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COURSE REGULATIONS

SCHOOL OF LAW

**BACHELOR OF LAWS/BACHELOR OF BEHAVIOURAL
SCIENCE**

LLB/BBehSc

**BACHELOR OF LAWS (HONOURS)/BACHELOR OF
BEHAVIOURAL SCIENCE**

LLB(Hons)/BBehSc

COURSE CODES: 3516 & 3517

THESE COURSE REGULATIONS ARE EFFECTIVE FROM 1.1.2017

SCHOOL OF LAW

1. These Course Regulations apply to all students who are enrolled in these Awards on the Fremantle Campus.
2. The Dean is the responsible Executive of these Course Regulations.
3. The contact officer for this document is the Associate Dean, School of Law, Sydney Campus.

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1 INTRODUCTION AND INTERPRETATION

1.1 Introduction

These Course Regulations apply to all students enrolled in the Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of Behavioural Science Award and the Bachelor of Laws (Honours)/Bachelor of Behavioural Science Award at The University of Notre Dame Australia.

These Regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's General Regulations and the School of Law and the School of Arts and Sciences Regulations.

1.2 Interpretation

The terms included in these Regulations have the meanings as defined in the University's General Regulations and the School of Law and the School of Arts and Sciences Regulations.

1.3 Amendments made to Course Regulations

Unless otherwise specified, when amendments are made to the structure, content or academic requirements of these Awards, the amendments will automatically apply in accordance with General Regulation Section 1.7.

1.4 Applicability to Campuses of the University

These Awards are available on the Fremantle Campus.

1.5 The Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF)

The Bachelor of Laws Award is a Level 7 AQF qualification.

The Bachelor of Behavioural Science Award is a Level 7 AQF qualification.

The Bachelor of Laws (Honours) Award is a Level 8 AQF qualification.

2 ENTRY CRITERIA

2.1 General Criteria

The standard entry requirements for admission into these Awards are detailed in the University's General Regulations and the School of Law and School of Arts and Sciences Regulations.

2.2 Additional Entry Requirements / Pre-Requisites

There are no additional entry requirements or pre-requisites for these Awards.

2.3 External Accreditation Requirements

External accreditation requirements are applicable to the Bachelor of Laws component of these Awards.

The accreditation requirements are according to the *Uniform Admission Rules* administered by the Legal Practice Board in Western Australia.

3 AWARD REQUIREMENTS

3.1 Structure

- (i) For the Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of Behavioural Science Award Structure, refer to Appendix A.
- (ii) For the Bachelor of Laws (Honours)/Bachelor of Behavioural Science Award Structure, refer to Appendix B.

Unless a student receives the prior approval of the Dean (or delegate) to alter the order of study, students are required to enrol in and pass all of the units in each academic year of study as detailed in the relevant course structure before they will be permitted to enrol in units outlined in the subsequent academic year of study.

3.1.1 Compulsory Units

- (i) Compulsory units for these Awards are listed in the course structures in Appendices A - B.
- (ii) As at the commencement of the 2017 academic year, students who have completed:
 - LW341 Constitutional Law A but not LW342 Constitutional Law B must complete LW342 Constitutional Law B;
 - LW331 Administrative Law A but not LW332 Administrative Law B must complete LW332 Administrative Law B;
 - LW323 Evidence A but not LW324 Evidence B must complete LW324 Evidence B; and
 - LW463 Civil Procedure A but not LW464 Civil Procedure B must complete LW464 Civil Procedure B.
- (iii) For the Bachelor of Laws (Honours)/Bachelor of Behavioural Science Award students must enrol in LAWS4410 Advanced Research Project A and LAWS4411 Advanced Research Project B in their final year of academic study.
- (iv) Students enrolled in these Awards are required to take 12 Behavioural Science units.

3.1.2 Elective Units

There are Elective units within the Bachelor of Laws component of Award.

- (i) Students enrolled in Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of Behavioural Science Award are required to complete four (4) Law elective units in addition to the compulsory Law units. Elective units may be selected from an approved list of unit offerings published by the School of Law on an annual basis.
- (ii) Students enrolled in the Bachelor of Laws (Honours)/Bachelor of Behavioural Science Award are required to complete two (2) Law elective units in addition to the compulsory Law units. Elective units may be selected from an approved list of unit offerings published by the School of Law on an annual basis.
- (iii) Students must complete at least one (1) international law elective chosen from LAWS4200 Public International Law, LAWS4030 Private International Law or LAWS4020 Comparative Law.

There are no Elective units permitted within the Bachelor of Behavioural Science component of the Award.

3.1.3 Majors and Double Majors

There are no Majors or Double Majors available in these Awards.

