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Postgraduate Laws Qualifications for Entrance

Last updated: March 2016. This list is reviewed annually and is subject to amendment in future years. Your application will be considered according to the list in effect at the time it is received by Admissions.

Below you can find examples of qualifications that the University has accepted previously as meeting the standard entrance requirements. If your country or qualification is not listed and you would like advice about requirements before submitting an application, please [contact us](#).

These qualifications must be awarded by an institution/university/authority that is acceptable to the University of London. This generally means the awarding body must have the appropriate power and/or satisfied any relevant accreditation process required within the country of origin.

Acceptable equivalent: is when a university uses an alternative grading system to what we have published. If this is relevant to you, [contact us](#) before you apply for advice on acceptable equivalents.

Law related subject: a subject which is considered by the University to have substantial law content. If you require further information, please [contact us](#).

Work experience: we can only consider applications for the Postgraduate Certificate in Laws on the basis of relevant work experience once you have submitted an online application. We consider each application on a case-by-case basis.

In addition to the below, you also need to satisfy our [English language requirement](#) for this programme.

Please note: this list is given for guidance purposes only and the University of London reserves the right to amend it at any time.

Australia	Bachelor of Laws (Honours): provided at least Second Class (Lower Division) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent	L
	Bachelor of Laws (Ordinary or Pass): provided at least Credit is achieved or the acceptable equivalent	L
	Bachelor degree (Honours): provided at least Second Class (Lower Division) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Bachelor degree (Ordinary or Pass): provided at least Credit is achieved or the acceptable equivalent. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Bachelor degree (Ordinary or Pass) plus Graduate Diploma: provided at least Pass is achieved or the acceptable equivalent from the Bachelor degree. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Juris Doctor: successful completion	L
	Master of Laws: successful completion	L

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	Master's degree: successful completion. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Call to the Bar / Practising Certificate: that is acceptable to the University	L
	Bachelor degree (Honours): provided at least Second Class (Lower Division) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent	D
	Bachelor degree (Ordinary or Pass): provided at least Credit is achieved or the acceptable equivalent	D
	Bachelor degree (Ordinary or Pass) plus Graduate Diploma: provided at least Pass is achieved or the acceptable equivalent from the Bachelor degree.	D
	Bachelor degree (Honours): successful completion	C
	Bachelor degree (Ordinary or Pass): successful completion	C
	Work Experience: at least 5 years relevant work experience. For example accounting, banking, finance or insurance	C
Canada	Bachelor of Laws (Honours): with acceptable grade point average (GPA). There is no single grading system used at national or provincial level. You are therefore advised to contact us before submitting your online application to see if you have an acceptable GPA	L
	Bachelor of Laws (General): with acceptable grade point average (GPA). There is no single grading system used at national or provincial level. You are therefore advised to contact us before submitting your online application to see if you have an acceptable GPA	L
	Bachelor degree (Honours): with acceptable grade point average (GPA). There is no single grading system used at national or provincial level. You are therefore advised to contact us before submitting your online application to see if you have an acceptable GPA. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Bachelor degree (General): with acceptable grade point average (GPA). There is no single grading system used at national or provincial level. You are therefore advised to contact us before submitting your online application to see if you have an acceptable GPA. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Juris Doctor: successful completion	L
	Master of Laws: successful completion	L
	Master's degree: successful completion. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Call to the Bar / Practising Certificate: that is acceptable to the University	L
	Bachelor degree (Honours): with acceptable grade point average (GPA). There is no single grading system used at national or provincial level. You are therefore advised to contact us before submitting your online application to see if you have an acceptable GPA	D
	Bachelor degree (General): with acceptable grade point average (GPA). There is no single grading system used at national or provincial level. You are therefore advised to contact us before submitting your online application to see if you have an acceptable GPA	D
	Bachelor degree (Honours): successful completion	C
	Bachelor degree (General): successful completion	C
	Work Experience: at least 5 years relevant work experience. For example accounting, banking, finance or insurance	C

