Bachelor of Laws (Honours)/Bachelor of Psychology (Honours)

COURSE CODE: LHWP

| CAMPUS | City Queen (CQ) and Footscray Park (FP) |
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| COLLEGE | College of Law and Justice |
| STUDY MODE | Full Time or Part Time |
| DURATION | 6 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 Bachelor of Laws (Honours)/Bachelor of Psychology (Honours) will be required to complete 576 credit points in total consisting of: |

- 96 credit points of First Year Core units;
- 192 credit points of Professional Core Law units;
- 252 credit points of Professional Core Psychology units;
- 24 credit points of Psychology elective units;
- 12 credit points from the Psychology Honours list of electives.

To be awarded a Bachelor of Laws with Honours:

Students who enrolled in the Bachelor of Laws prior to 31 Dec 2014 may apply to undertake the unit Advanced Legal Research Dissertation in their later years in this degree based on the aggregate of points attributed to the top two thirds of units so listed shall then be calculated and a grade point average determined. Students will be further assessed on an outline of a proposed thesis topic and availability of a college based or college affiliated supervisor. Students will be awarded a Bachelor of Laws with Honours (Class H1, H2A, H2B or H3) based on their aggregate of points and overall mark in Advanced Legal Research Dissertation.

To be awarded a Bachelor of Laws (Honours) (For students enrolled post 1 January 2015): Students in any Bachelor of Laws course may apply to transfer into any Bachelor of Laws (Honours) course if the selection criteria is met.

In order to be eligible to advance to the Psychology Honours year of the course, students must achieve the stringent academic admission criteria that are required for Honours programs in Psychology. Academic admission standards are based on the average grade across all core second and third year psychology units. Students who have successfully completed the first five years of study but have not met the academic admission requirements for the Honours year will be eligible to apply to graduate with a Bachelor of Laws/ Bachelor of Psychological Studies degree. In the Psychology Honours year of study students must complete an additional six units of study (96 credit points).

| | Great points). |
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| 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 |
| COURSE ADVICE | <u>AskCUA</u> |
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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.

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|--------------|---|--------------|---|---------------|--------|---|
| APP1012 | Psychology 1A | Core | 1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B2 | 12 | FP | |
| APP1013 | Psychology 1B | Core | 1B1, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4 | 12 | FP | APP1012 |
| APP1016 | Foundations of Psychological Research | Core | 1B1, 1B3, 2B1, SB1 | 12 | FP | |
| ASX1003 | Foundations of Social Science Research | Core | 1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4 | 12 | FP | |
| BLB1101 | Australian Legal System in Context | Core | 1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B3, 2B4, SB1 | 12 | CQ | |
| BLB1114 | Legal Research Methods | Core | 1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B4, WB1 | 12 | CQ | |
| LLW1004 | Legal Interpretation | Core | 1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4 | 12 | CQ | BLB1114 |
| BLB1102 | Contracts 1 | Core | 1B1, 1B2, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4 | 12 | CQ | BLB1101, BLB1114 Plus 2 Level 1 Law units |

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| BLB1115 | Torts | Core | 1B1, 1B2, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4 | 12 | CQ | BLB1102, BLB1114 |
| LLW1001 | Criminal Law | Core | 1B1, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B3, 2B4 | 12 | CQ | BLB1101, BLB1114 |
| LLW1002 | Criminal Investigation, Procedure and Sentencing | Core | 1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4 | 12 | CQ | BLB1101, BLB1114 |
| LLW1003 | Legal Writing and Drafting | Core | 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4 | | CQ | BLB1101, BLB1114 Plus 2 Level 1 Law units |
| BLB2125 | Real Property Law | Core | 1B1, 1B3, 2B2, SB1 | 12 | CQ | 6 Level 1 Law units |
| LLW2004 | Corporations Law | Core | 1B1, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B4, SB1 | 12 | CQ | 6 Level 1 Law units |
| LLW2005 | Constitutional Law | Core | 1B1, 1B4, 2B1, 2B3 | 12 | CQ | 6 Level 1 Law units |
| LLW2008 | Commercial Law | Core | 1B2, 1B4, 2B3, 2B4 | 12 | CQ | BLB1102 Plus 5 Level 1 Law units |

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|--------------|---|--------------|---|---------------|--------|--|
| APP2013 | Psychology 2A | Core | 1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, WB1 | 12 | FP | APP1012, APP1013 |
| APP2014 | Psychology 2B | Core | 2B1, 2B2, 2B3 | 12 | FP | APP2013 |
| HPP2001 | Developmental Psychology | Core | 1B1, 1B3, 1B4 | 12 | FP | APP1012, APP1013 |
| APS2030 | Qualitative Social Research Methods 1 | Core | 1B1, 1B2, 1B4, 2B3, 2B4 | 12 | FP | APP1013 |
| LLW3000 | Australian Administrative Law | Core | 1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4, SB1 | 12 | CQ | LLW2005 Plus 6 Level 1 Law units |
| LLW3008 | Equity and Trusts | Core | 1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4, SB1 | 12 | CQ | BLB2125 Plus 6 Level 1 Law units |
| | 12 Credit Points of Psychology Electives | | | 12 | | |

