

Bachelor of Justice Studies (248JA.2)

Please note these are the 2018 details for this course

Domestic students

Selection rank	58.45
	Note: The selection rank is the minimum ATAR plus adjustment factors required for admission to the program in the previous year. This is an indicative guide only as ranks change each year depending on demand.

English language requirements	An IELTS Academic score of 6.0 overall, with no band score below 6.0 (or equivalent). View IELTS equivalences
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Duration	3.0 years
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UAC code	367033
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Faculty	Faculty of Business, Government & Law
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Discipline	Canberra Law School
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Location	UC - Canberra, Bruce
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Fees 

Per Unit	Per Annum	Full Course
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International students

Academic entry requirements	To study at UC, you'll need to meet our academic entry requirements and any admission requirements
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specific to your course. Please read your course admission requirements below. To find out whether you meet UC's academic entry requirements, visit our [academic entry requirements page](#).

[View UC's academic entry requirements](#)

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CRICOS code 076970K

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About this course

Enter the justice system with confidence

Our Bachelor of Justice Studies will equip you with an in-depth understanding of the structure, concepts and underlying principles of the justice system. It will introduce you to the issues that arise in developing, managing and administering justice policy and give you the tools to undertake those tasks successfully. Choose from a range of specialist electives that most interest you such as judicial administration in civil and family law or criminal justice issues.

Study a Bachelor of Justice Studies at UC and you will:

- learn the fundamentals of the Australian justice system – its core concepts, structure and principals
- draw on a multi-disciplinary approach that includes judicial administration, sociology, criminal law, human rights, management, communications, psychology, human resources and government studies
- understand the social, legal, economic and political environment affecting the justice sector
- analyse and evaluate information to complete a range of activities relevant to the sector

- gain the knowledge and skills to work in many different roles in research, operations, policy or advocacy in the justice sector
- apply knowledge and skills to demonstrate autonomy, well-developed judgment and responsibility
- work both individually and collaboratively to investigate justice sector issues and creatively solve problems that arise in that sector.

Work-integrated learning

During your course you will be encouraged to use your knowledge of contemporary issues and innovations in the justice sector by undertaking at least one industry-based work placement.

Career opportunities

- Policy development and administration
- Court administration
- Law enforcement and security
- Corrective services
- Criminological research
- Law reform

Course specific information

If you don't meet the entry requirements for this course you can apply for an Associate Degree of Justice Studies. You'll then have the option of transferring into the Bachelor of Justice Studies at the end of first year if your grade average is strong.

Students based in Canberra can also combine the Bachelor of Justice Studies with the Bachelor of Forensic Studies or the Bachelor of Law to enroll in a double degree.

Professional accreditation

None.

Admission requirements

Normal UC requirements for admission to an undergraduate course.

Assumed knowledge

None.

Periods course is open for new admissions

This course is not open for new admissions.

Credit arrangements

There are currently no formal credit transfer arrangements for entry to this course. Any previous study or work experience will only be

considered as part of the application process in accordance with current [course rules](#) and [university policy](#). Credit is not permitted towards completion of a graduate certificate.

Course requirements

Bachelor of Justice Studies (248JA) | 72 credit points

Location - UC Canberra - Bruce Campus Campus

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Required - 27 credit points as follows

Major in Justice Studies (MJ0147) | 24 credit points

Required - Must pass 24 credit points as follows

Legal Methods and Skills (6601) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Legal Systems (6602) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Therapeutic Jurisprudence (7917) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Justice Administration and the Constitution (8078) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Justice Policy and Community Engagement (8359) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Civil Justice (8896) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Criminal Process (9015) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Alternative Dispute Resolution in Law (9422) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Research Methods in Social Science (10086) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Restricted Choice - 45 credit points as follows

Part A - Must pass 24 credit points from the following

Cybercrime (7026) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Employment Discrimination and the Law (7027) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Family Law (7031) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Human Rights Law (7033) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Legal Research Project (7045) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Environmental and Planning Law (7907) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Mental Health and the Law (8055) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Forensic Evidence and the Law (8064) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Young People and Crime (8507) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Women and the Law (8523) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Justice Studies Internship (8544) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Criminology (9177) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Part B - Must select 1 of the following

Option 1 - Must pass 21 credit points as follows

Faculty of BGL Restricted Choice Majors (BGLRCMJS) | credit points

Restricted Choice - May select from

- Students must pass one of the following majors, or select 18 credit points of open elective units.

