

Society of Law and Ethics Regulations at least 105 points from
(c) 15 points from either Schedule B or the University

Of these points:

No more than 135 points may be at 100-level;

At least 135 points must be at 200-level or above;

At least 90 points must be at 300-level.

2. Excessive Load

Candidates who wish to enrol for a course of study

LAWS 359	Trial Advocacy	15	SU2	P: (i) LAWS 101 and (ii) LAWS 110; (iii) LAWS 316 or LAWS 307. C: LAWS 202-LAWS 206 R: LAWS 389 (prior to 2006)
LAWS 360	Jurisprudence	15	S2	P: (i) LAWS 101; and (ii) LAWS 110 C: LAWS 202-LAWS 206 R: LAWS 302
LAWS 361	Issues in Jurisprudence	15	NO	P: (i) LAWS 101; and (ii) LAWS 110 C: LAWS 202-LAWS 206 R: LAWS 302
LAWS 362	Natural Disasters and the Law	15	S2	P: (i) LAWS 101 and (ii) LAWS 110 C: LAWS 202-LAWS 206 Students enrolled in other degrees, who do not have the above prerequisites and corequisites, but have completed appropriate courses in another discipline, may apply to the Head of Department for a waiver.
LAWS 363	Individual Employment Law	15	S2	P: (i) LAWS 101; and (ii) LAWS 110 C: LAWS 202-206 R: LAWS 318
LAWS 364	Law of the Sea	15	S1	P: (i) LAWS 101 and (ii) LAWS 110 C: LAWS 202-206. Students enrolled in other degrees, who do not have the above prerequisites and corequisites, but have completed appropriate courses in another discipline, may apply to the Head of Department for a waiver. R: LAWS 362 prior to 2010, ILAP 630
LAWS 365	Issues in Policing, Prosecution and Alternatives to Prosecution	15	NO	P: (1) CRJU 201/SOCI 218; and (2) CRJU 202 or LAWS 202 R: LAWS 337, CRJU 307 EQ: CRJU 307
LAWS 366	Sentencing Theory and Practice	15	S2	P: (1) CRJU 201; and (2) CRJU 202 or LAWS 202. R: LAWS 337; CRJU 301 RP: CRJU 307/LAWS 365 EQ: CRJU 301
LAWS 373	Special Topic: Washington Internship	15	A	P: (i) Subject to approval by Head of Department; (ii) LAWS 101; and (iii) LAWS 110. C: LAWS 202 - LAWS 206
LAWS 376	Resource Management Act 1991:			

LAWS 386	Clinical Legal Studies	15	S1 S2	P: (i) LAWS 101 (ii) LAWS 110 (iii) LAWS 202-LAWS 206 RP: LAWS 301, LAWS 307
LAWS 387	Advanced Public Law	15	NO	P: (i) LAWS 110; (ii) LAWS 101 and (iii) LAWS 206 C: LAWS 202; LAWS 203; LAWS 204; LAWS 205
LAWS 388	European Public Law	15	SU2 S2	P: (i) LAWS 101; and (ii) LAWS 110. C: LAWS 202-LAWS 206. Students enrolled in other degrees who do not have the above prerequisites and corequisites, but have completed appropriate courses in another discipline, may apply to the Head of Department for a waiver. R: EURO 333, EURA 333 EO: EURA 333, EURO 333
LAWS 390	Private International Law	15	NO	P: (i) LAWS 101; and (ii) LAWS 110 C: LAWS 202-LAWS 206
LAWS 391	Maori Land Law	15	NO	P: (i) LAWS 101; and (ii) LAWS 110 C: LAWS 202-LAWS 206
LAWS 392	The Treaty of Waitangi	15	NO	P: (i) LAWS 101; and (ii) LAWS 110 C: LAWS 202-LAWS 206 R: POLS 218; POLS 258; HIST 268; SOCI 209; HSRV 207; MAOR 219
LAWS 393	Advanced Land Law	15	S1	P: (i) LAWS 101; and (ii) LAWS 110; (iii) LAWS 205 C: LAWS 202-204, LAWS 206
LAWS 396	Media Law	15	S2	P: (i) LAWS 101; and (ii) LAWS 110 C: LAWS 202-LAWS 206
LAWS 397	Civil Litigation	15	NO	P: (i) LAWS 101; and (ii) LAWS 110 C: LAWS 202-LAWS 206
LAWS 398	Legal Ethics	15	S1	P: (i) LAWS 101; and (ii) LAWS 110 C: LAWS 202-LAWS 206 R: LAWS 370 (prior to 2006), LAWS 399 (prior to 2006)