3.1.4 Minors

There are no Minors available in these Awards.

3.1.5 Specialisations

There are no Specialisations permitted in these Awards.

3.1.6 Special Interest Units

There are no Special Interest Units in the Bachelor of Laws Component of these Awards.

There are Special Interest Units in the Bachelor of Behavioural Science Component of these Awards. A maximum of seventy five (75) credit points from the following 'special interest units' may be accrued towards these Awards (unless otherwise approved by the Dean), including up to fifty (50) credit points (or two (2) units) towards a Major in which the units are approved and twenty five (25) credit points towards a Minor in which the units are approved.

- (i) AL301 Experience the World I
- (ii) AL302 Experience the World II
- (iii) AL303 Experience the World Study Tour
- (iv) AL380 Special Project
- (v) AL381 Special Project

Not all of these units are available on each campus. Contact the School of Arts and Sciences on your campus for information.

3.2 Special Award Requirements

There are no special award requirements in these Awards.

3.3 Practicum or Internship requirements

Students are required to complete PS394 Behavioural Science Internship. The work based learning component of the internship will be no less than 90 hours.

3.4 Approved unit substitutions

Law unit substitutions, where permitted, must be approved by the Dean of Law.

Behavioural Science unit substitutions, where permitted, must be approved by the Dean of Arts and Sciences.

3.5 Alternative Pathways

An Alternative pathway is not available for these Awards.

3.6 Volume of Learning

3.6.1 Standard Duration

- (i) The Volume of Learning for the Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of Behavioural Science Award and the Bachelor of Laws (Honours)/Bachelor of Behavioural Science Award is equivalent to approximately 5.125 years of equivalent full time study.
- (ii) A student is able to enrol in these Awards on a part-time basis.

3.6.2 Accelerated Duration

An accelerated mode is available for these Awards as outlined in the Appendices of these Regulations.

3.6.3 Maximum Duration

The maximum period of time within which a student is permitted to complete these Awards is detailed in the University's General Regulations.

3.7 Graduation

Where a student has satisfied all the requirements of these Awards as detailed in these Course Regulations and the General Regulations, the University may grant the student graduation status.

3.8 Exit Awards

An Exit Award pathway is not available for these Awards.

3.9 Honours

The Bachelor of Laws component of these Awards is offered with Honours. Specific admission requirements for the Honours degree are detailed in the School of Law Regulations and are to be read in conjunction with the Policy: The Award of a degree with Honours. Details about Honours in the Bachelor of Behavioural Science are provided in the Bachelor of Behavioural Science (Honours) Award Regulations (3501).

END OF REGULATIONS



APPENDIX A: Accelerated Mode Course Structure for Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of Behavioural Science

YEAR ONE						
Semester One			Semester Two			
Unit Number	Unit Title	Credit Points	Unit Number	Unit Title	Credit Points	
LAWS1000	Legal Research & Writing	25	LAWS1020	Legal History	25	
LAWS1010	Legal Process & Statutory Interpretation	25	PH100	Introduction to Philosophy	25	
AB100	Aboriginal People	25	PS100	Developmental Psychology	25	
PS103	Introduction to Behavioural Science	25				
Credit Point Total for Y1 S1		100	Credit Point Total for Y1 S2		75	
					Total Credit Points Year One	175

YEAR TWO						
Semester One			Semester Two			
Unit Number	Unit Title	Credit Points	Unit Number	Unit Title	Credit Points	
LAWS2510	Criminal Law A	25	LAWS2520	Criminal Law B	25	
LAWS2110	Contract Law A	25	LAWS2120	Contract Law B	25	
LAWS2210	Torts A	25	LAWS2220	Torts B	25	
PS221	Social Psychology	25	PS225	Culture and Society	25	
PS264	Psychology of Work	25	PS235	Health Psychology	25	
Credit Point Total for Y2 S1		125	Credit Point Total for Y2 S2		125	
					Total Credit Points Year Two	250

YEAR THREE						
Semester One			Semester Two			
Unit Number	Unit Title	Credit Points	Unit Number	Unit Title	Credit Points	
LAWS1040	Ethics and the Law	25	TH101	Introduction to Theology	25	
LAWS2410	Property Law A	25	LAWS2420	Property Law B	25	
PS315	Professional Practice	25	PS311	Research Methods & Practice	25	
PS393	Community: Policy and Development	25	PS394	Behavioural Science Internship	25	
Credit Point Total for Y3 S1		100	Credit Point Total for Y3 S2		100	
					Total Credit Points Year Three	200

