legal Research and Writing

LWB144 Laws and Global Perspectives

### Year 2 Semester 1

BSB110 Accounting

BSB122 Quantitative Analysis and Finance

LWB136 Contracts A

LWB138 Fundamentals of Torts

### Year 2 Semester 2

BSB113 Economics

AMB230 Internet Promotion

LWB137 Contracts B

LWB139 Select Issues in Torts

### Year 3 Semester 1

BSB212 Electronic Business Applications

ITB233 Enterprise Systems Applications

LWB231 Introduction to Public Law

LWB236 Real Property A

LWB240 Principles of Equity

### Year 3 Semester 2

BSB213 Governance Issues in E-Business

ITB823 Web Sites For Electronic Commerce

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LWB235 Australian Federal Constitutional Law  
LWB237 Real Property B  
LWB241 Trusts

### Year 4 Semester 1

MGB334 Managing in a Changing Environment  
AYB221 Computerised Accounting Systems  
LWB238 Fundamentals of Criminal Law  
LWB332 Commercial and Personal Property Law  
LWB333 Theories of Law

### Year 5 Semester 1

LWB431 Civil Procedure  
LWB434 Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning  
Law Elective  
Law Elective

### Year 4 Semester 2

BSB314 E-Business Intelligence  
ITB239 Enterprise Data Mining  
LWB239 Criminal Responsibility  
LWB331 Administrative Law  
LWB334 Corporate Law

### Year 5 Semester 2

LWB432 Evidence  
LWB433 Professional Responsibility  
Law Elective  
Law Elective

## Human Resource Management

### Year 1 Semester 1

BSB113 Economics  
BSB115 Management, People and Organisations  
LWB141 Legal Institutions and Method  
LWB142 Law, Society and Justice

### Year 1 Semester 2

BSB114 Government, Business and Society  
BSB126 Marketing  
LWB143 Legal Research and Writing  
LWB144 Laws and Global Perspectives

### Year 2 Semester 1

BSB110 Accounting  
BSB122 Quantitative Analysis and Finance  
LWB136 Contracts A  
LWB138 Fundamentals of Torts

### Year 2 Semester 2

MGB207 Human Resource Issues and Strategy

BSB119 International and Electronic Business  
LWB137 Contracts B  
LWB139 Select Issues in Torts

### Year 3 Semester 1

MGB220 Management Research Methods  
HRM Option Unit  
LWB231 Introduction to Public Law  
LWB236 Real Property A  
LWB240 Principles of Equity

### Year 3 Semester 2

MGB200 Leading Organisations  
HRM Option Unit  
LWB235 Australian Federal Constitutional Law  
LWB237 Real Property B  
LWB241 Trusts

### Year 4 Semester 1

MGB221 Performance and Reward  
HRM Option Unit  
LWB238 Fundamentals of Criminal Law  
LWB332 Commercial and Personal Property Law  
LWB333 Theories of Law

### Year 4 Semester 2

MGB320 Recruitment and Selection  
MGB331 Learning and Development in Organisations  
LWB239 Criminal Responsibility  
LWB331 Administrative Law  
LWB334 Corporate Law

### Year 5 Semester 1

LWB431 Civil Procedure  
LWB434 Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning  
Law Elective  
Law Elective

### Year 5 Semester 2

LWB432 Evidence  
LWB433 Professional Responsibility  
Law Elective  
Law Elective

### HRM Option Unit List

MGB201 Contemporary Employment Relations  
MGB210 Managing Operations  
MGB212 Sustainability in a Changing Environment  
MGB309 Strategic Management  
MGB314 Organisational Consulting and Change  
MGB315 Personal and Professional Development

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MGB335 Project Management  
HRM students must choose three units from the above list

### International Business

#### Year 1 Semester 1

BSB119 International and Electronic Business  
BSB126 Marketing  
LWB141 Legal Institutions and Method  
LWB142 Law, Society and Justice

#### Year 1 Semester 2

BSB110 Accounting  
BSB115 Management, People and Organisations  
LWB143 Legal Research and Writing  
LWB144 Laws and Global Perspectives

#### Year 2 Semester 1

BSB114 Government, Business and Society  
IBB202 Fundamentals of International Finance  
LWB136 Contracts A  
LWB138 Fundamentals of Torts

#### Year 2 Semester 2

BSB122 Quantitative Analysis and Finance  
BSB113 Economics  
LWB137 Contracts B  
LWB139 Select Issues in Torts

#### Year 3 Semester 1

IBB205 Intercultural Communication and Negotiation  
IBB217 Asian Business Development  
or  
IBB208 European Business Development  
LWB231 Introduction to Public Law  
LWB236 Real Property A  
LWB240 Principles of Equity

#### Year 3 Semester 2

IBB210 Export Management  
IBB317 Contemporary Business in Asia  
or  
IBB308 Contemporary Business in Europe  
LWB235 Australian Federal Constitutional Law  
LWB237 Real Property B  
LWB241 Trusts

#### Year 4 Semester 1

IBB300 International Business Strategy  
IBB304 Global Industry Analysis  
LWB238 Fundamentals of Criminal Law

LWB332 Commercial and Personal Property Law  
LWB333 Theories of Law

#### Year 4 Semester 2

IBB213 International Marketing  
IBB303 International Logistics  
LWB239 Criminal Responsibility  
LWB331 Administrative Law  
LWB334 Corporate Law

#### Year 5 Semester 1

LWB431 Civil Procedure  
LWB434 Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning  
Law Elective  
Law Elective

#### Year 5 Semester 2

LWB432 Evidence  
LWB433 Professional Responsibility  
Law Elective  
Law Elective

### Management

#### Year 1 Semester 1

BSB113 Economics  
BSB115 Management, People and Organisations  
LWB141 Legal Institutions and Method  
LWB142 Law, Society and Justice

#### Year 1 Semester 2

BSB114 Government, Business and Society  
BSB126 Marketing  
LWB143 Legal Research and Writing  
LWB144 Laws and Global Perspectives

#### Year 2 Semester 1

BSB110 Accounting  
BSB122 Quantitative Analysis and Finance  
LWB136 Contracts A  
LWB138 Fundamentals of Torts

#### Year 2 Semester 2

MGB200 Leading Organisations  
BSB119 International and Electronic Business  
LWB137 Contracts B  
LWB139 Select Issues in Torts

#### Year 3 Semester 1

MGB210 Managing Operations  
MGB223 Entrepreneurship and Innovation  
LWB231 Introduction to Public Law

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LWB236 Real Property A  
LWB240 Principles of Equity

## Year 3 Semester 2

MGB212 Sustainability in a Changing Environment  
Management Option Unit  
LWB235 Australian Federal Constitutional Law  
LWB237 Real Property B  
LWB241 Trusts

## Year 4 Semester 1

MGB309 Strategic Management  
Management Option Unit  
LWB238 Fundamentals of Criminal Law  
LWB332 Commercial and Personal Property Law  
LWB333 Theories of Law

## Year 4 Semester 2

MGB335 Project Management  
Management Option Unit  
LWB239 Criminal Responsibility  
LWB331 Administrative Law  
LWB334 Corporate Law

## Year 5 Semester 1

LWB431 Civil Procedure  
LWB434 Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning  
Law Elective  
Law Elective

## Year 5 Semester 2

LWB432 Evidence  
LWB433 Professional Responsibility  
Law Elective  
Law Elective

## Management Option Unit List

MGB201 Contemporary Employment Relations  
MGB218 Managing Business Growth  
MGB314 Organisational Consulting and Change  
MGB315 Personal and Professional Development  
IBB205 Intercultural Communication and Negotiation  
Management Students must choose two from the above list (one must be a Level 3 unit)

## Marketing

### Year 1 Semester 1

BSB119 International and Electronic Business  
BSB126 Marketing  
LWB141 Legal Institutions and Method  
LWB142 Law, Society and Justice

### Year 1 Semester 2

BSB110 Accounting  
BSB115 Management, People and Organisations  
LWB143 Legal Research and Writing  
LWB144 Laws and Global Perspectives

### Year 2 Semester 1

BSB114 Government, Business and Society  
AMB200 Consumer Behaviour  
LWB136 Contracts A  
LWB138 Fundamentals of Torts

### Year 2 Semester 2

BSB122 Quantitative Analysis and Finance  
BSB113 Economics  
LWB137 Contracts B  
LWB139 Select Issues in Torts

### Year 3 Semester 1

AMB202 Integrated Marketing Communication  
AMB240 Marketing Planning and Management  
LWB231 Introduction to Public Law  
LWB236 Real Property A  
LWB240 Principles of Equity

### Year 3 Semester 2

AMB201 Marketing and Audience Research  
AMB241 E-Marketing Strategies  
LWB235 Australian Federal Constitutional Law  
LWB237 Real Property B  
LWB241 Trusts

### Year 4 Semester 1

AMB340 Services Marketing  
Any Marketing Unit  
LWB238 Fundamentals of Criminal Law  
LWB332 Commercial and Personal Property Law  
LWB333 Theories of Law

### Year 5 Semester 1

LWB431 Civil Procedure  
LWB434 Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning  
Law Elective  
Law Elective

### Year 4 Semester 2

AMB341 Strategic Marketing  
AMB352 Marketing Decision Making  
or  
IBB213 International Marketing

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LWB239 Criminal Responsibility  
LWB331 Administrative Law  
LWB334 Corporate Law

### Year 5 Semester 2

LWB432 Evidence  
LWB433 Professional Responsibility  
Law Elective  
Law Elective

### Public Relations

### Year 1 Semester 1

BSB119 International and Electronic Business  
BSB126 Marketing  
LWB141 Legal Institutions and Method  
LWB142 Law, Society and Justice

### Year 1 Semester 2

BSB110 Accounting  
BSB115 Management, People and Organisations  
LWB143 Legal Research and Writing  
LWB144 Laws and Global Perspectives

### Year 2 Semester 1

BSB114 Government, Business and Society  
AMB201 Marketing and Audience Research  
LWB136 Contracts A  
LWB138 Fundamentals of Torts

### Year 2 Semester 2

BSB122 Quantitative Analysis and Finance  
BSB113 Economics  
LWB137 Contracts B  
LWB139 Select Issues in Torts

### Year 3 Semester 1

AMB202 Integrated Marketing Communication  
AMB260 Public Relations Theory and Practice  
LWB231 Introduction to Public Law  
LWB236 Real Property A  
LWB240 Principles of Equity

### Year 3 Semester 2

AMB261 Media Relations and Publicity  
AMB262 Public Relations Writing  
LWB235 Australian Federal Constitutional Law  
LWB237 Real Property B  
LWB241 Trusts

### Year 4 Semester 1

AMB360 Corporate Communication Management

AMB370 Public Relations Cases  
LWB238 Fundamentals of Criminal Law  
LWB332 Commercial and Personal Property Law  
LWB333 Theories of Law

### Year 5 Semester 1

LWB431 Civil Procedure  
LWB434 Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning  
Law Elective  
Law Elective

### Year 4 Semester 2

AMB361 Public Relations Campaigns  
AMB371 Corporate Communication Strategies  
LWB239 Criminal Responsibility  
LWB331 Administrative Law  
LWB334 Corporate Law

### Year 5 Semester 2

LWB432 Evidence  
LWB433 Professional Responsibility  
Law Elective  
Law Elective

### Potential Careers:

Academic, Accountant, Advertising Professional, Banker, Banking and Finance Professional, Barrister, Business Analyst, Crown Law Officer, Economist, Exchange Student, Financial Advisor/Analyst, Financial Project Manager, Funds Manager, Government Officer, Home Economist, In-House Lawyer, International Business Specialist, Investment Manager, Manager, Marketing Officer/Manager, Public Servant, Risk Manager, Solicitor, Stockbroker.



## Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Laws (IF43)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** 027276E

**Course duration (full-time):** 5 Years

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** Commonwealth Supported Place; Full fee tuition 2008: \$135 per credit point (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: Full fee tuition \$12,960; CSP \$6,797

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$9,552 per semester (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic Entry:** February

**International Entry:** February and July\* (\*July entry subject to availability)

**QTAC code:** 409722

**Past rank cut-off:** 90

**Past OP cut-off:** 6

**Assumed knowledge:** English (4, SA)

**Preparatory studies:** ENGLISH: Successful completion of a year of full-time vocational or tertiary study. For further information contact 07 3138 2000 or email [study@qut.com](mailto:study@qut.com)

**Total credit points:** 528 (192 cr pts BA and 336 cr pts BLaws)

**Standard credit points per full-time semester:** 48

**Standard credit points per part-time semester:** 24

**Course coordinator:** Dr Iraphne Childs (Arts) Dr. William Dixon Director, Undergraduate Programs (Law)

**Campus:** Gardens Point and Carseldine

### OP Guarantee

The OP Guarantee does not apply to this program.

### Career Outcomes

This course aims to provide graduates with the ability to enter legal practice with an education in both the content of and skills related to the humanities that will enable them to deal with the complexities of litigation in areas such as commercial law, constitutional law, international law and in public policy.

### Professional Recognition

The Bachelor of Laws degree covers the areas of law required for the purposes of admission to practise as a Solicitor and/or Barrister in all Australian states and territories.

### Course Structure BA component - Continuing Students

#### BA REQUIREMENTS

Students should follow the course progression advice in the Course Summary Sheet

### Course Structure BA component - Commencing Students

BA Course Requirements - Commencing Students

Students are required to complete:

\* One Multidisciplinary Major (1 core unit + 6 units in the major)

It is suggested that students complete the Core Units Program consisting of the following:

\*Two core units in first semester (from a selection of core introductory and core skills units)

(Note: one of the core introductory units will sit within the chosen Multidisciplinary Major)

\*Year Two: research methods unit. Students are advised to take at least two of these units.

Students may also wish to include:

- an Arts minor/s in any of the multidisciplinary or discipline majors (4 units)

- an approved university minor, or individual electives in another QUT course (up to 4 units)

Students planning to complete a full Language sequence (6 units) will need to discuss their program with the relevant Course Coordinator in order to ensure that they begin their Language studies in first semester and that their language units can be continued into their third year.

Students must maintain a minimum of 50% enrolment in units from the BA program until they have completed eight of these units (96 credit points)

NB: Students are required to complete 16 units in the BA component of the double degree. Of these 12 must be BA units i.e. HHB coded units.

### Multidisciplinary Majors - Commencing Students

Students will be required to complete one multidisciplinary major from the following: International and Global Studies; Community Studies; Society and Change; Ethics and Human Rights; Australian Studies.

### Discipline Sequences

Discipline Majors in the Arts degree can be chosen from the following: History; Geography and Environmental Studies; Languages (French, Indonesian, Japanese, German, Mandarin); Sociology

### Deferral

QUT allows current Year 12 school leavers to defer their undergraduate admission offer for one year, or for six months if offered mid-year admission, except in courses using specific admission requirements such as questionnaires, folios, auditions, prior study or work experience.

Non-year 12 students may also request to defer their QTAC offer on the basis of demonstrated special circumstances.

Find out more on deferral.

### Course is under review

QUT is currently reviewing the Arts and Social Science programs to ensure they continue to meet the needs of students and employers. As a result these programs may change in 2008 or may not be offered. You can register for updates on the status of these courses by visiting the

Humanities and Human Services website.

**Course structure - Example of Full-time Course Structure**

**Year 1, Semester 1**

Introductory Core unit (Major)  
 1st Year Core Skills unit (HHB116)  
 Introductory Core unit (2nd Major or Minor)  
 Elective Unit (General)

**Year 1, Semester 2**

Elective Unit (Major)  
 Elective Unit (Major)  
 Elective Unit (Minor)  
 Elective Unit (General)

**Year 2, Semester 1**

Elective Unit (Major)  
 Elective Unit (Major)  
 Elective Unit (Minor)  
 Elective Unit (General)

**Year 2, Semester 2**

Elective Unit (Major)  
 Elective Unit (Major)  
 Elective Unit (2nd Major or Minor)  
 Elective Unit (General)

**BA Core Program**

For details, refer to the Bachelor of Arts (HH01) entry in the Humanities and Human Services section.

**Professional Major Study Sequences**

For details, refer to the Bachelor of Arts (HH01) entry in the Humanities and Human Services section.

**Discipline Sequences**

For details, refer to the Bachelor of Arts (HH01) entry in the Humanities and Human Services section.

**Minor Study Sequences in other QUT Courses**

For details of Minor Study Sequences available, refer to the Co-Majors section of the Bachelor of Arts (HH01) entry in the Humanities and Human Services section as any of these are able to be taken as Minors.

**Year 3 Semester 1**

LWB136 Contracts A  
 LWB138 Fundamentals of Torts

LWB141 Legal Institutions and Method  
 LWB142 Law, Society and Justice

**Year 3 Semester 2**

LWB137 Contracts B  
 LWB139 Select Issues in Torts  
 LWB143 Legal Research and Writing  
 LWB144 Laws and Global Perspectives

**Year 4 Semester 1**

LWB231 Introduction to Public Law  
 LWB236 Real Property A  
 LWB238 Fundamentals of Criminal Law  
 LWB240 Principles of Equity  
 LWB333 Theories of Law

**Year 4 Semester 2**

LWB235 Australian Federal Constitutional Law  
 LWB237 Real Property B  
 LWB239 Criminal Responsibility  
 LWB241 Trusts  
 LWB334 Corporate Law

**Year 5 Semester 1**

LWB332 Commercial and Personal Property Law  
 LWB431 Civil Procedure  
 LWB432 Evidence  
 LWB434 Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning  
 Law Elective

**Year 5 Semester 2**

LWB331 Administrative Law  
 LWB433 Professional Responsibility  
 Law Elective  
 Law Elective  
 Law Elective

**Potential Careers:**

Barrister, Government Officer, In-House Lawyer, Policy Officer, Public Servant, Solicitor.

