



THE UNIVERSITY
of ADELAIDE

150 YEARS

Law

Legal professionals build outstanding critical thinking and leadership qualities, equipping them for success in a wide range of careers throughout society.





Sharpen your skills in our community legal advice clinics



Ranked in top 125 globally for Law*

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8 partnerships with top overseas universities^



Take part in legal moot competitions



Join a rich culture of success

The Adelaide Law School was established in 1883, making it Australia's second-most experienced law educator. In our 140 years of history we've shaped countless future leaders who've gone on to enjoy success not only in the legal profession, but politics, international business, diplomacy, health, policy and the media. Our alumni include:

- Australia's first female Supreme Court judge and state governor, Dame Roma Mitchell, AC
- Australia's first female Foreign Affairs Minister, the Hon. Julie Bishop, MP
- former Premier of South Australia the Hon. Jay Weatherill, AO.

Gain vast real-world experience

Adelaide Law School operates five free legal advice clinics for use by the local community, providing fantastic opportunities for you to sharpen your skills working on real legal matters in your final year of study. Places in these clinics are limited and are subject to an application process. These include the:

- Adelaide Legal Outreach Services, advising on child support, family matters, fines, contract issues, and criminal law
- Magistrates Court Legal Advice Service, assisting with minor civil disputes
- Equal Opportunity Commission Legal Advice, advising on discrimination, harassment and victimisation
- Entrepreneur and Venture Advice Clinic, providing legal support to individuals and small-to medium enterprises related to their businesses
- Administrative Appeals Legal Advice Service, supporting clients wishing to appeal decisions at the Administrative Appeals Tribunal (a national body), and the South Australian Civil and Administrative Tribunal.

And in all cases, you'll work under the supervision of qualified solicitors.

Career prospects

Employment growth for the majority of law-related roles ranges broadly from moderate to very strong†.

Our Bachelor of Laws is accredited by the Legal Practitioners' Education and Admission Council in South Australia; and provides the academic foundation for admission to legal practice throughout Australia. To be admitted to practice in Australia, however, you must complete further practical legal training. Our Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice satisfies this requirement.

Similarly, our criminology graduates work in settings such as the criminal justice system, policing, security, intelligence, corrections, court administration and welfare. Their unique expertise is instrumental in roles that involve policymaking, research, education or training.

* *Times Higher Education World University Rankings by Subject, 2024.*

^ *University of Oxford, Faculty of Law, UK; Queen Mary University of London, School of Law, UK; University of Southern California, Gould School of Law, USA; University of California Davis, School of Law, USA; Peking University Law School, China; Shanghai Jiao Tong University, Koguan Law School, China; University of Montreal, Faculty of Law, Canada; University of Alberta, Faculty of Law, Canada.*

† *Australian Government, Labour Market Insights, 2023.*

	Degrees
Undergraduate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bachelor of Criminology • Bachelor of Laws
Postgraduate coursework	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice • Master of International and Security Law • Master of Laws • Master of Public Policy • Professional Certificate in Arbitration • Professional Certificate in Space Law • Professional Certificate in Defence Contracting Law • Professional Certificate in Nuclear Law

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