YEAR FOUR					
Semester One			Semester Two		
Unit Number	Unit Title	Credit Points	Unit Number	Unit Title	Credit Points
LAWS3600	Advocacy	25	LAWS3001	Evidence	25
LAWS3003	Constitutional Law	25	LAWS3002	Administrative Law	25
LAWS2310	Equity	25	LAWS2320	Trusts	25
LAWS3210	Corporations & Partnerships	25		Law Elective One	25
Credit Point Total for Y4 S1			Credit Point Total for Y4 S2		
100			100		
					Total Credit Points Year Four
					200

YEAR FIVE					
Semester One			Semester Two		
Unit Number	Unit Title	Credit Points	Unit Number	Unit Title	Credit Points
LAWS4050	Remedies	25	LAWS3500	Legal Philosophy	25
LAWS4001	Civil Procedure	25	LAWS4620	Alternative Dispute Resolution	25
LAWS4200	Public International Law/	25	LAWS4710	Commercial Practice & Ethics	25
LAWS4020	Comparative Law/				
LAWS4030	Private International Law (Elective Two)				
	Law Elective Three	25		Law Elective Four	25
Credit Point Total for Y5 S1			Credit Point Total for Y5 S2		
100			100		
					Total Credit Points Year Five
					200
					TOTAL COURSE CREDIT POINTS:
					1025



APPENDIX B: Accelerated Mode Course Structure for Bachelor of Laws (Honours)/Bachelor of Behavioural Science

YEAR ONE						
Semester One			Semester Two			
Unit Number	Unit Title	Credit Points	Unit Number	Unit Title	Credit Points	
LAWS1000	Legal Research & Writing	25	LAWS1020	Legal History	25	
LAWS1010	Legal Process & Statutory Interpretation	25	PH100	Introduction to Philosophy	25	
AB100	Aboriginal People	25	PS100	Developmental Psychology	25	
PS103	Introduction to Behavioural Science	25				
Credit Point Total for Y1 S1		100	Credit Point Total for Y1 S2		75	
					Total Credit Points Year One	175

YEAR TWO						
Semester One			Semester Two			
Unit Number	Unit Title	Credit Points	Unit Number	Unit Title	Credit Points	
LAWS2510	Criminal Law A	25	LAWS2520	Criminal Law B	25	
LAWS2110	Contract Law A	25	LAWS2120	Contract Law B	25	
LAWS2210	Torts A	25	LAWS2220	Torts B	25	
PS221	Social Psychology	25	PS225	Culture and Society	25	
PS264	Psychology of Work	25	PS235	Health Psychology	25	
Credit Point Total for Y2 S1		125	Credit Point Total for Y2 S2		125	
					Total Credit Points Year Two	250

YEAR THREE						
Semester One			Semester Two			
Unit Number	Unit Title	Credit Points	Unit Number	Unit Title	Credit Points	
LAWS1040	Ethics and the Law	25	TH101	Introduction to Theology	25	
LAWS2410	Property Law A	25	LAWS2420	Property Law B	25	
PS315	Professional Practice	25	PS311	Research Methods & Practice	25	
PS393	Community: Policy and Development	25	PS394	Behavioural Science Internship	25	
Credit Point Total for Y3 S1		100	Credit Point Total for Y3 S2		100	
					Total Credit Points Year Three	200

YEAR FOUR					
Semester One			Semester Two		
Unit Number	Unit Title	Credit Points	Unit Number	Unit Title	Credit Points
LAWS3600	Advocacy	25	LAWS3001	Evidence	25
LAWS3003	Constitutional Law	25	LAWS3002	Administrative Law	25
LAWS2310	Equity	25	LAWS2320	Trusts	25
LAWS3210	Corporations & Partnerships	25		Law Elective One	25
Credit Point Total for Y4 S1			Credit Point Total for Y4 S2		
100			100		
					Total Credit Points Year Four
					200

YEAR FIVE					
Semester One			Semester Two		
Unit Number	Unit Title	Credit Points	Unit Number	Unit Title	Credit Points
LAWS4050	Remedies	25	LAWS3500	Legal Philosophy	25
LAWS4001	Civil Procedure	25	LAWS4620	Alternative Dispute Resolution	25
LAWS4200	Public International Law/		LAWS4710	Commercial Practice & Ethics	25
LAWS4020	Comparative Law/ Private		LAWS4411	Advanced Research Project B	25
LAWS4030	International Law (Elective Two)	25			
LAWS4410	Advanced Research Project A	25			
Credit Point Total for Y5 S1			Credit Point Total for Y5 S2		
100			100		
					Total Credit Points Year Five
					200
					TOTAL COURSE CREDIT POINTS:
					1025