Master of Laws (Research) (LLMR) - LLR CRICOS code (International applicants): 078845K

| | On-campus | External | |
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| Semester intake: | Semester 1 (February) Semester 2 (July) Semester 2 (July) Semester 2 (July) | | |
| Campus: | Springfield, Toowoomba | - | |
| Fees: | Domestic full fee paying place International full fee paying place Research training scheme (RTS) | Domestic full fee paying place International full fee paying place Research training scheme (RTS) | |
| Standard duration: | 1.5 years full-time, up to 6 years part-time | | |

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Program structure

| The Master of Laws by Research is a 12-unit research program comprising one unit of coursework and three Masters Dissertation courses (comprising eleven units of dissertation altogether). Students must successfully complete the following courses: | | | |
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- a minimum grade of A for the course LAW8001 Legal Research Methodology and where applicable a minimum grade of A for another research course if required by the supervisory team
- a minimum grade of A for their research proposal from the Confirmation of Candidature panel
- achieved subsequent confirmation of Master's candidature by the Office of Research and Higher Degrees.

Note: Candidates will be required to meet the admission requirements of the PhD program and, if they are accepted, will be enrolled as provisional candidates with their status reviewed within 12 months for full-time enrolment or 24 months for part-time enrolment. Students may apply for credit in the PhD program based on the Master of Laws by Research units completed. Students who are eligible to transfer to the PhD after 8 units and take that option will be eligible for the Postgraduate Diploma of Legal Research.

Students who are unable to complete the Master of Laws by Research but have completed 4 units including LAW8001 Legal Research Methodology (or another research course if required by the supervisory team), LAW8002 Law Masters Dissertation A, LAW8003 Law Masters Dissertation B and a research proposal with a minimum grade of C from the Confirmation of Candidature panel will be eligible to exit with a Graduate Certificate of Laws Research (GCLR).

Credit

Credit will not normally be granted for the Law Masters Dissertation courses. Claims for credit for previous study should be submitted prior to or at the time of enrolment in a program. Each claim will be assessed on individual merit in line with USQ policy. Credit approved in this program will not automatically apply to other programs offered by USQ.

Recommended enrolment pattern

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

Examples of recommended full-time and part-time enrolment patterns are set out in the table below