Graduate Certificate in Applied Law

As part of this course, you can choose a major, or opt to complete the course without a major.

Commercial major: Learn the intricacies of laws directly relevant to business or commercial transactions. Choose from topics that match your career aspirations, such as: banking and finance law, intellectual property, consumer protection, estate planning, corporate insolvency, public law, privacy law, cyber law, privacy law or insurance laws.

Project Management major: Designed specifically for engineers, senior managers, mining executives and contract administrators, our project management major gives you powerful insight into emerging issues within exciting areas such as environmental, natural resources and energy law.

Health Law major: A hospital, clinic, office, gym, or on a sports field - it doesn’t matter where your health job is, if you’re involved in the health industry and want to know more about the laws governing your work place, consider studying health law at QUT. The core units in both the graduate certificate and masters offer an introduction to the common law system and health law ethics. These are critical to understanding the context of health law within the legal system. Navigate health law issues in your workplace and manage legal risk.

No major: For flexibility and to tailor your learning to your interests and career aspirations, you can select from any units on offer to complete the course without a major.

Why choose this course?
Law affects every aspect of our work. But not everyone has a working knowledge of crucial legal issues. If you haven’t studied law before, this course will give you a grounding in the law relevant to your professional practice.

You can tailor your learning to your career and choose from majors in health law, project management or commercial law. Or for more flexibility, choose to complete the course without a specific major.

Christine Moody, Founder and Brand Management Expert, Brand Audits

Apply theory to real-world projects

‘In my role, it is very important to stay current and QUT helped me to do this. I was able to apply the theory I studied to real-world projects I was working on in my business. The teaching staff were amazing and I learnt something different from each of my lecturers and tutors.’
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Entry requirements

Academic entry requirements
A completed recognised bachelor degree (or higher award) in any of the following areas or relevant disciplines:

- business
- criminology
- criminal justice
- engineering
- justice
- urban development; or

A completed recognised:
- bachelor honours degree, graduate certificate (or higher award) in any discipline; or
- bachelor degree (or higher award) in a relevant discipline plus a minimum of one year full-time relevant recognised professional experience; or
- associate degree or advanced diploma in any discipline plus a minimum of three years full-time relevant professional work experience; or
- diploma in any discipline plus four years full-time relevant recognised professional work experience; or

Successful completion of a minimum of four units (full-time, one semester) in a recognised coursework masters degree in any discipline.

Minimum English requirements
Students must meet the English proficiency requirements.

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Course structure

The Graduate Certificate in Applied Law is made up of 4 units (48 credit points)

The Generic and Commercial Law Major consists of: 2 core units and 2 Law elective units.

Project Management Major consists of: 3 core units and 1 Law elective unit.

Unit Information: Law elective units are available internally face to face and or externally online. Please check individual unit outlines to determine which units are available in external mode. Some elective units are offered in alternate years.