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# Law



## ELECTIVE STUDY AREAS

The Bachelor of Laws enables students to study a number of areas including:

- International Law
- Law of the Oceans and the Antarctic
- Environmental Law
- Biotechnology Law
- Media Law
- Criminal Law
- Family Law
- Corporate Law
- Intellectual Property

## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

A Bachelor of Laws degree from UTAS is highly respected and qualifies its holder to practise law or work in law-related fields throughout Australia. Today, employers from a wide range of disciplines value the skills that law graduates possess.

Possible employment prospects include:

- Foreign Affairs
- Police
- Industry Legal Adviser
- Law Reform Commission
- Politics
- Consumer Affairs
- Australian Security and Intelligence Organisation
- Banking and Finance
- Journalism
- Teaching
- Legal Aid
- Environment

The **Bachelor of Laws** is the basic academic preparation for persons who wish to enter the legal profession. Students are required to study a first year in another faculty studying Arts, Economics, Business, Information Systems, Science, Computing or Music while including the units LAW121 Introduction to Law and LAW122 Legal Systems. After completion of the first year, students then apply to enter the Faculty of Law to complete the law degree as a combined degree (another four years) or on its own (another three years).

A degree in law is the first step towards entering the legal profession. After graduating from the University, a law student wishing to practise in Tasmania is required to undertake a six-month Legal Practice course.

Law students intending to practise law in another state should enquire of the respective Law Society or Bar Council what they must do to qualify for practice in their chosen state.

## FOR MORE INFORMATION

Full details of courses are published annually in the University's *Course and Unit Handbook*. Go to the University's website: <http://courses.utas.edu.au>

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## FACULTY OF LAW

### ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

#### General Entry

Students must complete LAW121 Introduction to Law and LAW122 Legal Systems to be eligible to apply to enter the law degree. The entry process after the first year is based on quotas and subject to a student's performance throughout the year.

#### Direct Entry

The Faculty of Law has a limited number of direct entry places available. To be eligible for this type of entry, students will need a minimum ITI score as set down by the Faculty. Students will still complete Introduction to Law and Legal Systems and first year in another faculty.

#### Graduate Entry

This is a three-year degree with students given exemption from Year 1. There is a quota on entry in this category.

#### Scholarships/exchanges

See the University websites for details:

[www.scholarships.utas.edu.au](http://www.scholarships.utas.edu.au)

[www.international.utas.edu.au](http://www.international.utas.edu.au)

### COURSE STRUCTURE

#### A BACHELOR OF LAWS DEGREE:

##### Year 1

Introduction to Law (12.5%)  
Legal Systems (12.5%)  
*Plus units from another faculty (75%)*

##### Year 2

Contract A (12.5%)  
Contract B (12.5%)  
Torts A (12.5%)  
Torts B (12.5%)  
Criminal Law A (12.5%)  
Criminal Law B (12.5%)  
Administrative Law (12.5%)  
Constitutional Law 1 (12.5%)

##### Year 3

Property Law A (12.5%)  
Property Law B (12.5%)  
Constitutional Law 2 (12.5%)  
Corporations Law 1 (12.5%)  
Trusts (12.5%)  
*Plus three elective units (37.5%)*

##### Year 4

Evidence (12.5%)  
Criminal and Civil Procedure (12.5%)  
Equity (12.5%)  
Professional Conduct (12.5%)  
*Plus four elective units (50%)*

#### A COMBINED DEGREE:

##### Year 1

Introduction to Law (12.5%)  
Legal Systems (12.5%)  
*Plus units from another faculty (75%)*

##### Year 2

Contract A (12.5%)  
Contract B (12.5%)  
Torts A (12.5%)  
Torts B (12.5%)  
*Plus units from another faculty (50%)*

##### Year 3

Criminal Law A (12.5%)  
Criminal Law B (12.5%)  
Administrative Law (12.5%)  
Constitutional Law 1 (12.5%)  
*Plus units from another faculty (50%)*

##### Year 4

Property Law A (12.5%)  
Property Law B (12.5%)  
Constitutional Law 2 (12.5%)  
Corporations Law 1 (12.5%)  
Trusts (12.5%)  
*Plus one unit from the schedule of law electives and two units from the schedule of cross-listed units (one from law and one from another faculty) (37.5%)*

##### Year 5

Evidence (12.5%)  
Criminal and Civil Procedure (12.5%)  
Equity (12.5%)  
Professional Conduct (12.5%)  
*Plus four units from the schedule of law electives (50%)*

