

FACULTY OF HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES

STRATHCLYDE LAW SCHOOL

LLB (Clinical)

Bachelor of Laws (Clinical) with Honours

Bachelor of Laws (Clinical)

Bachelor of Laws

Diploma of Higher Education in Law (Clinical)

Diploma of Higher Education in Law

Certificate of Higher Education in Law

These regulations are to be read in conjunction with [General Academic Regulations – Undergraduate, Integrated Master and Professional Graduate Degree Programme Level](#).

Status of the Programmes

Students may be admitted in the first instance to the LLB or LLB with Honours degree, or may apply directly for the LLB (Clinical) degree or LLB (Clinical) with Honours degree. In all cases, acceptance into the LLB (Clinical) or LLB (Clinical) with Honours is subject to satisfactory performance (criteria for which will be determined in advance by the Programme Director and set out in the Clinical LLB programme Handbook for the relevant year). Commencement of, or transfer onto the LLB (Clinical) or LLB (Clinical) with Honours occurs before the end of semester two of any year of study.

Mode of Study

1. The undergraduate LLB (Clinical) programmes are available by full-time study only, and the graduate entry LLB (Clinical) programmes are available by full-time or part-time study.

Credit Transfer and Exemption

2. Students with appropriate qualifications may be admitted with advanced standing in which case their curriculum shall be modified. The [General Academic Regulations – Undergraduate, Integrated Master and Professional Graduate Degree Programme Level](#), shall apply.

Curriculum

3. **First Year** – All students shall undertake modules amounting to 120 credits as follows:

Compulsory Modules

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
M7101	Criminal Law and Evidence	1	20
M7105	Constitutional Law	1	20
M7103	Legal Processes and Systems	1	20
M9113	Law and Society	1	20
M7102	Law of Obligations 1	1	20
M7104	Law of Persons	1	20

4. **Second Year** – All students shall undertake modules amounting to 120 credits as follows:

Compulsory Modules

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
M9212	European Union Law	2	20
M7202	Law of Obligations 2	2	20
M7201	Administrative Law and Fundamental Rights	2	20
M9209	Commercial Law	2	20
M7203	Law of Property	2	20

Optional Modules

20 credits chosen from the optional modules listed in Regulation 4 in LLB Law or from other modules as may be approved by the Programme Director, including:

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
M9344	Clinical Legal Practice	3	20
M9345	Ethics and Justice	3	20

Not all optional modules on this list will be available in each academic year. Please check your programme handbook for confirmation of which optional modules will run.

5. **Third Year** – All students shall undertake modules amounting to 120 credits as follows:

Compulsory Modules

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
M7301	Third Year Reflective Project	3	20

Optional Modules

100 credits chosen from the optional modules listed in Regulation 5 in LLB Law or other modules as may be approved by the Programme Director, including:

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
M9344	Clinical Legal Practice	3	20
M9345	Ethics and Justice	3	20

M9344 Clinical Legal Practice and M9345 Ethics and Justice cannot be chosen if already completed in a previous year.

Not all optional modules will be available in each academic year. Please check your programme handbook for confirmation of which optional modules will run.

6. **Fourth Year** – All students shall undertake modules amounting to 120 credits as follows:

Compulsory Modules

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
M9498	Dissertation	4	40

Optional Modules

80 credits chosen the optional modules listed in Regulation 6 in LLB Law or other modules as may be approved by the Programme Director, including:

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
M9344	Clinical Legal Practice	3	20
M9468	Ethics, Professionalism and Justice	4	20

M9344 Clinical Legal Practice cannot be chosen if already completed in a previous year. Nor can M9468 Ethics, Professionalism and Justice be chosen if M9345 Ethics and Justice was completed in a previous year.

Not all optional modules will be available in each academic year. Please check your programme handbook for confirmation of which optional modules will run.