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Caribbean	Bachelor of Law (awarded by University of the West Indies): provided at least Second Class (Lower Division) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent	L
	Bachelor degree (awarded by University of the West Indies): provided at least Second Class (Lower Division) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Bachelor degree (accredited by the University Council of Jamaica): provided at least Second Class (Lower Division) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Bachelor degree (accredited by the Accreditation Council of Trinidad and Tobago): provided at least Second Class (Lower Division) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Master of Laws: successful completion	L
	Master's degree: successful completion. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Call to the Bar / Practising Certificate: that is acceptable to the University	L
	Bachelor degree (awarded by University of the West Indies): provided at least Second Class (Lower Division) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent.	D
	Bachelor degree (accredited by the University Council of Jamaica): provided at least Second Class (Lower Division) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent.	D
	Bachelor degree (accredited by the Accreditation Council of Trinidad and Tobago): provided at least Second Class (Lower Division) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent.	D
	Bachelor degree (awarded by University of the West Indies): successful completion	C
	Bachelor degree (accredited by the University Council of Jamaica): successful completion	C
	Bachelor degree (accredited by the Accreditation Council of Trinidad and Tobago): successful completion	C
	Work Experience: at least 5 years relevant work experience. For example accounting, banking, finance or insurance	C
	Cyprus	Bachelor degree / Ptychio of Law (240 ECTS) with acceptable grade point average (GPA). There is no single grading system used at national level. You are therefore advised to contact us before submitting your online application to see if you have an acceptable GPA
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Master of Law: successful completion		L
Master's degree: successful completion. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.		L
Call to the Bar / Practising Certificate: that is acceptable to the University		L
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	Bachelor degree / Ptychio (240 ECTS): successful completion	C
	Work Experience: at least 5 years relevant work experience. For example accounting, banking, finance or insurance	C
Egypt	Bachelor of Laws (awarded by a University): provided an overall grade of at least Very Good is achieved or the acceptable equivalent	L
	Bachelor degree (awarded by a University): provided an overall grade of at least Very Good is achieved or the acceptable equivalent. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Master of Laws: successful completion	L
	Master's degree: successful completion. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Call to the Bar / Practising Certificate: that is acceptable to the University	L
	Bachelor degree (awarded by a University): provided an overall grade of at least Very Good is achieved or the acceptable equivalent.	D
	Bachelor degree (awarded by a University): successful completion	C
	Work Experience: at least 5 years relevant work experience. For example accounting, banking, finance or insurance	C
France	Licence en Droit (180 ECTS, generally in and after 2008): provided at least 12/20 is achieved or the acceptable equivalent	L
	Licence (180 ECTS, generally in and after 2008): provided at least 12/20 is achieved or the acceptable equivalent. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Diplome de Master / Grade de Master: successful completion. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Diplôme d'Études Supérieures Spécialisées: successful completion. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Call to the Bar / Practising Certificate: that is acceptable to the University	L
	Licence (180 ECTS, generally in and after 2008): provided at least 12/20 is achieved or the acceptable equivalent	D
	Licence (180 ECTS, generally in and after 2008): successful completion	C
	Licence (pre Bologna): successful completion	C
	Work Experience: at least 5 years relevant work experience. For example accounting, banking, finance or insurance	C
Germany	Bachelor of Laws (180 ECTS): provided an overall grade of at least 3.0 is achieved or the acceptable equivalent	L
	Bachelor degree (180 ECTS): provided an overall grade of at least 3.0 is achieved or the acceptable equivalent. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	First Law Exam (Staatsexamen): provided an overall grade of at least 7.0 is achieved or the acceptable equivalent	L
	First and Second Law Exam (Staatsexamen): successful completion of both	L
	Magister Artium / Diplom: provided an overall grade of at least 3.0 is achieved or the acceptable equivalent. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L

