

Undergraduate programmes in Law

Bachelor of Laws (LLB)

Certificate of Higher Education in Common Law 2017–2018

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When you graduate with a degree, diploma or certificate from the University of London you will receive two important documents – your Final Diploma (the parchment you receive on graduation) and a Diploma Supplement.

The Final Diploma

- Indicates that you were registered with the University of London and awarded a University of London degree, diploma or certificate.
- States that University of London law schools developed the syllabus and provided assessment.
- Features the University of London crest and the Vice-Chancellor's signature.

The Diploma Supplement

- Describes the nature, level and content of the programme you successfully completed.
- Includes the transcript of courses taken, marks achieved and overall classification.
- States the names and roles of the University of London law schools and the method of study.

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Key dates

Full academic year (two semesters), up to four modules:

Apply by: 1 October

Register by: 1 November

Half academic year (one semester), up to two modules:

Apply by: 1 April

Register by: 1 May

Examinations:

May/June and October

A programme
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of over 18,000
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170 countries
worldwide

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Welcome to a global Laws Programme



Why study with us?

In a world where degrees and degree providers are proliferating, the University of London LLB offers the security of an internationally recognised qualification.

The University of London was the first university to offer a degree in English law, in the 1890s – and that degree was made available to International Programmes students from the start. The high reputation of our LLB has been maintained because International Programmes students are marked to the same high standards as campus-based students. Upon graduation you will join a distinguished group of lawyers, solicitors, barristers and judges from around the world who have obtained their law degree through the University of London.

Seeking to become a legal practitioner is not the only reason for studying for a legal qualification. You might already be working in a law-related field – in the police force or social work, for example – and want to enhance your legal knowledge and professional standing.

Your career path might lie in the commercial or financial professions, where legal qualifications are highly valued not only for a specific knowledge of law but also because of the transferable skills that come from the study of law such as creating reasoned arguments and problem solving.

Whatever your reasons for study, applying yourself to studies in law will provide a stimulating and challenging path.



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I hope that you will find studying law fascinating. It provides a glimpse of the past, tracing the development of the rules that society has developed over the centuries. It engages with the present, encouraging the curious to question the laws we have today. It influences the future, inspiring problem solving and change.

The knowledge you will gain in studying law will no doubt be useful, at least for a time, but the real value of studying law is the development of an analytical, and sometimes imaginative, approach to problem solving. This will far outlast any knowledge and provide you with a strong foundation for many careers.

Simon Askey Director, Undergraduate Laws Programme

The Laws Consortium

The law schools or departments of the following Colleges of the University of London provide the academic direction for the University of London Undergraduate Laws Programme. Collectively they are known as the Laws Consortium.



Birkbeck

Founded in 1823, Birkbeck is unique in its special mission to enable mature students to gain higher education qualifications via part-time study. Traditionally the College is known for its excellence in research in the humanities, social sciences and natural sciences. **bbk.ac.uk**



King's College London

Established in 1829, King's College London has been responsible for some of the discoveries that have shaped the modern world, such as the development of antiseptics and the discovery of the structure of DNA. kcl.ac.uk



The London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE)

Since 1895, LSE has been regarded as an international centre of academic excellence and innovation in the social sciences. Alumni and former staff include 15 Nobel prize winners and 34 past or present heads of state. **Ise.ac.uk**



Queen Mary, University of London

With a rich and diverse heritage, Queen Mary is one of the largest Colleges of the University. Now heralded for its quality research efforts, it began life in 1887 as the People's Palace, a philanthropic endeavour to provide East Londoners with education and social activities. **qmul.ac.uk**



SOAS

SOAS is the world's largest centre for the study of Asia, Africa and the Middle East. Founded in 1916, it has built an enviable reputation around the globe for its regional expertise and the calibre of its award-winning, cross-disciplinary social sciences, arts and humanities programmes. soas.ac.uk



UCL

Founded in 1826, UCL was the first university in England to admit students of any race, class or religion, and the first to welcome women on equal terms with men. A pioneer of the university-based teaching of law, architecture and medicine, UCL has produced 21 Nobel prize winners, ucl.ac.uk

Studying with the Laws Programme

"Studying Laws with the University of London International Programmes was a challenging but incredibly rewarding experience. The flexibility of the programme allowed me to fulfil my dream of a career change into law."

Philip Taylor United Kingdom



An internationally recognised qualification

If you are interested in achieving an internationally recognised qualification in law, on a programme that offers high standards and flexible study options, then you need look no further than the University of London Undergraduate Laws Programme.

The Laws Programme is committed to:

- Offering expert guidance. Our study materials are informed by current research and scholarship and engage with contemporary legal issues. Students are offered the opportunity not only to know the law but to understand it.
- Providing a wealth of resources. With our Online Library and Laws Virtual Learning Environment (VLE), you will have a resource-rich learning environment in which to develop your legal research skills.
- Promoting independent learning.
 Through the guidance provided in your study materials we will support you in developing your capacity to manage your own learning.