Major in Sociology and Social Policy (MJ0106) | 18 or 21 or 24 credit points

For the 18cp Major - 18 credit points as follows

Required - Must pass 6 credit points as follows

Introductory Sociology (6607) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Civil Society: Politics and Policy (8716) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Restricted Choice - 12 credit points as follows

Part A - May do up to 3 credit points from the following

Law and Society (6599) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Introduction to Politics and Government (8296) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Indigenous History and Identity (9467) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Part B - Must pass between 6 and 12 credit points from the following

Violence, the Nation-State and Terrorism (6603) | 3 credit

points – Level 3

Sustainable Communities (6875) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Indigenous Australia: Contemporary Issues (6878) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Socio-Cultural Politics of Education (6889) | 3 credit points – Level 4

Indigenous Representation in Australian Society (6999) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Indigenous Politics and the State (7000) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Diversity and Organisations (7059) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Governance in an Information Age (7069) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Identity Politics and Public Policy (7072) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Introduction to Public Policy (7074) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Sociology of Health (7086) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Sociology of Technology and Work (7087) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Social Policy: Government, Wealth and Welfare (7534) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Governance for Environmental Sustainability (7778) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Contemporary Issues in Sport (7983) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Part C - May do up to 3 credit points from the following

Indigenous Societies and Heritage (8158) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Indigenous Heritage and Landscapes (9634) | 3 credit points
– Level 3

For the 21cp Major - 21 credit points as follows

Required - Must pass 6 credit points as follows

Introductory Sociology (6607) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Civil Society: Politics and Policy (8716) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Restricted Choice - 15 credit points as follows

Part A - May do up to 3 credit points from the following

Law and Society (6599) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Introduction to Politics and Government (8296) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Indigenous History and Identity (9467) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Part B - Must pass between 9 and 15 credit points from the following

Violence, the Nation-State and Terrorism (6603) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Sustainable Communities (6875) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Indigenous Australia: Contemporary Issues (6878) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Socio-Cultural Politics of Education (6889) | 3 credit points – Level 4

Indigenous Representation in Australian Society (6999) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Indigenous Politics and the State (7000) | 3 credit points –

Level 2

Diversity and Organisations (7059) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Governance in an Information Age (7069) | 3 credit points –
Level 2

Identity Politics and Public Policy (7072) | 3 credit points –
Level 3

Introduction to Public Policy (7074) | 3 credit points – Level
3

Sociology of Health (7086) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Sociology of Technology and Work (7087) | 3 credit points –
Level 2

Social Policy: Government, Wealth and Welfare (7534) | 3
credit points – Level 2

Governance for Environmental Sustainability (7778) | 3 credit
points – Level 2

Contemporary Issues in Sport (7983) | 3 credit points – Level
2

Part C - May do up to 3 credit points from the following

Indigenous Societies and Heritage (8158) | 3 credit points –
Level 3

Indigenous Heritage and Landscapes (9634) | 3 credit points
– Level 3

For the 24cp Major - 24 credit points as follows

- Select 1 of the following options:

Option A - Must pass 24 credit points as follows

- This option is only for students in the Bachelor of Social

Science.

Required - Must pass 3 credit points as follows

Civil Society: Politics and Policy (8716) | 3 credit points –
Level 3

Restricted Choice - 21 credit points as follows

Option B - Must pass 24 credit points as follows

- This option is for students who are NOT in the Bachelor of Social Science.

