

# What is Legal Profession **Admission Board (LPAB)**

LPAB determines the eligibility and suitability of people seeking to be admitted as a lawyer in the New South Wales Australia. LPAB also provides assessment of the foreign academic qualification in law for the purpose of admission to the Australian legal profession.

#### **Benefits for LPAB Assessment**

Since 2017, UTS started to grant credit recognition to international students with foreign academic qualification in law. For details, please refer to Credit Recognition Procedures, UTS Student Rules-Credit Recognition, Credit Recognition Policy and Recognition of Prior Learning. Visit gsu.uts.edu.au/rules/student/ section-6.html

It is not compulsory for international students to apply for the assessment on their foreign law qualification or practical legal training (PLT) qualification by the LPAB. However, international students who have their foreign law qualification or their PLT qualification assessed by the LPAB will be considered by the UTS law faculty for recognition of prior learning.

## Questions?

You can contact us on law.international@uts.edu.au

Visit our website on law.uts.edu.au/future





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# How to Apply

#### PREPARE U



Prepare the required documents (in English and certified) (e.g. certificate of degree; academic transcript; course outlines)

#### COMPLETE U



Complete Form 16 for the assessment of academic studies or Form 17 for the assessment of PLT qualification

Forms available at: Ipab.justice.nsw.gov.au

#### SUBMIT **U**



Submit the application to the LPAB by emailing one single PDF digital file to Ipab@justice.nsw.gov.au and pay the assessment fee (the fee in 2021 is AUD\$330 for each assessment)

## **ASSESSMENT U**



LPAB will assess the application based on the information submitted and determine what additional subjects are required. A letter with assessment result will be issued by the LPAB in approx. 6-8 weeks

#### COMPLETE (=)



Complete the UTS Credit Recognition Form and submit the application together with the LPAB assessment letter and all other required documents to UTS International Office