**Doctor of Philosophy (Law) (IF49)****Year offered:** 2008**Admissions:** Yes**CRICOS code:** 015024B**Course duration (full-time):** 3 Years**Course duration (part-time):** 6 Years**Domestic fees (per credit point):** RTS/RTA: 2008 Full fee tuition \$135 per credit point (exceeded max. entitlement) (*subject to annual review*)**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: \$12,960 (exceeded max. entitlements)**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$10,608 per semester (*subject to annual review*)**Domestic Entry:** At any time**International Entry:** At any time**Discipline coordinator:** Assistant Dean, Research**Campus:** Gardens Point

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e-mail: law.research@qut.edu.au

**Potential Careers:**

Academic, Barrister, Solicitor.

**Entry Requirements**

An applicant's admission to the PhD program will depend on their academic aptitude, and the availability of supervision, infrastructure and resources needed for your course of study. Candidates would normally hold a Bachelor's degree with at least 2A Honours (or equivalent) or a Masters degree by research or a Masters degree by coursework that included substantial research.

**Location and Duration**

The PhD normally requires a minimum of three years of full-time study or its part-time equivalent. Study is undertaken at the Gardens Point Campus but the University may approve study at an off-campus location (multi-modal study). Although QUT offers this flexibility, there will still be minimum attendance requirements and the University must be satisfied that adequate supervision and resources are available at the external location.

**Overview**

The PhD offers candidates the opportunity to demonstrate their erudition in a broad field of learning and to make an original and substantial contribution to knowledge in that field.

**Course Structure**

Candidates will be assessed on a program of supervised research and investigation that culminates in production of their thesis. Candidates should have regular, face-to-face contact with their supervisor and participate in University scholarly activities such as research seminars, teaching and publication. The length of the thesis will vary according to the topic, but should normally be no longer than 100,000 words (excluding bibliography).

**Further Information**

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## Bachelor of Creative Industries (Creative Writing) / Bachelor of Laws (IF93)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** 040289B

**Course duration (full-time):** 5 Years

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** Commonwealth Supported Place; Full fee tuition 2008: \$166 per credit point (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: Full fee tuition \$15,936; CSP \$6,402

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$9,552 per semester (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic Entry:** February

**International Entry:** February

**QTAC code:** 409472

**Past rank cut-off:** 90

**Past OP cut-off:** 6

**Assumed knowledge:** English (4, SA)

**Preparatory studies:** ENGLISH: Successful completion of a year of full-time vocational or tertiary study. For further information contact 07 3138 2000 or email [study@qut.com](mailto:study@qut.com)

**Total credit points:** 528

**Standard credit points per full-time semester:** 48 (Semesters 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10) 60 (Semesters 1, 2, 7, 8)

**Course coordinator:** Creative Writing - Head, Undergraduate Studies Dr. William Dixon Law - Director, Undergraduate Programs

**Discipline coordinator:** Creative Writing - Professor Philip Neilsen

**Campus:** Gardens Point and Kelvin Grove

### OP Guarantee

The OP Guarantee does not apply to this program.

### Overview

Both creative writing and law require high-calibre, sophisticated communication and language skills. This five-year double degree will prepare you to work as a professional creative writer, lawyer in a private practice, a barrister or legal practitioner, or to practise with large companies, government agencies, or as an in-house lawyer, for example, in intellectual property or contract law.

### Professional Recognition

The law degree component covers all the law units required for admission as a legal practitioner in Australia and is approved for the purposes of the Legal Practitioners' and Barristers' Admission Rules. You can view student work at our online publication [www.dotlit.qut.edu.au](http://www.dotlit.qut.edu.au)

### Career Outcomes

Graduates who work as lawyers can specialise in any legal field, or use their creative writing knowledge to specialise in the publishing industry. Creative writing graduates work as creative writers, editors or publishers in all media.

### Course Structure

The Creative Industries component is made up of 24 credit points of Faculty Foundation units, 144 credit points from the Creative Writing major and 24 credit points of elective units.

The Law component is made up of 336 credit points of law subjects.

### Industry Links

Guest lecturers have included Hilary Beaton (Queensland Writers Centre), Michael Wilding (author), Fiona Capp (author), Madonna Duffy (UQ Press), and Frank Moorhouse (2001 Miles Franklin award winner). Your work could be published in the annual creative writing anthology which is released for sale to the public.

### Deferment

QUT allows current Year 12 school leavers to defer their undergraduate admission offer for one year, or for six months if offered mid-year admission, except in courses using specific admission requirements such as questionnaires, folios, auditions, prior study or work experience. Further information is available at [www.deferment.qut.edu.au](http://www.deferment.qut.edu.au)

### Course structure

#### Year 1, Semester 1

KKB101	Creative Industries: People and Practices
KWB101	Introduction to Creative Writing
KWB107	Introduction to Creative Non-Fiction Introduction to Legal Research
LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method
LWB142	Law, Society and Justice

#### Year 1, Semester 2

KKB102	Creative Industries: Making Connections
KWB104	Creative Writing: The Short Story
KWB106	Corporate Writing and Editing
LWB144	Laws and Global Perspectives
LWB143	Legal Research and Writing

#### Year 2, Semester 1

KWB207	Great Books: The Literary Classics Creative Industries Elective
KWB103	Persuasive Writing
LWB136	Contracts A

#### Year 2, Semester 2

KWB204	Creative Non-Fiction: Life Writing Creative Industries Elective
KWB206	Youth and Children's Writing
LWB137	Contracts B

#### Year 3, Semester 1

- KWB201 Creative Writing: Digital Media
- KWB203 Creative Writing: The Novel
- LWB138 Fundamentals of Torts
- LWB238 Fundamentals of Criminal Law

**Year 3, Semester 2**

- KWB303 Writing and Publishing Industry
- KWB205 Creative Writing Project 1
- LWB139 Select Issues in Torts
- LWB239 Criminal Responsibility

**Year 4, Semester 1**

- LWB231 Introduction to Public Law
- LWB236 Real Property A
- LWB240 Principles of Equity
- LWB332 Commercial and Personal Property Law
- LWB333 Theories of Law

**Year 4, Semester 2**

- LWB235 Australian Federal Constitutional Law
- LWB237 Real Property B
- LWB241 Trusts
- LWB331 Administrative Law
- LWB334 Corporate Law

**Year 5, Semester 1**

- LWB431 Civil Procedure
- LWB432 Evidence
- LWB434 Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning
- Law Elective Units

**Year 5, Semester 2**

- LWB433 Professional Responsibility
- Law Elective Units x 3

**Potential Careers:**

Academic, Art Writer, Barrister, Creative Writer, Crown Law Officer, Government Officer, In-House Lawyer, Information Officer, Media Industry Specialist, Organisational Communication Specialist, Policy Officer, Public Servant, Publishing Professional.

## **Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Justice (IX41)**

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** 058283E

**Course duration (full-time):** 4 years

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** Commonwealth Supported Place; Full fee tuition 2008: \$135 per credit point  
(*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: Full fee tuition \$12,960; CSP \$6,800

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$9,024 per semester  
(*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic Entry:** February

**International Entry:** February

**QTAC code:** 409082

**Past rank cut-off:** 74

**Past OP cut-off:** 13

**OP Guarantee:** Yes

**Assumed knowledge:** English (4, SA)

**Preparatory studies:** ENGLISH: Successful completion of a year of full-time vocational or tertiary study. For further information contact 07 3138 2000 or email [study@qut.com](mailto:study@qut.com)

**Course coordinator:** Dr Iraphne Childs (Arts), Professor Rod Broadhurst (Justice)

**Campus:** Gardens Point and Carseldine

Administrator, Community Education Officer, Community Worker, Contract Administrator, Government Officer, Higher Education Worker, Information Officer, Policy Officer, Public Servant.

### **Course Description**

The course consists of 16 arts units and 16 justice units. The program is integrated so that you will study both arts and justice units in each semester. You will choose at least one multidisciplinary arts major from international and global studies, society and change, ethics and human rights, community studies, or Australian studies. In the justice component you will have the opportunity to study areas such as criminology, policing, ethics, crime prevention, justice policy and investigations.

### **Deferment**

QUT allows current Year 12 school leavers to defer their undergraduate admission offer for one year, or for six months if offered mid-year admission, except in courses using specific admission requirements such as questionnaires, folios, auditions, prior study or work experience.

Non-year 12 students may also request to defer their QTAC offer on the basis of demonstrated special circumstances.

Find out more on deferment.

### **Course is under review**

QUT is currently reviewing the Arts and Social Science programs to ensure they continue to meet the needs of students and employers. As a result these programs may change in 2008 or may not be offered. You can register for updates on the status of these courses by visiting the Humanities and Human Services website.

### **Potential Careers:**

## Bachelor of Human Services/Bachelor of Justice 2008 (IX45)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** 058290F

**Course duration (full-time):** 4 years

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** Commonwealth Supported Place; Full fee tuition 2008: \$135 per credit point (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: Full fee tuition \$12,960; CSP \$6,800

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$9,024 per semester (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic Entry:** February

**International Entry:** February

**QTAC code:** 409092

**Past rank cut-off:** 74

**Past OP cut-off:** 13

**OP Guarantee:** Yes

**Assumed knowledge:** English (4, SA)

**Preparatory studies:** ENGLISH: Successful completion of a year of full-time vocational or tertiary study. For further information contact 07 3138 2000 or email [study@qut.com](mailto:study@qut.com)

**Course coordinator:** Dr Phil Crane (Human Services), Prof. Rod Broadhurst (Justice)

**Campus:** Gardens Point and Carseldine

### Course Description

In this course students complete the requirements of two separate degrees in four years. The Human Services component of the course provides knowledge, values, ethics and skills for professional practice in human services. The Justice component involves the study of criminology, ethics, crime prevention, policy making and investigations.

### Career opportunities

Career opportunities include human service worker, aged, child and family, youth, disability and corrective services; community development; social care; child protection; youth justice; policy and service development; prevention and early intervention services; individual and systems advocacy; criminology; policing; ethics; crime prevention; justice policy and investigations.

### Deferment

QUT allows current Year 12 school leavers to defer their undergraduate admission offer for one year, or for six months if offered mid-year admission, except in courses using specific admission requirements such as questionnaires, folios, auditions, prior study or work experience.

Non-year 12 students may also request to defer their QTAC offer on the basis of demonstrated special circumstances.

Find out more on deferment.

### Working with Children Check

As required by the Commission for Children and Young People and Child Guardian Act (2000), students must

undergo a criminal history check and be issued with a Suitability Card (Blue Card) by the Commission.

As soon as you enter your enrolment program for the course, you must submit your Blue Card application to the QUT Student Centre immediately. You must hold a Blue Card to undertake activities in any unit which involves contact with children, including the required field studies blocks.

If you do not apply for a Blue Card immediately upon enrolment in the course and allow sufficient time for the police check and issuing of the Card, you will be unable to participate in the required activities and may need to be withdrawn from the unit(s) and incur both financial and academic penalty. It may take up to 8 weeks for the Commission to issue the Card. The application form is available at [bluecard.qut.com](http://bluecard.qut.com).

### Professional Membership (Bachelor of Human Services)

Graduates are entitled to apply for membership of the Australian Institute of Welfare and Community Workers. (Accreditation application in process).

## COURSE STRUCTURE - OVERVIEW

### YEAR 1 SEMESTER 1

HHB114	Introduction To Human Rights And Ethics
HHB103	Contemporary Social And Community Issues
JSB171	Justice and Society
JSB172	Introduction to Crime Research Methods

### YEAR 1 SEMESTER 2

HHB100	Introduction to Human Services and Social Work
HHB113	Interpersonal Communication
JSB173	Understanding the Criminal Justice System
JSB174	Forensic Psychology and the Law

### YEAR 2 SEMESTER 1

HHB208	Introduction to practice
HHB209	Developing professional frameworks
JSB175	Social Ethics and the Justice System
JSB176	Criminal Law in Context

### YEAR 2 SEMESTER 2

HHB	Human services List B unit
HHB277	Ethical and Legal Dimensions of Human Services Practice
JSB177	Crimes of Violence
JSB271	Policy Governance and Justice

### YEAR 3 SEMESTER 1

HHB279	Human service processes and methods
HHB278	Intervention theories
JSB273	Crime Research Methods

BJUS Select 1 unit from chosen Primary Major  
(Criminology or Policing)

**YEAR 3 SEMESTER 2**

HHB Human services List C unit

JSB371 Indigenous Justice

BJUS Select 1 unit from chosen Primary Major  
(Criminology or Policing)

BJUS Elective unit (Select 1 unit from the Justice  
Elective List)

**YEAR 4 SEMESTER 1**

HHB Human services List D unit

HHB Human services List C unit

BJUS Select 1 unit from chosen Primary Major  
(Criminology or Policing)

BJUS Select 1 unit from chosen Primary Major  
(Criminology or Policing)

**YEAR 4 SEMESTER 2**

HHB301 Advanced Professional Practice

BJUS Elective unit (Select 1 unit from the Justice  
Elective List)

**Potential Careers:**

Academic, Administrator, Adult/Workplace Educator, Aged Services Worker, Child Protection Officer, Community Corrections Officer, Community Education Officer, Community Worker, Corrective Services Officer, Disability Services Worker, Family Services Officer, Government Officer, Human Services Practitioner, Police Officer (State), Policy Officer, Public Servant, Youth Worker.



## Bachelor of Behavioural Science (Psychology) / Bachelor of Laws (IX52)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** 062079G

**Course duration (full-time):** 5 years

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** Commonwealth Supported Place; Full fee tuition 2008: \$166 per credit point (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: \$15,936

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$9,552 per semester (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic Entry:** February (no mid-year entry)

**QTAC code:** 409572

**Past rank cut-off:** 90

**Past OP cut-off:** 6

**Assumed knowledge:** English (4 SA)

**Preparatory studies:** ENGLISH: Successful completion of a year of full-time vocational or tertiary study. For further information contact 07 3138 2000 or email [study@qut.com](mailto:study@qut.com)

**Total credit points:** 528

**Course coordinator:** Dr Julie Hansen (Psychology); Dr. William Dixon Director Undergraduate Studies (Law)

**Campus:** Gardens Point and Carseldine

### Overview

A double degree in law and psychology offers you greater flexibility in your career. Combining skills in these two complementary areas, you will be able to apply psychological principles to legal issues and concerns.

### Why choose this course

You have many opportunities to gain real workplace skills in each of your study disciplines. In psychology, students design and analyse original experiments, to enhance their research and analytical skills.

While studying, you are exposed to the range of job opportunities in external organisations and industry through careers seminars and opportunities for work experience. Students can also participate in a first-year peer mentor program and a career mentoring program.

In law, you can choose internship and legal clinic electives which provide a work experience placement to gain experience in legal firms, legal aid agencies or government departments.

### Career options

With degrees in psychology and law, you will enter the work force with a solid scientific and practical base, making you suitable for positions in the development of mental health and legal policies, in research in the legal-psychological domain, and to work as either a lawyer or psychologist within legal, corporate, government, social, and clinical arenas.

You will be well placed to enter the work force in any number of work environments, including forensic areas (such as the prison service). In addition, you will have the option of pursuing your psychology training further in order

to become a registered psychologist. The double degree will also allow you to work in legal environments as a solicitor, barrister, in-house counsel or government lawyer.

Outside the specialist psychology and legal environments, the skills and knowledge you have acquired will be transferable to a wide range of areas, such as business, marketing, communication and policy advisors or officers.

### Professional Recognition

The Bachelor of Behavioural Science (Psychology) component of the degree is accredited by the Australian Psychology Accreditation Council (APAC). The Bachelor of Laws degree satisfies the academic requirements for admission to practice as a Solicitor or Barrister in all Australian States or Territories.

Many graduates wish to pursue careers in professional areas of psychology. To do so students must be registered with their State Registration Board. This currently involves completing a fourth year of study in Psychology (eg Bachelor of Psychology (Honours) or Postgraduate Diploma in Psychology), followed by either two years of supervised work experience or the completion of an appropriate higher degree such as Doctor of Psychology (Clinical), Master of Clinical Psychology or Master of Psychology (Educational and Developmental).

### Honours

The Bachelor of Laws degree may be awarded with honours to students who have recorded outstanding achievement in the law component of the program.

### OP Guarantee

The OP Guarantee does not apply to this course.

### Recommended Study

Maths A, B or C

### Deferment

QUT allows current Year 12 school leavers to defer their undergraduate admission offer for one year, or for six months if offered mid-year admission, except in courses using specific admission requirements such as questionnaire, portfolio, audition, prior study or work experience.

Non-year 12 students may also request to defer their QTAC offer on the basis of demonstrated special circumstances.

Find out more on deferment.