Required - Must pass 6 credit points from the following

Introductory Sociology (6607) | 3 credit points – Level 1
Civil Society: Politics and Policy (8716) | 3 credit points –
Level 3

Restricted Choice - 18 credit points as follows

Major in Accounting (MJ0002) | 18 credit points

Required - Must pass 12 credit points as follows

Accounting Systems and Practices (6360) | 3 credit points – Level 2
Management Accounting (6375) | 3 credit points – Level 2
Company Accounting (6391) | 3 credit points – Level 2
Business Finance (6392) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Restricted Choice - 6 credit points as follows

Part A - Must pass 3 credit points from the following

Accounting for Managers (5617) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Business Decision Making (11009) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Note:

- From Semester 1 2018 unit 5617 Accounting for Managers is no longer offered at the Bruce campus. Students complete unit 11009 Business Decision Making instead.

Part B - Must pass 3 credit points from the following

Business Statistics (5123) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Problem Analysis and Statistics (8732) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Major in Managing Human Resources (MJ0087) | 18 credit points

Required - Must pass 15 credit points as follows

Managing Human Resources (6354) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Managing Pay and Performance (6370) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Industrial Relations (6384) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Workforce Planning (7998) | 3 credit points – Level 3

International Workplace Relations (8034) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Restricted Choice - Must pass 3 credit points from the following

Organisational Behaviour (7878) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Principles of Organisational Behaviour (9526) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Major in Marketing (MJ0089) | 18 credit points

Required - Must pass 9 credit points as follows

Marketing Management and Planning (6371) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Marketing Research Methods (6372) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Consumer Behaviour (6390) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Restricted Choice - 9 credit points from the following

Part A - Must pass 3 credit points from the following

Introduction to Marketing (6357) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Foundations of Marketing (9521) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Part B - May do up to 3 credit points from the following

Services Marketing (6366) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Marketing and Promotion (9532) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Part C - Must pass between 3 and 6 credit points from the following

Internet Marketing (6379) | 3 credit points – Level 2

International Marketing (6380) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Marketing Research Project (6413) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Major in Financial Services (MJ0040) | 18 credit points

Required - Must pass 9 credit points as follows

Financial Institutions and Markets (6386) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Business Finance (6392) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Credit and Lending Decisions (6402) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Restricted Choice - 9 credit points as follows

Part A - Must pass 3 credit points from the following

Business Statistics (5123) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Problem Analysis and Statistics (8732) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Business Research Methods (9522) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Part B - Must pass 3 credit points from the following

Investments (6378) | 3 credit points – Level 2

International Financial Management (6409) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Managing Financial Services Firms (6412) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Part C - Must pass 3 credit points from the following

Accounting for Managers (5617) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Business Decision Making (11009) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Note:

- From Semester 1 2018 unit 5617 Accounting for Managers is no longer offered at Bruce campus. Students complete unit 11009 Business Decision Making instead.

Major in International Management (MJ0064) | 18 credit points

Required - Must pass 3 credit points as follows

Introduction to International Business (6356) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Restricted Choice - Must pass 15 credit points from the following

Global e-Business (6363) | 3 credit points – Level 2

International Marketing (6380) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Asia Pacific Business (6393) | 3 credit points – Level 2

International Financial Management (6409) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Strategic Management (7371) | 3 credit points – Level 3

International Workplace Relations (8034) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Advanced Management (9537) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Major in Politics and International Relations (MJ0173) | 18 credit points

Restricted Choice - 18 credit points as follows

Part A - Must pass 15 credit points from the following

Politics and Democracy (675) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Identity Politics and Public Policy (7072) | 3 credit points – Level 3

International Relations (8295) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Introduction to Politics and Government (8296) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Politics and Security in the Asia-Pacific (8297) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Introduction to Politics (9548) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Introduction to Western Political Thought (9549) | 3 credit points – Level 2

