

# Bachelor of / Bachelor of Laws / Criminology and Justice



LOCATION	ENTRY THRESHOLD	QTAC CODE	START
Sunshine Coast	70.00	018311	Semester 1, Semester 2
Moreton Bay	70.00	014813	Semester 1, Semester 2

Make a difference in the justice system. You'll study a range of criminology courses, forming an understanding of Australia's criminal justice system and what motivates criminal behaviour. Cover all the academic courses required for admission as a legal practitioner in Australia and learn about social justice, ethics and law reform.

In this program you will:

- Research answers to legal problems, prepare advice, present legal arguments, observe court proceedings, and take part in simulated court presentations
- Understand legal institutions and processes, and examine fair and effective methods of crime prevention
- Choose from specialist courses in criminal profiling and intelligence, youth justice and restorative justice, homicide and forensic science, international justice and more

Career opportunities

- Legal research
- Law reform research and policy
- Development
- Advocacy
- Political advising
- Corruption
- White collar crime investigations
- Prosecutions
- Crime prevention

Accreditation

The degree is an approved academic qualification for admission to the legal profession. Graduates must undertake a further period of practical legal training before being admitted as a legal practitioner.

Duration

5 years

Full-time or equivalent part-time

Indicative 2024 fees

A\$16,320 - 2024 Fees (CSP)

Fees are indicative only and will change based on courses selected and are subject to yearly increases

Prerequisites

English (Units 3 and 4, C)

Delivery mode

Blended Learning

Total courses

40

Total units

480

UniSC program code

AR396

## Program structure

Law courses

Introductory courses (4) 48 units

LAW101 Foundations of Australian Law A

LAW102 Foundations of Australian Law B

LAW103 Criminal Law and Procedure A

LAW104 Criminal Law and Procedure B

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Developing and Graduate courses (21) 252 units

14 required courses (168 units):

LAW201 Torts A  
LAW202 Torts B  
LAW203 Contracts A  
LAW204 Contracts B  
LAW205 Property A  
LAW206 Property B  
LAW301 Constitutional Law  
LAW302 Equity & Trusts  
LAW303 Corporations Law  
LAW304 Civil Procedure  
LAW401 Administrative Law  
LAW402 Professional Conduct  
LAW403 Evidence  
LAW404 Regulation

PLUS select 7 elective courses (84 units) from:

*Not all electives are offered every year. For a list of current Law elective courses click [HERE](#).*

LAW307 Commercial Law  
LAW310 Children & the Law  
LAW311 Law Professional Practice  
LAW312 Competition and Consumer Law  
LAW318 Advocacy  
LAW405 Legal Dispute Resolution  
LAW407 Elder Law and Succession  
LAW408 Intellectual Property  
LAW410 Public International Law  
LAW412 International Human Rights Law  
LAW414 Legal Internship  
LAW415 Sports Law  
LAW417 Employment Law  
LAW418 Health Law  
LAW419 Family Law  
LAW422 Cultural Legal Studies

The following 2 elective courses (24 units) are only available to students who have been accepted into honours in Law:

LAW440 Honours Research Methods, Design and Confirmation  
LAW441 Law Honours Thesis

Criminology courses

Introductory courses (6) 72 units

CRM101 Introduction to Criminology  
CRM102 Understanding Crime  
CRM103 Punishment and Corrections  
CRM105 Policing  
SCS101 Foundations of Human Behaviour  
SCS110 Australian Society: How does(n't) it work? - An Introduction to Sociology

Developing and Graduate courses (5) 60 units

CRM204 Applied Crime Prevention  
CRM206 Professional Development  
CRM304 Professional Ethics and Integrity Management  
CRM308 Diversity, Crime and Justice  
SCS225 Social Research

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Elective courses (4) 48 units

Select 4 discipline elective courses (48 units) from:

CRM201 Criminal Profiling & Intelligence

CRM203 Homicide, Investigations & Forensic Science

JST202 International Justice and Human Rights

CRM302 Youth Justice & Restorative Justice

CRM305 Professional Placement

CRM307 Crime Research Methods ^

CRM309 Working with Victims and Offenders

CRM310 Introduction to Cyber Crime

^CRM307 is a recommended course for students wishing to enrol in the Bachelor of Criminology and Justice (Honours) program.

Note: Program structures are subject to change. Not all UniSC courses are available on every UniSC campus.