Progress

7. In order to progress to the second year of the programme, see [General Academic Regulations – Undergraduate, Integrated Master and Professional Graduate Degree Programme Level](#).
8. In order to progress to the third year of the programme, see [General Academic Regulations – Undergraduate, Integrated Master and Professional Graduate Degree Programme Level](#).
9. In order to progress to the fourth year of the programme, the [General Academic Regulations – Undergraduate, Integrated Master and Professional Graduate Degree Programme Level](#) shall apply.

Final Honours Classification

10. The final Honours classification will normally be based on performance in the first assessed attempt at modules taken in the third and fourth year. Performance in third year modules will constitute 30% of the classification and performance in fourth year modules will constitute 70% of the classification.

Award

11. **LLB (Clinical) with Honours:** In order to qualify for the award of the degree of LLB (Clinical) with Honours, the [General Academic Regulations – Undergraduate, Integrated Master and Professional Graduate Degree Programme Level](#) shall apply, and must include 20 credits from M9344 Clinical Legal Practice, and 20 credits from M9345 Ethics and Justice or M9499 Ethics and Justice or M9468 Ethics, Professionalism and Justice.
12. **LLB (Clinical):** In order to qualify for the award of the degree of LLB (Clinical), the [General Academic Regulations – Undergraduate, Integrated Master and Professional Graduate Degree Programme Level](#) shall apply, and must include 20 credits from

M9344 Clinical Legal Practice, and 20 credits from M9345 Ethics and Justice or M9499 Ethics and Justice or M9468 Ethics, Professionalism and Justice.

13. **LLB:** In order to qualify for the award of the degree of LLB, the [General Academic Regulations – Undergraduate, Integrated Master and Professional Graduate Degree Programme Level](#) shall apply.
14. **Diploma of Higher Education in Law (Clinical):** In order to qualify for the award of the Diploma of Higher Education in Law (Clinical), the [General Academic Regulations – Undergraduate, Integrated Master and Professional Graduate Degree Programme Level](#) shall apply, and must include 40 credits from M9344 Clinical Legal Practice, and M9345 Ethics and Justice.
15. **Diploma of Higher Education in Law:** In order to qualify for the award of a Diploma of Higher Education in Law, the [General Academic Regulations – Undergraduate, Integrated Master and Professional Graduate Degree Programme Level](#) shall apply.
16. **Certificate of Higher Education in Law:** In order to qualify for the award of a Certificate of Higher Education in Law, the [General Academic Regulations – Undergraduate, Integrated Master and Professional Graduate Degree Programme Level](#) shall apply.

Transfer

17. A candidate who satisfies the progress or award requirements may be transferred from the degree of LLB to the degree of LLB (Clinical), or from the degree of LLB with Honours to the degree of LLB with Honours (Clinical). A candidate who fails to satisfy the progress or award requirements for the degree of LLB (Clinical) or LLB (Clinical) with Honours may be transferred to the degree of LLB or LLB with Honours. Transfer between the LLB (Clinical) and the LLB or between the LLB (Clinical) with Honours and the LLB with Honours is possible at any time subject to satisfying the appropriate progress requirements.

Students Admitted to the programme with Advanced Standing Credit Transfer and Recognised Prior Learning

18. Students holding appropriate qualifications may be admitted with advanced standing to the second year of the programme to reflect their previous degree or degree equivalent. Such students may be awarded credit transfer or RPL amounting to a maximum of 80 credits.

Curriculum (Full-time Study, Graduate Entry, Clinical)

19. **First Year** - The first year curriculum is not taught as part of this degree programme.
20. **Second Year** – All students shall normally undertake modules amounting to 140 credits as follows:

Compulsory Modules

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
M7101	Criminal Law and Evidence	1	20
M9113	Law and Society	1	20
M7105	Constitutional Law	1	20
M7103	Legal Processes and Systems	1	20

M7102	Law of Obligations 1	1	20
M7104	Law of Persons	1	20
M7203	Law of Property	2	20

21. **Third Year** – All students shall normally undertake modules amounting to 160 credits as follows:

Compulsory Modules

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
M7301	Third Year Reflective Project	3	20
M9344	Clinical Legal Practice	3	20
M9212	European Union Law	2	20
M9345	Ethics and Justice	3	20
M7201	Administrative Law and Fundamental Rights	2	20
M9209	Commercial Law	2	20
M7202	Law of Obligations 2	2	20

Optional Modules

20 credits chosen from the optional modules listed in Regulation 5 in LLB Law.

