



LAW

# LAW

Annual Intake: 180

## WHY STUDY LAW AT BRUNEL?

- ★ A vibrant, friendly and supportive academic community with students and staff from the UK and over 100 countries.
- ★ Opportunities for skills development through extra-curricular activities such as our newly founded law clinic, the moot team and international exchange programmes.
- ★ Access to our award-winning Placement and Careers Centre for professional development support, which enhances the School's impressively high graduate employment rate (84%).
- ★ Robust student support services including a dedicated law study skills tutor and free in-sessional English language support for international students.
- ★ A dedicated law library with access to online resources such as Hein Online, LexisNexis and Westlaw.
- ★ Study in a London law school situated in a campus-based university featuring over 100 clubs and societies, some of the best sports facilities of any university in the city, and competitively priced, modern on-campus accommodation.
- ★ Exposure to the latest developments in legal thought through our seven research groups and to a network of leaders in industry, academia and our growing international alumni body.

## COURSES AT A GLANCE

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Lauren graduated from the LLB in 2011



I chose Brunel Law School because of its award winning placement service, which provided me with clarity concerning which areas of law I would specialise in at the end of my degree.

Brunel Law School also offers a wide range of extra-curricular activities to keep you motivated and make you stand out, which range from reading groups, to mooting, to film groups.

All Brunel staff are approachable and all provide their own character to teaching, which makes attending their lectures both enjoyable and interesting.

Thanks to the support given at Brunel I feel prepared for the rest of my journey, and ready to step out into the world of work.



## ENTRY CRITERIA

GCE A-level AAB (General Studies/  
Critical Thinking not accepted)

**Advanced Diploma Progression**  
Diploma Grade A in Society, Health  
and Development, Business,  
Administration and Finance or Public  
Services, plus an A-level at Grade B  
in a relevant academic subject for  
Additional and Specialist Learning  
(Extended Project Qualification  
in a relevant subject preferred)

**BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma**  
D\*D\*D\* in Business or Public Services

**IBDP** 35 points

**Access Pass** in Law, including  
Distinction for all Level 3 units

For all of the above, 5 GCSEs  
at Grade C or above are also  
required, including English  
(please note that these must have  
been gained by the time you  
submit your UCAS application)

## MODES OF STUDY/ UCAS CODES

**M103** 3-YEARS FULL-TIME  
**M101** 4-YEARS THICK-SANDWICH

# Law LLB

**Check the Web for up-to-date course,  
entry criteria and fees information.**

## ABOUT THE COURSE

The School offers a vibrant,  
friendly and supportive  
academic community  
where students transform  
an interest in law into  
a lifelong passion. The  
School offers two options  
for undergraduate study,  
the LLB Law and the LLB  
Law with Professional  
Placement (Thick-Sandwich).

We teach law as a single  
subject so that students may  
gain a solid and grounded  
foundation in law, resulting  
in confident graduates ready  
to meet the challenges of  
further study or professional  
life. The Brunel LLB is a  
qualifying law degree  
featuring core modules that  
satisfy the requirements of  
the Law Society and the Bar  
Council. Final year students  
take charge of their degree  
by tailoring their studies  
to the areas of law they  
wish to explore and gain a  
deeper understanding of.

If you take the four-year  
sandwich route, the Law  
Society may credit your  
work experience against  
the solicitors' two year  
traineeship requirement.

## COURSE CONTENT

All students take a core  
set of modules. At Level 3  
you will take a number of  
law options and you will  
also study a particular area  
of law in depth for your  
major final year project

## TYPICAL MODULES

### Level 1 Core

- Contract Law
- Criminal Law
- English Legal Institutions  
and Method
- Public Law

### Level 2 Core

- European Union Law
- Land Law
- Tort Law
- Trusts

### Level 3 Core

- Dissertation

### Level 3 Options

The following are examples  
of other modules that may be  
available. These can change  
from year to year and there is  
no guarantee that an option  
will run in any particular year.

- Banking Law
- Children and the Law
- Company Law
- Competition Law
- Consumer Law
- Criminology
- Employment Law
- Evidence
- Family Law
- Intellectual Property Law
- International Human Rights
- International Law
- International  
Minority Rights
- Jurisprudence
- Modern Legal History
- Sentencing and Penology
- Taxation of Income

## CONTACT

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## TEACHING AND ASSESSMENT

You will be taught through various methods such as lectures, tutorials, workshops and seminars and you will receive one-to-one supervision in your final year project.

Assessment is by a combination of essays, projects, presentations, audiovisual production and examination.

At Levels 1 and 2, all courses are assessed by essay and examination. At Level 3, all courses except the major project are assessed by essay and examination. Essays are designed to help you learn and practise skills in legal analysis and expression.

## EMPLOYABILITY

84% of our graduates are in employment or further study. While most students study law with a view to progress into the legal profession, some students opt to study law as a first degree as a foundation for careers in the corporate world, government or international relations-related professions. Graduates can take advantage of the professional exemptions available with a Brunel Law Degree, and train to become barristers or solicitors.

Regular career events for law students are offered by the University's award-winning Placement and Careers Service and the School avidly supports the professional development of our students.

## PLACEMENTS

Students who complete the thick-sandwich course will be awarded their degree 'with Professional Placement'

## CAREERS

Opportunities for law graduates arise in a wide range of activities. You may take advantage of your professional exemptions and train to become a barrister or solicitor, but your degree could take you into careers other than law, including mediation, consultancy, industry, commerce, public administration, the social services, management and humanitarian aid.



Although we are a research-intensive school, students are always at the heart of everything we do. Your lecturers will challenge you to grapple with cutting-edge legal concepts and encourage you to advance your skills by participating in events hosted by our research centres and groups as well as our exciting extracurricular activities such as mootings, pro-bono and reading and film groups.

Our lecturers are there to support you and are committed to helping you fulfil your potential.

From left to right, with Christine Riefa, Senior Lecturer, in the centre:

Dr Alexandra Xanthaki,  
Reader in Law

Dr Dimitrios Giannouloupoulos,  
Law Lecturer

Dr Stavroula Karapapa,  
Law Lecturer

Dr Gerard Conway,  
Law Lecturer

Dr Shabir Korotana,  
Law Lecturer

Dr Holger Sutschet,  
Law Lecturer