The Degree of Bachelor of Laws Honours (LLB(Hons))

See also General Course and Examination Regulations.

1. Admission to the Programme

- (a) Admission to the honours programme shall be subject to invitation by the Dean of Law.
- (b) Entry into the honours programme is by invitation after completion of at least three Group A courses at 200-level or 300-level and no more than 90 points from Group B courses, in accordance with published criteria.
- (c) An applicant who holds the degree of Bachelor of Laws shall not be admitted into the honours programme.

2. Structure of the Degree

- (a) A candidate for the degree of LLB(Hons) shall comply with the requirements of LLB Regulation 1, and must be credited with LAWS 410, LAWS 420, and LAWS 430.
- (b) A candidate for the LLB(Hons) degree must complete the requirements of LLB(Hons) Regulation 2(a) within -
 - i. two academic years of being invited to enter

- the honours programme; or
- ii. three academic years of being invited to enter the honours programme if concurrently enrolled in the LLB degree and another degree and the invitation to enter the honours programme is received at the end of the candidate's second year of enrolment in the LLB degree; or
- iii. two academic years of being invited to enter the honours programme if concurrently enrolled in the LLB degree and another degree and the invitation to enter the honours programme is received at the end of the candidate's third year of enrolment in the LLB degree; or
- iv. five academic years of being invited to enter the honours programme if a part-time student.
- (c) In special circumstances the Dean of Law may modify the period within which a candidate may remain enrolled in the degree of LLB(Hons).

3. Level of Award of the Degreeows (LLM)

- and application of legal principles and familiarity with the published work relevant to the subject matter of the dissertation.
- (b) A thesis must be prepared under the supervision of a university teacher. It must be a substantial and original contribution to the exposition of law in which the candidate, in addition to the matters specified in paragraph (a), must provide a critical appraisal of the original and secondary sources relevant to its subject matter.
 - (c) The thesis shall satisfy the conditions laid down in the General Course and Examinations Regulations, Part L.
- iii. The minimum period of enrolment for a part-time candidate is two years, which shall be consecutive unless the candidate's enrolment is suspended under Regulation 5(e).
 - iv. The maximum period of enrolment for a part-time candidate is four years, which shall be consecutive unless the candidate's enrolment is suspended under Regulation 5(e).
- (c) Full-time and part-time candidates are expected to be able to attend the School of Law in person. Distance enrolment is not available for the LLM degree.

4. Award of Honours

The degree may be awarded with honours, which may be First Class or Second Class (Division 1 or 2).

5. Full-time and Part-time Study

- (a) Full-time study:
 - i. A candidate shall normally be enrolled as a full-time candidate.
 - ii. The minimum period of enrolment for a full-time candidate is one year.
 - iii. The maximum period of enrolment for a full-time candidate is two years, which shall be consecutive unless the candidate's enrolment is suspended under Regulation 5(e).
 - (b) Part-time study:
 - i. With the approval of the Dean of Law, a candidate may be enrolled as a part-time candidate.
 - ii. A part-time candidate is one who, because of employment, health, family or other reasons, is unable to devote his or her full-time to study and research.
- (d) After the commencement of study and research for the degree a candidate may, with the permission of the Dean of Law, transfer from part-time to full-time status, or vice versa. In granting such permission, the Dean shall determine the minimum and maximum periods of study and may impose other conditions.
 - (e) In special cases the Dean of Law may suspend the enrolment of a candidate, and may extend the time for submission of a research paper, thesis or dissertation. In such a case the Dean shall determine whether the candidate remains eligible for Honours.