22. **Fourth Year** – See Regulation 6 above.

Progress

23. In order to progress to the third year of the programme, the [General Academic Regulations – Undergraduate, Integrated Master and Professional Graduate Degree Programme Level](#) shall apply.
24. In order to progress to the fourth year of the programme, the [General Academic Regulations – Undergraduate, Integrated Master and Professional Graduate Degree Programme Level](#) shall apply.

Award

25. **LLB (Clinical) with Honours:** Notwithstanding the [General Academic Regulations – Undergraduate, Integrated Master and Professional Graduate Degree Programme Level](#), in order to qualify for the award of the degree of LLB (Clinical) with Honours a candidate must have accumulated no fewer than 500 credits from the programme curriculum including 20 credits from M9344 Clinical Legal Practice, and 20 credits from M9345 Ethics and Justice, M9499 Ethics and Justice, or M9468 Ethics, Professionalism and Justice. Notwithstanding the [General Academic Regulations – Undergraduate, Integrated Master and Professional Graduate Degree Programme Level](#), these must include 120 credits at Level 4.
26. **LLB (Clinical):** Notwithstanding the [General Academic Regulations – Undergraduate, Integrated Master and Professional Graduate Degree Programme Level](#), in order to qualify for the award of the degree of LLB (Clinical), a candidate must have accumulated

no fewer than 380 credits from the programme curriculum including those for all the compulsory modules and 20 credits from M9344 Clinical Legal Practice, and 20 credits from M9345 Ethics and Justice or M9499 Ethics and Justice or M9468 Ethics, Professionalism and Justice

27. **LLB:** In order to qualify for the award of the degree of LLB, the [General Academic Regulations – Undergraduate, Integrated Master and Professional Graduate Degree Programme Level](#) shall apply.
28. **Diploma of Higher Education in Law (Clinical):** In order to qualify for the award of the Diploma of Higher Education in Law (Clinical), the [General Academic Regulations – Undergraduate, Integrated Master and Professional Graduate Degree Programme Level](#) shall apply, and must include 40 credits from M9344 Clinical Legal Practice, and M9345 Ethics and Justice.
29. **Diploma of Higher Education in Law:** In order to qualify for the award of a Diploma of Higher Education in Law, the [General Academic Regulations – Undergraduate, Integrated Master and Professional Graduate Degree Programme Level](#) shall apply.
30. **Certificate of Higher Education in Law:** In order to qualify for the award of a Certificate of Higher Education in Law, the [General Academic Regulations – Undergraduate, Integrated Master and Professional Graduate Degree Programme Level](#) shall apply.

Transfer

31. A candidate who satisfies the progress or award requirements may be transferred from the degree of LLB to the degree of LLB (Clinical), or from the degree of LLB with Honours to the degree of LLB with Honours (Clinical). A candidate who fails to satisfy the progress or award requirements for the degree of LLB (Clinical) or LLB (Clinical) with Honours may be transferred to the degree of LLB or LLB with Honours. Transfer between the LLB (Clinical) and the LLB or between the LLB (Clinical) with Honours and the LLB with Honours is possible at any time subject to satisfying the appropriate progress requirements.

Curriculum (Part-time study, Graduate Entry, LLB Clinical)

32. **Second Year** - Students holding appropriate qualifications may be admitted with advanced standing to the second year of the programme to reflect their previous degree or degree equivalent. Such students may be awarded credit transfer or Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) amounting to a maximum of 80 credits. All part-time students shall normally undertake modules amounting to 80 credits as follows:

Compulsory Modules

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
M7101	Criminal Law and Evidence	1	20
M9113	Law and Society	1	20
M7103	Legal Processes and Systems	1	20
M7102	Law of Obligations 1	1	20

33. **Third Year** – All part-time students shall normally undertake modules amounting to 80 credits as follows:

