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“Considering areas of law that interest you early in your degree will help you to refine your focus when selecting electives. Choosing study options that provide practical experience, such as the **Legal Advice Clinic**, boosts your resume and is valued by industry.

It is also important to put yourself in front of potential employers through **networking events** and **career fairs** to make connections which can lead to **clerkships** and other opportunities that may assist with securing a graduate role.”

## INCREASE YOUR EMPLOYABILITY

### Business Career Mentor Program

Develop your career management skills and industry knowledge with an experienced business professional. This program is designed to enhance your employability and broaden your network.

- Over 260 mentors across all business and law disciplines
- Based locally, interstate and internationally
- Training, goal setting, networking and meeting support included
- More than 20 industry partner organisations

For more information [visit the website](#).

### UniSA Leadership Program

Offered across various levels with entry points throughout the year. Participants develop skills in self-awareness, teamwork, communication, conflict resolution, mentoring facilitation, creative thinking, project design, project management and a wide range of other areas.

### UniSA+Plus

A record of your participation in co-curricular activities to help you stand out as an exceptional graduate. Develop skills, experience and knowledge that employers are seeking in graduates. Complete the requirements across the duration of your degree and choose activities relevant to your desired career.

### Volunteering

Strengthen your resume, make a difference, gain valuable experience and meet new people. Take up volunteering opportunities within the university or a not-for-profit organisation that matches your needs and skills. Or join Community Connect, a student-led program that allows you to identify issues you are passionate about and turn them into professional, engaging and impactful projects and events.

### Career Services

Effective career planning includes understanding the job market and the state of the economy. Incorporating self-assessment into your plan will help you understand your needs and how they align to your career aspirations. UniSA offers an impressive range of career services to help you prepare for your career, get ready for the workplace and find a job.

### Professional Associations

Join a professional association to grow your network, many have student memberships available.

[The Law Society of South Australia](#)

[UniSA Law Students' Association](#)

### Student Clubs and Associations

USASA supports a range of student-led groups that you are able to join. Becoming a member will provide opportunities to increase your network and participate in roles to boost your experience.

### School of Law Academic Services

The School of Law can help you with elective advice, study plans, credit enquiries, internships, placements, internal transfers and exchange approvals.

Contact the School of Law's Academic Services team to get assistance.

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# LAW

As a UniSA Law student, your degree is structured to make sure you graduate with the multidisciplinary knowledge and practical skills to become a professional in a variety of areas.

<b>Law Core</b> 16 courses 72 units	Foundations of Law Public Law and Statutory Interpretation Torts A Torts B Contracts A Contracts B Criminal Law and Procedure Property Law A Property Law B Constitutional Law Equity and Trusts Corporations Law Administrative Law Evidence Civil Procedure
<b>Electives</b> 10 courses 45 units	Choose 10 mixed electives, minimum of two non-law electives, maximum of two Level 8 (H) courses for non-Honours students.
<b>Honours</b> 27 units	<a href="#">Enter the Honours Stream (level 8)</a> Honours 1: Writing for Publication (4.5 units) Honours 2: Academic Writing and Research (4.5 units) Honours 3: Honours Thesis (4.5 units) Law elective Level 8 (4.5 units) Law elective Level 8 (4.5 units)
<b>Or</b>	<a href="#">Take six more law electives</a> Advanced law electives 27 – 32 units
<b>Total:</b>	<b>32 courses, 144 units</b>

## Honours

The Law Honours Degree identifies you as a high-achieving student and develops the high level critical, analytical and research skills that will give you a competitive advantage.

The Honours Program is embedded in both law degrees and is taken in the final year, where you will complete a thesis on a legal topic of your own choice.