By studying with us you will:

- Acquire knowledge and understanding of the foundation subjects of common law.
- Learn to analyse and critically evaluate legal and relevant non-legal primary and secondary materials.
- Learn how to stand back and consider the 'bigger picture', and develop an awareness of the context of law.
- Develop transferable skills of research, problem solving and communication.

For further information about what to expect when undertaking a module on the Undergraduate Laws Programme please visit our website:

londoninternational.ac.uk/llb

Two pathways

For those studying at undergraduate level for the first time:

Standard Entry LLB

• Complete twelve modules in a minimum of three years and a maximum of six.

For those who already have a three-year undergraduate degree:

Graduate Entry LLB

• Complete nine modules in a minimum of two years and a maximum of six.

Flexible study

The academic year for the LLB and Certificate of Higher Education in Common Law (CertHE Common Law) begins on 1 November each year and ends on 31 October.

There are two opportunities to apply each academic year. The deadlines are:

• 1 October and 1 April

There are two opportunities to register each academic year. The deadlines are:

• 1 November and 1 May.

There are two examination opportunities each academic year:

• May/June and October.

The programme offers flexibility by allowing students to split their examinations over two examination sessions in the academic year (subject to a maximum of two examinations in an October session).

- If you register by 1 November you can sit examinations in a maximum of four modules in your first year of study.
- If you register by 1 May you can sit examinations in a maximum of two modules in October.
- You can sit examinations in up to five modules in any subsequent year.

Progressing through your LLB studies

In the first year, all Standard Entry LLB students must study and pass *Legal system* and method. All Graduate Entry students must enrol on the online course *Law skills* for graduates upon first registration.

Students study a minimum of one module and a maximum of four modules in the first year, then a maximum of five modules in the following year(s).

Your progression route is determined by whether you are following a Qualifying Law Degree (QLD) or a non-QLD route.

Introduction to the awards

Award	No. of modules	Study period	Description
Certificate of Higher Education in Common Law	4	1–5 years	An award in its own right. Alternatively, on passing three modules including <i>Legal system and method</i> , you may transfer to the Standard Entry LLB.
Standard Entry LLB	12	3–6 years	The degree suitable for those at undergraduate level who meet the general entrance requirements. Requires study of 12 modules.
Graduate Entry LLB	9	2–6 years	The degree suitable for those at graduate level with a degree from an institution acceptable to the University. Requires study of 9 modules.
Exit awards: BA in Law; Diploma of Higher Education in Law; Certificate of Higher Education in Law	-	-	Students who are unable to continue their studies may be able to exit with an award which reflects their achievements and efforts. You cannot apply for direct entry into these programmes.

Assessment

For all modules, except the Dissertation, assessment is primarily by three-hour examinations. Examinations are held in May/June and October at local centres in over 180 different countries as well as in London.

All examination scripts are marked by University of London approved academics so you and your employer can rely on the integrity of your award and can be confident about the standard of achievement it represents.

Recognition of the degree

University of London degrees are acknowledged worldwide for their quality and academic rigour. Many leading lawyers worldwide have a University of London LLB. If you hope to enter a legal profession, you should check the local requirements for legal practice. It is your responsibility to find out the extent to which they recognise the University of London International Programmes LLB.

Visit our website

The Laws Programme provides a range of open access resources, including reading lists and module guide excerpts, which you are welcome to consult. Please visit: Iondoninternational.ac.uk/IIb

Transfers to the LLB

You may transfer from the CertHE Common Law to the Standard Entry LLB providing you have passed at least three modules, including *Legal system and method*.



Your Student Portal

You are required to have access to the internet so that you can use resources that are only available online. Your Student Portal is a secure website where you can access your personal details, pay your fees, track the delivery of your study materials and receive news from the University of London. You should expect to log in on a regular basis to manage your student account and access your resources.

Your study materials

Our study materials are designed to support your learning and are central to your studies. You also have the option to attend a local teaching institution for additional support.

The study materials we send you include:

- Module guides that take you systematically through the module topics, complete with learning activities (with feedback) and guidance on assessment.
- Study packs Key recommended readings in the module guides, for certain modules, are provided via the VLE.

Laws VLE

The VLE is integral to your study experience, providing:

- Electronic versions of the module guides to provide you with flexibility in how and where you study.
- Past examination papers and chief examiner reports – to help you develop your examination technique and your understanding of the format of your examinations.
- Audio and video lectures for some modules, additional audio/visual resources are uploaded throughout the year to compliment your studies.

- LecturePlus+ view a recorded lecture from a University of London approved tutor, discuss the lecture with fellow students, and view feedback from the tutor about the discussion.
- Pre-exam updates highlight any significant changes to the law, key cases or legislation, since the publication of the module guide. These are published annually in February.
- Module blog posts provide information on current legal issues.
- Student discussion forums an opportunity to debate and interact with other students.
- Latest news and updates provide up-to-date information about the programme.