Compulsory Modules

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
M7105	Constitutional Law	1	20
M7201	Administrative Law and Fundamental Rights	2	20
M7104	Law of Persons	1	20
M9209	Commercial Law	2	20

34. **Fourth Year** – All part-time students shall normally undertake modules amounting to 80 credits as follows:

Compulsory Modules

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
M7202	Law of Obligations 2	2	20
M7203	Law of Property	2	20
M9212	European Union Law	2	20

Optional Modules

20 credits chosen from the optional modules listed in Regulation 5 in LLB Law, or other modules as may be approved by the Programme Director, including:

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
M9344	Clinical Legal Practice	3	20
M9345	Ethics and Justice	3	20

Not all optional modules will be available in each academic year. Please check your programme handbook for confirmation of which optional modules will run.

35. **Fifth Year** – All part-time students shall normally undertake modules amounting to 60 credits as follows:

Compulsory Modules

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
M7301	Third Year Reflective Project	3	20

Optional Modules

40 credits chosen from the optional modules listed in Regulation 6 in LLB Law, or other modules as may be approved by the Programme Director, including:

Module Code	Module Title	Level	Credits
M9344	Clinical Legal Practice	3	20
M9468	Ethics, Professionalism and Justice	4	20

M9344 Clinical Legal Practice Justice cannot be chosen if already completed in a previous year. Nor can M9468 Ethics, Professionalism and Justice be chosen if M9345 Ethics and Justice was completed in a previous year.

Not all optional modules will be available in each academic year. Please check your programme handbook for confirmation of which optional modules will run.

Progress

36. In order to progress to the third year of the programme, a student must normally have accumulated at least 60 credits from the programme curriculum, including those for any compulsory modules.
37. In order to progress to the fourth year of the programme, a student must normally have accumulated at least 140 credits from the programme curriculum, including those for any compulsory modules.
38. In order to progress to the fifth year of the programme, a student must normally have accumulated at least 220 credits from the programme curriculum, including those for any compulsory modules.

Award

39. **LLB (Clinical):** In order to qualify for the award of the degree of LLB (Clinical), the [General Academic Regulations – Undergraduate, Integrated Master and Professional Graduate Degree Programme Level](#) shall apply, and must include 40 credits from M9344 Clinical Legal Practice, and M9345 Ethics and Justice or M9468 Ethics, Professionalism and Justice.
40. **LLB:** In order to qualify for the award of the degree of LLB, the [General Academic Regulations – Undergraduate, Integrated Master and Professional Graduate Degree Programme Level](#) shall apply.
41. **Diploma of Higher Education in Law (Clinical):** In order to qualify for the award of a Diploma of Higher Education in Law (Clinical), the [General Academic Regulations – Undergraduate, Integrated Master and Professional Graduate Degree Programme Level](#) shall apply, and must include 40 credits from M9344 Clinical Legal Practice, and M9345 Ethics and Justice.
42. **Diploma of Higher Education in Law:** In order to qualify for the award of a Diploma of Higher Education in Law, the [General Academic Regulations – Undergraduate, Integrated Master and Professional Graduate Degree Programme Level](#) shall apply.
43. **Certificate of Higher Education in Law:** In order to qualify for the award of a Certificate of Higher Education in Law, the [General Academic Regulations – Undergraduate, Integrated Master and Professional Graduate Degree Programme Level](#) shall apply.

Transfer

44. A student who has qualified for the LLB (Clinical) and who meets the requirements of Regulation 18 may apply to transfer to the full-time LLB (Clinical) Honours degree programme.

45. A candidate who satisfies the progress or award requirements may be transferred from the degree of LLB to the degree of LLB (Clinical), or from the degree of LLB with Honours to the degree of LLB with Honours (Clinical). A candidate who fails to satisfy the progress or award requirements for the degree of LLB (Clinical) or LLB (Clinical) with Honours may be transferred to the degree of LLB or LLB with Honours. Transfer between the LLB (Clinical) and the LLB or between the LLB (Clinical) with Honours and the LLB with Honours is possible at any time subject to satisfying the appropriate progress requirements.