# **Bachelor of Laws**

includes:

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The course includes the following awards:

Bachelor of Laws *LLB* 

**Course Study Modes and Locations** 

**Bachelor of Laws (1416LW)** 

Distance Education - Bathurst

Availability is subject to change, please verify prior to enrolment.

# **Normal course duration**

**Bachelor of Laws** 

Full-time 3 years (6.0 sessions)

Part-time 6 years

Normal course duration is the effective period of time taken to complete a course when studied Full-time (Full-time Equivalent: FTE). Students are advised to consult the Enrolment Pattern for the actual length of study. Not all courses are offered in Full-time mode.

# Admission criteria

CSU Admission Policy

Admission is according to standard CSU admission process and UAC criteria for undergraduate courses.

Applicants for the CSU Bachelor of Laws program should meet one of the following criteria:

- 1. demonstrated Australian Tertiary Admissions Ranking (ATAR) of 85 or above
- 2. successful completion of an appropriate undergraduate degree with pass average or

above.

3. successful completion of CSU Single Subject Study in LAW112 or LAW116 and either LAW113 or LAW114.

- 4. successful completion of the Special Tertiary Admission Test (STAT) with a minimum score of 172 following a completed HSC or 2 years fulltime work experience (or part time equivalent)
- 5. demonstrated academic/professional achievement and work experience acceptable to Charles Sturt University, or a minimum of 5 years full-time paid employment in the field of legal service or a related area, as determined by the Course Director

Applicants should contact the Course Director to discuss their eligibility and be prepared to present a case demonstrating their academic suitability for the Bachelor of Laws program, including their capacity to undertake tertiary studies and/or detailing relevant legal experience.

#### Credit

#### **CSU Credit Policy**

Standard CSU credit regulations apply.

Law subjects belonging to the Priestley 11 category completed in a course not accredited by the *Legal Professions Admissions Board*of NSW, or equivalent interstate registration boards, cannot be credited towards CSU LLB.

Students should contact the Course Director to discuss possible credit and susbsequent enrolment pattern.

# **Graduation requirements**

To graduate students must satisfactorily complete 192 points.

#### **Course Structure**

#### **BACHELOR OF LAWS**

The course comprises 18 Core subjects (160) and four Restricted Electives (32).

# Core Subjects (160)

JST123Indigenous Australians and Justice: An Introduction

LAW112Introduction to the Australian Legal System

LAW113Criminal Law

LAW114 Law of Torts

LAW116Writing and Communication for Legal Professionals

LAW212Evidence Law

LAW213Criminal Procedure

LAW214Contract Law

LAW216Property Law

LAW217Civil Procedure

LAW218Equity and Trusts

LAW219Company Law

LAW308Constitutional Law

LAW309 Professional Legal Conduct

LAW311Administrative Law

LAW312Resources Law: Contemporary Issues in Primary Production (16)

LAW313International Public and Private Law

<u>LAW314</u>Community Law and Culture: Regional, Rural, Remote and Indigenous

Contemporary Issues (16)

# **Restricted Electives (32)**

Choose four subjects (32) from the following list of Restricted Electives:

LAW202 Family Law

LAW240Industrial Law

LAW301 Taxation Law (Principles)

LAW302 Taxation Law (Issues)

LAW318Jurisprudence

LAW330Finance Law

LAW335International Business Law

LAW370Law of Employment

LAW516Dispute Resolution: Methods and Results

LAW517Mediation: Processes and Uses

LAW530Environmental Law and Management

### **Enrolment Pattern**

# Full Time Enrolment (session one intake enrolment pattern)

# Year 1

#### Session 1

LAW112 Introduction to the Australian Legal System

LAW113Criminal Law

JST123Indigenous Australians and Justice: An Introduction

LAW216 Property Law

# Session 2

LAW114Law of Torts

LAW116 Writing and Communication for Legal Professionals

LAW213 Criminal Procedure

LAW214Contract Law

#### Year 2

#### Session 1

LAW217Civil Procedure

LAW212Evidence Law

**LAW218**Equity and Trusts

LAW219 Company Law

### Session 2

Restricted Elective

LAW308 Constitutional Law

2 x Restricted Electives (16)

