

LLB with Honours – 2017 entry

Duration of programme: 4 years

Award on successful completion: Bachelor of Laws with Honours

Location of delivery: Abertay University, Bell Street, Dundee

Accreditation: The Law Society of Scotland; The Faculty of Advocates

Composition of the programme: 120 SCQF (Scottish Credit and Qualifications Framework) credits in each academic year, delivered in modules of 20 credits each, with 3 modules taken in term 1, and 3 in term 2 each year. In years 1 and 2, students have the opportunity to take modules outside their main subject. A 40 credit independent dissertation is included in the final year.

Contact hours and workload: Each academic year typically requires 1200 hours of student effort; on average across the 4 years of this programme, 24% of that time is in lectures, seminars and similar activities; the remainder is independent study.

Assessment methods: This programme uses exams, class tests, coursework, presentations, mooting, and a range of practical oral and written assessments which develop students' ability to present sophisticated arguments and complex information. Examinations or class tests feature in the majority of accredited subjects in Years 1-3.

Academic staff: This programme is delivered by staff in the Division of Law in Dundee Business School. Staff profiles can be viewed at <http://www.abertay.ac.uk/studentlife/schools/dbs/staff/>

Core modules in the programme:
Business Organisations
Business Transactions
Contract Law
Criminal Law
EU Law
Family Law
Law of Delict
Law of Evidence
Law of Succession & Trusts
Legal Philosophy & Human Rights
Legal Systems & Legal Method
Property Law (including Conveyancing)
Public Law
Other modules that may be offered, but are subject to change over time:
Competition Law
Employment Law
EU Labour Law
Private International Law
Information Law & Information Security
Intellectual Property Law

Investor Protection Law
Work Placement

Developments in the discipline

The LLB degree is accredited by the Law Society of Scotland and The Faculty of Advocates who may, from time to time, review core content of this degree. The core modules listed above comply with the current requirements (November 2015) of these professional bodies.