### Further Information

For detailed information about this course, please call the School of Psychology and Counselling on +617 3138 4625 or email [psyc.enquiries@qut.com](mailto:psyc.enquiries@qut.com)

### Course Structure - Overview

Year 1 Semester 1

PYB007 Interpersonal Processes and Skills  
 PYB101 Introduction to Psychology 1A  
 LWB141 Legal Institutions and Method  
 LWB142 Law, Society and Justice

Law Elective

**Year 1 Semester 2**

PYB102 Introduction to Psychology 1B  
 PYB110 Psychological Research Methods  
 LWB143 Legal Research and Writing  
 LWB144 Laws and Global Perspectives

**Year 2 Semester 1**

PYB202 Social and Organisational Psychology  
 PYB210 Research Design and Data Analysis  
 PYB elective  
 LWB136 Contracts A

**Year 2 Semester 2**

PYB203 Developmental Psychology  
 PYB204 Perception and Cognition  
 PYB208 Counselling Theory and Practice 1  
 LWB137 Contracts B

**Year 3 Semester 1**

PYB304 Physiological Psychology  
 PYB309 Individual Differences and Assessment  
 PYB elective  
 LWB138 Fundamentals of Torts  
 LWB238 Fundamentals of Criminal Law

**Year 3 Semester 2**

PYB306 Psychopathology  
 PYB350 Advanced Statistical Analysis  
 or  
 Level 3 Psychology elective from List B  
 PYB elective  
 LWB139 Select Issues in Torts  
 LWB239 Criminal Responsibility

**Year 4 Semester 1**

LWB231 Introduction to Public Law  
 LWB236 Real Property A  
 LWB240 Principles of Equity  
 LWB333 Theories of Law  
 Law Elective

**Year 4 Semester 2**

LWB235 Australian Federal Constitutional Law  
 LWB237 Real Property B  
 LWB241 Trusts  
 LWB334 Corporate Law

**Year 5 Semester 1**

LWB332 Commercial and Personal Property Law  
 LWB431 Civil Procedure  
 LWB432 Evidence  
 LWB434 Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning

**Year 5 Semester 2**

LWB331 Administrative Law  
 LWB433 Professional Responsibility  
 Law Electives  
 Law Electives

**Notes**

\* PYB350 is compulsory if you wish to continue into the Bachelor of Behavioural Science (Honours Psychology) program, otherwise another elective can be taken.

**List A and List B Psychology Electives**

**List A Psychology Electives**

PYB054 Psychology and Gender  
 PYB067 Human Sexuality  
 PYB158 Introduction to Substance Abuse in Australia  
 PYB159 Alcohol & Other Drug Studies  
 PYB215 Forensic Psychology and the Law  
 PYB257 Group Work  
 PYB260 Psychopharmacology of Addictive Behaviour  
 PYB371 Introduction to Road Safety

**List B Psychology Electives**

PYB302 Industrial and Organisational Psychology  
 PYB305 Applied Social Psychology  
 PYB307 Health Psychology  
 PYB350 Advanced Statistical Analysis  
 PYB356 Counselling Theory and Practice 2  
 PYB358 Advanced Developmental Psychology  
 PYB359 Introduction to Family Therapy  
 PYB360 Interventions for Addictive Behaviours  
 PYB372 Traffic Psychology and Behaviour  
 PYB374 Applying Traffic Psychology

## Bachelor of Corporate Systems Management/Bachelor of Justice (IX61)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** 063030F

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** Commonwealth Supported Place; Full fee tuition 2008: \$166 per credit point (subject to annual review)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: Full fee tuition \$15,936; CSP \$7,880

**International Entry:** February

**QTAC code:** 419652

**Past rank cut-off:** 74

**Past OP cut-off:** 13

**Campus:** Gardens Point

### Course overview

In this double degree students complete the requirements for two separate degrees in four years. The course consists of units in both corporate systems management and justice studies. In the corporate systems management component students are taught the interrelationship between information, technology, business and people. This component develops the knowledge and skills needed to understand and communicate business needs, select the right systems and integrate these systems to improve business performance. The justice component involves completion of foundation units, after which students can focus their studies in the areas of criminology or policing. Full time students can take part in the Cooperative Education Program, offering one year paid industry placement and credit towards their degree (subject to satisfying eligibility requirements).

Majors: Criminology; policing

### Cooperative Education Program

The Faculty of IT's Cooperative Education Program gives you the opportunity of 10-12 months paid industry placement during your course where you can integrate real experience with what you're learning in your degree. Companies that QUT's Coop Ed students have worked with include Energex, Boeing, CITEC, CSC Mining, Environmental Protection Agency, Dialog, UNiTAB, RACQ and many Queensland Government departments. The Coop Ed Program is available to Australian citizens and permanent residents only.

Find out more about the Cooperative Education Program.

### Recommended course progression

#### Year 1, Semester 1

ITB360	Corporate Systems
ITB002	IT Professional Studies
JSB171	Justice and Society
JSB172	Introduction to Crime Research

#### Year 1, Semester 2

ITB363	Project Management Practice
BSB115	Management, People and Organisations
JSB173	Understanding the Criminal Justice System
JSB174	Forensic Psychology and the Law

#### Year 2, Semester 1

ITB361	Socio-technical Systems
ITB362	Organisational Databases
JSB175	Criminal Law in Context
JSB176	Social Ethics and the Justice System

#### Year 2, Semester 2

ITB364	Information Systems Development
ITB823	Web Sites For Electronic Commerce
JSB177	Crimes of Violence
LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method

#### Year 3, Semester 1

ITB365	Business Analysis
ITB366	Information Systems Operations
	Major unit (Choose from Primary Major of Criminology or Policing)
	Major unit (Choose from Primary Major of Criminology or Policing)

#### Year 3, Semester 2

EFB	Financial Information Systems
ITB264	Information Systems Consulting
	Major unit (Choose from Primary Major of Criminology or Policing)
	Major unit (Choose from Primary Major of Criminology or Policing)

#### Year 4, Semester 1

BSB126	Marketing
ITB370	Project
	Major unit (Choose from Primary Major of Criminology or Policing)
	Major unit (Choose from Primary Major of Criminology or Policing)

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ITB298	Business Process Modelling
ITB233	Enterprise Systems Applications
	Justice Elective Unit
	Justice Elective Unit

### Potential Careers:

Administrator, Crown Law Officer, Customs Officer, Data Communications Specialist, Database Manager, Government Officer, Information Officer, Information Security Specialist, Investigator, Police Officer (Australian Federal), Police Officer (State), Risk Manager, Systems Manager.

## Graduate Certificate In Research Commercialisation (IX97)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** External

**Course duration (full-time):** 1 semesters. The course must be completed within a maximum time period of 4 years.

**Course duration (part-time):** 2 semesters. The course must be completed within a maximum period of 8 years.

**Course duration (external):** 2 semesters. The course must be completed within a maximum period of 8 years.

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** 2008: \$2,200 per unit  
(*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: \$8,000

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$3,300 per unit  
(*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic Entry:** 2 entry points per year

**International Entry:** 2 entry points per year

**Course coordinator:** Professor Rod Wissler

**Campus:** Internet

### course structure

#### Course Structure

IFP100	Knowledge Transfer and Research Commercialisation (Core Unit)
IFP101	Leadership and Workplace Communication
IFP102	Project Management and Research
IFP103	Public Policy and Research
IFP104	Entrepreneurial Foundations
IFP105	Principles and Practice of Research Management
IFP106	Managing Research Careers

### Potential Careers:

Academic, Administrator, Arts Administrator, Biochemist, Bioengineer, Bioinformatician, Biologist, Biomechanical Engineer, Biomedical Engineer, Biotechnologist, Biotechnologist, Biotechnology Business/Investment Analyst, Business Analyst, Business Development Officer, Cell Biologist, Civil Engineer, Contract Administrator, Financial Advisor/Analyst, Government Officer, International Business Specialist, Marine Scientist, Market Research Manager, Marketing Officer/Manager, Mathematician, Microbiologist, Policy Officer, Public Servant, Scientist, Social Scientist, Urban Designer, Visual Artist, Web Designer.

**Graduate Certificate in Policing (JS24)****Year offered:** 2008**Admissions:** Yes**Course duration (external):** 1 year part time**Domestic fees (per credit point):** 2008: \$135 per credit point (*subject to annual review*)**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: \$12,960**Domestic Entry:** February and July**International Entry:** February and July**Course coordinator:** Associate Prof. Geoff Dean**Discipline coordinator:** Dr Colin Thorne**Campus:** External

or

JSN106 Analytical Methods of Intelligence

**Potential Careers:**

Child Protection Officer, Corrective Services Officer, Crown Law Officer, Customs Officer, Investigator, Police Officer (Australian Federal), Police Officer (State).

**Overview**

The Graduate Certificate in Policing will provide a tertiary qualification for students already working in, or aspiring to work in the areas of justice which focuses on criminal behaviour. By exploring the strategies which can be used to address such behaviour within contemporary society, this course will have both a theoretical and a more practical framework. You will have the flexibility to choose the academic units that best suit your professional focus.

**Entry Requirements**

An appropriate undergraduate degree from a recognised tertiary institution or a combination of professional experience and training that the Course Coordinator deems to be appropriate.

**Course Requirements**

The Graduate Certificate in Policing consists of four units which comprises of:

- One (1) generic core unit (12 credit points)
- Two (2) specialist units in policing (24 credit points)
- One (1) elective unit chosen from the Elective list (12 credit points)

**Articulation to Master of Justice**

A student who has successfully completes the Graduate Certificate in Policing with a GPA of 5.0 or better may articulate to the Master of Justice with 48 credit points of academic credit.

**Course structure****Year 1 Semester 1**

JSN101 Justice and Human Rights

JSN103 Criminal Behaviour and Investigation

**Year 1 Semester 2**

JSN104 Transnational and Organised Crime

Select one unit from the following:

JSN105 White Collar Crime: Investigation and Prevention

or

JSN111 Terrorism and Political Violence

or

JSN112 Crime Prevention

## Graduate Certificate in Organised Crime and Corruption Investigation (JS27)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** No

**CRICOS code:** Not required

**Course duration (part-time):** 1 year external

**Course duration (external):** 1 year

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** 2008: \$135 per credit point (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: \$12,960

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$4,800 per semester (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic Entry:** No new admissions in 2008. For continuing students only.

**International Entry:** No new admissions in 2008. For continuing students only.

**Total credit points:** 48

**Course coordinator:** Associate Prof. Geoff Dean

**Campus:** Gardens Point and External

### Potential Careers:

Community Corrections Officer, Corrective Services Officer, Customs Officer, Investigator, Police Officer (Australian Federal), Police Officer (State), Policy Officer, Risk Manager.

### Overview

The creation of crime and corruption commissions around the country evidences recognition by government that traditional police services and Ombudsman like agencies are inadequate to deal with organised crime and its evil twin, official corruption.

Graduates or allied professionals associated with an area of justice will find that the Graduate Certificate in Organised Crime and Corruption Investigation will help develop an understanding of these issues in Queensland and elsewhere together with the capacity for critical enquiry, research, intellectual debate and ethical practices in terms of their chosen areas of professional interest.

### Entry requirements

An appropriate undergraduate degree from a recognised tertiary institution or professional experience that the Course Coordinator deems to be appropriate.

### Course Requirements

The Graduate Certificate in Organised Crime and Corruption Investigation consists of four units of twelve credit points each. They comprise: Organised Crime & Corruption; Forensic Investigation Methods and Strategies; Proceeds of Crime and Money Laundering; Evidence in Organised Crime Investigations.

### Articulation to Master of Justice

A student who has successfully completed the Graduate Certificate in Organised Crime and Corruption Investigation with a GPA of 5.0 or better, may articulate to the Master of Justice (Organised Crime and Corruption Investigation) and receive credit for their specialist area study of 48 credit points.

### Course structure

Continuing students should contact the School of Justice for further advice on unit selection

## Graduate Certificate in Intelligence (JS29)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** Not required

**Course duration (external):** 1 year Part time

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** 2008: \$135 per credit point (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: \$12,960

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$9,600 per semester (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic Entry:** February and July

**International Entry:** February and July

**Total credit points:** 48

**Course coordinator:** Associate Prof. Geoff Dean

**Discipline coordinator:** Dr Nic Chantler

**Campus:** External

### Overview

The Graduate Certificate in Intelligence is aimed at providing tertiary pathways for students either working in the intelligence community and wishing to embark on professional studies or, students seeking employment in the intelligence community and wanting to gain relevant tertiary qualifications. Through a range of pedagogically informed teaching strategies the program develops relevant professional competencies, skills and knowledge. The program is aimed at students with existing undergraduate qualifications but can be undertaken by students with extensive professional experience where that experience is assessed as appropriate by the course coordinator.

### Entry Requirements

An appropriate undergraduate degree from a recognised tertiary institution or a combination of professional experience and training that the Course Coordinator deems to be appropriate.

### Course Requirements

The Graduate Certificate in Intelligence consists of four units of twelve credit points each: Justice and Human Rights; Intelligence Practice 1; Intelligence Practice 2; with one unit selected from Terrorism and Political Violence or Analytical Methods or Intelligence, or Just War Theory or National Security and Intelligence.

### Articulation in Postgraduate Coursework Nested Programs

A student who has successfully completed the Graduate Certificate in Intelligence with a GPA of 5.0 or better, may articulate to the Master of Justice (Intelligence) and receive academic credit of 48 credit points.

Currently enrolled QUT students in an articulating postgraduate coursework nested program (ie. completing Graduate Certificate in Intelligence and moving to the next level of study) are not required to complete a Postgraduate Application (PG) form. Student Business Services send an email to your student mailbox inviting currently enrolled students to articulate to the next stage of the program - Master of Justice (Intelligence).

Prospective students, not enrolled at QUT, should complete the Postgraduate Application form (PG form) available from the QUT website.

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### Course structure

#### Part time/External Semester 1

JSN101 Justice and Human Rights

JSN109 Intelligence Practice 1

#### Part time/External Semester 2

JSN110 Intelligence Practice 2

Select 1 unit from the following:

JSN111 Terrorism and Political Violence

or

JSN106 Analytical Methods of Intelligence

or

JSN115 Just War Theory

or

JSN108 National Security and Intelligence

NB. Students may underload ie undertake 1 unit per semester

### Potential Careers:

Corrective Services Officer, Customs Officer, Information Security Specialist, Investigator, Police Officer (Australian Federal), Police Officer (State), Policy Officer, Risk Manager.

## Bachelor of Justice (JS31)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** 006117E

**Course duration (full-time):** 3 years

**Course duration (part-time):** 6 years

**Course duration (external):** 3-6 years

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** Commonwealth Supported Place; Full Fee Tuition 2008: \$135 per credit point (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: Full Fee Tuition \$12,960 CSP \$5,514

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$9,024 per semester (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic Entry:** February and July

**International Entry:** February and July

**QTAC code:** 417301: internal; 417305: external.

**Past rank cut-off:** 74

**Past OP cut-off:** 13

**OP Guarantee:** Yes

**Assumed knowledge:** English (4, SA)

**Preparatory studies:** ENGLISH: Successful completion of a year of full-time vocational or tertiary study. For further information contact 07 3138 2000 or email [study@qut.com](mailto:study@qut.com)

**Total credit points:** 288

**Standard credit points per full-time semester:** 48

**Standard credit points per part-time semester:** 24

**Course coordinator:** Associate Prof. Geoff Dean

**Campus:** Gardens Point and External

### Campus change

From the beginning of 2007 the School of Justice relocated from Kelvin Grove campus to Gardens Point. From this point on all units are taught at the Gardens Point campus, with the exception of units offered in the secondary major of Psychology based at Carseldine campus.

### Course Requirements

The course will be offered over 3 years full-time, 6 years part-time, internal and external mode. The course structure consists of 24 units - a total of 288 credit points. This comprises of:

- Seven (7) Justice Core units (84 credit points) and;
- One (1) foundation law unit (12 credit points) in the first year;
- Six (6) primary major units (72 credit points) to be selected from either Criminology or Policing and;
- Six units in a secondary major (72 credit points) which can be selected from Policing or Criminology, or a non justice area: Law, Information Technology\* or Psychology\*.
- One (1) Third year Core Unit (12 credit points) and;
- Three (3) Justice electives (36 credit points).

\* External students should be aware that when selecting the secondary majors, Information Technology and Psychology are only available in the Internal (INT) mode of study. All Justice and Law units are available in the External (EXT) mode of study and available to all students.

### General

The Bachelor of Justice equips graduates for a wide variety of employment in the criminal justice, government (state and federal), law enforcement and policing and intelligence fields. Past graduates have developed successful careers in the state or federal police services, created social and justice policies for governments, contributed to the work of advocacy centres (eg. women, youth and children's advocacy), become criminologists, and advanced into defence, customs and the Australian Crime Commission. Other popular career choices include corrections and human rights and anti-discrimination areas. Students are prepared for the workplace, not only by exploring the most recent theory and practice of social justice, but by including relevant general skills like problem-solving, analytical ability and applied computer skills that are relevant to the workplace.

### Diploma Entry and Academic Credit

Students who have completed a full Diploma of Justice or Diploma of Justice Administration from TAFE are eligible for academic credit (96 credit points) towards their degree. This academic credit is counted as elective units in the Justice program. Students with this qualification should make further enquiries with Students Business Services or the School of Justice.

### Deferment

QUT allows current Year 12 school leavers to defer their undergraduate admission offer for one year, or for six months if offered mid-year admission, except in courses using specific admission requirements such as questionnaires, folios, auditions, prior study or work experience. Non-year 12 students may also request to defer their QTAC offer on the basis of demonstrated special circumstances.

