## **PROGRAM RULES**



#### **Master of Laws**

# 1 Enrolment requirements

- (1) To enrol in the 16-unit program, a person must hold—
  - (a) an approved degree in law at honours or masters level leading to admission to legal practice (for example an LLB or JD or equivalent), with a GPA of 4; or
  - (b) an approved degree in law leading to admission to legal practice (for example an LLB or equivalent), with a GPA of 4; and either—
    - (i) hold a graduate diploma in legal practice or equivalent qualification; or
    - (ii) have completed at least two years of professional full-time (or equivalent) work experience in the same discipline, approved by the executive dean; or
  - (c) an equivalent academic or professional qualification in law and be able to demonstrate to the satisfaction of the executive dean that the person has the requisite knowledge and experience to complete the program.
- (2) To enrol in the 24-unit program, a person must hold—
  - (a) an approved degree in law leading to admission to legal practice, with a GPA of 4; or
  - (b) an equivalent academic or professional qualification in law and be able to demonstrate to the satisfaction of the executive dean that the person has the requisite knowledge and experience to complete the program.

## 2 Program requirements

- (1) To complete the 16-unit program, a student must complete 16 units comprising—
  - (a) where the degree or qualification under rule 1 is from a common law jurisdiction, 16 units from part B of the LLM course list; or
  - (b) where the degree or qualification under rule 1 is from a non-common law jurisdiction, 16 units comprising—
    - (i) LAWS7936; and
    - (ii) 14 units from parts A (other than LAWS7936) or B of the LLM course list.
- (2) To complete the 24-unit program, a student must complete 24 units comprising—
  - (a) where the degree or qualification under rule 1 is from a common law jurisdiction, 24 units from part B of the LLM course list; or
  - (b) where the degree or qualification under rule 1 is from a non-common law jurisdiction, 24 units comprising—
    - (i) LAWS7936; and
    - (ii) 22 units from parts A (other than LAWS7936) or B of the LLM course list.

# 3 Maximum credit for other study

- (1) The maximum credit that the associate dean (academic) may grant to a student enrolled in the 16-unit program for other study is 8 units from the following—
  - (a) up to 4 units for postgraduate courses credited towards a completed award;
  - (b) postgraduate courses not credited towards a completed award.
- (2) The maximum credit that the associate dean (academic) may grant to a student enrolled in the 24-unit program for other study is 12 units from the following—
  - (a) up to 4 units for postgraduate courses credited towards a completed award;
  - (b) postgraduate courses not credited towards a completed award.

Note see GAR 1.6 of the General Award Rules.