Online Library

All registered students have access to the Online Library from the Student Portal or it can be accessed directly at: onlinelibrary.london.ac.uk

Among the many excellent resources, it provides free access to:

- the professional legal databases

 LexisLibrary, Westlaw, Justis and JustCite;
- · cases and up-to-date statutes;
- · key academic law journals;
- multidisciplinary databases in business and the social sciences.

Stay connected

The Laws blog is a great way to keep in touch with what is happening with the Laws Programme. Updates on key events and developments in the programme are posted regularly. To view the Laws blog, visit:

laws.londoninternational.ac.uk

You can also connect with your fellow students and the Laws Programme through Facebook:

facebook.com/ulplondon

Regional revision courses

The Laws Programme organises a series of regional revision courses in selected locations overseas. The number of courses and the location can differ from year to year. The courses are taught by University of London approved tutors and offer support to students preparing for examinations. They are also an excellent opportunity for you to meet other students on the programme, to concentrate on important areas of study and to discuss legal developments.

Further information

For further information on regional revision courses and LecturePlus+ please see: bit.ly/laws_support or contact: bit.ly/law enquiries



María Belén Bastone

Argentina

'Studying with the University of London International Programmes has been an exceptional and highly recommended experience. It offered me the opportunity to achieve an LLB degree while having a job and continuing my studies to get another degree in my own country. It has been a mind-opening experience for me, which certainly enriched me both personally and professionally.'

María Belén completed her LLB in 2013 and graduated as a practising lawyer in Argentina in 2015. She is now a Junior Associate at the internationally recognised law firm, Baker & McKenzie, and Academic Director of the LLB programme at the University of London's registered centre in Argentina.

LLB structures

Standard Entry LLB

- All Standard Entry students must register for Legal system and method in their first year of study.
- You must be registered for a minimum of one module and a maximum of four modules in your first year of study. The maximum number of modules you may be registered for in any subsequent year is five.

Graduate Entry LLB

- If you have already completed a first degree then you may be eligible for the Graduate Entry LLB. This means that you will only have to study nine modules rather than twelve to complete the LLB. Eligibility for Graduate Entry is at the discretion of the University.
- You must be registered for a minimum of one module and a maximum of four modules in your first year of study. The maximum number of modules you may be registered for in any subsequent year is five.
- You must pass the online course *Law skills for graduates*. This course is compulsory for all Graduate Entry students and is designed to prepare you for legal study through the development of legal skills in the context of learning about key aspects of the legal system. The course is made up of four units and a final multiple choice test, and notionally can be completed in 10 hours.

Standard Entry Route – Qualifying Law Degree

Level 4

Four compulsory modules

Contract law

Criminal law

Legal system and method

Public law

Level 5

Three compulsory modules

Equity and Trusts

EU law

Tort law

One optional module chosen from:

Administrative law

Commercial law

Family law

International protection of human rights

Level 6

Two compulsory modules

Jurisprudence and legal theory

Property law

Two optional modules chosen from:

Civil and criminal procedure

Company law

Conflict of laws

Criminology

Dissertation

Evidence

Intellectual property

Introduction to Islamic law

Labour law

Public international law

Standard Entry Route – Non-Qualifying Law Degree

Level 4

Four compulsory modules

Contract law

Criminal law

Legal system and method

Public law

Level 5

One compulsory module

Tort law

Three optional modules chosen from:

Administrative law

Commercial law

Equity and Trusts

EU law

Family law

International protection of human rights

Level 6

One compulsory module

Jurisprudence and legal theory

Three optional modules chosen from:

Civil and criminal procedure

Company law

Conflict of laws

Criminology

Dissertation

Evidence

Intellectual property

Introduction to Islamic law

Labour law

Property law

Public international law

Graduate Entry Route – Qualifying Law Degree

Level 4

Three compulsory modules

Criminal law

Contract law

Public law

Level 5

Three compulsory modules

Equity and Trusts

EU law

Tort law

Level 6

Two compulsory modules

Jurisprudence and legal theory

Property law

One optional module chosen from:

Civil and criminal procedure

Company law

Conflict of laws

Criminology

Dissertation

Evidence

Intellectual property

Introduction to Islamic law

Labour law

Public international law

Graduate Entry Route – Non-Qualifying Law Degree

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Three compulsory modules

Criminal law

Contract law

Public law

Level 5

One compulsory module

Tort law

Two optional modules chosen from:

Administrative law

Commercial law

Equity and Trusts

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Labour law

Property law

Public international law



Daniel Chua

Malaysia

'I would highly recommend the University of London International Programmes. The global recognition of the university's degree is definitely not merely lip service, as I have had the opportunity to develop my professional network at both local and international level.'

Since graduating from the University of London, Daniel has been called to the Malaysian Bar as an Advocate and Solicitor of the High Court of Malaysia. He received a Bentham Scholarship to undertake a Master of Laws at UCL, which he achieved with merit. He is also working towards a dual qualification as Solicitor of the Senior Courts of England and Wales via the Qualified Lawyers Transfer Scheme.

