# Bachelor of Laws (Honours)/Bachelor of Criminology COURSE CODE: LHCR

CAMPUS	City Campus (CC) and Online Real Time (ORT)
COLLEGE	College of Arts, Business, Law, Education and IT
STUDY MODE	Full Time or Part Time
DURATION	4.5 years Full Time or Part Time equivalent
FEE TYPE	For information on course fees, refer to http://vu.edu.au/fees
APPLICATION METHOD	VTAC - https://vtac.edu.au Direct Application - https://gotovu.custhelp.com/app/landing
TIMETABLE	vu.edu.au/timetables
COURSE REQUIREMENTS	To attain the awards of Bachelor of Law (Hons) / Bachelor of Criminology students will be required to complete in total 432 credit points consisting of:  • 96 credit points of First Year Core studies  • 156 credit points of Professional Core Law study  • 120 credit points of Professional Core Criminology studies  • 24 credit points of Honours units in the final year of study  • 36 credit points of Elective studies
FURTHER INFORMATION	Unit and course information is available from the University course search site at http://vu.edu.au/course-search or go to https://askvu.vu.edu.au or Phone VUHQ on 03 9919 6100
COURSE CHAIR	Upeka Perera Brandy Cochrane
COURSE ADVICE	AskCUA https://askvu.vu.edu.au/app/askcua

**Note:** Students are required to enrol in all units for semester 1 and 2, and are not permitted to enrol in more than 48 credit points per semester as a full-time load.

Core/Elective Core (a unit that must be completed) & Elective (you have some choice in what you select).

**Prerequisites** A number of units within the degree have 'prerequisites'. These prerequisites must be met before enrolment in the unit is permitted. Generally these prerequisites require the successful completion of a unit or units taken at an earlier stage in the course. Students should pay particular attention to these prerequisite requirements as failure to meet these can seriously hinder progression through the course.

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
BLB1101	Australian Legal System in Context	Core	1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B2	12	CC	
BLB1114	Legal Research Methods	Core	1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3, WB1	12	CC	
			1B2		ORT	
LCR1001	Introduction to Criminology	Core	1B1, 1B3, 2B1	12	CC	
LCR1002	Policing and Offending	Core	1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4	12	CC	
BLB1102	Contracts 1	Core	1B1, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4	12	CC	BLB1101, BLB1114
			2B2		ORT	
BLB1115	Torts	Core	1B1, 1B2, 2B3, 2B4	12	CC	BLB1102, BLB1114
			2B4		ORT	
LLW1001	Criminal Law	Core	1B1, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4	12	CC	BLB1101, BLB1114
			1B3		ORT	
LLW1002	Criminal Investigation, Procedure and Sentencing	Core	1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B4	12	CC	BLB1101, BLB1114
			2B3		ORT	

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BLB2125	Real Property Law	Core	1B1, 1B3, 1B4, 2B2, 2B4	12	CC	6 Level 1 Law units
			1B1, 2B1		ORT	
LLW1004	Legal Interpretation	Core	1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4	12	CC	BLB1114
			1B4		ORT	
LCR2002	History of Criminal Law and Trials	Core	1B2, 2B2	12	CC	
			1B2, 1B4, 2B4		ORT	
LLW1003	Legal Writing and Drafting	Core	1B4, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4	12	CC	BLB1101, BLB1114
			2B1		ORT	
LCR2003	Criminological Theory	Core	1B1, 2B1	12	CC	BLB1114; or ASL1003; or LCR1001; or ABA1003
			1B4		ORT	
LCR1003	Crime and Inequality	Core	2B1, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4	12	CC	
LCR2001	Corporate Crime	Core	1B1, 1B2	12	CC	LCR1001
			1B1, 2B4		ORT	
LCR2004	Digital Criminology	Core	1B3	12	CC	
			1B1, 2B2, 2B4		ORT	

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LLW2005	Constitutional Law	Core	1B1, 1B2, 2B1, 2B2, SB1	12	CC	6 Level 1 Law units
			1B4, 2B4		ORT	
LLW2008	Commercial Law	Core	1B1, 1B3, 2B1, 2B3	12	CC	BLB1102; and 5 Level 1 Law units
			1B2, 1B4, 2B2, 2B4		ORT	
LCR3002	Crime Across Borders	Core	1B3, WB1	12	CC	
			WB1		ORT	
LLW2004	Corporations Law	Core	1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3, SB1	12	CC	6 Level 1 Law units
			1B1, 2B4		ORT	
LLW3000	Australian Administrative Law	Core	1B2, 2B1, 2B3, WB1	12	CC	LLW2005; and 6 Level 1 Law units
			1B3, 2B4, SB1		ORT	
LCR3004	Victims, Justice and the Law	Core	1B3, 2B3	12	CC, ORT	
LLW3008	Equity and Trusts	Core	1B1, 1B2, 2B3	12	CC	BLB2125; and 6 Level 1 Law units
			1B4, 2B1, 2B2		ORT	
	Law Elective 1	Elective		12		

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	Law Elective 2	Elective		12		
LCR3001	Contemporary Issues in Criminology	Core	1B2, 2B1	12	CC	
			1B2		ORT	
LLW3009	Lawyers' Ethics and Professional Responsibility	Core	1B1, 1B3, 2B3, WB1	12	CC	6 Level 1 Law units
			1B2, 2B1, 2B4		ORT	
LCR3901	Crime Research and Methods	Core	1B1, 2B1, 2B3	12	CC	LCR2003; or ASL2002; and LCR3001
LCR3902	Research Project	Core	2B2, 2B4	12	CC	LCR3901
			1B2		ORT	
LLW4007	Evidence	Core	1B2, 2B1, WB1	12	CC	LLW1001; and LLW1002; and 4 Level 1 Law units
			1B1, 1B4, 2B2, 2B3		ORT	
LLW4008	Internships and Law Practice	Core	1B2, 1B4, 2B3, 2B4	12	ORT	LLW3009; and 6 Level 1 Law units
LLW4000	Civil Procedure	Core	1B3, 1B4, 2B4, SB1	12	CC	6 Level 1 Law units
			1B2, 2B1, 2B2		ORT	

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LLW5900	Advanced Legal Research Methods	Core	1B1, 2B1	12	ORT	Must be enrolled in course LHCR, LHGE, LHLA, LHLA, LHLB, LHLW or LHWP
LLW5901	Advanced Legal Research Dissertation	Core	1B2, 2B2	12	CC	BLB1114, BLB1101, LLW5900
LLW4009	Interviewing and Advocacy	Core	1B2, 2B2, WB1	12	CC	BLB1101, BLB1114, LLW3009
			1B3, 2B3		ORT	
	Law Elective 3	Elective		12		

#### **Law Electives**

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
BLB3129	Intellectual Property Law	Elective	SB1	12	CC	BLB1101, BLB1114
			1B3, 2B2, 2B4		ORT	
BLB3134	Taxation Law	Elective	1B2, WB1	12	ORT	BLB1101, BLB1114
BLB3136	Family Law in Society	Elective	1B2, 2B1, 2B2	12	CC	BLB1101; and BLB1114
			1B4, 2B3		ORT	
BLB4135	Australian Employment Law	Elective	1B2, 2B1	12	CC	BLB1101, BLB1114, BLB1102
			1B3, 2B3		ORT	
LLW3002	Alternative Dispute Resolution	Elective	2B2	12	CC	BLB1101
			1B1, 1B3, 2B4, WB1		ORT	
LLW3007	Australian Migration Law	Elective	1B1, 2B1	12	ORT	LLW3000
LLW3010	Australia's Visa System	Elective	2B3	12	ORT	LLW3007