

2025 Postgraduate Law Taught Courses - Specialisations

The Postgraduate law timetable is subject to change each year, so course codes in the programme regulations may differ. Below are the 2025 Postgraduate law courses you can consider for your chosen specialisation. In addition, it is important to note:

- Students must complete at least 90 out of the 120 points of relevant courses for the specialisation.
- The course assessments you complete are typically independent research essays. You will need to write a relevant research essay for inclusion in your specialisation.
- Contact the Postgraduate law team if you believe a course in the timetable is relevant to your specialisation.

Corporate and Commercial Law	Environmental Law	Human Rights Law	International Law	Litigation and Dispute Resolution	Public Law
COMLAW 740 Tax Base*	LAWCOMM 778 ST: Corporate Governance, Social and Environmental Responsibility	LAWCOMM 778 ST: Corporate Governance, Social and Environmental Responsibility	LAWCOMM 702 International Arbitration	LAWCOMM 702 International Arbitration	LAWCOMM 749 ST: Tort Law at the Cutting Edge
COMLAW 747 Goods and Services Tax*	LAWENVIR 716 ST: Resource Management Law	LAWGENRL 711 ST: Corruption: Comparative and International Approaches	LAWENVIR 728 ST: Global Environmental Law	LAWGENRL 713 Selected Issues in Family Law	LAWGENRL 711 ST: Corruption: Comparative and International Approaches
LAWCOMM 702 International Arbitration	LAWENVIR 726 ST: Nature Law	LAWGENRL 713 Selected Issues in Family Law	LAWGENRL 711 ST: Corruption: Comparative and International Approaches	LAWPUBL 736 Human Rights Litigation	LAWGENRL 713 Selected Issues in Family Law
LAWCOMM 709 Corporate Governance	LAWENVIR 727 ST: Climate Change Law	LAWPUBL 736 Human Rights Litigation	LAWPUBL 740 ST: International Human Rights Law	LAWPUBL 779 ST: International Dispute Settlement	LAWPUBL 736 Human Rights Litigation
LAWCOMM 732 ST: Contractual Interpretation	LAWENVIR 728 ST: Global Environmental Law	LAWPUBL 740 ST: International Human Rights Law	LAWPUBL 748 ST: South Pacific Legal Studies: Critical Issues		LAWPUBL 740 ST: International Human Rights Law
LAWCOMM 733 ST: Shaping the Law in the Tech Driven Era	LAWENVIR 741 ST: Sustainability and Natural Resources Law	LAWPUBL 748 ST: South Pacific Legal Studies: Critical Issues	LAWPUBL 751 ST: Regional Law and Governance in the Pacific		LAWPUBL 748 ST: South Pacific Legal Studies: Critical Issues
LAWCOMM 735 ST: Private Equity and Venture Capital – Corporate Law and Practice	LAWPUBL 748 ST: South Pacific Legal Studies: Critical Issues	LAWPUBL 749 ST: Indigenous Persons: Law and Policy	LAWPUBL 779 ST: International Dispute Settlement		LAWPUBL 749 ST: Indigenous Persons: Law and Policy
LAWCOMM 736 ST: FinTech Finance and Regulations	LAWPUBL 779 ST: International Dispute Settlement				LAWPUBL 751 ST: Regional Law and Governance in the Pacific
LAWCOMM 738 ST: IP Law in Asia-Pacific					LAWPUBL 779 ST: International Dispute Settlement
LAWCOMM 749 ST: Tort Law at the Cutting Edge					
LAWCOMM 767 ST: Transfer Pricing*					
LAWCOMM 772 Intellectual Property and Practice					
LAWCOMM 775 International Taxation*					
LAWCOMM 778 ST: Corporate Governance, Social and Environmental Responsibility					
LAWCOMM 782 Trade Mark Practice					
LAWCOMM 783 Avoidance Provisions*					
LAWCOMM 785 Patent Practice					
LAWCOMM 788 ST: Current Issues in Tax*					
LAWCOMM 793 Patent Law					
LAWCOMM 795 Copyright and Design					
LAWCOMM 796 Trade Marks and Related Rights					

-Where courses, which may include a Dissertation or Thesis on a relevant topic, totalling at least 90 points are passed from one of the areas of specialisation listed in the Master of Laws/Master of Legal Studies Schedule, this degree may be conferred with an endorsement as to that area of specialisation.

-Such other 700 level courses as the Dean of Faculty of Law may approve from year to year as relevant for inclusion in a specialisation. **Students must complete a relevant research essay/assessment for inclusion.**

-Courses are subject to change

[LLM Regulations: https://www.calendar.auckland.ac.nz/en/progprog/regulations-law/llm.html](https://www.calendar.auckland.ac.nz/en/progprog/regulations-law/llm.html)

[MLS Regulations: https://www.calendar.auckland.ac.nz/en/progprog/regulations-law/mls.html](https://www.calendar.auckland.ac.nz/en/progprog/regulations-law/mls.html)

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*MTaxS Course - up to 30pts may be taken

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