# Year 3

#### Session 1

LAW311Administrative Law

LAW313International Public and Private Law

LAW309Professional Legal Conduct

Restricted Elective

### Session 2

<u>LAW312</u>Resources Law: Contemporary Issues in Primary Production (16)

LAW314Community Law and Culture: Regional, Rural, Remote and Indigenous

Contemporary Issues (16)

# Part-Time enrolment (Session one intake enrolment pattern)

# Year 1

#### Session 1

LAW112 Introduction to the Australian Legal System

LAW113Criminal Law

# Session 2

LAW114Law of Torts

LAW116Writing and Communication for Legal Professionals

#### Year 2

#### Session 1

<u>JST123</u>Indigenous Australians and Justice: An Introduction <u>LAW216</u>Property Law

# Session 2

LAW213 Criminal Procedure LAW214 Contract Law

# Year 3

# **Session 1**

<u>LAW217</u>Civil Procedure <u>LAW212</u>Evidence Law

#### Session 2

Restricted Elective LAW308Constitutional Law

# Year 4

# **Session 1**

<u>LAW218</u>Equity and Trusts <u>LAW219</u>Company Law

#### Session 2

2 x Restricted Electives (16)

# Year 5

#### Session 1

LAW311 Administrative Law
LAW313 International Public and Private Law

#### Session 2

LAW312Resources Law: Contemporary Issues in Primary Production (16)

#### Year 6

### Session 1

<u>LAW309</u>Professional Legal Conduct Restricted Elective

# **Session 2**

LAW314Community Law and Culture: Regional, Rural, Remote and Indigenous

# Contemporary Issues (16)

# Part-Time Enrolment (Mid Year intake enrolment pattern)

# Year 1

# Session 2

LAW114Law of Torts
LAW116Writing and Communication for Legal Professionals

# Year 2

# Session 1

<u>LAW112</u>Introduction to the Australian Legal System <u>LAW113</u>Criminal Law

### Session 2

LAW213Criminal Procedure LAW214Contract Law

# Year 3

# **Session 1**

JST123Indigenous Australians and Justice: An Introduction LAW216Property Law

# Session 2

Restricted Elective LAW308Constitutional Law

# Year 4

# **Session 1**

<u>LAW217</u>Civil Procedure <u>LAW212</u>Evidence Law

# Session 2

2 x Restricted Electives (16)

# Year 5

# **Session 1**

<u>LAW218</u>Equity and Trusts <u>LAW219</u>Company Law

#### Session 2

<u>LAW312</u>Resources Law: Contemporary Issues in Primary Production (16)

#### Year 6

#### Session 1

LAW311Administrative Law

LAW313International Public and Private Law

#### Session 2

<u>LAW314</u>Community Law and Culture: Regional, Rural, Remote and Indigenous Contemporary Issues (16)

#### Year 7

#### Session 1

LAW309Professional Legal Conduct

Restricted Elective

#### **Residential School**

Please note that the following subjects may have a residential school component.

LAW112 Introduction to the Australian Legal System

LAW113 Criminal Law

LAW114 Law of Torts

LAW116 Writing and Communication for Legal Professionals

LAW212 Evidence Law

LAW213 Criminal Procedure

LAW214 Contract Law

LAW216 Property Law

LAW217 Civil Procedure

LAW218 Equity and Trusts

LAW219 Company Law

LAW308 Constitutional Law

LAW309 Professional Legal Conduct

LAW311 Administrative Law

LAW312 Resources Law: Contemporary Issues in Primary Production

LAW313 International Public and Private Law

LAW314 Community Law and Culture: Regional, Rural, Remote and Indigenous

Contemporary Issues

LAW517 Mediation: Processes and Uses

Enrolled students can find further information about CSU residential schools via the About

Residential School page.

# **Accreditation**

The Bachelor of Laws degree has been developed to meet the *Legal Profession Admissions Board of NSW* accreditation requirements. The course aims, objectives and core curriculum are based on the *Priestley 11 Standards* provided by the *Legal Profession Admission Rules 2015 (NSW)*.

# Contact

For further information about Charles Sturt University, or this course offering, please contact info.csu on 1800 334 733 (free call within Australia) or email inquiry@csu.edu.au

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