



IIE Bachelor of Laws

Faculty of Law

The IIE Bachelor of Laws or LLB degree is a professional qualification that prepares graduates for work and practice in the field of law in South Africa. This degree comprises the legal modules required by graduates to, upon compliance with additional legislative requirements, be admitted as attorneys and advocates of the High Court of South Africa. Graduates with this degree may also follow a variety of alternative careers in law.

DEGREE

CONTACT

FULL-TIME



Career Opportunities

In keeping with the purpose of professional degrees, this Bachelor of Laws (LLB) programme will enable graduates to apply a well-rounded theoretical and practical knowledge base across a broad range of specialisations, careers, enterprise types and industries in both the public and private sectors.

The following career opportunities, among others, exist for graduates of this degree:

- Advocate
- Attorney
- Public Prosecutor
- State Advocate
- Registrar
- Maintenance Officer
- Judge's Clerk
- Office of the Chief State Law Advisor
- State Attorney
- Master of the High Court
- Office of the Family Advocate
- Company Secretary
- Legal Education / Academia
- Legal Advisor
- Legal Advisor at a Chapter 9 Institution
- Alternative Dispute Resolution Practitioner
- State Law Advisor
- Legal Administration Officer
- Legal Researcher
- Legal Writer or Editor
- Non-governmental Organisation (NGO) Legal Officer
- Forensic Investigator

Curriculum

Year 1							
Semester 1				Semester 2			
Code	Module Name	NQF	Credits	Code	Module Name	NQF	Credits
LOPF5131	Law of Persons	5	15	CONL5112	Constitutional Law and Human Rights	5	15
INFL5111	Introduction and Foundations to Law	5	15	LEIN5112	Legal Interpretation	5	15
ENFL6111	English for Law	6	15				
Year Long							
XBLAW5119	Work Integrated Learning 1					5	15
Electives* (choose 1 subject-A and B module)							
BMNG5121	Business Management 1A	5	15	BMNG5122	Business Management 1B	5	15
PSYC5121	Psychology 1A	5	15	PSYC5122	Psychology 1B	5	15
COSC5121	Communication Science 1A	5	15	COSC5132	Communication Science 1B	5	15
SOCI5121	Sociology 1A	5	15	SOCI5122	Sociology 1B	5	15
Year 2							
Semester 3				Semester 4			
Code	Module Name	NQF	Credits	Code	Module Name	NQF	Credits
INDI6111	Indigenous Law	6	15	LOSA6212	Law of Succession	6	15
GPCL6211	General Principles of Criminal Law	6	15	PRAL6222	Administrative Law	6	15
LACO6221	Law of Contract	6	15	SPOF6212	Specific Offences	6	15
FALA6211	Law of Family	6	15	BUEL6212	Business Enterprises Law	6	15
				INPA6212	Instruments of Payment	6	15
Year 3							
Semester 5				Semester 6			
Code	Module Name	NQF	Credits	Code	Module Name	NQF	Credits
CRUN7112	Criminal Procedure	7	15	AATT6312	Accounting for Attorneys	6	15
LLAW7321	Labour Law	7	15	LAIN7312	Law of Insolvency	7	15
LADE7111	Law of Delict	7	15	INPL7322	Intellectual Property Law	7	15
LAPR7311	Law of Property	7	15				
Year Long							
XBLAW7329	Work Integrated Learning 3					7	15



Year 4							
Semester 7				Semester 8			
Code	Module Name	NQF	Credits	Code	Module Name	NQF	Credits
CIPR8411	Civil Procedure	8	15	PUBL8412	Public International Law	8	15
LAEV8411	Law of Evidence and Litigation Techniques	8	15				
Electives** (students must choose 1)				Electives** (students must choose 1 different to semester 1)			
TAXL8422	Tax Law**	8	15	TAXL8422	Tax Law**	8	15
CSPL8422	Law of Unjustified Enrichment and Estoppel**	8	15	CSPL8422	Law of Unjustified Enrichment and Estoppel**	8	15
ADFL8412	Advanced Family Law**	8	15	ADFL8412	Advanced Family Law**	8	15
STLA8412	Street Law**	8	15	STLA8412	Street Law**	8	15
INGL8422	Integrative Law**	8	15	INGL8422	Integrative Law**	8	15
CYLA8422	Cyber Law**	8	15	CYLA8422	Cyber Law**	8	15
COG08422	Corporate Governance**	8	15	COG08422	Corporate Governance**	8	15
PMED8412	Principles of Medical Law**	8	15	PMED8412	Principles of Medical Law**	8	15
Year Long							
JUJU8222	Jurisprudence and Ethics					8	15
REMW8419	Legal Research Methods & Writing					8	20
XBLAW8419	Work Integrated Learning 4					8	15

Timetables

This qualification is aimed at students who wish to complete full-time face-to-face studies for the duration of their qualification. This means that students are expected to be available throughout the day for class in the academic year depending on how the timetable is structured. Students may also be required to write assessments or submit coursework or assignments outside of normal class time. Students who would like to pursue part time employment opportunities outside of the academic programme must prioritise their studies and avoid committing to work schedules until after they have received their timetables and academic calendar from the institution. Students must also note that timetables remain subject to change throughout the academic year.

Admission Requirements

Minimum Admission Requirements	NSC: Bachelor pass with	English 60% and Math/HG 50% or Math Lit/SG 60%
	Once you have graduated with the Bachelor of Laws and want to be eligible to practice as an attorney or advocate of the High Court in South Africa, you need to be a citizen or permanent resident of South Africa.	
	NC (V): Bachelor pass with	English 60% and Math/HG 50% or Math Lit/SG 60%
	SC: Endorsement with	English 60% and Math/HG 50% or Math Lit/SG 60%
	SC(a): Bachelor pass with	English 60% and Math/HG 50% or Math Lit/SG 60%
	International	A USAf Exemption Certificate and meeting the relevant Maths and English requirements.
A cognate Higher Certificate OR cognate 240 credit Diploma OR an Advanced Certificate OR 360 credit Diploma may satisfy the minimum admission requirements to degree studies.		
If discipline not cognate at least 20% of credits must be academic literacy or numeracy related.		

Should you have any other school leaving qualification not mentioned above, please contact a student advisor.

Articulation Options

For the Faculty of Law, the following IIE qualification allows you to articulate into the IIE Bachelor of Laws should you meet the requirements:

- Higher Certificate in Legal Studies

For alternative articulation options within our other schools please contact your campus for further information.

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