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|--------------|---|--------------|---|---------------|--------|--|
| APP3028 | Fieldwork | Core | 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, WB1 | 12 | FP | APP2014 |
| APP3034 | History, Theories and Practice of Psychology | Core | 1B1, 1B2, 1B4 | 12 | FP | APP2014 and HPP2001 |
| APS2040 | Quantitative Social Research Methods 1 | Core | 2B1, 2B2, 2B3 | 12 | FP | APP1013 |
| LLW3009 | Lawyers' Ethics and Professional Responsibility | Core | 1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4, WB1 | 12 | CQ | 6 Level 1 Law units |
| LLW4000 | Civil Procedure | Core | 1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B3, 2B4, SB1 | 12 | CQ | 6 Level 1 Law units |
| LLW4007 | Evidence | Core | 1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B4, WB1 | 12 | CQ | LLW1001, LLW1002 Plus 4 Level 1 units |
| | Law Elective 1 | Elective | | 12 | | |
| APP3037 | Clinical Aspects of Psychology | Core | 2B1, 2B2, 2B3 | 12 | FP | APP2013, APP2014, HPP2001 |

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| APP3023 | Psychological Issues in the Workplace | Core | 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3 | 12 | FP | APP2013, APP2014 |
| APP3035 | Research Methods in Psychology | Core | 1B1, 1B2, 1B4, WB1 | 12 | FP | APP2014 and APP2101 or HPP2001 |
| LLW4008 | Internships and Law Practice | Core | 1B2, 1B4, 2B1, 2B3 | 12 | CQ | LLW3009 Plus 8 Level 1 Law units |
| LLW4009 | Interviewing and Advocacy | Core | 1B1, 1B3, 2B2, WB1 | 12 | CQ | BLB1101, BLB1114, LLW3009 |
| LLW5900 | Advanced Legal Research Methods | Core | 1B1, 2B1 | 12 | CQ | BLB1101, BLB1114 |
| LLW5901 | Advanced Legal Research Dissertation | Core | 1B2, 2B2 | 12 | CQ | BLB1114, BLB1101, LLW5900 |
| | Law Elective 2 | Elective | | 12 | | |
| | 12 Credit Points of Psychology Electives | | | 12 | | |

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|--------------|---|--------------|-----|---------------|--------|----------------|
| APH4012 | Research Thesis | Core | 1B2 | 24 | FP | |
| APH4013 | Psychology in Practice | Core | 1B1 | 12 | FP | |
| APH4015 | Extended Research Thesis | Core | WB1 | 24 | FP | APH4012 |
| APH4018 | Social Research Methods in Context | Core | 1B3 | 12 | FP | |
| APH4071 | Professional Orientation (Psychological Assessment) | Core | 2B1 | 12 | FP | |
| | 12 Credit Points of Psychology Electives | | | 12 | | |

Law Electives

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|--------------|--|--------------|-----------------------|---------------|--------|------------------------------|
| BLB3129 | Intellectual Property Law | Elective | 1B4, 2B4, SB1 | 12 | CQ | BLB1101, BLB1114 |
| BLB3134 | Taxation Law | Elective | 1B2, 2B4 | 12 | CQ | BLB1101, BLB1114 |
| BLB3136 | Family Law in Society | Elective | 1B2, 1B4, 2B2, 2B3 | 12 | CQ | BLB1101 and BLB1114 |
| BLB4135 | Australian Employment Law | Elective | 2B1 | 12 | CQ | BLB1101, BLB1114, BLB1102 |
| BLB4143 | Public International Law | Elective | 1B1, 1B3, 2B1 | 12 | CQ | BLB1101, BLB1114, LLW1001 |
| BLB4146 | Wills and the Administration of Estates | Elective | 2B3 | 12 | CQ | BLB1101, BLB1114 |
| LLW2002 | International Law Practicum | Elective | TBC | 12 | CQ | |
| LLW2009 | Indigenous People of Australia and the Law | Elective | 1B2, 2B2, 2B4, WB1 | 12 | CQ | |
| | | | 2B3 | | FP | |
| LLW2010 | Privacy and Media Law | Elective | 1B3, 2B1 | 12 | CQ | BLB1101, BLB1114 |
| LLW3002 | Alternative Dispute Resolution | Elective | 2B2, 2B4 | 12 | CQ | BLB1101 |
| LLW3007 | Australian Migration Law | Elective | 1B1, WB1 | 12 | CQ | LLW3000 |
| LLW3010 | Australia's Visa System | Elective | 1B4, 2B3 | 12 | CQ | LLW3007 |

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|--------------|--|--------------|-----------------------|---------------|--------|----------------|
| APH4019 | Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault | Elective | 2B3 | 12 | FP | |
| APH4061 | Principles and Practice of Cognitive Behaviour | Elective | TBC | 12 | CC, FN | |
| APP3015 | Counselling Theory and Practice | Elective | 1B4, 2B3, 2B4, WB1 | 12 | FP | APP2013 |
| APP3016 | Group Behaviour | Elective | 2B3, 2B4 | 12 | FP | APP2013 |
| APP3018 | Organisations and Work | Elective | 1B4, 2B4 | 12 | FP | APP2013 |
| APP3019 | Psychobiology | Elective | 1B1, 1B3, 2B3 | 12 | FP | APP2013 |
| APP3020 | Psychoanalysis | Elective | 1B4 | 12 | FN | APP2013 |
| APP3026 | Cognitive Psychology | Elective | TBC | 12 | FP | APP2013 |
| APP3027 | Relationship and Family Wellbeing | Elective | 1B2, 1B3, 2B1 | 12 | FP | APP2013 |