Certificate of Higher Education in Common Law

"A distance LLB is ideal for those who want to master the art of self-discipline. By the second year, I started to reach out to students to have study sessions, which brightened the distance learning experience."

Shalisha SamuelSt Vincent & the Grenadines

Programme overview

The CertHE Common Law is a qualification in its own right that also provides an entry route to degree study. The modules studied in the CertHE Common Law are the same as the Level 4 modules of the LLB. The CertHE Common Law may be studied either full-time or part-time. Students must have registered through, and be studying at, a teaching institution recognised by the University for these purposes (please see pages 20–23).

This qualification is for you if:

- You have the ability, motivation and selfdiscipline to study at degree level but do not have the qualifications usually required to enter a degree programme.
- You have a personal or professional interest in studying law and would like an easily-managed programme of study.
- You intend to undertake a degree programme but would like to gain a recognised qualification after one year.

Features of the CertHE:

- You can achieve a law qualification in some of the core legal subjects without committing to the full LLB programme, but with the option to go on to the full LLB programme.
- You can complete the CertHE Common Law in a minimum of one year and a maximum of five years.
- The CertHE Common Law is rigorously examined by University of London approved academics.
- You can transfer to the LLB programme after successful completion of three modules, including *Legal system* and method.
- You must register with a recognised teaching institution so that you can benefit from the extra tuition support.

Institution support

In order to be recognised by the University of London, institutions must have satisfied certain quality criteria. However, they remain independent of the University of London and responsible for the quality of academic support they provide.

How to apply for the CertHE Common Law

Applications for the CertHE Common Law can only be submitted via a recognised institution. Full details of the CertHE Common Law, including entrance criteria, syllabuses and application forms should be obtained from the teaching institution at which you intend to enrol.

Programme structure

Four modules

Contract law

Criminal law

Legal system and method

Public law

Your teaching institution will also provide classes in study skills and, where necessary, additional English language support.

The LLB as a Qualifying Law Degree in England and Wales



Practising law in **England and Wales**

Entry into the legal profession in England and Wales involves three stages of training: academic, vocational, and practical. The University of London LLB is recognised as a Qualifying Law Degree and the completion of the academic stage of legal training in England and Wales as long as certain specific conditions are met:

- The period of study must not be more than six years.
- You must have satisfied the examiners in respect of the Foundations of Legal Knowledge subject areas, which are:

Contract law Criminal law Equity and Trusts Tort law FU law

Property law Public law

- You must have passed these foundation subjects in not more than three attempts.
- · You must have demonstrated the attainment of various skills, including legal research, oral communication and IT skills.

Satisfactory completion of the academic stage of legal training does not guarantee automatic admission to the next stage of training (vocational). For example, entry requirements will relate closely to your classification and results from the academic stage of your studies.

We recommend that you refer to the following websites to ensure you are up-to-date on the specific requirements for the vocational stage:

- Solicitors Regulation Authority: sra.org.uk/students/resources/ student-information.page
- The Law Society: lawsociety.org.uk/ careers/becoming-a-solicitor/

Barrister

• Bar Standards Board: barstandardsboard.org.uk/ qualifying-as-a-barrister/

Practising law outside **England and Wales**

If you intend to practise law in a country other than England and Wales you must confirm with the relevant professional authorities that they recognise the University of London LLB as fulfilling (in whole or in part) the academic stage requirements of legal training.

We recommend that you receive this confirmation in writing. The requirements set down by the professional authorities can be subject to change at any time during your studies. It is important therefore that you continue to check for any updates or changes to the requirements that affect you.



Helen Rooney

Canada

'Studying law at the University of London has helped my career as I now understand more about the issues that are raised in my workplace. My career is law orientated but it's not in law itself, and I do have to think about the challenges. The Laws programme really helped me understand things from multiple perspectives, which I wasn't able to do before.'

Helen studied for her degree while Royal Canadian Mounted Police. She is currently studying for a Master's in Law and Accounting at LSE.

Module outlines

These module outlines are correct at the time of going to press and are subject to annual review.

Administrative law

Administrative law is a hugely expanding field and its core purpose is to ensure that any decisions or actions taken by government are lawful and, when they are not, to provide redress for grievances. The module will appeal to students who enjoy public law and have an interest in public affairs.

Civil and criminal procedure

This module focuses on the procedural rules and processes that govern the conduct of criminal and civil legal actions. Students of this module will be expected to compare and contrast civil and criminal procedure and will need to have knowledge of the court system and the way in which civil and criminal justice is organised and dispensed.

Commercial law

Commercial law is concerned with obligations between parties to commercial transactions and the relationship with rules of personal property. Emphasis is placed on both knowledge of principles and the ability to apply the rules of law to achieve practical solutions to practical problems. Students will become familiar with a range of issues including: ownership of or title to goods; transfers of title and the effect on third parties; passing of property between buyer and seller.