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### Course structure

#### Year 1, Semester 1 (Full-time Course Structure)

JSB171	Justice and Society
JSB172	Introduction To Crime Research
JSB175	Social Ethics and the Justice System
JSB176	Criminal Law in Context

#### Year 1, Semester 2 (Full-time Course Structure)

JSB173	Understanding the Criminal Justice System
JSB174	Forensic Psychology and the Law
JSB177	Crimes of Violence
LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method

#### Year 2, Semester 1 (Full-time Course Structure)

Select four units (48 cps) from the following



## EITHER

**Criminology Major**

- JSB272 Theories of Crime  
 JSB273 Crime Research Methods  
 JSB373 Crime and Punishment  
 or  
 JSB378 Drugs and Crime  
 Secondary Major / Elective  
 OR

**Policing Major**

- JSB273 Crime Research Methods  
 JSB274 Policing in Context  
 JSB375 Investigative Knowledge: People and Systems  
 in Policing  
 or  
 JSB378 Drugs and Crime  
 Secondary Major / Elective

**Year 2, Semester 2 for Criminology Major: (Full-time Course Structure)**

- JSB271 Policy Governance and Justice  
 JSB372 Youth Justice  
 JSB374 Crime Prevention  
 Secondary Major / Elective

**Year 2, Semester 2 for Policing Major: (Full-time Course Structure)**

- JSB271 Policy Governance and Justice  
 JSB377 Intelligence and Security  
 JSB376 Information Management and Analysis  
 or, for external students you must select  
 JSB977 Organised Crime and Terrorism

**Year 3, Semester 1 (Full-time Course Structure)**

- JSB371 Indigenous Justice  
 PLUS EITHER

**Criminology Major**

- Secondary Major / Elective  
 Secondary Major / Elective  
 Secondary Major / Elective  
 OR

**Policing Major**

- Secondary Major / Elective  
 Secondary Major / Elective  
 Secondary Major / Elective

**Year 3, Semester 2 (Full-time Course Structure)**

Select four units from the following

## Either

**Criminology Major**

- Secondary Major / Elective  
 Secondary Major / Elective  
 Secondary Major / Elective  
 Secondary Major / Elective  
 OR

**Policing Major**

- Secondary Major / Elective  
 Secondary Major / Elective  
 Secondary Major / Elective  
 Secondary Major / Elective

**Justice Electives (Semester 1)**

- JSB971 Gender Crime and the Criminal Justice System  
 JSB974 Cyber-crime  
 JSB975 Independent Study  
 JSB981 Seminal Texts in Justice  
 JSB982 Transnational Crime  
 JSB983 White Collar Crime

**Justice Electives (Semester 2)**

- JSB976 Independent Study  
 JSB977 Organised Crime and Terrorism  
 JSB978 Just War: Theory and Ethics  
 JSB979 Forensic Scientific Evidence  
 JSB972 Life Course Criminology  
 JSB980 Professional Placement  
 JSB984 Sex Offences  
 JSB985 Political Violence and Terrorism  
 JSB986 Death Investigation

**Psychology Secondary Major (Internal Only)**

- PYB100 Foundation Psychology  
 PYB007 Interpersonal Processes and Skills  
 PYB159 Alcohol & Other Drug Studies  
 PYB202 Social and Organisational Psychology  
 PYB203 Developmental Psychology  
 PYB306 Psychopathology

**Information Technology Secondary Major (Internal Only)**

- ITB360 Corporate Systems  
 ITB002 IT Professional Studies  
 ITB361 Socio-technical Systems  
 ITB362 Organisational Databases  
 ITB363 Project Management Practice  
 ITB364 Information Systems Development

**Law Secondary Major**

LWB138	Fundamentals of Torts
LWB136	Contracts A
LWB143	Legal Research and Writing
LWB144	Laws and Global Perspectives
LWB238	Fundamentals of Criminal Law
LWB239	Criminal Responsibility

**Potential Careers:**

Administrator, Adult/Workplace Educator, Community Corrections Officer, Community Worker, Corrective Services Officer, Customs Officer, Family Services Officer, Government Officer, Human Resource Developer, Human Services Practitioner, Information Officer, Information Security Specialist, Investigator, Manager, Police Officer (Australian Federal), Police Officer (State), Policy Officer, Public Servant, Risk Manager, Social Scientist, Sociologist, Youth Worker.

## Bachelor of Justice (Honours) (JS40)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** 020313F

**Course duration (full-time):** 1 Year

**Course duration (part-time):** 2 Years

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** Commonwealth Supported Place; Full fee tuition 2008: \$135 per credit point (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: Full fee tuition \$12,960; CSP \$5,090

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$9,552 per semester (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic Entry:** February

**International Entry:** February

**Total credit points:** 96

**Standard credit points per full-time semester:** 48

**Standard credit points per part-time semester:** 24

**Course coordinator:** Associate Prof. Geoff Dean

**Campus:** Gardens Point

### Overview

As an extension of the undergraduate Bachelor of Justice, the Bachelor of Justice (Honours) provides an opportunity to undertake a major piece of sustained research under the supervision of a staff member, read advanced texts in justice theory, engage in small seminar discussions at an advanced level and to write advanced level essays and reports in justice related fields.

The program also offers an outstanding qualification for entry to the employment market and for promotional opportunities for those already employed, as it is demonstrated evidence of an ability to undertake major projects, to work independently, write advanced level reports and to analyse statistical data.

### Entry Requirements

A Bachelor of Justice three-year degree or equivalent, having attained a grade point average of at least 5 on a 7-point scale in the final year of study and completion of the JSB273 Crime Research Methods (or equivalent) OR JSB976 Independent Study which are offered in the Bachelor of Justice undergraduate program, other qualifications, including work experience or involvement in research that is deemed appropriate by the Course Coordinator. Normally students would apply for admission to the Honours program at the end of the final year of the students pass degree.

### Course Structure

The Bachelor of Justice (Honours) is a 96 credit-point course. Students complete four (4) prescribed units (48 credit points) and a dissertation (48 credit points). The dissertation calls for students to design, develop and implement a substantial research project. Students can pursue original lines of thought, formulate and test hypotheses, develop problem-solving strategies and make decisions. Students are expected to demonstrate high ethical standards, awareness of sociocultural and equity issues, and professional accountability. Students should contact the Honours Coordinator to discuss thesis and

supervisor.

### Articulation

The Bachelor of Justice (Honours) is excellent preparation for entry to higher degree programs ie. Master of Justice (Intelligence or Policing), Master of Justice (Advanced), Master of Justice (Research) or PhD.

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### Full-time Course structure

#### Year 1, Semester 1

JSN101	Justice and Human Rights
JSN102	Applied Data Analysis for Criminology and Criminal Justice
JSB415	Advanced Research Management
	Plus:
	One approved Research discipline unit ( See Justice Elective List)

#### Year 1, Semester 2

JSB414-1	Thesis 1
JSB414-2	Thesis 2
JSB414-3	Thesis 3
JSB414-4	Thesis 4

#### Semester 1 Electives

JSN103	Criminal Behaviour and Investigation
JSN107	Security and Politics in South East Asia
JSN109	Intelligence Practice 1
JSB273	Crime Research Methods
	*JSB273 must be selected if undergraduate research methods unit not previously completed.

#### Semester 2 Electives

JSN105	White Collar Crime
JSN106	Analytical Methods of Intelligence
JSN108	National Security and Intelligence

### Potential Careers:

Administrator, Community Corrections Officer, Community Worker, Corrective Services Officer, Counsellor, Customs Officer, Diplomat, Educator, Government Officer, Human Resource Developer, Investigator, Manager, Police Officer (Australian Federal), Police Officer (State), Policy Officer, Project Manager, Public Relations Officer/Consultant, Public Servant, Rehabilitation Professionals, Social Scientist, Sociologist, Youth Worker.

**Master of Justice (Intelligence) (JS51)****Year offered:** 2008**Admissions:** Yes**Course duration (part-time):** 2 years**Course duration (external):** 2 years**Domestic fees (per credit point):** 2008: \$135 per credit point (*subject to annual review*)**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: \$12,960**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$9,600 per semester (*subject to annual review*)**Domestic Entry:** February and July**International Entry:** February and July**Course coordinator:** Associate Prof. Geoff Dean**Discipline coordinator:** Dr Nic Chantler**Campus:** External**Overview**

The Master of Justice (Intelligence) by coursework provides advanced postgraduate education in intelligence and policing. This course extends the scope of areas presented in the Graduate Certificate program to provide a complete foundation for intelligence professionals with careers in defence, policing, government and corporate organisations.

**Entry Requirements**

Entry criteria for the Master of Justice (Intelligence):

- Bachelor of Justice or equivalent with Honours and a GPA of at least 5 on a 7 point scale or;
- an approved 4 year undergraduate degree in an appropriate field or;
- an appropriate Graduate Certificate with a GPA of 5 or above or;
- approved equivalent professional experience.

**Course Requirements**

The Master of Justice (Intelligence) consists of eight (8) units totalling 96 credit points. Students must complete two (2) core generic units, four (4) units in a specialisation plus two (2) elective units.

**Articulation to Master of Justice (Advanced)**

Students who have successfully completed the Master of Justice (Intelligence or Policing) totalling 96 credit points with a GPA of 5.5 or above will be eligible for the Master of Justice (Advanced). Students cannot enrol directly into the JS53 Master of Justice (Advanced) program unless demonstrating equivalent Masters level standing from an approved institution.

**Course structure****Year 1 Semester 1**

JSN101 Justice and Human Rights

JSN109 Intelligence Practice 1

**Year 1 Semester 2**

JSN110 Intelligence Practice 2

JSN108 National Security and Intelligence

**Year 2 Semester 1**

JSN102 Applied Data Analysis Techniques for Criminology &amp; Criminal Justice

JSN116 Independent Study

or

JSN107 Security and Politics in South East Asia

or

JSN114 Cybercrime

or

an Elective Unit as approved by the Course Coordinator

**Year 2 Semester 2**

JSN106 Analytical Methods of Intelligence

JSN117 Independent Study

or

JSN111 Terrorism and Political Violence

or

JSN104 Transnational and Organised Crime

or

JSN115 Just War Theory

or an Elective unit approved by the Course Coordinator

**Potential Careers:**

Customs Officer, Government Officer, Information Officer, Investigator, Police Officer (Australian Federal), Police Officer (State).

**Master of Justice (Policing) (JS51)****Year offered:** 2008**Admissions:** Yes**Course duration (full-time):** Course is not available as Full time study**Course duration (part-time):** 2 Years**Course duration (external):** 2 Years**Domestic fees (per credit point):** 2008: \$135 per credit point (*subject to annual review*)**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: \$12,960**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$9,600 per semester (*subject to annual review*)**Domestic Entry:** February and July**International Entry:** February and July**Course coordinator:** Associate Prof. Geoff Dean**Discipline coordinator:** Dr Colin Thorne**Campus:** External**Overview**

The Master of Justice (Policing) by coursework will enable you to explore specific aspects of global and local criminal behaviour and to address selected strategies or to develop strategies for addressing some of the issues canvassed. The areas of criminal behaviour covered in this course are highly relevant to contemporary society and globalisation. you will have the flexibility to undertake areas of study specifically pertinent to your professional focus through independent study.

**Entry Requirements**

Entry criteria for the Master of Justice (Policing):

- Bachelor of Justice or equivalent with Honours and a GPA or at least 5 on a 7 point scale or;
- an approved 4 year undergraduate degree in an appropriate field or;
- an appropriate Graduate Certificate with a GPA or 5 or above or;
- approved equivalent professional experience.

Students may be eligible for academic credit for previous studies in relevant languages, information technology or geopolitical sciences (up to 24 credit points).

**Course Requirements**

The Master of Justice (Policing) consists of eight (8) units totalling 96 credit points. Students must complete:

- Two (2) generic core units (24 credit points);
- Four (4) specialist policing units plus (48 credit points);
- Two (2) elective units (24 credit points).

**Articulation to Master of Justice (Advanced)**

Students who have successfully completed the Master of Justice (Intelligence or Policing) totalling 96 credit points with a GPA 5.5 will be eligible for the Master of Justice (Advanced). Students cannot enrol directly into the JS53 Master of Justice (Advanced) unless demonstrating equivalent Masters level standing from an approved institution.

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**Course structure****Year 1 Semester 1**

JSN101	Justice and Human Rights
JSN103	Criminal Behaviour and Investigation

**Year 1 Semester 2**

JSN104	Transnational and Organised Crime
JSN105	White Collar Crime: Investigation and Prevention

**Year 2 Semester 1**

JSN102	Applied Data Analysis Techniques for Criminology & Criminal Justice
JSN116	Independent Study
	or
JSN107	Security and Politics in South East Asia
	or
JSN113	Theories of Crime
	or
JSN114	Cybercrime
	or an Elective unit approved by the Course Coordinator

**Year 2 Semester 2**

JSN111	Terrorism and Political Violence
JSN117	Independent Study
	or
JSN106	Analytical Methods of Intelligence
	or
JSN112	Crime Prevention
	or
JSN108	National Security and Intelligence
	or an Elective unit approved by the Course Coordinator

## Master of Justice (Research) (JS52)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** 020310J

**Course duration (full-time):** 1 Year

**Course duration (part-time):** 2 Years

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** RTS/RTA; 2008 \$135 per credit point (exceed max. entitlements) (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: \$12,960 (exceeded max. entitlements)

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$9,600 per semester (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic Entry:** At any time

**International Entry:** At any time

**Total credit points:** 96

**Course coordinator:** Associate Prof. Geoff Dean

**Campus:** Gardens Point

### Entry requirements

The following persons shall be eligible to apply for admission as a student for the degree:

1 A person who has completed the requirements for the degree of Bachelor of Justice (Honours) of QUT, or

3 A person who has completed a qualification that is deemed equivalent and possesses appropriate research skills or substantial professional experience in the proposed field of research as deemed appropriate by the Course Coordinator, or

4 A person who has professional publications, etc that the Course Coordinator and the Faculty Research Committee accept as proof of a students advanced knowledge and research ability in the proposed field of research.

### Overview

You can pursue advanced postgraduate research in law enforcement, justice administration, security and intelligence, and corrections and the community. You will develop your research and analytical skills, thus advancing your career possibilities.

### Course Structure

The content value of the course is set at 96 credit points. Students will undertake applied research on an approved topic, which involves both an appropriate theoretical perspective and a specific orientation to professional practice and application. The thesis that students submit for their degree should be not less than 50,000 words and should constitute a substantial contribution to knowledge and understanding in criminology, law enforcement, intelligence and security, corrections and the community, or legal and justice policy.

### Further Information

School of Justice Studies

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### Course structure

#### Full-time Students

IFN100 Full-Time Masters Research

#### Full-time Students extension

IFN101 Full-Time Masters Research (Extension)

#### Part-time Students

IFN200 Part-Time Masters Research

#### Part-time Students extension

IFN201 Part-Time Masters Research (Extension)

### Potential Careers:

Academic, Barrister, Child Protection Officer, Community Corrections Officer, Crown Law Officer, Family Services Officer, In-House Lawyer, Police Officer (Australian Federal), Police Officer (State), Solicitor.

## Master of Justice (Advanced) Intelligence/Policing (JS53)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**Course duration (part-time):** 2 years part time

**Course duration (external):** 2 years external/part time

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** 2008: \$135 per credit point (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: \$12,960

**Domestic Entry:** February and July

**International Entry:** February and July

**Course coordinator:** Associate Prof. Geoff Dean

**Discipline coordinator:** Dr Nic Chantler (Intelligence), Dr Colin Thorne (Policing)

**Campus:** External

### Overview

With a further year of part-time study students may complete an advanced research oriented Master of Justice (Advanced). Students may undertake work-based or supervisor supported projects which enhance research analysis skills and enable a particular topic to be studied in depth. Topics would be self-selected in consultation with the academic supervisor and, if relevant, the students employer.

### Entry Requirements

Students will only be eligible for the Master of Justice (Advanced) if they have received a GPA of 5.5 or above for 96 credit points of postgraduate level study.

### Articulation

Completion of the Master of Justice (Advanced) will enable articulation to PhD or Doctor of Juridical Science research degrees.

### Further Information

School of Justice

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### Course structure

#### Year 1 Semester 1

JSN120 Research Thesis

JSN121 Research Thesis

#### Year 1 Semester 2

JSN122 Research Thesis

JSN123 Research Thesis

### Potential Careers:

Customs Officer, Investigator, Police Officer (Australian Federal), Police Officer (State).

## Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice (LP41)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** 009034F

**Course duration (full-time):** Full-time mode - 24 weeks full-time

**Course duration (part-time):** Part-time (in-practice) mode 34 weeks

**Course duration (external):** Part-time (general) mode 38 weeks part-time

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** 2008: \$105 per credit point (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: \$8,820 (based on 7 units)

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$16,800 per 24 week teaching period (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic Entry:** January and June (F/T) January, March, July (P/T)

**International Entry:** January and June

**Total credit points:** 96

**Course coordinator:** Dr Allan Chay, Director Legal Practice

**Campus:** Gardens Point

### Further Information

Legal Practice Unit Phone +61 7 3138 2211 Fax +61 7 3138 1520 e-mail: ea.clark@qut.edu.au

### Overview

The course provides you with the knowledge, understanding, skills, values and attitudes that you will need to become a competent entry-level legal practitioner.