International Relations (9550) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Feminist Politics (9559) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Asia-Pacific Politics (9565) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Part B - Must pass 3 credit points from the following

Contemporary Regional Politics in a Global Context (10237) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Major in Management (MJ0086) | 18 credit points

Restricted Choice - Must pass 18 credit points from the following

Introduction to Management (4207) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Accounting for Managers (5617) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Managing Human Resources (6354) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Government-Business Relations (6606) | 3 credit points – Level 1
Leadership, Innovation and Change (7075) | 3 credit points – Level 2
Organisational Performance (7079) | 3 credit points – Level 2
Public Sector Management (7083) | 3 credit points – Level 2
Strategic Management (7371) | 3 credit points – Level 3
Global Challenges in Governance (7533) | 3 credit points – Level 2
Organisational Behaviour (7878) | 3 credit points – Level 2
Introduction to Politics and Government (8296) | 3 credit points – Level 1
Civil Society: Politics and Policy (8716) | 3 credit points – Level 3
Principles of Management (9525) | 3 credit points – Level 2
Principles of Organisational Behaviour (9526) | 3 credit points – Level 2
Management Leadership (9533) | 3 credit points – Level 3
Advanced Management (9537) | 3 credit points – Level 3
Public Administration (9552) | 3 credit points – Level 2
Business Decision Making (11009) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Note:

- 1. From Semester 1 2018 unit 5617 Accounting for Managers is no longer offered at the Bruce campus. Students complete unit 11009 Business Decision Making instead.
- 2. From Semester 1 2018 unit 6606 Government-Business Relations is no longer offered. Students complete unit 8296 Introduction to Politics & Government instead.

Major in Entrepreneurship (MJ0143) | 18 credit points

Required - Must pass 15 credit points as follows

Entrepreneurship (6349) | 3 credit points – Level 2
Creativity (6350) | 3 credit points – Level 2
Commercialisation (6351) | 3 credit points – Level 3
Innovation (6361) | 3 credit points – Level 3
Global Entrepreneurship (7934) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Restricted Choice - Must pass 3 credit points from the following

Leadership, Innovation and Change (7075) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Management Leadership (9533) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Major in Information Systems (MJ0059) | 18 credit points

Required - Must pass 12 credit points as follows

Database Design (5915) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Systems Analysis and Modelling (6365) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Document and Workflow Management (6388) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Systems Project and Quality Management (7173) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Note:

- From 2019 the unit code for 6365 Systems Analysis and Modelling has changed to 11486.
- From 2020 unit 6388 Document and Workflow Management has been replaced by unit 11481 Workflow and Process Management.

Restricted Choice - Must pass 6 credit points as follows

Part A - Must pass 3 credit points from the following

Information Systems in Organisations (6348) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Management Information Systems (9524) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Part B - Must pass 3 credit points from the following

Designing Human-Computer Interaction (6389) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Corporate Strategy and IT Governance (9276) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Major in Applied Economics (MJ0005) | 18 credit points

Required - Must pass 6 credit points as follows

Part B - Must pass 3 credit points from the following

Introduction to Economics (6355) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Foundations of Microeconomics (9518) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Part A - Must pass 3 credit points from the following

Foundations of Macroeconomics (9519) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Money, Employment and Growth (10083) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Restricted Choice - Must pass 12 credit points from the following

Project Evaluation and Management (6353) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Global e-Business (6363) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Asia Pacific Business (6393) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Economics of the Public Sector (6404) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Environmental and Resource Economics (6405) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Econometrics (9540) | 3 credit points – Level 2

History of Economic Ideas (9541) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Labour Market Economics (9543) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Economic Development (9544) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Public Finance (9545) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Industrial Organisation (9546) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Major in Event Management (MJ0126) | 18 credit points

Required - Must pass 18 credit points as follows

Creativity (6350) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Event Management (7016) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Contemporary Issues in Tourism and Events (7923) | 3 credit points –
Level 3