Company law

A vital module for anyone intending to operate in a commercial field, the syllabus centres on the way the law regulates companies and the facilities that company law offers, such as limited liability and transferability of shares, as well as corresponding burdens such as duties of disclosure and compliance with statutory procedures.

Conflict of laws

Also known as private international law, this is the body of rules applied by the English courts to cases with a foreign element, dealing with core issues of jurisdiction, substantive decision—making and recognition of the laws of other jurisdictions.

Contract law

This module places its emphasis on understanding the key underlying principles of English law. It covers core topics such as formation of contracts, capacity to contract and privity, performance and breach of contract and remedies for breach of contract.

Criminal law

This module examines general principles of criminal liability, a range of fatal and non-fatal offences against the person and selected offences against property. It also looks at attempts to commit offences, secondary liability and defences.

Criminology

Criminology examines, from a range of political, sociological, psychological and philosophical points of view, the relationship between the individual who breaks the laws of the state and the state's power to lay down laws and punish those who transgress them.

Dissertation

The Dissertation offers final-year students the opportunity to undertake in-depth legal/socio-legal research. Students design their own research question and submit a proposal online on a topic they have not previously (or concurrently) studied in depth. The dissertation option is examined by electronic submission of a 10,000 word dissertation.

Equity and Trusts

Equity and Trusts deals with the rules and principles governing the creation and operation of trusts (including express trusts, trusts arising as a matter of law and breach of trust), fiduciary relationships and equitable remedies.

EU law

Appealing to students who enjoy public law or who have an interest in public affairs, politics, economics or international relations, this module examines EU institutions and law-making powers as well as the key questions of the impact of EU law on national law and its overall consequences for business enterprises and individuals.

Evidence

The law of evidence governs what evidence may be presented and contested in the courtroom, techniques for eliciting evidence and the role of the lawyers, jury and judge in an adversarial system. Highly relevant to actual day-to-day legal practice, this module will appeal particularly to students intending to become courtroom lawyers.

Family law

Family law affects every member of society. Modern legal regulation of family relationships involves a complex relation between the family and the state. Marriage, divorce and the legal status of offspring are intertwined with questions of financial provision, child welfare and wider public policy issues.

Intellectual property

The law of intellectual property rights seeks a difficult balance between rewarding the right owner of a piece of intellectual property, and the needs of society to gain access to scientific, technological or cultural benefits. It includes copyright, patent and trade mark law.

International protection of human rights

This module concerns the protection afforded to individuals under international law and examines fundamental concepts, principles, theories and philosophies underpinning the law of international human rights, as well as the mechanisms enforcing and monitoring these rights.



Introduction to Islamic law

This module offers an overview of Islamic law, and addresses the religious and historical foundations of Islamic law before going on to address its application in contemporary jurisdictions.

Jurisprudence and legal theory

Jurisprudence poses fundamental questions about the nature of law, its place in society and how a legal system operates as a system of rules and as a social institution, engaging with ideals of justice and often conflicting moral codes.

Labour law

Of appeal to anyone interested in industrial relations, this module relates both to individuals in their workplace and the operation of the labour market in general. The module covers not only individual matters (such as employment contracts, unfair dismissal, redundancy, sex and race discrimination) but also 'collective' labour law – including trade union 'recognition', the law relating to trade disputes.

Legal system and method

This introduction to the English legal system seeks to convey what is distinctive about the common law approach as a legal methodology. The module is vital in initiating students into the process of legal research and the understanding of legal reasoning.

Property law

Property law centres on the various interests that can exist in land, the principles governing the creation, transfer and extinction of these interests and the extent to which those interests are enforceable against third parties.

Public international law

Public international law concerns legal relations between states but also deals with the role of the UN and other international organisations and, in the fields of human rights and international criminal law, the rights and duties of individuals.

Public law

Focusing upon constitutional issues and reform, students will analyse key issues governing the relation between citizens and the state, including sovereignty and the division of powers between legislature, executive and administration.

Tort law

This module introduces students to the organising principles of tort law, such as damage, fault and vicarious liability. Students will explore each element of the cause of action in a negligence claim, with particular emphasis on the duty of care concept. The module builds on the duty of care concept to develop students' knowledge and understanding of principles of liability governing pure economic loss, psychiatric harm and liability of public authorities. The module also explores those torts aimed at the safe and quiet enjoyment of land and protection of reputation.



Carina Maharaj

Trinidad & Tobago

'As I embarked upon the course I realised just how distinguished the University was and, more importantly, how flexible they made it for international students to complete their degrees. The University of London has opened many doors for me. If you are considering it, without a doubt I'd say go for it – you won't be disappointed.'

Carina starred in our cinema advert for Trinidad and Tobago in 2016. She is currently studying for a Postgraduate Diploma in her pursuit of admission to the Bar of Trinidad and Tobago.

