2016 Course Enrolment Guide

Thomas More Academy of Law
Bachelor of Laws
Melbourne and North Sydney

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Please note that Course Enrolment Guides are revised regularly and students are advised to check the website for the latest updates. Additional information from your School, Faculty and the University will be sent to your ACU student e-mail address and students must check this regularly. Please note that all e-mail communication with University staff must be sent from your ACU student e-mail account.

HOW TO USE THIS GUIDE

The Course Enrolment Guide is designed to assist students in the selection of units and to ensure that students are aware of the requirements for the completion of their degree. Specific information relating to unit content and assessments will be provided by your School.

Enrolling in units for 2016

1. Refer to Section 1. ‘Course Map’ for the structure of your course. Please note that this may vary depending on the campus where you are studying and/or the year in which you commenced your studies. Make a note of the core units you need to enrol in for 2016.

2. Refer to Section 2. ‘Unit Information’ for details about elective units offered at your campus this year. Pay particular attention to prerequisite and co-requisite requirements.

3. Make sure that you are familiar with the rules and structure of your course. Refer to Section 3. ‘Course Information’ for links to the Handbook, which contains information on the major, minor and specialisation options available in your course.

4. Refer to the Re-Enrolment¹ section of the ACU website for step-by-step instructions on how to enrol in units via Student Connect.

¹ https://students.acu.edu.au/247957
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## 1. COURSE MAP

### Bachelor of Laws – Melbourne and North Sydney

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<td>False and Misleading Conduct and Economic Torts</td>
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Please Note:

- *LAWS104 Legal Reading, Writing and Research is a pre-requisite for all Law units and a Co-
  requisite for LAWS105 and LAWS106.
- *LAWP100 Pro Bono/Professional Legal Experience. You must contact the Pro Bono Co-ordinator at
  probono.coordinator@acu.edu.au for advice and to obtain permission to enrol in this unit.
- All units are delivered in “Attendance” mode, unless otherwise indicated.
- Pre-requisite units are indicated in italics.
- Students who do not follow the sequence recommended in their Course Map cannot be guaranteed a
  clash free timetable or completion within the normal course duration period.

Study Modes

- **Attendance:** Unit delivered primarily via face-to-face or video conference attendance, at an
  ACU campus or another location.
- **Multi-mode:** Unit delivered via a combination of online content and a compulsory attendance
  component (including examinations, practicums, residential etc).
- **Online:** Unit delivered fully online (including assessments).

Prerequisites

- A prerequisite is a requirement that must be met by a student before enrolment in a stipulated
  unit. It is your responsibility to ensure that you meet all prerequisites prior to enrolling in a unit.

2. UNIT INFORMATION

Please note that unit availability is subject to change

2016 Elective Units

A full list of elective units offered in 2016 can be found at: https://students.acu.edu.au/762665
(available from 12th October 2015). This includes information on the campus, semester and study
mode for each unit.

For descriptions of units, please refer to the ACU Handbook. Please select the appropriate year and
then click on 'Unit Descriptions'.

http://students.acu.edu.au/387052
3. COURSE INFORMATION

Course Structure

The University Handbook provides detailed information about each ACU course, including minimum duration, requirements for completion, exit points, any available majors/minors/specialisations and descriptions of units. Please follow the links below to view the rules for your course:

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Course Specific Advice

Course Coordinators and/or Course Advisors are available to assist with enrolment and re-enrolment. You can telephone, email or contact them in person to make an appointment.

MELBOURNE

Course Coordinator: Rodney Diggens
Room: 7.07, 486 Albert St
Phone: 03 9953 3658
Email: Rodney.Diggens@acu.edu.au

Course Administrator: Jason King
Room: 7.11, 486 Albert St
Phone: 03 9230 8127
Email: Jason.King@acu.edu.au

NORTH SYDNEY

Course Coordinator: Kay Maxwell-Monahan
Room: 19.09 Tenison Woods House
Phone: 03 9739 2718
Email: Kay.Maxwell-Monahan@acu.edu.au

Course Administrator: Jennifer Downey
Room: 19.15, Tenison Woods House
Phone: 02 9739 2722
Email: Jennifer.Downey@acu.edu.au

Please contact the Law Course Administrator in the first instance.

Law Induction Program

All commencing law students are required to attend the Law Induction Program which will run for three days in early February 2016. The Program is an introduction to the study of law at ACU and designed to assist students to acquire the skills and knowledge essential to their studies and the future practice of law. The Academy will email commencing students with details of the Program and any prereading material prior Induction.

General Advice

All queries not specifically related to your course program such as admissions, enrolment, fees, scholarships, exams, timetabling and graduations should be directed to the Student Centre.

The Administration & Enrolment webpage also has useful information to help you in managing your studies.

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3 https://students.acu.edu.au/42835
4 https://students.acu.edu.au/332297