

Bachelor of / Bachelor of Laws / Criminology and Justice



LOCATION

Sunshine Coast

START

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.

CRICOS Code
088619D

Duration
5 years

Only a full-time option is available to international students on a Student visa. Online programs are not available to Student visa holders.

Indicative 2025 fees
A\$32,420
Annual fee

Tuition fees are reviewed each calendar year. The fee you must pay for a given teaching period is that which has been approved by UniSC for the calendar year in which the teaching period commences

Prerequisites
English (Units 3 and 4, C)

Delivery mode
Blended Learning, Online with mandatory onsite requirements

Total courses
40

Total units
480

UniSC program code
AR396

Program structure

Introductory courses (11) 132 units

LAW100 Introduction to Law
LAW105 Legal Interpretation and Persuasion
LAW106 Torts
LAW107 Criminal Law and Procedure
LAW108 Law and Society
CRM101 Introduction to Criminology
CRM102 Understanding Crime
CRM103 Punishment and Corrections
CRM105 Policing

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SCS101 Foundations of Human Behaviour
SCS110 Australian Society: How does(n't) it work? - An Introduction to Sociology

Developing courses (9) 108 units

LAW205 Property A
LAW206 Property B
LAW207 Constitutional Law
LAW208 Contract Law
LAW209 International Law
LAW210 Civil Procedure
CRM204 Applied Crime Prevention
CRM206 Professional Development
SCS225 Social Research

Graduate courses (10) 120 units

LAW302 Equity & Trusts
LAW303 Corporations Law
LAW320 Administrative Law
LAW321 Evidence
CRM304 Professional Ethics and Integrity Management
CRM308 Diversity, Crime and Justice
LAW400 Negotiation and Dispute Resolution
LAW402 Professional Conduct
LAW423 Community Legal Practice
LAW426 Legal Research Project

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

Required courses from a specified list: (4) 48 units

Select a total of 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

Law Extended Minor 72 units

Select 1 Law Extended Minor from:

Advocacy and Litigation
Civil Obligations
Specialised Legal

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

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