6. Award of LLM instead of PhD

Where a thesis has been presented for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy in the Faculty of Law and the examiners are of the opinion that it does not justify the award of that degree they may recommend the award of the Degree of Master of Laws with or without honours.

Schedule to the Regulations for the Degree of Master of Laws (LLM)

Note: Enrolment in the following courses will be subject to there being suitable supervision available within the Department in any one year. Not all courses will be offered in any one year.

For full course information, go to www.canterbury.ac.nz/courses

Course Code	Course Title	EFTS	2015	P/C/R/RP/EQ
LAWS 601	Legal Research and Methodology	0.3333	FY CY	P: Subject to approval of the Head of Department.
LAWS 602	New Zealand Legal System	0.3333	FY CY	P: Subject to approval of the Head of Department.
LAWS 603	Public Law	0.3333	FY CY	P: Subject to approval of the Head of Department.
LAWS 604	Criminal Law	0.3333	FY CY	P: Subject to approval of the Head of Department.

Award Regulations

The Degree of Master of Laws (International Law and Politics) (LLM(IntLaw&Pols))

See also General Course and Examination Regulations.

1. Qualifications Required to Enrol in the Degree

A candidate for the Degree of Master of Laws (International Law and Politics) must, before enrolling for the degree:

- (a) either qualify for the Degree of Bachelor of Laws from a New Zealand university, or be admitted *ad eundem statum* as entitled to enrol for the Degree of Master of Laws; and
- (b) be approved as a candidate by the Dean of Law and Dean of Arts or nominee.

Note: Relevance and standard of undergraduate studies will be criteria for approval.

2. Structure of the Degree

To qualify for the Degree a candidate must:

- (a) satisfactorily complete a written dissertation; and
- (b) be credited with four courses from the Schedule to this degree; and
- (c) ensure the combined weight of courses and dissertation be at least 1.0 ECTS; and
- (d) pass each course for which he or she is enrolled. In special circumstances, the Dean of Law may permit a candidate who fails a course, or the dissertation, to re-enrol in that or another course or the dissertation, in a subsequent year.

3. Dissertation

- (a) The dissertation shall count for forty (40) percent of the degree mark.
- (b) The dissertation shall be written on an area of international law approved by the Dean of Law or nominee and under the supervision of a member of academic staff.
- (c) A candidate must show proficiency in the exposition and application of legal principles and familiarity with the published work relevant to the subject-matter of the dissertation.

4. Courses

- (a) Each course under 2(b) shall have a weight counting for at least fifteen (15) percent of the degree mark.
- (b) At least one course, but no more than two courses, shall be from the courses listed in Schedule B to the Regulations.
- (c) The balance of courses shall be from the courses listed in Schedule A to the Regulations.

- (d) One of the four courses credited must be ILAP 613 Advanced Principles of Public International Law.
- (e) The programme of courses chosen by the candidate must be approved by the Dean of Law or nominee.

Note: Not all of these courses will necessarily be available in any one year and candidates should consult the School of Law and Political Science Department about the courses to be taught in each year.

5. Award of Honours

The Degree may be awarded with honours, which may be First Class or Second Class (Division 1 or 2).