Entrance requirements

"After achieving First Class Honours with the University of London, I started working at one of the leading law firms in Lahore where I am primarily involved in civil litigation and commercial transactions. My long-term aim is to establish myself in these areas, and perhaps one day break into the superior judiciary of Pakistan"

Muhammad Kazim Pakistan

LLB

To be eligible to register for the LLB you must:

- normally* be aged 17 or above on or before the date of programme registration and
- meet our General Entrance Requirements and
- meet our English language requirements. We may require a test of proficiency in English.

LLB (Graduate Entry Route)

To be eligible you must:

- hold an undergraduate degree from an awarding institution acceptable to the University of London and
- meet our English language requirements. We may require a test of proficiency in English.
- pass the online course Law skills for graduates.

CertHE Common Law

To be eligible for the CertHE Common Law you must:

- be aged 18 or above on or before the date of programme registration **and**
- be admitted to a course of instruction at a teaching institution which has been recognised for this purpose by the University of London.
- *Applications will be considered from applicants who do not meet the normal minimum age requirement for admission. Each application will be considered on an individual basis, and the decision taken at the discretion of the University of London.

Useful links

For full details on how to meet our entrance requirements, including further information on our General Entrance Requirements and English language requirements, visit: londoninternational. ac.uk/applications-and-admissions

Find advice about choosing an institution: bit.ly/institution_advice



Application and registration process for the LLB



Getting started

You must apply online at: londoninternational.ac.uk/llb

If you intend to study at an institution then you are advised to contact them before submitting your application.

Please read the 'Guidance notes for applications' before you complete your application.

Stage 1

Submit your online application form and application fee by 1 October or 1 April. Please note the application fee is non-refundable.

Stage 2

Submit your documentary evidence. This can be done online when submitting your application or at a later stage. Please see: londoninternational.ac.uk/applications-admissions/how-apply/documentary-evidence

Please do not send original documents.

Stage 3

We will contact you by **email** with one of the following:

Offer letter: if you meet our entrance requirements and we have seen all required documentation then we will send you an offer letter.

Request for further information: we might require further documentation/information before we can confirm if you meet our entrance requirements.

We have referred your application to the Admissions Panel: if you do not automatically meet our entrance requirements then we will refer your application to the Admissions Panel for individual consideration. The Admissions Panel will consider qualifications which are not published under the Qualifications for Entrance Schedule, incomplete qualifications and substantial relevant work experience. If we cannot accept you with your current qualifications and experience then we will advise you on what qualifications you could take in order to meet our entrance requirements in the future.

Stage 4

Complete the online registration by 1 November or 1 May. We explain how to do this in the offer letter.

Stage 5

Start your studies. Once you register you will be given access to the VLE. We will also send you additional study materials to your correspondence address.

Hong Kong

Applicants living in Hong Kong or Singapore can apply directly through:

The University of Hong Kong School of Professional and Continuing Education (HKU SPACE)

University of London International Programmes Admissions Unit 3/F, Admiralty Centre 18 Harcourt Road Hong Kong

Useful information for applicants

Submit your application even if you are waiting to sit an examination or to receive examination results. We can begin to process your application without all the evidence, although we will not be able to give you a final decision until all the necessary documentation has been received.

If you are unsure on whether or not you meet our entrance requirements then we might be able to advise you on this before you submit your online application. However, due to our increased workload we are unable to provide this advice between 1 September and 30 October of each year.

Applications are valid for three years.

Additional educational support



We recognise that students value choice in how, when and where they study.

Some prefer the flexibility of being able to study independently, at their own pace, using our study materials. Others prefer the benefits of face-to-face teaching and classroom support, and choose to pay for additional educational support at a local independent institution.

We currently work with a growing network of independent teaching institutions worldwide that provide tuition support for our students. We refer to these institutions as 'recognised centres' and there are two categories: Affiliate Centres have demonstrated a sustained commitment to quality of teaching, support and administration; Registered Centres have demonstrated acceptable standards for the purpose of supporting International Programmes students in preparing for examinations.

The CertHE Common Law may be studied either full-time or part-time. Students must have registered through, and be studying at, a teaching institution that has been recognised for teaching the CertHE Common Law by the University of London. In the following list, institutions that are recognised for teaching the CertHE Common Law are marked (*).

For further information about recognised centres, including brief profiles and the programmes that they are recognised to teach, please visit: londoninternational.ac.uk/onlinesearch/institutions

The Directory of Institutions also provides details of those teaching institutions that have formally commenced the process for becoming recognised.

Please note: the following list of teaching institutions was correct as of January 2017.

Argentina

Asociación Internacional de Estudios (AIE)

Registered Centre

Buenos Aires

aiele.org

Bangladesh

Academy for International Studies

Registered Centre

Sylhet

info@lclsgulshan.com

Bhuiyan Academy *

Registered Centre

Dhaka

bhuiyanacademyedu.com

BAC International *

Registered Centre

Dhaka

bacbd.org

British School of Law *

Registered Centre

Dhaka

bslbd.com

Cambridge Business & Law Academy *

Registered Centre

Dhaka

cblabd.com

Dhaka Centre for Law and Economics (DCLE) *

Registered Centre

Dhaka

www.dclebd.com

London College of Legal Studies (North) *

Registered Centre

Dhaka

info@lclsgulshan.com

London College of Legal Studies (South) *

Affiliate Centre

Dhaka

lcls-south.com

Nottingham Law Academy *

Registered Centre

Dhaka

nlabd.com

Canada

[This US-based institution offers online support to students in Canada.]