### Entry requirements

An approved degree in law; that is, a degree that satisfies Queensland admission requirements for legal practitioners. Students with on Bachelor of Law unit left to complete may also apply. The Course is offered in 3 modes: full-time; part-time (general); part-time (in practice)- available to persons who are working in approved laws firms or government legal offices;

### Professional Recognition

This diploma satisfies the practical training requirements for admission as a legal practitioner in Queensland

### Course structure - Full-Time

#### Semester 1

LPP113	Civil Litigation
LPP114	Commercial
LPP115	Property
LPP116	Electives
LPP117	Interaction
LPP118	Placement

#### Summer (January entry students)

LPP112	Work Skills
LPP111	Lawyers' Skills

#### Semester 2 (July entry students)

LPP111	Lawyers' Skills
LPP112	Work Skills
LPP113	Civil Litigation
LPP114	Commercial
LPP115	Property
LPP116	Electives
LPP117	Interaction

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LPP118	Placement
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### Course structure-Part-time (in-practice)

#### 6TP1 (January entry students)

LPP111	Lawyers' Skills
LPP112	Work Skills

#### 6TP2

LPP113	Civil Litigation
LPP115	Property

#### 6TP4

LPP114	Commercial
LPP116	Electives

#### 6TP2 (March entry students)

LPP111	Lawyers' Skills
LPP112	Work Skills

#### 6TP3

LPP113	Civil Litigation
LPP115	Property

#### 6TP5

LPP114	Commercial
LPP116	Electives

#### 6TP4 (July entry students)

LPP111	Lawyers' Skills
LPP112	Work Skills

#### 6TP5

LPP114	Commercial
LPP116	Electives

#### 6TP1 (Next yes)

LPP113	Civil Litigation
LPP115	Property

### Course structure Part-Time (general)



**6TP1 (January entry students)**

- LPP111 Lawyers' Skills
- LPP112 Work Skills

**6TP2**

- LPP113 Civil Litigation
- LPP115 Property
- LPP117 Interaction

**6TP4**

- LPP111 Lawyers' Skills
- LPP112 Work Skills
- LPP114 Commercial
- LPP116 Electives

**6TP6**

- LPP118 Placement

**6TP2 (March entry students)**

- LPP111 Lawyers' Skills
- LPP112 Work Skills

**6TP3**

- LPP113 Civil Litigation
- LPP115 Property
- LPP117 Interaction

**6TP5**

- LPP114 Commercial
- LPP116 Electives

**6TP1 (next year)**

- LPP118 Placement

**6TP4 (July entry students)**

- LPP111 Lawyers' Skills
- LPP112 Work Skills

**6TP5**

- LPP114 Commercial
- LPP116 Electives

**6TP1 (next year)**

- LPP113 Civil Litigation
- LPP115 Property
- LPP117 Interaction

**6TP3 (next year)**

- LPP118 Placement

**Potential Careers:**

Barrister, Crown Law Officer, In-House Lawyer, Solicitor.

## Bachelor of Laws (LW33)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** 003486D

**Course duration (full-time):** 4 Years

**Course duration (part-time):** 6 Years

**Course duration (external):** 6 Years

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** Commonwealth Supported Place; Full fee tuition 2008: \$135 per credit point (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: Full fee tuition \$12,960; CSP \$8,492

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$9,552 per semester (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic Entry:** February and July

**International Entry:** February and July

**QTAC code:** 417601 internal; 417605 external.

**Past rank cut-off:** 90

**Past OP cut-off:** 6

**Assumed knowledge:** English (4, SA)

**Preparatory studies:** ENGLISH: Successful completion of a year of full-time vocational or tertiary study. For further information contact 07 3138 2000 or email [study@qut.com](mailto:study@qut.com)

**Total credit points:** 384

**Standard credit points per full-time semester:** 48

**Course coordinator:** Director, Undergraduate Programs  
Phone: 3138 2707

**Campus:** Gardens Point and External

### OP Guarantee

The OP Guarantee does not apply to this program.

### Distance Education (External) Special Entry Requirements

Entry to the distance education (external) mode of the course is restricted to students who reside in Australia outside the Brisbane City Council boundaries.

Students who reside within the Brisbane City Council may be considered under exceptional circumstances. A covering letter outlining your exceptional circumstances claim with supporting documentation must accompany your admission application form.

### Other Course Requirements

It is a requirement that distance education students participate in two three-day attendance schools per year in addition to the orientation attendance school for commencing students only. The attendance schools are an integral component of the distance education course and are compulsory. When undertaking the course via distance education, it is the students responsibility to ensure they have access to a suitable law library.

### Graduate Entry

A graduate of any non-Law degree completed within the last 10 years is eligible for the **Graduate Entry accelerated program** which is normally completed in three years full-time or five years part-time/external.

Applicants with degrees (or equivalent) completed more

than 10 years ago must provide evidence of graduate work experience and/or further studies since course completion with their QTAC application to receive further consideration.

QTAC students are not required to submit an Application for Academic Credit as this will be automatically awarded by QUT Admissions after offer and prior to the start of classes.

### Mid-Year Entry

Mid-year full-time entry students should note that there are two compulsory units in the summer semester. Students can alter this structure but should consult with the Law School prior to doing so.

### Professional Recognition

The QUT Bachelor of Laws course is an approved degree for the purposes of the Legal Practitioners Admission Rules. Accordingly, it enables graduates to satisfy the academic requirements for admission to practise as a solicitor and/or barrister in all Australian states and territories. The QUT LLB degree qualification is also recognised for admission purposes in West and East Malaysia, Fiji and Papua New Guinea.

### Deferment

QUT allows current Year 12 school leavers to defer their undergraduate admission offer for one year, or for six months if offered mid-year admission, except in courses using specific admission requirements such as a questionnaire, portfolio, audition, prior study and/or work experience.

Non-year 12 students may also request to defer their QTAC offer on the basis of demonstrated special circumstances.

Find out more on deferment.

### Course structure - Full-time Program

#### Year 1 Semester 1

	Introduction to Legal Research
LWB136	Contracts A
LWB138	Fundamentals of Torts
LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method
LWB142	Law, Society and Justice

#### Year 1 Semester 2

LWB137	Contracts B
LWB139	Select Issues in Torts
LWB143	Legal Research and Writing
LWB144	Laws and Global Perspectives

#### Year 2 Semester 1

LWB231	Introduction to Public Law
LWB236	Real Property A
LWB238	Fundamentals of Criminal Law
LWB240	Principles of Equity

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## Year 2 Semester 2

LWB235	Australian Federal Constitutional Law
LWB237	Real Property B
LWB239	Criminal Responsibility
LWB241	Trusts

## Year 3 Semester 1

LWB332	Commercial and Personal Property Law
LWB333	Theories of Law Elective Units

## Year 3 Semester 2

LWB331	Administrative Law
LWB334	Corporate Law Elective Units

## Year 4 Semester 1

LWB431	Civil Procedure
LWB432	Evidence
LWB434	Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning Elective Units

## Year 4 Semester 2

LWB433	Professional Responsibility Elective Units
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## Course structure - Part-time/External Program

### Year 1, Semester 1

	Introduction to Legal Research
LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method
LWB142	Law, Society and Justice

### Year 1, Semester 2

LWB143	Legal Research and Writing
LWB144	Laws and Global Perspectives

### Year 2, Semester 1

LWB136	Contracts A
LWB138	Fundamentals of Torts

### Year 2, Semester 2

LWB137	Contracts B
LWB139	Select Issues in Torts

### Year 3, Semester 1

LWB231	Introduction to Public Law
LWB236	Real Property A
LWB240	Principles of Equity

### Year 3, Semester 2

LWB235	Australian Federal Constitutional Law
LWB237	Real Property B

LWB241	Trusts
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## Year 4, Semester 1

LWB238	Fundamentals of Criminal Law
LWB333	Theories of Law Elective Units

## Year 4, Semester 2

LWB239	Criminal Responsibility
LWB331	Administrative Law Elective Units

## Year 5, Semester 1

LWB332	Commercial and Personal Property Law Elective Units
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## Year 5, Semester 2

LWB334	Corporate Law Elective Units
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## Year 6, Semester 1

LWB431	Civil Procedure
LWB434	Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning Electives Units

## Year 6, Semester 2

LWB432	Evidence
LWB433	Professional Responsibility Elective Units

## Course structure - Special Accelerated Full-time Program

### Year 1, Semester 1

	Introduction to Legal Research
LWB136	Contracts A
LWB138	Fundamentals of Torts
LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method
LWB142	Law, Society and Justice

### Year 1, Semester 2

LWB137	Contracts B
LWB139	Select Issues in Torts
LWB143	Legal Research and Writing
LWB144	Laws and Global Perspectives

### Year 2, Semester 1

LWB231	Introduction to Public Law
LWB236	Real Property A
LWB238	Fundamentals of Criminal Law
LWB240	Principles of Equity
LWB333	Theories of Law

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## Year 2, Semester 2

LWB235	Australian Federal Constitutional Law
LWB237	Real Property B
LWB239	Criminal Responsibility
LWB241	Trusts
LWB334	Corporate Law

## Year 3, Semester 1

LWB332	Commercial and Personal Property Law
LWB431	Civil Procedure
LWB432	Evidence
LWB434	Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning Elective Units

## Year 3, Semester 2

LWB331	Administrative Law
LWB433	Professional Responsibility Elective Units

## Course structure - Special Accelerated Part-Time/External Program

### Year 1, Semester 1

	Introduction to Legal Research
LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method
LWB142	Law, Society and Justice

### Year 1, Semester 2

LWB143	Legal Research and Writing
LWB144	Laws and Global Perspectives

### Year 2, Semester 1

LWB136	Contracts A
LWB138	Fundamentals of Torts
LWB238	Fundamentals of Criminal Law

### Year 2, Semester 2

LWB137	Contracts B
LWB139	Select Issues in Torts
LWB239	Criminal Responsibility

### Year 3, Semester 1

LWB231	Introduction to Public Law
LWB236	Real Property A
LWB240	Principles of Equity

### Year 3, Semester 2

LWB235	Australian Federal Constitutional Law
LWB237	Real Property B
LWB241	Trusts

### Year 4, Semester 1

LWB332	Commercial and Personal Property Law
LWB333	Theories of Law Electives

### Year 4, Semester 2

LWB331	Administrative Law
LWB334	Corporate Law Elective Units

### Year 5, Semester 1

LWB431	Civil Procedure
LWB434	Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning Elective Units

### Year 5, Semester 2

LWB432	Evidence
LWB433	Professional Responsibility Elective Units

## Potential Careers:

Academic, Barrister, Crown Law Officer, Government Officer, In-House Lawyer, Policy Officer, Public Servant, Solicitor.

## Bachelor of Justice/Bachelor of Laws (LW42)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** 018380B

**Course duration (full-time):** 5 years

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** Commonwealth supported place; Full fee tuition 2008: \$135 per credit point (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: Full fee tuition \$12,960; CSP \$6,887

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$9,552 per semester (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic Entry:** February

**International Entry:** February

**QTAC code:** 417902

**Past rank cut-off:** 90

**Past OP cut-off:** 6

**Assumed knowledge:** English (4, SA)

**Preparatory studies:** ENGLISH: Successful completion of a year of full-time vocational or tertiary study. For further information contact 07 3138 2000 or email [study@qut.com](mailto:study@qut.com)

**Total credit points:** 528

**Standard credit points per full-time semester:** 54

**Course coordinator:** Professor Rod Broadhurst (Justice), Dr. William Dixon Director - Undergraduate Programs (Law)

**Campus:** Gardens Point

### OP Guarantee

The OP Guarantee does not apply to this program.

### Campus change

From 2007, the Bachelor of Justice component will also be taught at the Gardens Point campus.

### Professional Recognition

The QUT Bachelor of Laws course is an approved degree for the purposes of the Solicitors' Admission Rules and Barristers' Admission Rules. Accordingly, it enables graduates to satisfy the academic requirements for admission to practice as a solicitor and/or barrister in all Australian states and territories. The QUT LLB degree qualification is also recognised for admission purposes in West and East Malaysia, Fiji and Papua New Guinea.

### Course Overview

Students study a combination of Justice and Law units in the first three years of the course, whilst the final two years are devoted to the study of Law units only. In the Bachelor of Justice component of the course, students are required to select a major (6 units) from one of the following fields: Criminology & Policing

### For Further Information Contact

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### Deferment

QUT allows current Year 12 school leavers to defer their undergraduate admission offer for one year, or for six months if offered mid-year admission, except in courses using specific admission requirements such as questionnaires, folios, auditions, prior study or work experience.

Non-year 12 students may also request to defer their QTAC offer on the basis of demonstrated special circumstances.

Find out more on deferment.

### Course structure

#### Year 1 Semester 1

JSB171	Justice and Society
JSB172	Introduction To Crime Research Introduction to Legal Research
LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method
LWB142	Law, Society and Justice

#### Year 1 Semester 2

JSB173	Understanding the Criminal Justice System
JSB174	Forensic Psychology and the Law
JSB175	Social Ethics and the Justice System
LWB143	Legal Research and Writing
LWB144	Laws and Global Perspectives

#### Year 2 Semester 1

LWB136	Contracts A Select three units (36 cps) from
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#### Criminology Major

JSB273	Crime Research Methods
JSB272	Theories of Crime Secondary Major/Justice Elective unit OR

#### Policing Major

JSB273	Crime Research Methods
JSB274	Policing in Context Secondary Major/Justice Elective unit

#### Year 2 Semester 2

LWB137	null
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#### For both Criminology & Policing Major

JSB271	Policy Governance and Justice Secondary /Justice Elective unit Secondary /Justice Elective unit Secondary /Justice Elective unit
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#### Year 3 Semester 1

LWB138	Fundamentals of Torts
JSB371	Indigenous Justice

**Criminology Major**

JSB373 Crime and Punishment  
Secondary Major /Justice Elective unit

Officer, Customs Officer, Family Services Officer, Government Officer, In-House Lawyer, Information Officer, Investigator, Manager, Police Officer (Australian Federal), Police Officer (State), Policy Officer, Public Servant, Rehabilitation Professionals, Social Scientist, Solicitor.

**Policing Major**

JSB375 Investigative Knowledge: Expert Systems in Policing  
Secondary Major /Justice Elective unit

**Year 3 Semester 2**

LWB139 Select Issues in Torts  
Select Three units (36 cps) from

**Criminology Major**

JSB372 Youth Justice  
JSB374 Crime Prevention  
Secondary Major /Justice Elective unit OR

**Policing Major**

JSB377 Intelligence and Security  
JSB376 Information Management and Analysis  
Secondary Major /Justice Elective unit

**Year 4 Semester 1**

LWB231 Introduction to Public Law  
LWB236 Real Property A  
LWB238 Fundamentals of Criminal Law  
LWB240 Principles of Equity  
LWB333 Theories of Law

**Year 4 Semester 2**

LWB235 Australian Federal Constitutional Law  
LWB237 Real Property B  
LWB239 Criminal Responsibility  
LWB241 Trusts  
LWB334 Corporate Law

**Year 5 Semester 1**

LWB332 Commercial and Personal Property Law  
LWB431 Civil Procedure  
LWB432 Evidence  
LWB434 Advanced Research and Legal Reasoning  
Law Elective unit

**Year 5 Semester 2**

LWB331 Administrative Law  
LWB433 Professional Responsibility  
Law Elective Unit

**Potential Careers:**

Administrator, Barrister, Community Corrections Officer, Community Worker, Corrective Services Officer, Crown Law

## Doctor of Juridical Science (LW50)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** 012652J

**Course duration (full-time):** 2 Years (minimum)

**Course duration (part-time):** 4 Years (minimum)

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** RTS/RTA: 2008 Full fee tuition \$135 per credit point (exceeded max. entitlement) *(subject to annual review)*

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: \$12,960 (exceeded max. entitlement)

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$10,608 per semester *(subject to annual review)*

**Domestic Entry:** At any time

**International Entry:** At any time

**Total credit points:** 192

**Standard credit points per full-time semester:** 48

**Standard credit points per part-time semester:** 24

**Course coordinator:** Assistant Dean, Research

**Campus:** Gardens Point

### Award

The SJD will be awarded subject to the Faculty of Law Academic Board receiving:

(i) a certificate of satisfactory completion of the candidate's approved course of study signed by the Principal Supervisor and the Assistant Dean, Research;

(ii) a declaration signed by the candidate that he/she has not been a candidate for another tertiary award during the tenure of his/her SJD candidature;

(iii) a declaration signed by the candidate stating original authorship of a thesis;

(iv) a certificate signed by the Principal Supervisor, and Assistant Dean, Research stating that the candidate has satisfactorily completed the examination process, including completing any revisions or re-examination required by the external examiners; and

(v) two final copies of the thesis in the prescribed format.

For the purposes of these Rules the Assistant Dean, Research acts as the delegate of the Dean, Faculty of Law and Faculty of Law Research Committee acts as the delegate of the Law Academic Board.

### 1. Entry Requirements

1.1 The Faculty of Law Research Committee may admit to candidature an applicant who:

(i) holds or has completed the requirements of the degree of (a) Master of Laws by Coursework or (b) Master of Justice by Coursework with a grade point average of at least 5.0 on a 7 point scale at the Queensland University of Technology or its equivalent from another institution which, in the opinion of the Assistant Dean, Research maintains standards comparable with those required for the award of the degree of Master of Laws and Master of Justice by Coursework respectively at the Queensland University of Technology;

and, an applicant must also satisfy the following:

(ii) have a minimum of two years professional experience appropriate to the proposed course of study;

(iii) demonstrate a level of research experience and potential which is deemed acceptable to the Assistant Dean, Research, for example, by the publication of articles in refereed research journals; and

(iv) demonstrate a sufficient command of the English language to complete the proposed course of study in that language.

### Overview

As an experienced legal professional, you will follow a program of applied research that relates directly to your professional and educational needs.

### Course Structure

The value of the course is set at 192 credit points, a dissertation of 50,000-60,000 words. Students must complete or have completed LWN048 Advanced Legal Research (or equivalent) as a requirement of this course.

### Further Information

Senior Administration Officer (Research)

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e-mail: law.research@qut.edu.au

### 2. Application Procedure

2.1 An application for admission shall be made on the prescribed form (PR/FR Form) which shall involve a two-stage process.