6. Full-time and Part-time Study

- (a) Full-time study:
 - i. A candidate shall normally be enrolled as a full-time candidate.
 - ii. The minimum period of enrolment for a full-time candidate is one year.
 - iii. The maximum period of enrolment for a full-time candidate is two years, which shall be consecutive unless the candidate's enrolment is suspended under Regulation 6(e).
- (b) Part-time study:
 - i. With the approval of the Dean of Law, a candidate may be enrolled as a part-time candidate.
 - ii. A part-time candidate is one who, because of employment, health, family or other reasons, is unable to devote himself or herself full-time to study and research.
 - iii. The minimum period of enrolment for a part-time candidate is two years, which shall be consecutive unless the candidate's enrolment is suspended under Regulation 6(e).
 - iv. The maximum period of enrolment for a part-time candidate is four years, which shall be consecutive unless the candidate's enrolment is suspended under Regulation 6(e).
- (c) Full-time and part-time candidates are expected to be able to attend the School of Law in person. Distance enrolment is not available for the LLM(IntLaw&Pols) programme.
- (d) After the commencement of study and research for the degree a candidate may, with the permission of the Dean of Law, transfer from part-time to full-time status, or vice versa. In granting such

permission, the Dean shall determine the minimum and maximum periods of study and may impose other conditions.

(e) In special cases the Dean of Law may suspend

the enrolment of a candidate, and may extend the time for submission of a dissertation. In such a case the Dean shall determine whether the candidate remains eligible for honours.

Schedule to the Regulations for the Degree of Master of Laws (International Law and Politics)

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Group A

Courses offered by the School of Law

Note: Not all courses will be offered in any one year.

Course Code	Course Title	EFTS	2015	P/C/R/RP/EQ
ILAP 601	Principles of Public International Law	0.1500	S1	P: Subject to approval of the Programme Director. R: DIPL 402, LAWS 324, LAWS 342, LAWS 375
ILAP 602	The United Nations	0.1500	NO	P: Subject to approval of the Programme Director R: LAWS 343, DIPL 421
ILAP 603	International Humanitarian Law	0.1500	NO	P: Subject to approval of the Programme Director.
ILAP 604	International Criminal Law	0.1500	NO	P: Subject to approval of the Programme Director. R: LAWS 321, DIPL 421
ILAP 607	Problems in International Law	0.1500	NO	P: Subject to approval of the Programme Director. R: LAWS 347, DIPL 402
ILAP 608	World Trade Law	0.1500	S2	P: Subject to approval of the Programme Director. R: LAWS 338, DIPL 402
ILAP 609	International Human Rights Law	0.1500	S1	P: Subject to approval of the Programme Director. R: LAWS 322, DIPL 421
ILAP 610	Immigration and Refugee Law	0.1500	NO	P: Subject to approval of the Programme Director. R: LAWS 323, DIPL 421
ILAP 611	Antarctic Legal Studies	0.1500	NO	P: Subject to approval of the Programme Director. R: LAWS 336, LAWS 372
ILAP 612	International Environmental Law	0.1500	S2	P: Subject to the approval of the Programme Director R: LAWS 327, LAWS 347 (2001-2004), DIPL 402, DIPL 421
ILAP 613	Advanced Principles of Public International Law	0.1500	S1	P: Subject to approval of the Programme Director.
ILAP 625	Dissertation	0.4000	FY CY	P: Subject to approval of the Programme Director.
ILAP 626	International Institutions	0.1500	NO	P: Subject to the approval of the Programme Director R: LAWS 343
ILAP 627	European Public Law	0.1500	SU2 S2	P: Subject to the approval of the Programme Director R: EURO 333
ILAP 628	Special Topic	0.1500	S1 S2	P: Subject to approval of the Programme Director.
ILAP 629	Special Topic	0.1500	S1 S2	P: Subject to approval of the Programme Director.
ILAP 630	Law of the Sea	0.1500	S1	P: Subject to approval of the Programme Director. R: LAWS 362 prior to 2010: LAWS 364
ILAP 631	Special Topic: Transnational Criminal Law	0.1500	NO	P: Subject to approval of the Programme Director
ILAP 632	Trade & Investment	0.1500	S2	P: Subject to approval of the Programme Director

Group B

Courses offered by the School of Social and Political Sciences

Note: Not all School of Social and Political Sciences ILAP courses will be available in any one year, or any one semester. Students should refer to the corresponding 300 or 400-level POLS course prescriptions for more information on specific courses, and contact the School for information on the current year's offerings.