Event Development (7924) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Tourism and Communication (8731) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Introduction to Events and Tourism (9470) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Major in Law and Technology (MJ0081) | 18 credit points

Required - Must pass 3 credit points as follows

Law and Society (6599) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Restricted Choice - 15 credit points from the following

Part A - Must pass 3 credit points from the following

Introduction to Business Law (4977) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Legal Systems (6602) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Business Law and Ethics (9523) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Business Law (11220) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Part B - Must pass 12 credit points from the following

Cybercrime (7026) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Information Law (7034) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Intellectual Property Law (7035) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Sociology of Technology and Work (7087) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Law of Communication (9424) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Major in Law and Society (MJ0080) | 18 credit points

Required - Must pass 6 credit points as follows

Law and Society (6599) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Introductory Sociology (6607) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Restricted Choice - Must pass 12 credit points from the following

Violence, the Nation-State and Terrorism (6603) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Cybercrime (7026) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Employment Discrimination and the Law (7027) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Family Law (7031) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Human Rights Law (7033) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Information Law (7034) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Sports and the Law (7052) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Indigenous Australians and the Law (8245) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Young People and Crime (8507) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Women and the Law (8523) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Law of Communication (9424) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Major in Politics & Government (MJ0093) | 18 credit points

Restricted Choice - 18 credit points as follows

Part A - May do up to 6 credit points from the following

Politics and Democracy (675) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Government-Business Relations (6606) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Introduction to Politics and Government (8296) | 3 credit points –
Level 1

Introduction to Politics (9548) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Introduction to Western Political Thought (9549) | 3 credit points –
Level 2

Part B - Must pass at least 12 credit points from the following

Indigenous Politics and the State (7000) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Identity Politics and Public Policy (7072) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Global Challenges in Governance (7533) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Social Policy: Government, Wealth and Welfare (7534) | 3 credit points – Level 2

International Relations (8295) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Politics and Security in the Asia-Pacific (8297) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Public Policy in Theory and Practice (8785) | 3 credit points – Level 3

International Relations (9550) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Ethics and Public Policy (9555) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Feminist Politics (9559) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Asia-Pacific Politics (9565) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Contemporary Regional Politics in a Global Context (10237) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Major in National Security (MJ0174) | 18 credit points

Required - Must pass 15 credit points from the following

Cybercrime (7026) | 3 credit points – Level 2

National Security (8246) | 3 credit points – Level 2

International Relations (8295) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Politics and Security in the Asia-Pacific (8297) | 3 credit points – Level 3

The Challenge of Modern Terrorism (8724) | 3 credit points – Level 3

International Relations (9550) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Asia-Pacific Politics (9565) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Restricted Choice - Must pass 3 credit points from the following

Politics and Democracy (675) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Government-Business Relations (6606) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Global Challenges in Governance (7533) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Global Peace and Conflict Studies (8167) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Introduction to Politics and Government (8296) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Introduction to Politics (9548) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Major in Legal Studies (Business) (MJ0295) | 18 credit points

Restricted Choice - 18 credit points as follows

Part A - Must pass 3 credit points from the following

Introduction to Business Law (4977) | 3 credit points – Level 1

Business Law and Ethics (9523) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Business Law (11220) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Part B - Must pass 15 credit points from the following

Revenue Law (6417) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Information Law (7034) | 3 credit points – Level 3

Law of Financial Institutions and Services (7041) | 3 credit points –
Level 2

Sports and the Law (7052) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Building and Construction Law (7827) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Employment Law (7906) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Environmental and Planning Law (7907) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Law of Business Associations (8508) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Law of Communication (9424) | 3 credit points – Level 2

Note:

- Students may not be able to select from all majors, as some units within may have already been completed in other areas of the course.
- Unit Levels: In selecting electives students should note that no more than 30 credit points at Level 1 is permitted for the entire course.

Open Electives - 3 credit points as follows

- Must pass 3 credit points from anywhere in the University.