2.2 Stage 1 of the application process must include:

\* the completion of the PR Form for admission (if the applicant holds citizenship or permanent residency in Australia or New Zealand);

\* the completion of the FR Form for admission (if the applicant is an international candidate);

\* a certified copy of the results of the degree relied upon for admission;

\* personal data;

\* details of relevant research experience. (In the case of a candidate relying upon a Master of Laws by Coursework for admission, this criterion may be satisfied if the student demonstrates that they have completed the unit Advanced Legal Research at a grade of 5 or above at the Queensland University of Technology or some equivalent unit from a comparable institution during the course of their masters studies or can demonstrate other relevant research experience, eg by publication. In the case of a candidate relying upon a Master of Arts (Justice Studies) for admission, the candidate shall demonstrate that she or he has undertaken either a unit in that course or as part of the requirements for the completion of a Bachelor of Justice Studies (Honours) a unit in the area of research methodology at a grade of 5 or above or some equivalent unit from a comparable institution during the course of Masters studies or can demonstrate relevant research experience, eg by publication). Where an applicant cannot satisfy this criteria by way of completion of an advanced research unit or publications as set out above, the applicant will be required to undertake the unit Advanced Legal Research or Advanced Information Retrieval Skills or an

equivalent unit from a comparable institution during their candidature; and

- \* a brief outline (200-300 words) of the project to be undertaken;
- \* details of relevant professional experience and
- \* any other information the candidate considers relevant in support of the application.

2.3 Where a candidate's qualification for admission is other than a Master of Laws from the Queensland University of Technology, or an equivalent degree, the candidate must undertake research in a field of criminology or other area of Justice Studies approved by the Assistant Dean (Research).

2.4 The application is to be approved by the Faculty Research Committee which will determine whether the applicant meets the criteria for admission or, if deficiencies exist, identify them and how they might be remedied.

2.5 Candidature shall be deemed to have commenced on the date of admission being the date stipulated in the Confirmation of Enrolment.

2.6 Within two months of commencement for full-time students (up to four months for part-time and international candidates) and after consultation with appointed supervisors, the candidate must complete and submit the Stage 2 application form (SJD2) setting out:

- \* the proposed title of the thesis;
- \* the objectives of the program of research and investigation;
- \* an outline of the proposed research;
- \* the research methods and plan;
- \* the relationship of the study to previous work in the same field by the candidate and others;
- \* a preliminary literature review;
- \* a substantial bibliography;
- \* a timeline for the completion of the research;
- \* a research ethics review checklist;
- \* the names of proposed supervisors, their qualifications and experience with relevant publications; and
- \* an Intellectual Property Agreement (if required).

2.7 The second stage application must be submitted to the Assistant Dean, Research for approval by the Faculty Research Committee.

2.8 If the Stage 2 application is not submitted within the time specified, the Assistant Dean, Research may, on the advice of the Faculty Research Committee and the Principal Supervisor, terminate the candidature. In exceptional cases, upon a written request stating reasons for delay, an extension of up to a further one month for full-time candidates or two months for part-time candidates may be granted to meet the requirements of Stage 2.

2.9 The Faculty Research Committee shall, as part of the approval of the Stage 2 process, confirm:

- \* the proposed topic of research is consistent with the aims of the School; and
- \* the Head of School is willing and able to provide appropriate accommodation, facilities and financial resources necessary for the proposed study for the duration

of candidature.

2.10 Upon approval by the Faculty Research Committee of the Stage 2 Application the applicant will be admitted to candidature and the appointment of the supervisors shall be confirmed.

### **3. Studies During Candidature**

A candidate for the degree of SJD is required to successfully complete a planned research program that should result in a notable contribution to professional knowledge and practice in the field of study. This contribution may be in the form of new knowledge in practice, or of significant and original adaptation, application and interpretation of existing knowledge and practice.

3.1 The candidate will pursue a thesis in accordance with Rule 9.

3.2 The planned research program will normally include

- \* participation in university scholarly activity such as research seminars, teaching and publication;
- \* regular interaction with supervisors; and
- \* a program of supervised research and investigation.

3.3 The course of study must be such to enable a candidate to acquire competence in relevant methods of research and scholarship relating to the subject of the proposed investigation and to demonstrate sustained independent research effort.

3.4 The Faculty of Law Research Committee may on the recommendation of the Assistant Dean (Research) approve a variation in the candidate's course of study and research, an application for variation must be supported in writing by the Principal Supervisor.

### **4. Articulation**

4.1 The Doctor of Juridical Science will fully articulate with the Master of Laws (Research) and Master of Arts (Justice Studies) by Research.

### **5. Period of Time for Completion of Program**

5.1 The minimum period of candidature is:

- \* Full-time candidates \_ twenty-four months from date of commencement;
- \* Part-time candidates \_ forty-eight months from date of commencement;

In exceptional cases the Law Faculty Research Committee may approve submission of the thesis within a shorter period.

5.2 The maximum period of candidature is:

- \* Full-time candidates \_ forty-eight months from date of commencement;
- \* Part-time candidates \_ ninety-six months from date of commencement;

5.3 The candidate may change from full-time to part-time candidature or vice versa by making application on a prescribed form to the Faculty Research Committee through the office of the Assistant Dean, Research. International



students studying on student visas are unable to alter their mode of study from full-time to part-time unless they are in their final semester of study.

5.4 A candidate who does not expect to submit his/her thesis by the maximum candidature date must apply for an extension of time on the prescribed form through the Assistant Dean, Research for consideration by the Faculty Research Committee. The application must include the reasons for the delay, written endorsement of the request for extension by the Principal Supervisor and a revised timeline for completion. Applications for extensions will not normally be considered by the Faculty Research Committee unless the reasons for the delays have been documented in previous progress/supervisor reports. Extensions will only be given in exceptional circumstances. Minor breakdown of computer equipment or absence of a Principal Supervisor are not usually considered exceptional.

## **6. Leave of Absence**

6.1 Application must be made on the prescribed form through the Assistant Dean, Research and approved by the Faculty Research Committee. The application must include reasons for the leave of absence, the written endorsement of the Principal Supervisor and the exact start and finish dates of the period of leave. If the leave is approved, the duration of the specified time will be added to the maximum and minimum submission dates of the candidature. International students studying on student visas are not normally permitted to take leave of absence unless there are exceptional circumstances, eg bereavement. International students should consult the Assistant Dean, Research and Office of International Students if a period of leave is required.

6.2 The maximum period of leave of absence for which a candidate may be given approval (for any reasons) is twelve months for a full-time candidate and twenty-four months for a part-time candidate.

## **7. Supervision**

7.1 Supervision shall be conducted according to the QUT Code of Good Practice for Postgraduate Research Studies and Supervision (MOPP Appendix 9).

7.2 A Principal Supervisor from QUT and one Associate Supervisor shall be appointed.

7.3 The Principal Supervisor has responsibility for supervising a candidate on a frequent basis and must be a current member of the QUT staff or an emeritus professor of QUT still active in research. The Principal Supervisor shall normally have undertaken successful supervision of research degree candidates, and shall have an established research record in the area of the proposed project.

7.4 The Associate Supervisor may be a member of the QUT staff but must possess appropriate expertise in the research field and would normally be a person who has undertaken successful supervision of research degree candidates.

7.5 Where the Principal Supervisor is absent from QUT for a

period of three consecutive months or longer during the period of candidature, the Associate Supervisor (if that person is a QUT staff member) will normally become the Acting Principal Supervisor for this period.

7.6 If the Principal Supervisor leaves the staff of QUT, the QUT Associate Supervisor will normally fill the role of Acting Principal Supervisor immediately until a new Principal Supervisor is appointed by the Faculty Research Committee in consultation with the candidate. A formal appointment of a new Principal Supervisor must be made within three months of the original Principal Supervisor's departure.

## **8. Confirmation of Candidature**

8.1 Within six months of commencement for full-time candidates and twelve months for part-time candidates, the candidate shall present (in consultation with his/her supervisors) a plan of the research program for the remainder of the candidature and report of the work done to that tie. The confirmation report form shall incorporate a substantial literature review and shall provide evidence of the research capacity of the candidate including the rate of progress to date. The plan shall include details of:

- \* The area of study in which the candidate's course is located;
- \* The nature of participation in scholarly activities in the Centre in which the degree is being undertaken;
- \* The objectives of the program of research and its relationship to published research in the same field;
- \* Research methods followed and to be followed;
- \* The title of the thesis; and
- \* A timeline for completion of the research program.

8.2 The candidate shall present the confirmation report and details of the research program at a Confirmation Seminar open to the public.

8.3 A candidate who is not able to complete a Confirmation of Candidature within the timeframe required must apply for an extension at least one month in advance of that deadline through the Assistant Dean, Research to the Faculty Research Committee. A maximum of three months extension may be granted.

8.4 A Review Panel shall review the candidate's progress and planned research program and shall make recommendations to the Faculty Research Committee. These recommendations shall include:

- \* An appraisal of the candidate's progress and suitability for continuation of the program;
- \* Documents prepared by the candidate;
- \* A statement that the research program is of a standard required for an SJD;
- \* A statement of whether the studies continue to be within the aims and objectives and physical and human resources of the Centre; and
- \* A report on the candidate's seminar.

8.5 The Faculty Research Committee will, if satisfied:

- \* Confirm the candidature and notify the candidate; or
- \* May require changes to the planned research program; or
- \* If the recommendation is not to confirm the candidature immediately, place the candidate under review for three

months. At the end of the review period the Assistant Dean, Research must advise the Faculty Research Committee whether the conditions of review have been met.

8.6 Where a candidate is placed under review following the Confirmation Seminar, the Principal Supervisor must advise the candidate in writing within seven days of the conditions to be met, in the form of clear written guidelines of the work required and due dates for submission and whether a further Confirmation Seminar is required. The conditions must be endorsed by the candidate, the supervisor (supervisors), Director of the Centre and Assistant Dean, Research.

8.7 Where a candidate's progress remains unsatisfactory after the review period, the Faculty Research Committee, on advice from the Assistant Dean, Research shall either grant a further extension of the period of up to three months or may ask the candidate to show cause in writing why action should not be taken to terminate the candidature.

## **9. Reporting**

9.1 The Principal Supervisor and candidate are required to report annually by 30 September on the prescribed form on the candidate's progress and future plans. Reports shall be completed both by the candidate and the Principal Supervisor and submitted through the Law Faculty Research Committee to the Office of Research for consideration by the Research Degrees Committee. At its discretion, the Faculty Research Committee may request an additional six monthly report if it has concerns for the candidate's progress or feels that the candidate would benefit from such process.

9.2 Where a candidate's progress is deemed satisfactory, the Research Degrees Committee shall approve the continuation of the candidature.

9.3 Where the progress is deemed unsatisfactory, in the Confirmation of Candidature, six monthly report or other interim faculty report, the Research Degrees Committee, on advice from the Faculty Research Committee will normally place a candidate under review for a period of up to three months from the date that the candidate is advised in writing of the decision. The candidate will be advised of the required remedial action to be followed taking account of the advice provided by the Principal Supervisor and the Faculty Research Committee.

9.4 A report on the action taken to resolve the deficiencies in the program must be made to the Faculty Research Committee and the Research Degrees Committee may then approve continuation of candidature if these deficiencies have been redressed and progress is again satisfactory.

9.5 If progress is still unsatisfactory after the review period, the Research Degrees Committee, on the advice of the Faculty Research Committee shall ask the candidate to show cause in writing why the enrolment shall not be terminated.

9.6 When a candidate's progress has been reported as unsatisfactory in any two consecutive reports during

candidature, the Research Degrees Committee shall ask the candidate to show cause in writing why the enrolment of the candidate shall not be terminated.

9.7 If a candidate fails to submit an annual report through their Principal Supervisor to Research Degrees Committee by the due date without applying, in writing, for an extension on the prescribed form two weeks prior to the due date, the Research Degrees Committee may ask the candidate to show cause why the enrolment of the candidate should not be terminated.

9.8 If the candidate does not show cause why the enrolment shall not be terminated, the Research Degrees Committee may terminate the candidate's enrolment.

## **10. Thesis Guidelines**

10.1 The thesis must be presented in accordance with the requirements of the University, including any accompanying declarations and in accordance with Appendix 9 of the Manual of Policies and Procedures \_ Requirements for Presenting Theses (MOPP 9.13). The main body of the text should be between 50,000 and 60,000 words.

10.2 The thesis must be presented in the English language.

10.3 A candidate may submit with the thesis other kinds of relevant material (such as films, audio tape recordings, video tape recordings, CD-ROMS, software programs etc) which shall be accompanied by evidence of the extent to which the candidate has been responsible for their preparation.

10.4 An SJD degree may not be awarded on the basis of the submission of published papers.

10.5 A candidate's name will not be placed on the graduation list until the final copies of the thesis (one bound and one electronic) are received in the Research Students' Centre, Office of Research. These copies shall be in the prescribed form as set out in the University Requirements for Presenting Theses and be provided at the candidate's expense. An additional copy shall be bound at the Faculty's expense for inclusion in the Faculty Office collection. Any corrections resulting from the examiners' assessment shall be made prior to binding, and by retyping if they would otherwise be obtrusive.

10.6 When these final copies of the thesis have been lodged with the Research Students' Centre, Office of Research, the names of examiners will be released to the candidate upon request, providing that the examiner has not indicated otherwise.

## **11. Examination of Thesis**

11.1 At least three months prior to the maximum candidature date or anticipated completion date, the Principal Supervisor having obtained the agreement of the Faculty Committee, shall recommend to the Faculty Research Committee the composition of the proposed Examination Committee and the title of the candidate's thesis.

11.2 The Examination Committee shall comprise two external examiners who will examine the thesis plus an external examiner to be called upon only if the first two examiners are in disagreement.

11.3 In exceptional circumstances, the University Research Degrees Committee may act directly to facilitate the examination process of a thesis including the appointment of examiners.

11.4 A candidate's Principal or Associate Supervisor may not be nominated by the Faculty as an examiner.

11.5 Examiners must have demonstrable and substantial publications and research experience in the area under investigation and one examiner would normally have a research degree. At least one of the nominated examiners should be an academic from a recognised university or equivalent research institution. At least one examiner would normally be a specialist practitioner recognised as an expert in the particular field of the research constituting the thesis. Preferably, at least one examiner should also have substantial experience of examining research degree candidates at doctoral level.

11.6 Agreement will be sought from examiners to examine the thesis within eight weeks of receipt.

11.7 If more than six months has elapsed between the nomination of examiners and the submission of the thesis, the faculty must notify the Research Degrees Committee that the nominated examiners are still willing and able to examine the thesis within two months of its receipt. If any previously nominated examiner is unable to examine the thesis, a replacement examiner must be nominated by the Principal Supervisor (with the agreement of the Faculty) for approval by the Research Degrees Committee.

11.8 In order to determine whether the thesis is acceptable for examination by the Examination Committee, the candidate shall be required to present a Final Seminar based on the work described in the thesis to the Faculty to which he/she is attached.

\* The final seminar shall normally take place no more than six months prior to the anticipated submission date.

\* The Faculty shall constitute a panel of three including the Principal Supervisor to attend the seminar and to report on the readiness of the thesis for external examination. The panel shall be chaired by the Principal Supervisor, and shall question the candidate on the content of the thesis at the conclusion of the seminar. Each member of the panel must receive a copy of the draft thesis 14 days prior to the final seminar.

\* The panel may required changes to the thesis or ask that further work be done prior to submission of the thesis. The thesis is accepted by the University for external examination only when the panel signifies its belief that the degree requirements have been met. The Faculty panel shall use the prescribed form when advising Research Degrees Committee that the thesis is ready for external examination.

\* The final seminar shall be open to the public and shall be widely advertised by the Faculty so as to ensure attendance

by researchers and research students within the Faculty.

\* In all other matters the form and timing of the final seminar is determined by the Faculty.

11.9 The thesis must be accompanied by a certificate form (SJD7) endorsed by the Principal Supervisor, Assistant Dean, Research and the Faculty panel, stating that all reasonable efforts have been made by the Faculty to ensure that:

\* The thesis makes notable contribution to professional knowledge and practice;

\* The methodology applied in the candidate's research is effective and appropriate for the thesis topic;

\* The thesis reflects competence in the survey of literature and documentation of statements;

\* The thesis is of the required standard for external examination;

\* The thesis is within the prescribed word limit;

\* The candidate has presented a Final Seminar;

\* That acknowledgment is given regarding the inclusion of all published and other sources of information together with any substantial financial assistance received for the project.

11.10 In exceptional circumstances the Research Degrees Committee may allow a candidate to submit his or her thesis for external examination without the requirement for certification. The candidate must apply in writing to the Research Degrees Committee for such permission, outlining reasons why the certification is not included.

11.11 Three copies of the thesis in the prescribed format must be submitted to the Research Students Centre, Office of Research, no later than the maximum candidature date.

11.12 The Office of Research, on the advice of the Research Degrees Committee, shall provide the examiners with a copy of the thesis and of the Regulations for the Award of the Degree of the Doctor of Juridical Science and any other relevant information. 11.13 Each examiner will be asked to provide a written report to the Office of Research on the candidate's thesis and to recommend on the following courses of action:

Recommendation 1: The candidate should be awarded the degree without the requirement for revision, further examination or modification (minor corrections and typographical errors only); or

Recommendation 2: The candidate should be awarded the degree subject to minor nominated revisions being completed to the satisfaction of the Assistant Dean, Research and Principal Supervisor; or

Recommendation 3: The candidate should be awarded the degree following the completion of major nominated revisions to the satisfaction of the Assistant Dean, Research and Principal Supervisor; or

Recommendation 4: The candidate should be permitted to substantially revise and submit the thesis for re-examination within twelve months after a specified amount of further work, which may alter the substantive conclusions of the thesis, has been completed under approved supervision and the thesis appropriately amended to reflect the additional research; or

Recommendation 5: The thesis should be rejected, the degree should not be awarded and the candidate should not

be permitted to submit the thesis for re-examination for the degree.

