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Click through the links below to information in this Guide

**STEP 1** Have a look at your [Course Map](#) for the structure of your course. This may vary depending on the campus and the year you started the course. Make a note of the core units you need to enrol in for 2018.

**STEP 2** Make sure you’ve read the [Course Information](#). It has links to the Handbook, which contains information on the major, minor and specialisation options available in your course. Be sure you are familiar with the rules and structure of your course.

**STEP 3** Next up, check the [Unit Information](#) for details about elective units offered at your campus this year. Pay particular attention to prerequisite requirements.

**STEP 4** Head over to the [Enrolment](#) page on the ACU website. You’ll see step-by-step instructions on how to enrol in units via Student Connect.

The Course Enrolment Guide is designed to assist you in the selection of units and to ensure that you are aware of the requirements of your degree, diploma or certificate. Specific information relating to unit content and assessments will be provided by your School.

**Before you go, did you know?**

Course Enrolment Guides can change so you should check the website for the latest updates. Additional information from your School, Faculty and the University will be sent to your ACU student email address so make sure you’ve got it set up and you check it regularly. All your email communication with University staff must be sent from your ACU student email account.
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## 1. COURSE MAP

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*Do not enrol in LAWP units until you have a placement approved by the Pro Bono Coordinator. See Pro Bono/Legal Professional Experience.*

**Key**

| University Core Curriculum Units | Law Compulsory Units | Law Elective Units | General Elective Units |

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Information last updated on 25 May 2018
PLEASE NOTE:
All units are delivered in Attendance mode, unless otherwise indicated. Prerequisite 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.

Students should enrol for the full 2018 year.

GENERAL ELECTIVE UNITS
General Elective units are any other undergraduate units (including Law Elective units not already taken as a Law Elective Unit).

LAW ELECTIVES UNITS
All Law Elective units have a prerequisite of LAWS104. Some Law Elective units have additional prerequisites – these are listed in the Course Rules.

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.

COREQUISITES
Corequisite is a unit of study which has to be completed prior or concurrently with another.

Please note that unit availability and study modes are subject to change.
2. COURSE & UNIT INFORMATION

Course Structure

The ACU Handbook¹ provides detailed information about each ACU course, including minimum duration, requirements for completion, exit points, any available majors/minors/specialisations, Core Curriculum Program units and descriptions of units. Please follow the links below to view the rules for your course:

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2018 Unit Selection

Please note that study modes and unit availability are subject to change and not all units are on offer at all times. Students must refer to their course map first, and then check the relevant offering list/s below for 2018 unit availability prior to enrolling.

Click here to see your 2018 Law Elective Units!

¹ http://www.acu.edu.au/452097
Pro Bono/ Legal Professional Experience Units

All Law students must complete the practical units LAWP100 Legal Professional Experience 1 (usually undertaken in Year 2) and LAWP200 Legal Professional Experience 2 (usually undertaken in Year 3). All LAWp units are 0 credit point units.

LAWP300 Legal Professional Experience 3 is an optional unit and not required for course completion.

Do not enrol in LAWp units until you have a placement approved by the Pro Bono Coordinator. You must also have completed the prerequisite units before enrolling in a LAWp unit.

When your placement is approved, you may enrol in the unit in the Semester 1, Semester 2 or Summer Term study period.

All students will need to self-enrol into their campus Pro Bono/Legal Professional Experience LEO page to access the Pro Bono Handbook and Pro Bono Placement Approval Form.

Melbourne Students:
Self-enrol in the Pro Bono/Legal Professional Experience LEO page here:

North Sydney and Strathfield students:
Self-enrol into the Pro Bono LEO/Legal Professional Experience LEO page here:

Enquiries regarding Pro Bono/Legal Professional Experience Units may be directed to: probono.coordinator@acu.edu.au.

Honours in Law

Admission to the Bachelor of Laws (Honours) program is by invitation only. Students must have completed 120 credit points of Law units and obtained a Grade Point Average of 5.75 to be invited to the Honours program.

Bachelor of Laws (Honours) students will follow the Bachelor of Laws (Honours) Course Enrolment Guide if they accept an offer to this program.

3. GETTING ADVICE

Course Advice

Course Coordinators and/or Course Advisors are available to assist you with course advice. Students should in the first instance contact the Course Administrator on their campus. If required, your query will be referred to a Course Advisor or the Course Coordinator. Please email your enquiry or request to make an appointment.

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General Advice

All queries not specifically related to your course, such as admissions, enrolment, fees, scholarships, exams, timetabling and graduations should be directed to [ASK ACU](https://acu.service-now.com/kb/).

The [Administration & Enrolment](https://students.acu.edu.au/332297) webpage also has useful information to help you in managing your studies (log in required).

Social Media Policy

ACU encourages its staff, students and affiliates to participate in social media in ways that demonstrate respect for the dignity of all human beings; and do not bring ACU into disrepute or imply ACU endorsement of personal views.

Please visit the link below for more information about your obligation and responsibilities: [Social Media Policy](https://acu.service-now.com/kb/)