Option 2 - 21 credit points as follows

In addition to course requirements, in order to successfully complete your course you must meet the inherent requirements. Please refer to the [inherent requirements statement](#) applicable to your course

Typical study pattern

UC - Canberra, Bruce

Accelerated (2 Years), Semester 1 Commencing

Year 1

Semester 1

Two Open Elective Units

[Legal Methods and Skills \(6601\)](#)

[Legal Systems \(6602\)](#)

Semester 2

[Civil Justice \(8896\)](#)

One Restricted Choice Unit

[Criminal Process \(9015\)](#)

[Research Methods in Social Science \(10086\)](#)

Summer Term

Two Open Elective Units

Winter Term

One Restricted Choice Unit

Open Elective Unit

Year 2

Semester 1

Three Restricted Choice Units

[Justice Policy and Community Engagement \(8359\)](#)

Semester 2

[Alternative Dispute Resolution in Law \(9422\)](#)

One Restricted Choice Unit

[Justice Administration and the Constitution \(8078\)](#)

[Therapeutic Jurisprudence \(7917\)](#)

Summer Term

Two Open Elective Units

Winter Term

Open Elective Unit

One Restricted Choice Unit

Accelerated (2.5 Years), Semester 1, Commencing

Year 1

Semester 1

Two Open Elective Units

[Legal Methods and Skills \(6601\)](#)

[Legal Systems \(6602\)](#)

Semester 2

[Criminal Process \(9015\)](#)

One Restricted Choice Unit

[Civil Justice \(8896\)](#)

[Research Methods in Social Science \(10086\)](#)

Winter Term

Two Open Elective Units

Year 2

Semester 1

Four Restricted Choice Units

Semester 2

[Justice Administration and the Constitution \(8078\)](#)

[Therapeutic Jurisprudence \(7917\)](#)

One Restricted Choice Unit

[Alternative Dispute Resolution in Law \(9422\)](#)

Winter Term

Two Open Elective Units

Year 3

Semester 1

[Justice Policy and Community Engagement \(8359\)](#)

One Restricted Choice Unit

Two Open Elective Units

Full Time with Study Abroad Option, Semester 1 Commencing

Year 1

Semester 1

[Legal Methods and Skills \(6601\)](#)

[Legal Systems \(6602\)](#)

Two Open Elective Units

Semester 2

[Criminal Process \(9015\)](#)

Open Elective Unit

[Civil Justice \(8896\)](#)

[Research Methods in Social Science \(10086\)](#)

Year 2

Semester 1

[International Exchange \(12cp\) \(6845\)](#)

Semester 2

Two Restricted Choice Units

[Alternative Dispute Resolution in Law \(9422\)](#)

[Justice Administration and the Constitution \(8078\)](#)

Year 3

Semester 1

[Justice Policy and Community Engagement \(8359\)](#)

Three Restricted Choice Units

Semester 2

[Therapeutic Jurisprudence \(7917\)](#)

Three Restricted Choice Units

Standard Full Time, Semester 1 Commencing

Year 1

Semester 1

[Legal Methods and Skills \(6601\)](#)

[Legal Systems \(6602\)](#)

Two Open Elective Units

Semester 2

Open Elective Unit

[Civil Justice \(8896\)](#)

[Criminal Process \(9015\)](#)

[Research Methods in Social Science \(10086\)](#)

Year 2

Semester 1

Three Restricted Choice Units

Open Elective Unit

Semester 2

[Alternative Dispute Resolution in Law \(9422\)](#)

One Restricted Choice Unit

Open Elective Unit

[Justice Administration and the Constitution \(8078\)](#)

Year 3

Semester 1

Open Elective Unit

[Justice Policy and Community Engagement \(8359\)](#)

Two Restricted Choice Units

Semester 2

Two Restricted Choice Units

[Therapeutic Jurisprudence \(7917\)](#)

Open Elective Unit

Standard Full Time, Semester 2 Commencing

Year 1

Semester 2

Open Elective Unit

[Legal Methods and Skills \(6601\)](#)