International Center for Legal Studies

Registered Centre

Asheville, North Carolina

legaltutors.com

Channel Islands

Institute of Law *

Registered Centre

Jersey

www.lawinstitute.ac.je

Czech Republic

Anglo American University (AAU) *

Registered Centre

Prague

aauni.edu

Germany

University of Passau *

Affiliate Centre

Passau

jura.uni-passau.de

Ghana

Empire African Institute

Registered Centre

Accra

empireafricaninstitute@yahoo.com

Zenith University College *

Registered Centre

Accra

zenithcollegeghana.org

Greece

DEI College

Registered Centre

Thessaloniki

dei.edu.gr

Metropolitan College

Registered Centre

Athens

metropolitan.edu.gr

Hong Kong

HKU School of Professional and Continuing Education (HKU SPACE)

Affiliate Centre

Hong Kong

hkuspace.hku.hk

School of Professional Education and Executive Development (SPEED) *

Affiliate Centre

Hong Kong

speed-polyu.edu.hk

Additional educational support

Jamaica

University College of the Caribbean *

Registered Centre

Kingston

ucc.edu.jm

Malaysia

Advance Tertiary College

Affiliate Centre

Kuala Lumpur

atc2u.com

Advance Tertiary College

Affiliate Centre

Penang

atc2u.com

Brickfields Asia College

Affiliate Centre

Kuala Lumpur

bac.edu.my

Crescendo International College

Registered Centre

Johor

crescendo.edu.my

KDU College (PJ)

Affiliate Centre

Petaling Jaya

kdu.edu.my

Kolej PTPL Penang

Registered Centre

Penang

ptpl.edu.my

SEGi College Sarawak

Registered Centre

Kuching

segi.edu.my

Seri Stamford (PJ) Sdn Bhd

Registered Centre

Kuala Lumpur

stamford.edu.my

Mauritius

Centre for Legal and Business Studies

Registered Centre

Beau Bassin

clbs@clbsonline.com

Pakistan

Islamabad School of Law *

Registered Centre

Islamabad

isl.org.pk

L'Ecole for Advanced Studies *

Registered Centre

Karachi

lecole.edu.pk

Metropolitan International University College

Affiliate Centre

Islamabad

rootsinternational.edu.pk

Pakistan College of Law *

Affiliate Centre

Lahore

pcl.edu.pk

Roots College International DHA Campus *

Affiliate Centre

Islamabad

rootsschool.edu.pk

School of International Law *

Registered Centre

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Islamabad

sil.edu.pk

SZABIST

Registered Centre

Karachi

szabist.edu.pk

The Institute of Legal Studies (TILS) *

Affiliate Centre

Islamabad

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tils.edu.pk

The Institute of Legal Studies (TILS) *

Affiliate Centre

Lahore

tils.edu.pk

The Institute of Legal Studies (TILS) *

Affiliate Centre

Multan

tils.edu.pk

The Millennium University College (TMUC) *

Affiliate Centre

Islamabad

tmuc.edu.pk

University College Lahore *

Affiliate Centre

Lahore

ucl.edu.pk

University College of Islamabad *

Registered Centre

Islamabad

uci.edu.pk

Russia

Continuing Education Faculty of the Russian University of Justice

Registered Centre

Moscow

raj.ru

Seychelles

University of Seychelles

Registered Centre

Mahé

unisey.ac.sc

Singapore

ITC - School of Laws *

Affiliate Centre

Singapore

itc2u.com

SAA Global Education

Affiliate Centre

Singapore

saage.edu.sg

Stansfield College *

Registered Centre

Singapore

stansfield.edu.sg

Stansfield Law School *

Registered Centre

Singapore

stansfield.edu.sg

Sri Lanka

CfPS Law School *

Registered Centre

Colombo

cfps.lk

Horizon Campus *

Registered Centre

Malabe

horizoncampus.edu.lk

Royal Institute of Colombo *

Affiliate Centre

Colombo

ric.lk

Trinidad and Tobago

Academy of Tertiary Studies (ATS) *

Registered Centre

Curepe

atstnt.com

College of Legal Studies *

Registered Centre

Chaguanas

thelegaleagleo5@yahoo.com

Dawill Law Academy

Registered Centre

Arima

dawillco.com

Institute of Law and Academic Studies (ILAS)

Registered Centre

Chaguanas

ilas-tnt.com

K Beckles and Associates *

Registered Centre

Port of Spain

lawatkbeckles.com

K Beckles and Associates *

Registered Centre

San Fernando

lawatkbeckles.com

United Kingdom

CILEx Law School

Registered Centre

Bedford

www.cilexlawschool.ac.uk

European College of Law (ECL)

