

Open doors to a  
high-powered  
career in

# law and accounting



## Bachelor of Laws / Bachelor of Commerce (Accounting)

Get ready to take your seat in the boardroom with a specialised double degree designed to give you the skills and knowledge sought after by large legal and accounting firms. During your studies, you'll build core knowledge across the legal and accountancy disciplines, and develop advanced skills in communication, analytical thinking and problem solving that will give you an edge in the graduate job market.

Law Honours is available, usually without extending the time required to complete your degree.

In this program you will:

- Study all the academic courses required for admission as a legal practitioner in Australia, including criminal and commercial law, torts, contracts and constitutional law
- Learn about financial and company accounting, taxation law, auditing, financial management and more
- Build practical legal skills by preparing advice, presenting legal arguments and observing court proceedings
- Have the opportunity to work with clients under legal supervision in a law practice, or undertake an internship

### Career opportunities

Solicitor, barrister, company secretary, accountant, auditor, stockbroker, careers with an accounting or law focus.

Graduates are eligible to become members of:

- CPA Australia
- Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand
- Institute of Public Accountants

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

### About USC

USC is located on the Sunshine Coast, 90km north of Brisbane, Queensland. It's one of Australia's premier destinations with beautiful beaches, subtropical hinterland and warm weather all year round.

USC is a relaxed campus with modern facilities, green spaces and lots of kangaroos.

### LOCATION

Sunshine Coast

### CRICOS CODE

081024K

### PROGRAM LENGTH

5 years

### COMMENCE

Semester 1, Semester 2

### ANNUAL TUITION FEE

A\$24,000

### ESTIMATED TOTAL TUITION FEE

A\$120,000

### MORE INFORMATION

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Note: Study options and semester of offer can vary depending on the study location. For full details, visit [usc.edu.au](http://usc.edu.au).



Rise, and shine.

## PROGRAM STRUCTURE

### Law courses

#### Introductory courses (5) 60 units

**COR109** Communication and Thought  
**LAW101** Foundations of Australian Law A  
**LAW102** Foundations of Australian Law B  
**LAW103** Criminal Law and Procedure A  
**LAW104** Criminal Law and Procedure B

#### Developing and Graduate courses (20) 240 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 6 elective courses (72 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  
**LAW313** Building & Construction Law  
**LAW315** Indigenous Legal Issues  
**LAW318** Advocacy  
**LAW405** Legal Dispute Resolution  
**LAW406** Planning and Environment Law  
**LAW407** Elder Law and Succession  
**LAW408** Intellectual Property  
**LAW409** Taxation  
**LAW410** Public International Law  
**LAW411** Private International Law  
**LAW412** International Human Rights Law  
**LAW414** Legal Internship  
**LAW415** Sports Law  
**LAW416** International Commercial Disputes  
**LAW417** Employment Law  
**LAW418** Health Law  
**LAW419** Family Law  
**LAW420** Anti-Discrimination Law  
**LAW421** Cyber Laws and the Rules of Evidence

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

Please note: Semester offerings for Law elective courses are subject to change and are dependent on student demand. For more information on elective availability please contact your Program Coordinator.

### Commerce courses

#### Introductory courses (5) 60 units

**ACC106** Accounting Principles  
**BUS101** Exploring Business Research  
**BUS102** Introduction to Economics  
**BUS108** Introduction to Informatics

#### Developing and Graduate courses (10) 120 units

**ACC210** Financial Accounting  
**ACC211** Business Finance  
**ACC221** Company Accounting  
**ACC310** Management Accounting  
**ACC311** Taxation Law and Practice  
**ACC320** Contemporary Accounting Issues  
**ACC321** Auditing and Professional Practice  
**BUS306** World of Work: Your Pathway to Employment  
**BUS320** Business, Governance and Society

PLUS select 2 developing or graduate level (200 or 300 coded) elective courses (24 units) from the USC Business School.

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