11.13 After both examiners' reports are received the Office of Research will forward them to the Assistant Dean, Research, the Principal Supervisor and the candidate with an appropriate covering letter (Until such time as the examination process is complete the identity of the examiners will be withheld from the candidate).

## **12. Examinars in Agreement**

12.1 Where both examiners recommend that the candidate should be awarded the degree (recommendation 1, 2 or 3), the Assistant Dean, Research will consult with the Principal Supervisor and Centre Director to discuss any corrections or revisions that the candidate may be required to make and where revisions are required.

12.2 Where corrections or revisions are to be made to the satisfaction of the Assistant Dean, Research or nominee, the Head of School or nominee must certify to the Research Degrees Committee that they recommend acceptance of the thesis in fulfilment of the conditions for the award of the SJD degree.

12.3 Where both examiners recommend that the thesis be revised and resubmitted for examination (Examiners Report Recommendation 4), after consultation with the Principal Supervisor and the Centre Director, the Assistant Dean, Research will make written recommendation to the Research Degrees Committee within seven days of the receipt of the Examiners Reports listing any revisions required. Once these are approved by the Research Degrees Committee, the Research Degrees Committee will inform the candidate of the revisions and/or any action required.

## **13. Examinars not in Agreement**

13.1 Where the recommendations of the external examiners are not in agreement as to whether the thesis should be accepted for the award of SJD or as to whether the thesis may be revised and resubmitted, the thesis will be sent to the third nominated examiner.

13.2 Upon receipt of the third examiner's report, a majority decision shall be adopted.

13.3 Where the majority decision is that the thesis be accepted or that the thesis be rejected, this shall be the decisions of the examiners as the case may be.

13.4 Where the majority decision is that the candidate be required to submit for re-examination or the thesis fail, the procedures in Section 10 shall apply.

13.5 Where the recommendation of three examiners clearly differ and no clear majority exists, the Assistant Dean, Research or nominee shall liaise with the Principal Supervisor to determine the further course of action.

## **14. Re-Examination**

14.1 A candidate who is required to submit for re-examination may be re-examined only once except in the case of an upheld appeal.

14.2 Re-examination shall take place within twelve months from the date on which the candidate is advised in writing by the Assistant Dean, Research or nominee of such re-examination. The Research Degrees Committee may, on written application by the candidate and supported by the Principal Supervisor and Centre Director with suitable justification, approve an extension to this period which, under normal circumstances, may be a maximum of a further twelve months.

14.3 A candidate who is required to submit his/her thesis for re-examination must re-enrol in the SJD program.

14.4 The thesis shall be re-examined by the same two examiners unless:

\* Any of the examiners is unable to re-examine the thesis in which case the Assistant Dean, Research or nominee with the agreement of the Principal Supervisor and the Faculty shall nominate a replacement examiner(s) who must be approved by the Research Degrees Committee; or

\* The Research Degrees Committee replaces one or more of the examiners on advice from the RDC Chair and with suitable justification.

14.5 Examiners re-examining a thesis will be asked to provide a written report on the candidate's thesis and to recommend one of the following courses of action:

(a) the candidate should be awarded the degree with or without minor nominated revisions; or

(b) the candidate should be awarded the degree a masters level with or without minor nominated revisions; or

(c) the thesis should be rejected and the degree should not be awarded.

14.6 Regulations applicable to SJD examination shall apply to the re-examination.

## **15. Appeals**

15.1 A candidate whose thesis has failed may lodge an appeal against the outcome of the examination process.

15.2 The grounds for appeal may be on matters of process only, ie procedural irregularities in the conduct of the examination or documented evidence of examiner bias as evidenced by comments in the examiners reports.

15.3 An appeal must be lodged within sixty (60) days of the date of written advice from the Office of Research on the outcome of the examination. This appeal must include the specific grounds on which the appeal is based.

15.4 Appeals must be submitted in writing to the Office of the Pro-Vice-Chancellor (Research and Advancement). The Director, Postgraduate Research Studies, will determine whether a potential conflict of interest exists in relation to his/her consideration of the appeal.

15.5 In cases where a conflict of interest exists, the Director,

Postgraduate Research Studies, will appoint a member of academic staff, with expertise in research candidate supervision, to consider the appeal.

15.6 The Director, Postgraduate Research Studies, or appointee will decide whether a case exists and may seek the advice of the Faculty, school or centre/research concentration as appropriate.

15.7 The appeal may be allowed or dismissed. If an appeal is allowed, the Director, Postgraduate Research Studies, or appointee cannot recommend that the degree be awarded but shall recommend that that thesis be re-examined. This re-examination shall be carried out in accordance with the Section 6.143 taking account of the issues raised in the successful appeal.

15.8 The Director, Postgraduate Research Studies, or appointee will make a determination on the appeal as soon as practicable and will advise appellants, in writing, of the result of the appeal.

### Course Structure

#### Full Time Course Structure, Year 1, Semesters 1 & 2

Coursework units selected from the list of available units in the Master of Laws (by Coursework) or Master of Justice (by Coursework) to the value of 48 credit points per semester

#### Full Time Course Structure, Year 2, Semesters 1 & 2

LWR003-1 Thesis  
LWR003-2 Thesis  
LWR003-3 Thesis  
LWR003-4 Thesis

#### Full Time Course Structure, Year 3, Semesters 1 & 2

LWR003-5 Thesis  
LWR003-6 Thesis  
LWR003-7 Thesis  
LWR003-8 Thesis

#### Part Time Course Structure, Year 1, Semesters 1 & 2

Coursework units selected from the list of available units in the Master of Laws (by Coursework) or Master of Justice (by Coursework) to the value of 24 credit points per semester

#### Part Time Course Structure, Year 2, Semesters 1 & 2

Coursework units selected from the list of available units in the Master of Laws (by Coursework) or Master of Justice (by Coursework) to the value of 24 credit points per semester

#### Part Time Course Structure, Year 3, Semesters 1 & 2

LWR003-1 Thesis

LWR003-2 Thesis

#### Part Time Course Structure, Year 4, Semesters 1 & 2

LWR003-3 Thesis  
LWR003-4 Thesis

#### Part Time Course Structure, Year 5, Semesters 1 & 2

LWR003-5 Thesis  
LWR003-6 Thesis

#### Part Time Course Structure, Year 6, Semesters 1 & 2

LWR003-7 Thesis  
LWR003-8 Thesis

### Potential Careers:

Academic, Barrister, Solicitor.

## Master of Laws (LW51)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** 006380A

**Course duration (full-time):** 1 Year

**Course duration (part-time):** 2 Years

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** 2008: \$135 per credit point (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: \$12,960

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$9,600 per semester (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic Entry:** February and July

**International Entry:** February and July

**Total credit points:** 96

**Standard credit points per full-time semester:** 48

**Standard credit points per part-time semester:** 24

**Course coordinator:** Director, Graduate Programs

**Campus:** Gardens Point

### Overview

The Master of Laws by Coursework will deepen and broaden your legal learning, developing your critical evaluation of the law and consideration and analysis of the attitudes and values underlying it. During the course, you are expected to attain high competence in legal research and writing on areas of conceptual difficulty. The course leads on to the Doctor of Juridical Science (subject to normal entry requirements).

### Entry Requirements

Prospective students must have:

(i) completed the requirements for the degree of Bachelor of Laws of QUT

OR

(ii) have completed the requirements for the award of a degree in law at another tertiary institution which, in the opinion of the Director, Graduate Programs, maintains standards comparable with those required for the award of the degree of Bachelor of Laws at QUT

OR

(iii) hold a professional qualification in law and have at least three years of professional legal experience subsequent to first admission to practice and also satisfy the Director, Graduate Programs, that they have the requisite ability to complete the Master of Laws by Coursework degree.

In exceptional circumstances, an applicant who does not otherwise satisfy the normal entry requirements will be eligible for entry into the Master of Laws by Coursework degree in a specialist stream if he or she:

(i) has completed a Graduate Certificate in Law in a specialist stream

AND

(ii) has significant professional experience in the field of the Graduate Certificate in Law already completed;

AND

(iii) has achieved a grade point average of 5.5 in the units already completed for the Graduate Certificate in Law and whose course is approved by the Director, Graduate Programs.

### Course Structure

The course structure comprises 96 credit points (8 units) of coursework units. This can be achieved in one of two ways:

1. Students may nominate a major from the list below and choose units to the value of at least 72 credit points (6 units) from that particular major. The remaining 24 credit points (2 units) can be chosen from any unit not included in the nominated major, including units listed under "additional units";  
or
2. Students may complete a "generic" major by choosing all 96 credit points (8 units) from any of the majors.

Majors available:

Commercial Law, Environmental Resources Law, Health Law, Public Law, Technology Law, Intellectual Property Law

NOTE: International students are normally only able to graduate with a "generic" course.

### Articulation

This course articulates with the Doctor of Juridical Science (SJD).

### Unit Information

Not all units are available in any one year. Generally, postgraduate law units are offered on a two year rotational basis, and are offered subject to staff availability and minimum enrolments being met.

Units may be offered in intensive, internal or internal and external mode of study.

Note: Units offered in external mode are not available for off-shore study. Students who wish to enrol in units externally must be living in Australia. Only a small number of units are offered on an external basis each year.

\*International students on student visas are able to enrol in a combination of intensive, external and internal units each semester. (This is subject to approval)

The degree may contain up to 48 credit points in independent research projects, as approved by the Director, Graduate Programs.

The course rules allows students to undertake a limited number of approved units from other schools at QUT or from other universities (subject to meeting credit rules for the LLM).

### Advanced Standing

Graduates of QUT's Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice (LP41), who graduated from courses run in and from 2000 until the end of 2008, are entitled to 48 credit points of unspecified credit in the LW51 Master of Laws course, if they enrol in LW51 by second semester 2010.

Graduates of QUT's Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice before 2000 or after 2008 are eligible for up to 24 credit points of unspecified credit towards the Master of Laws

course.

Graduates of other Australian university-based practical legal training courses that lead to an award of a Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice are entitled to 12 credit points of unspecified credit but, upon written application to the Director of Graduate Programs, a case may be made for additional credit.

Persons who have successfully completed the Queensland Law Society accredited specialist assessment and are Queensland Law Society Accredited Specialists are entitled to 12 credit points of unspecified credit when they enrol in the Master of Laws course.

**Further Information**

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**Course structure**

Students must undertake a total of 96 credit points (8 units). This can be achieved in 1 of 2 ways:

- OPTION 1** Students may nominate a major from the list below and choose units to the value of at least 72 credit points (6 units) from that particular major. The remaining 24 credit points (2 units) can be chosen from any unit not included in the nominated major, including units listed under "additional units"; OR
- OPTION 2** Students may complete a "generic" degree by choosing all 96 credit points (8 units) from any of the majors.
- Note: International students may normally only be able to undertake a "generic" course

List of Majors available:

**Commercial Law**

- LWN022 Banking and Finance Law
- LWN025 Research Project 1A
- LWN036 Select Issues in Intellectual Property Law
- LWN048 Advanced Legal Research
- LWN050 Restrictive Trade Practices Law
- LWN051 Consumer Protection and Product Liability
- LWN065 Construction and Engineering Law
- LWN075 International Commercial Transactions
- LWN076 International Commercial Disputes
- LWN083 Estate Planning
- LWN087 Contemporary Issues in Torts
- LWN093 Borrowers and Secured Lenders - Select Issues
- LWN097 Corporate Insolvency
- LWN099 Intellectual Property Law
- LWN111 Public Law and Government Commercial Activity

- LWN113 Law of Guarantees
- LWN117 Legal Regulation of the Internet
- LWN119 Employment Law
- LWN120 Select Issues in Media Law and Policy
- LWN122 Commercial Leases
- LWN125 Electronic Commerce Law
- LWN127 Advanced Insurance Law 1
- LWN139 Privacy Law
- LWN145 Corporate and Investment Regulation
- LWN146 International and Comparative Intellectual Property Law
- LWN147 Patent Law and Commercialisation
- LWN151 Select Issues in Property Law
- LWN153 Select Issues in Art, Culture and the Law
- LWN154 Trade Mark Law
- LWN159 Electronic Litigation
- LWN160 Professional Liability & Property Transactions
- LWN161 Law and Policy of the World Trade Organisation
- LWN169 Equitable Obligations

**Environmental Resources Law**

- LWN025 Research Project 1A
- LWN046 Advanced Planning Law
- LWN048 Advanced Legal Research
- LWN049 International Environmental Law
- LWN060 Environmental Legal System
- LWN061 Natural Resources Law
- LWN062 Federal Environmental Law
- LWN063 Comparative Environmental Law
- LWN094 Energy Law
- LWN095 Native Title and Indigenous Cultural Heritage Law
- LWN131 Queensland State Lands: Law and Practice
- LWN138 Comparative Cultural Heritage Law
- LWN153 Select Issues in Art, Culture and the Law
- LWN157 Comparative Native Title Law and Policy

**Health Law**

- LWN025 Research Project 1A
- LWN048 Advanced Legal Research
- LWN135 Law, Justice and New Genetic Technologies
- LWN149 Conception, Birth and the Law
- LWN150 Death, Decisions and the Law
- LWN155 Biotechnology Law
- LWN163 Capacity, Guardianship and Administration
- LWN164 Health Care Law and Ethics
- LWN165 Children's Health and the Law
- LWN166 Consent To Treatment and Clinical Negligence

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### Public Law

JSN001	Theories of Justice
JSN023	Justice, Law and Democracy
JSN144	Evidence in Organised Crime Investigations
LWN025	Research Project 1A
LWN048	Advanced Legal Research
LWN087	Contemporary Issues in Torts
LWN095	Native Title and Indigenous Cultural Heritage Law
LWN111	Public Law and Government Commercial Activity
LWN115	Human Rights In Australian Law
LWN119	Employment Law
LWN120	Select Issues in Media Law and Policy
LWN129	Contemporary Issues in Sentencing Law
LWN132	Public Sector Employment Law and Policy
LWN135	Law, Justice and New Genetic Technologies
LWN153	Select Issues in Art, Culture and the Law
LWN155	Biotechnology Law
LWN157	Comparative Native Title Law and Policy
LWN158	Public International Law
LWN161	Law and Policy of the World Trade Organisation
LWN171	Use of Force and International Humanitarian Law
LWN176	Special Topic in Criminal Law (Combatting International Corruption)
LWN182	Criminal Tribunals

### Technology Law

LWN025	Research Project 1A
LWN048	Advanced Legal Research
LWN117	Legal Regulation of the Internet
LWN120	Select Issues in Media Law and Policy
LWN125	Electronic Commerce Law
LWN135	Law, Justice and New Genetic Technologies
LWN139	Privacy Law
LWN147	Patent Law and Commercialisation
LWN155	Biotechnology Law
LWN159	Electronic Litigation

### Intellectual Property Law

LWN025	Research Project 1A
LWN036	Select Issues in Intellectual Property Law
LWN048	Advanced Legal Research
LWN099	Intellectual Property Law
LWN117	Legal Regulation of the Internet
LWN146	International and Comparative Intellectual Property Law
LWN147	Patent Law and Commercialisation

LWN153	Select Issues in Art, Culture and the Law
LWN154	Trade Mark Law
LWN155	Biotechnology Law
LWN179	Copyright in the Digital Age
LWN180	Open Licensing: New Models For Intellectual Property
LWN181	Intellectual Property Litigation

### Additional Units not included in a Major list

LWN030	Mediation
LWN144	Contemporary Issues in Child Law
LWN162	Australian Common Law System
LWN167	Families, Creation and Separation
LWN168	Theories of Dispute Resolution

### \* NOTE:

LWN048 Advanced Legal Research is strongly recommended for international students.

LWN162 Australian Common Law System is a compulsory unit for all international students to complete.

The units listed within all majors may be subject to change.

### Schedule of Units

Not all units are offered in any one year.

For a schedule of unit offerings for 2008: please refer to <http://www.law.qut.edu.au/study/courses/pgrad/periodmode.jsp>

### Potential Careers:

Academic, Actuary, Barrister, Crown Law Officer, Educator, Government Officer, Solicitor.



## Master of Laws (Research) (LW52)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** 012654G

**Course duration (full-time):** 1 Year

**Course duration (part-time):** 2 Years

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** RTS/RTA; Full fee tuition 2008 \$135 per credit point (exceeded max. entitlements) *(subject to annual review)*

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: \$12,960 (exceeded max. entitlements)

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$10,608 per semester *(subject to annual review)*

**Domestic Entry:** At any time

**International Entry:** At any time

**Total credit points:** 96

**Standard credit points per full-time semester:** 48

**Standard credit points per part-time semester:** 24

**Course coordinator:** Assistant Dean (Research)

**Campus:** Gardens Point

### Entry Requirements

The following persons shall be eligible to apply for admission as a student for the degree:

1.1 A person who has completed the requirements for the degree of Bachelor of Laws of QUT with at least Second Class Honours Division A, or its equivalent from another institution which, in the opinion of the Assistant Dean, Research, maintains standards comparable with those required for the award of the degree of Bachelor of Laws of QUT, or

1.1.1 A person who has completed the requirements for the degree of Bachelor of Laws of QUT at a standard of Second Class Honours Division B or a lesser standard, or its equivalent from another institution which, in the opinion of the Assistant Dean, Research maintains standards comparable with those required for the award of the degree of Bachelor of Laws of QUT, or

1.1.2 A person admitted or entitled to be admitted to practice in the State of Queensland.

1.2 Candidates falling within sub-clauses 1.1.1 and 1.1.2 must also satisfy the following to be eligible for admission:

1.2.1 Three years' professional experience in the field in which the proposed research work is to be undertaken, or

1.2.2 Satisfactory completion of an appropriate Masters qualifying program stipulated by the Assistant Dean, Research on the recommendation of the Law Faculty Research Committee. Pending satisfactory completion of a qualifying program, provisional status may be granted to the candidate, or

1.2.3 The submission of professional publications or other appropriate evidence which satisfies the Assistant Dean, Research on the recommendation of the Law Faculty Research Committee that advanced knowledge and research ability has been acquired in the field of law in which the proposed research work is to be undertaken, and

1.2.4 The Assistant Dean, Research is satisfied of the ability of the candidate to complete the required research and thesis towards the degree.