Registered Centre

Essex

europeancollegeoflaw.org.uk

London College of Business and Law Limited

Registered Centre

Harrow

lcbl.co.uk

London School of Law

Registered Centre

London

londonschooloflaw.co.uk

USA

International Center for Legal Studies

Registered Centre

Asheville, North Carolina

legaltutors.com



Fees

Fees payable to the University

Academic year 2017–2018					
Application handling fee (non-refundable/LLB only)	£88				
Initial registration fee	£450				
Module fee (per module)	£140				
Examination fee (per module)	£170				
Recognition of prior learning application fee (per module)	£47				
Full year's transfer fee	£187				

*A late registration fee of £100 will be charged if payment is not received by the deadlines specified for initial registration.

Dates for 2017–2018 academic session

- The application handling fee is valid until the application closing date, 1 October/1 April.
- The registration fee is valid until the registration closing date, 1 November/ 1 May.
- The module fees apply to students registering for study in 2017–2018.
- The examination fees apply to students entering the 2018 examinations.

All fees must be paid in pounds sterling and can be paid online via the Student Portal using a credit/debit card (Visa, MasterCard), by Western Union Quick Pay, banker's draft/cheque or international money/postal order, made payable to 'The University of London'.

How much will my programme cost?

Fees are payable as you progress rather than as a single lump sum and are subject to annual revision and typically may be increased by up to 5 per cent per annum. The examples we give are calculated using current fees and do not reflect any annual increase. The full list of annual fees for the programmes will be published on the Student Fees web page once confirmed, please visit:

londoninternational.ac.uk/fees

As a guide, if you were to complete the LLB Standard Entry degree in the minimum amount of time (three years), and without resits, you should expect to pay approximately £4,500.

If you were to complete the LLB Graduate Entry degree in the minimum amount of time (two years), and without resits, you should expect to pay approximately £3,500.

For the Certificate of Higher Education in Common Law, you should contact a local institution with permission to teach the programme for full details of their fees. The fees payable to the University in 2017–2018 if you complete the certificate in one year are approximately £1,700.

Other costs

In addition to the fees payable to the University, you should also budget for the cost of:

- purchasing textbooks
- the cost of any tuition you choose to take
- the cost of tuition you are required to take for the CertHE Common Law
- the fee levied by your local examination centre.

Financial assistance

Undergraduate UK students may be able to apply for a part-time tuition fee loan to cover the cost of registration and examination entry fees.

For full details on eligibility criteria please visit: **gov.uk/student-finance** Alternatively, some employers in both the public and private sectors may be willing to consider offering financial assistance to their employees.

Students with disabilities

The University of London International Programmes welcomes applications from disabled students and/or those who have specific access requirements.

If you are disabled and/or have specific access requirements, we will make every reasonable effort to meet your needs. This may include making special arrangements for examinations such as a separate room or special aids. If you would like to tell us about your disability and/or request special arrangements, please complete the relevant section of the application form, or contact the Inclusive Practice Manager at: special.arrangements@london.ac.uk

Armed Forces

Students who are members or ex-members of the UK Armed Forces should note that the University of London has been approved by the Ministry of Defence in support of the Enhanced Learning Credits (ELC) Scheme (ELC Provider Reference Number 1284). The Scheme provides financial support to eligible Service personnel who wish to enhance their educational or vocational achievements. The ELC Administration Service website can be found at: www.enhancedlearningcredits.com



If you have any questions that are not answered in this prospectus please contact:
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London WC1E 7HU, United Kingdom
Tel: +44 (0)20 7862 8360
enquiries.londoninternational.ac.uk

Study programmes 2017–2018

We offer a wide range of study programmes, from full degree programmes to certificates and individual courses/modules. For further information visit londoninternational.ac.uk/courses

Inclusive Practice Policy

We are fully committed to the consideration of applications from students with special examination arrangements. If you need to make a request (such as additional time or special aids) please contact the Inclusive Practice Manager for an application form at: special.arrangements@london.ac.uk

Complaints procedure

We aim to provide the highest quality service to our students. We endeavour to solve any problems you experience quickly and fairly. If, however, you wish to make a complaint our complaints procedure is published on our website and in our Student guide and Programme handbooks.

While every effort has been made to ensure that the information contained in this prospectus is accurate at the date of publication (March 2017), all matters that it covers may be subject to change from time to time, both before and after a student has registered. In particular, information about the structure and content of programmes is subject to confirmation in the Regulations and registered students should refer to these. All fees are subject to annual review. The University does not intend by publication or distribution of this prospectus to create any contractual or other legal relation with applicants, registered students, their advisers or any other persons. You are strongly advised to check our website (londoninternational. ac.uk) for any revisions to this prospectus. We advise you to check local recognition criteria in your own country before applying for any qualification listed in this prospectus. This prospectus is issued free by the University of London.

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