## LAW DOUBLE DEGREES

UniSA's Bachelor of Laws and associated double degree programs are designed to ensure that you graduate with the multidisciplinary knowledge and practical skills to become a professional in a variety of areas including:

- Legal practice
- Government and policy
- Business and management
- Media and communications
- Education and academia
- Alternative dispute resolution

Law Double degrees are the perfect choice if you want to keep your options open, or if you want to study two different disciplines and gain a competitive edge in your future career. With 11 different degree combinations to choose from, you can cover all of the essential 24 law courses as well as a complete second degree—and save time by graduating with two degrees in five years.

You can combine a Bachelor of Laws with any one of the following Bachelor degrees:

- Arts
- Arts (International Relations)
- Business (Economics, Finance and Trade)
- Business (Human Resource Management)
- Business (Management)
- Business (Marketing)
- Business (Sport and Recreation Management)
- Business (Tourism and Event Management)
- Commerce (Accounting)
- Journalism and Professional Writing
- Psychological Science

## KICKSTART YOUR CAREER

It is never too early to develop your career plan. Start thinking about it from day one.

### BUILD YOUR SKILLS

Beginning in your first week at Law School you will learn the essential skills you need to enter the legal profession. We embed interpersonal and communication skills, analytical and logical reasoning, research abilities, time management, and negotiation skills through your courses. You will graduate with the tools you need to succeed.

### ADVISE REAL CLIENTS

Provide legal advice to real clients by taking the Law Ethics and Society (Advanced: Clinical Placement) (LAWS4007) course and participating in the Legal Advice Clinic.

[unisa.edu.au/legal-advice-clinic](http://unisa.edu.au/legal-advice-clinic)

### ADMISSION TO PRACTICE

The academic requirements for admission to practice are addressed during your studies. To seek admission to practice in South Australia you will need to complete an approved Practical Legal Training Program upon completion of your degree.

[i.unisa.edu.au/students/business/law/admission-to-practice](http://i.unisa.edu.au/students/business/law/admission-to-practice)

### ASK AN EXPERT

Learn how to write a CV. Understand your career options. Make a career plan. Make the most of the resources available to you. Schedule an appointment for a one-on-one chat with a Career Advisor.

[unisa.edu.au/careerservices](http://unisa.edu.au/careerservices)

## GO THE EXTRA MILE

Get involved. There are so many opportunities to be ahead of the game.

### CAREERS FAIRS

With two careers fairs to attend, law students have the best opportunities to speak with prospective employers, check out graduate opportunities and find out about cadetships. Held each year, the UniSA Careers Expo and the USALSA Law Careers Fair allow students to speak directly with legal firms, government departments and not-for-profit organisations.

### USALSA

The University of South Australia Law Students' Association (USALSA) is run by your fellow students. Events are held throughout the year where law students can network with members of the judiciary, legal practitioners and business leaders in relaxed and informal settings. The *USALSA Careers Guide* comprehensively covers all your 'need to know' details.

### OVERSEAS EXCHANGE & STUDY TOURS

Studying abroad can pave your path to global citizenship. With more than 60 partner universities, you can choose to study in over 20 locations including Europe, UK, Canada, USA, South Korea and Japan. Length of exchange can be anywhere from two weeks to one year. Together with OS-Help loans you may be eligible for up to \$12,500 to assist with expenses overseas.

You will gain the opportunity to experience diverse customs and cultures, build international networks and improve your language and intercultural communication skills. Your global perspective can also enhance your career prospects once you graduate.

[i.unisa.edu.au/students/business/exchange](http://i.unisa.edu.au/students/business/exchange)



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"As a law alumnus I am extremely grateful for the opportunities UniSA provided.

My involvement in co-curricular activities, including USALSA, overseas exchanges, as well as international and domestic internships provided me with a competitive advantage in the workplace."

"These experiences helped me to gain employment and promotion in roles otherwise beyond my reach. I am particularly thankful for the Legal Professional and Community Service Experience elective, which exposed me to opportunities to gain experience in non-traditional legal roles.

This affirmed my decision to work in the public sector investigating insolvency related legal matters."