### Overview

Students pursue a supervised research thesis of 50,000 words. The course offers you formal recognition for advanced and original research.

### Course Structure

The content value of the course is set at 96 credit points. Students will complete a thesis of not less than 50,000 nor more than 60,000 words that constitutes a substantial contribution to knowledge and understanding of the law in the students area of research.

### Further Information

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### Course Structure

#### Full time course structure, Year 1, Semesters 1 and 2

IFN100 Full-Time Masters Research

IFN100 Full-Time Masters Research

#### Part-time course structure, Year 1, Semesters 1 and 2

IFN200 Part-Time Masters Research

IFN200 Part-Time Masters Research

#### Part-time course structure, Year 2, Semesters 1 and 2

IFN200 Part-Time Masters Research

IFN200 Part-Time Masters Research

### Potential Careers:

Academic, Barrister, Crown Law Officer, In-House Lawyer, Solicitor.

## Graduate Certificate in Law (LW60)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** 027286C

**Course duration (full-time):** 1 semester (Generic course and select majors only)

**Course duration (part-time):** 2 semesters

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** 2008: \$135 per credit point (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: \$12,960

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$9,600 per semester (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic Entry:** February and July

**International Entry:** February and July

**Total credit points:** 48

**Standard credit points per full-time semester:** 48

**Standard credit points per part-time semester:** 24

**Course coordinator:** Director, Graduate Programs

**Campus:** Gardens Point

### Overview

This Certificate course allows students to further their knowledge in particular areas of interest in the law. Students may select units from one of the eleven majors offered or may elect to complete the course without a major.

### Entry Requirements

Prospective students must either:

(i) hold the degree of Bachelor of Laws from QUT or a comparable institution

OR

(ii) have a professional qualification in law and at least three years of professional legal experience after first admission to practice

OR

(iii) have a bachelor's degree in another discipline and professional experience which in the opinion of the Director, Graduate Programs equips the student for postgraduate study in law in the field of the Graduate Certificate in Law in which he or she wishes to enrol.

### Course Structure

Students must undertake a total of 48 credit points (4 units). This can be achieved in one of two ways:

1. Students may nominate a major from the list below and choose 48 credit points (4 units) from that particular major; or
2. Students may complete a "generic" course by choosing the 48 credit points (4 units) from any major.

Majors:

Commercial Transactions, Corporate Law, Criminal Justice, Environmental Law, Health Law, International Law, Media and Communications Law, Planning and Resources, Property Law, Public Law, Intellectual Property Law.

NOTE: International students are normally only able to undertake a "generic" course.

### Articulation to the Master of Laws by Coursework

The Graduate Certificate in Law articulates with the Master of Laws (LW51) course.

A student who has successfully completed the Graduate Certificate in Law and who does not hold a Bachelor of Laws degree or equivalent, may be permitted to enter the Master of Laws course if he or she achieves a minimum GPA of 5.5 in the Graduate Certificate in Law, and has the approval of the Director of Graduate Programs.

### Unit Information

Not all units are available in any one year. Generally, postgraduate units are offered on a two year rotational basis, and offered subject to staff availability and minimum enrolments being met.

Units may be offered in intensive, internal and external mode of study.

Note: Units offered in external mode are not available for off-shore study. Students who wish to enrol in units externally must be living in Australia. Only a small number of units are offered on an external basis each year.

\*International students on student visas are able to enrol in a combination of intensive, external and internal units each semester. (This is subject to approval)

The course rules allows students to undertake a limited number of approved units from other schools at QUT or from other universities.

### Further Information

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### Course structure

Students must undertake a total of 48 credit points (4 units). This can be achieved in 1 of 2 ways:

OPTION 1 Students may nominate a major from the lists below and choose all 4 units from within that particular major; OR

OPTION 2 Students may complete a "generic" course by choosing 4 units from any of the lists below to the value of 48cps

Note: International students may normally only be able to undertake a "generic" course

### List of Majors available:

#### Commercial Transactions

LWN022	Banking and Finance Law
LWN025	Research Project 1A
LWN030	Mediation
LWN048	Advanced Legal Research
LWN050	Restrictive Trade Practices Law
LWN051	Consumer Protection and Product Liability

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LWN075	International Commercial Transactions
LWN076	International Commercial Disputes
LWN093	Borrowers and Secured Lenders - Select Issues
LWN097	Corporate Insolvency
LWN111	Public Law and Government Commercial Activity
LWN113	Law of Guarantees
LWN117	Legal Regulation of the Internet
LWN119	Employment Law
LWN120	Select Issues in Media Law and Policy
LWN122	Commercial Leases
LWN147	Patent Law and Commercialisation
LWN151	Select Issues in Property Law
LWN153	Select Issues in Art, Culture and the Law
LWN159	Electronic Litigation
LWN160	Professional Liability & Property Transactions
LWN161	Law and Policy of the World Trade Organisation
LWN162	Australian Common Law System
LWN168	Theories of Dispute Resolution

## Corporate Law

LWN022	Banking and Finance Law
LWN025	Research Project 1A
LWN030	Mediation
LWN048	Advanced Legal Research
LWN050	Restrictive Trade Practices Law
LWN051	Consumer Protection and Product Liability
LWN093	Borrowers and Secured Lenders - Select Issues
LWN097	Corporate Insolvency
LWN145	Corporate and Investment Regulation
LWN162	Australian Common Law System
LWN168	Theories of Dispute Resolution

## Criminal Justice Law

JSN001	Theories of Justice
JSN023	Justice, Law and Democracy
JSN144	Evidence in Organised Crime Investigations
LWN025	Research Project 1A
LWN030	Mediation
LWN048	Advanced Legal Research
LWN129	Contemporary Issues in Sentencing Law
LWN135	Law, Justice and New Genetic Technologies
LWN162	Australian Common Law System
LWN168	Theories of Dispute Resolution
LWN176	Special Topic in Criminal Law (Combatting International Corruption)
LWN182	Criminal Tribunals

## Environmental Law

LWN025	Research Project 1A
LWN030	Mediation
LWN048	Advanced Legal Research
LWN049	International Environmental Law
LWN060	Environmental Legal System
LWN061	Natural Resources Law
LWN062	Federal Environmental Law
LWN063	Comparative Environmental Law
LWN094	Energy Law
LWN095	Native Title and Indigenous Cultural Heritage Law
LWN131	Queensland State Lands: Law and Practice
LWN138	Comparative Cultural Heritage Law
LWN153	Select Issues in Art, Culture and the Law
LWN157	Comparative Native Title Law and Policy
LWN162	Australian Common Law System
LWN168	Theories of Dispute Resolution

## Health Law

LWN025	Research Project 1A
LWN030	Mediation
LWN048	Advanced Legal Research
LWN135	Law, Justice and New Genetic Technologies
LWN149	Conception, Birth and the Law
LWN150	Death, Decisions and the Law
LWN155	Biotechnology Law
LWN162	Australian Common Law System
LWN163	Capacity, Guardianship and Administration
LWN164	Health Care Law and Ethics
LWN165	Children's Health and the Law
LWN166	Consent To Treatment and Clinical Negligence
LWN168	Theories of Dispute Resolution

## International Law

LWN025	Research Project 1A
LWN030	Mediation
LWN048	Advanced Legal Research
LWN049	International Environmental Law
LWN075	International Commercial Transactions
LWN076	International Commercial Disputes
LWN115	Human Rights In Australian Law
LWN146	International and Comparative Intellectual Property Law
LWN158	Public International Law
LWN161	Law and Policy of the World Trade Organisation
LWN162	Australian Common Law System
LWN168	Theories of Dispute Resolution

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LWN171 Use of Force and International Humanitarian Law

### Media and Communications Law

LWN025 Research Project 1A

LWN030 Mediation

LWN048 Advanced Legal Research

LWN117 Legal Regulation of the Internet

LWN120 Select Issues in Media Law and Policy

LWN125 Electronic Commerce Law

LWN135 Law, Justice and New Genetic Technologies

LWN139 Privacy Law

LWN147 Patent Law and Commercialisation

LWN159 Electronic Litigation

LWN155 Biotechnology Law

LWN162 Australian Common Law System

LWN168 Theories of Dispute Resolution

### Planning and Resources Law

LWN025 Research Project 1A

LWN030 Mediation

LWN046 Advanced Planning Law

LWN048 Advanced Legal Research

LWN060 Environmental Legal System

LWN061 Natural Resources Law

LWN062 Federal Environmental Law

LWN065 Construction and Engineering Law

LWN094 Energy Law

LWN095 Native Title and Indigenous Cultural Heritage Law

LWN131 Queensland State Lands: Law and Practice

LWN138 Comparative Cultural Heritage Law

LWN157 Comparative Native Title Law and Policy

LWN162 Australian Common Law System

LWN168 Theories of Dispute Resolution

### Property Law

LWN025 Research Project 1A

LWN030 Mediation

LWN046 Advanced Planning Law

LWN048 Advanced Legal Research

LWN061 Natural Resources Law

LWN065 Construction and Engineering Law

LWN083 Estate Planning

LWN095 Native Title and Indigenous Cultural Heritage Law

LWN122 Commercial Leases

LWN127 Advanced Insurance Law 1

LWN131 Queensland State Lands: Law and Practice

LWN138 Comparative Cultural Heritage Law

LWN151 Select Issues in Property Law

LWN157 Comparative Native Title Law and Policy

LWN160 Professional Liability & Property Transactions

LWN162 Australian Common Law System

LWN168 Theories of Dispute Resolution

### Public Law

JSN001 Theories of Justice

JSN023 Justice, Law and Democracy

JSN144 Evidence in Organised Crime Investigations

LWN025 Research Project 1A

LWN030 Mediation

LWN048 Advanced Legal Research

LWN087 Contemporary Issues in Torts

LWN095 Native Title and Indigenous Cultural Heritage Law

LWN111 Public Law and Government Commercial Activity

LWN115 Human Rights In Australian Law

LWN119 Employment Law

LWN120 Select Issues in Media Law and Policy

LWN129 Contemporary Issues in Sentencing Law

LWN132 Public Sector Employment Law and Policy

LWN135 Law, Justice and New Genetic Technologies

LWN144 Contemporary Issues in Child Law

LWN153 Select Issues in Art, Culture and the Law

LWN155 Biotechnology Law

LWN157 Comparative Native Title Law and Policy

LWN158 Public International Law

LWN161 Law and Policy of the World Trade Organisation

LWN162 Australian Common Law System

LWN167 Families, Creation and Separation

LWN168 Theories of Dispute Resolution

LWN171 Use of Force and International Humanitarian Law

### Intellectual Property Law

LWN025 Research Project 1A

LWN030 Mediation

LWN036 Select Issues in Intellectual Property Law

LWN048 Advanced Legal Research

LWN099 Intellectual Property Law

LWN117 Legal Regulation of the Internet

LWN146 International and Comparative Intellectual Property Law

LWN147 Patent Law and Commercialisation

LWN153 Select Issues in Art, Culture and the Law

LWN154 Trade Mark Law

LWN155 Biotechnology Law

LWN162	Australian Common Law System
LWN168	Theories of Dispute Resolution
LWN179	Copyright in the Digital Age
LWN180	Open Licensing: New Models For Intellectual Property
LWN181	Intellectual Property Litigation

### \* NOTES

LWN048 Advanced Legal Research is strongly recommended for international students.

LWN162 Australian Common Law System is a compulsory unit for all international students to complete.

The units listed within all majors may be subject to change.

### Schedule of Units

Not all units are offered in any one year.

For a schedule of unit offerings for 2008:  
please refer to  
<http://www.law.qut.edu.au/study/courses/pgrad/periodmode.jsp>

### Potential Careers:

Academic, Actuary, Barrister, Solicitor.

## Graduate Certificate in Legal Studies (LW65)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** 040307E

**Course duration (full-time):** 1 semester

**Course duration (part-time):** 2 semesters

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** 2008: \$135 per credit point (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: \$12,960

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$9,600 per semester (*subject to annual review*)

**International Entry:** February and July

**Total credit points:** 48

**Standard credit points per full-time semester:** 48

**Standard credit points per part-time semester:** 24

**Course coordinator:** Director, Graduate Programs

**Campus:** Gardens Point and External

### Overview

For non-law graduates or professionals working in the legal sector, the Graduate Certificate in Legal Studies will help develop professional competencies, skills and knowledge. The course provides short, focused programs to upgrade qualifications, and may lead into the Graduate Diploma in Legal Studies. On completion of this course you should be able to contribute to your employer's practical services, organisation and policy making.

### Entry Requirements

An appropriate undergraduate degree from a recognised tertiary institution or Professional experience that the Course Coordinator deems to be appropriate

### Advanced Standing

Students who have previously undertaken undergraduate law units (equivalent to core units in LW65) at QUT may apply for a maximum of 24 credit points for these units towards the LW65 Graduate Certificate in Legal Studies

### Course Structure

Students are required to undertake 4 units (48 credit points). These units are core units taken from the Bachelor of Laws (LW33) program.

### External Students

Entry to the distance education (external) mode of the course is restricted to applicants who reside in Australia outside a 30 kilometre radius of the Gardens Point campus.

It is a requirement of that distance education students participate in two three-day attendance schools per year in addition to the commencing students orientation school. The attendance schools are an integral component of the distance education course and are compulsory. When undertaking the course via distance education, it is the students' responsibility to ensure they have access to a suitable law library.

### Full-time course structure

	Introduction to Legal Research
LWB136	Contracts A
LWB138	Fundamentals of Torts
LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method
LWP142	Law Society and Justice

### Part-time course structure

Option 1: LWP142 Law, Society & Justice

#### Year 1, Semester 1

	Introduction to Legal Research
LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method
LWP142	Law Society and Justice

#### Year 1, Semester 2

LWB136	Contracts A
LWB138	Fundamentals of Torts

Option 2: LWB143 Legal Research & Writing

#### Year 1, Semester 1

	Introduction to Legal Research
LWB136	Contracts A
LWB141	Legal Institutions and Method

#### Year 1, Semester 2

LWB138	Fundamentals of Torts
LWB143	Legal Research and Writing

These course structures are based on Semester 1 entry to the course.

## Graduate Diploma in Legal Studies (LW70)

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** 040318B

**Course duration (full-time):** 2 semesters

**Course duration (part-time):** 4 semesters

**Domestic fees (per credit point):** 2008: \$135 per credit point (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic fees (indicative):** 2008: \$12,960

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$9,600 per semester (*subject to annual review*)

**Domestic Entry:** February and July

**International Entry:** February and July

**Total credit points:** 96

**Standard credit points per full-time semester:** 48

**Standard credit points per part-time semester:** 24

**Course coordinator:** Director, Graduate Programs

**Campus:** Gardens Point and External

### Overview

For non-law graduates or professionals working in the the legal sector, the Graduate Diploma in Legal Studies will help develop your professional competencies, skills and knowledge. The course provides short, focused programs to upgrade qualifications. On completion of this course you should be able to contribute to your employer's practical services, organisation and policy making.

### Entry Requirements

An appropriate undergraduate degree from a recognised tertiary institution

or

professional experience that the Course Coordinator deems to be appropriate

### Advanced Standing

Students who have previously undertaken undergraduate law units (equivalent to units in LW70) at QUT may apply for a maximum of 48 credit points for these units towards the LW70 Graduate Diploma in Legal Studies.

### Course Structure

Students must undertake 8 units (96 credit points). Of these, four elective units that carry a postgraduate unit code, are taken from the Bachelor of Laws course.

### Full-time course structure

#### Year 1, Semester 1

Introduction to Legal Research

LWB136 Contracts A

LWB138 Fundamentals of Torts

LWB141 Legal Institutions and Method

LWP142 Law Society and Justice

#### Year 1, Semester 2

LWP137 Contracts B

LWP139 Select Issues in Torts

LWB143 Legal Research and Writing

LWP144 Laws and Global Perspectives

### Course Structure

This course structure is based on Semester 1 entry to the course.

### Part-time course structure

#### Year 1, Semester 1

Introduction to Legal Research

LWB136 Contracts A

LWB141 Legal Institutions and Method

#### Year 1, Semester 2

LWB138 Fundamentals of Torts

LWB143 Legal Research and Writing

#### Year 2, Semester 1

LWP137 Contracts B

LWP142 Law Society and Justice

#### Year 2, Semester 2

LWP139 Select Issues in Torts

LWP144 Laws and Global Perspectives

### Course Structure

These course structures are based on Semester 1 entry to the course.

### Potential Careers:

Banking and Finance Professional, Community Education Officer, Contract Administrator, Educator, Facilities Manager, Family Services Officer, Information Officer, Marketing Officer/Manager.

## **International Visiting Students (NA05)**

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** Holders of valid visas

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$2796 per unit  
*(subject to annual review)*

**International Entry:** February, July and November

**Campus:** Gardens Point, Kelvin Grove, Carseldine and External



## **International Visiting Students (NA06)**

**Year offered:** 2008

**Admissions:** Yes

**CRICOS code:** Holders of valid visas only

**International Fees (per semester):** 2008: \$2796 per unit  
*(subject to annual review)*

**International Entry:** February July and November

**Campus:** Gardens Point, Kelvin Grove and Carseldine