[Legal Systems \(6602\)](#)

[Research Methods in Social Science \(10086\)](#)

Year 2

Semester 1

Two Restricted Choice Units

Two Open Elective Units

Semester 2

[Civil Justice \(8896\)](#)

[Justice Administration and the Constitution \(8078\)](#)

One Restricted Choice Unit

[Criminal Process \(9015\)](#)

Year 3

Semester 1

Two Open Elective Units

Two Restricted Choice Units

Semester 2

[Alternative Dispute Resolution in Law \(9422\)](#)

[Therapeutic Jurisprudence \(7917\)](#)

Two Restricted Choice Units

Year 4

Semester 1

[Justice Policy and Community Engagement \(8359\)](#)

One Restricted Choice Unit

Two Open Elective Units

Course information

Course duration

Standard six semesters full-time or equivalent. Maximum twenty semesters.

Learning outcomes

Learning outcomes	Related graduate attributes
<p>The Bachelor of Justice Studies equips students with broad theoretical and technical knowledge about many areas of the justice sector, including policy development and administration, court administration, law enforcement and security, corrective services, criminological research, community legal centres and law reform bodies.</p>	<p>Analysis and inquiry:</p> <p>The ability to gather information, and to analyse and evaluate information and situations in a systematic, creative and insightful way.</p>
<p>The aim of the Bachelor of Justice Studies is to develop graduates who have the relevant cognitive, technical and communication skills to undertake professional roles in research, operations, policy or advocacy in the justice sector. Graduates are expected to understand the social, legal, economic and political environment affecting the justice sector and to be able to analyse and evaluate information to complete a range of activities relevant to the sector; analyse generate and transmit solutions to sector problems and transmit knowledge and ideas relevant to the sector to others.</p>	<p>Communication:</p> <p>The ability to present knowledge, ideas and opinions effectively and communicate within and across professional and cultural boundaries.</p>
<p>Graduates are expected to be able to apply their knowledge and skills to demonstrate autonomy, well-developed judgment and responsibility. They will be able to work both</p>	<p>Problem solving:</p>

individually and collaboratively to investigate justice sector issues and creatively solve problems that arise in that sector.

The ability to apply problem-solving processes in novel situations; to identify and analyse problems then formulate and implement solutions;

Working independently and with others:

The ability to plan their own work, be self-directed, and use interpersonal skills and attitudes to work collaboratively;

Professionalism and social responsibility:

The capacity and intention to use professional knowledge and skills ethically and responsibly, for the benefit of others and the environment.

Majors

- [Major in Justice Studies \(MJ0147\)](#)
- [Major in Sociology and Social Policy \(MJ0106\)](#)
- [Major in Financial Services \(MJ0040\)](#)
- [Major in Management \(MJ0086\)](#)
- [Major in Entrepreneurship \(MJ0143\)](#)
- [Major in National Security \(MJ0174\)](#)
- [Major in Managing Human Resources \(MJ0087\)](#)
- [Major in Politics and International Relations \(MJ0173\)](#)
- [Major in Legal Studies \(Business\) \(MJ0295\)](#)
- [Major in Event Management \(MJ0126\)](#)
- [Major in International Management \(MJ0064\)](#)
- [Major in Information Systems \(MJ0059\)](#)
- [Major in Applied Economics \(MJ0005\)](#)
- [Major in Law and Society \(MJ0080\)](#)
- [Major in Accounting \(MJ0002\)](#)
- [Major in Law and Technology \(MJ0081\)](#)

- [Major in Politics & Government \(MJ0093\)](#)
- [Major in Marketing \(MJ0089\)](#)

Awards

Award	Official abbreviation
Bachelor of Justice Studies	B JusticeSt

Honours

High performing students may be eligible to enrol in the Bachelor of Philosophy (Honours) course.

Alternative exits

249JA Bachelor of Justice Studies/Bachelor of Forensic Studies

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