

# Juris Doctor Program

Go beyond the textbook and experience law firsthand. Our focus on real world-scenarios mean you'll learn how to reason, analyse and negotiate like the professionals. You'll graduate from the degree with the practical skills needed for a thriving legal career.

## About UTS Law

UTS Law is a dynamic and innovative law school. We have achieved great success for the quality of legal education and research in a relatively short history.



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**Top Young University  
in Australia**

Times Higher Education (THE) 2023

7<sup>th</sup>

**UTS Law ranked 7th  
law school in Australia**

QS World University Rankings  
by Subject 2021

## Why study the Juris Doctor at UTS?

### Learn from practising lawyers, solicitors and barristers

With a team of academics who are experts in the industry and have a wealth of experience, you can rest assured you'll gain the knowledge and skills needed for a successful career in law. It also means you'll begin building your professional network from day one.

### Choose from multiple elective streams

Whether you want to be a master of migration law or an expert in environmental ethics, you have the opportunity to make the course your own with our range of electives on offer. Find out more at [uts.ac/jd-electives](https://uts.ac/jd-electives)

### Study how you want, when you want

we offer daytime or evening classes for core subjects, online and block study for selected electives and intensive summer sessions to help you juggle study, work and life. Need more? Our lectures are recorded, so if you miss a class, you can catch up in your own time.

## 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. 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.



## How to Apply

### PREPARE ↓

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

### COMPLETE ↓

Complete **A1** for the assessment of academic studies or **P1** for the assessment of PLT qualification

Forms available at: [lpab.justice.nsw.gov.au/Pages/forms-fees/forms-and-fees.aspx](https://lpab.justice.nsw.gov.au/Pages/forms-fees/forms-and-fees.aspx)

### SUBMIT ↓

Submit the application to the LPAB by emailing one single PDF digital file to [lpab.justice.nsw.gov.au/Pages/forms-fees/fees.aspx](https://lpab.justice.nsw.gov.au/Pages/forms-fees/fees.aspx) and pay the assessment fee (the fee in 2023 is AUD\$340 for each assessment)

### ASSESSMENT ↓

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

	Juris Doctor (JD)	Juris Doctor Graduate Certificate Trade Mark Law and Practice (JDGCTMLP)	Juris Doctor Master of Business Administration (JDMBA)
<b>Is this for me?</b>	I want to be a practising lawyer	I want to be a practising lawyer and register as a trade marks attorney	I want a world-class business and law postgraduate qualification
<b>Full-time option</b>	3 years	3.5 years	4 years
<b>Number of subjects</b>	21	23	29
<b>Structure</b>	<b>144 credit points</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– 15 JD core subjects (108cp)</li> <li>– 1 legal theory option (6cp)</li> <li>– 5 JD options (30cp)</li> </ul>	<b>156 credit points</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– 15 JD core subjects (108cp)</li> <li>– 4 Trade Mark Law and Practice subjects (24cp)</li> <li>– 1 legal theory option (6cp)</li> <li>– 3 JD options (18cp)</li> </ul>	<b>192 credit points</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– 13 JD core subjects (96cp)</li> <li>– 8 MBA core subjects (48cp)</li> <li>– 4 MBA Business Law subjects (24cp)</li> <li>– 3 JD Options (18cp)</li> <li>– 1 legal theory option (6cp)</li> </ul>
<b>How is it taught?</b>	<b>Core JD subjects</b> – weekly on-campus classes taught in the day or evening <b>JD Options</b> – mixture of on-campus, block or online classes	<b>Core JD subjects</b> – weekly on-campus classes taught in the day or evening <b>IP subjects</b> – offered 100% online <b>JD Options</b> – mixture of on-campus, block or online classes	<b>Core JD and MBA subjects</b> – weekly on-campus classes taught in the day or evening <b>JD Options</b> – mixture of on-campus, block or online classes
<b>When can I start?</b>	Autumn and Spring sessions		
<b>Entry requirements</b>	A UTS recognised bachelor's degree, or an equivalent or higher qualification with a minimum GPA of 4.5 out of 7. In addition, IELTS Academic overall score of 6.5 with 6.0 in writing		
<b>Tuition fees</b>	Tuition fees for international students vary between courses, and from year to year. Visit <a href="https://bit.ly/3kblDgz">bit.ly/3kblDgz</a> to view full fee details.		
<b>Scholarships</b>	UTS has a range of scholarships and grants available for high-achieving commencing and current international students - like you! Visit <a href="https://bit.ly/3xBgq6D">bit.ly/3xBgq6D</a> to view our full range of scholarships.		

## Questions?

You can contact us on [law.international@uts.edu.au](mailto:law.international@uts.edu.au)

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