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	Master of Laws: successful completion	L
	Master's degree: successful completion. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Bachelor degree (180 ECTS): provided an overall grade of at least 3.0 is achieved or the acceptable equivalent.	D
	Magister Artium / Diplom: provided an overall grade of at least 3.0 is achieved or the acceptable equivalent	D
	Bachelor degree (180 ECTS): successful completion	C
	Magister Artium / Diplom: successful completion	C
	Work Experience: at least 5 years relevant work experience. For example accounting, banking, finance or insurance	C
Ghana	Bachelor of Laws: provided at least Second Class (Lower Division) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent	L
	Bachelor degree: provided at least Second Class (Lower Division) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Master of Laws: successful completion	L
	Master's degree: successful completion. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Call to the Bar / Practising Certificate: that is acceptable to the University	L
	Bachelor degree: provided at least Second Class (Lower Division) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent.	D
	Bachelor degree: successful completion	C
	Work Experience: at least 5 years relevant work experience. For example accounting, banking, finance or insurance	C
Hong Kong	Bachelor of Laws (Honours): provided at least Second Class (Lower Division) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent	L
	Bachelor degree (Honours): provided at least Second Class (Lower Division) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Juris Doctor: successful completion	L
	Master of Laws: successful completion	L
	Master's degree: successful completion. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Call to the Bar / Practising Certificate: that is acceptable to the University	L
	Bachelor degree (Honours): provided at least Second Class (Lower Division) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent	D
	Bachelor degree (Honours): successful completion	C
	Bachelor degree (Ordinary): successful completion	C
	Work Experience: at least 5 years relevant work experience. For example accounting, banking, finance or insurance	C
India	Bachelor of Laws: provided at least Second Class is achieved or the acceptable equivalent	L
	Call to the Bar / Practising Certificate: that is acceptable to the University	L
	Professional Bachelor degree (Architecture, Agriculture, Dentistry, Engineering, Medicine, Pharmacy and Technology & Veterinary Medicine): provided at least Second Class is achieved or the acceptable equivalent	D

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	Work Experience: at least 5 years relevant work experience. For example accounting, banking, finance or insurance	C
Kenya	Bachelor of Laws: provided at least Second Class (Lower Division) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent	L
	Bachelor degree: provided at least Second Class (Lower Division) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Master of Laws: successful completion	L
	Master's degree: successful completion. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Call to the Bar / Practising Certificate: that is acceptable to the University	L
	Bachelor degree: provided at least Second Class (Lower Division) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent	D
	Bachelor degree: successful completion	C
	Work Experience: at least 5 years relevant work experience. For example accounting, banking, finance or insurance	C
Malaysia	Bachelor of Laws: provided at least Second Class (Division ii) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent	L
	Bachelor degree: provided at least Second Class (Division ii) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Master of Laws: successful completion	L
	Master's degree: successful completion. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Call to the Bar / Practising Certificate: that is acceptable to the University	L
	Bachelor degree: provided at least Second Class (Division ii) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent.	D
	Bachelor degree: successful completion	C
	Work Experience: at least 5 years relevant work experience. For example accounting, banking, finance or insurance	C
Nigeria	Bachelor of Laws (Honours): provided at least Second Class (Lower Division) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent	L
	Bachelor degree (Honours): provided at least Second Class (Lower Division) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Master of Laws: successful completion	L
	Master's degree: successful completion. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Call to the Bar / Practising Certificate: that is acceptable to the University	L
	Bachelor degree (Honours): provided at least Second Class (Lower Division) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent.	D
	Bachelor degree (Honours): successful completion	C
	Work Experience: at least 5 years relevant work experience. For example accounting, banking, finance or insurance	C
Pakistan	Master of Laws: successful completion	L

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	Master's degree (following a 4 year Bachelor degree): successful completion. In addition at least 50% of all units studied from both degrees must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Call to the Bar / Practising Certificate: that is acceptable to the University	L
	Master's degree (following a 4 year Bachelor degree): successful completion.	D
	Master's degree (following a 2 or 3 year Bachelor degree): successful completion.	C
	Bachelor of Laws: successful completion	C
	Work Experience: at least 5 years relevant work experience. For example accounting, banking, finance or insurance	C
Russia	Specialist Diploma: provided the qualification of Lawyer is conferred	L
Singapore	Bachelor degree (including honours): our requirements differ from institute to institute. You are therefore advised to contact us before submitting your online application to see if you meet our classification requirement	L
	Juris Doctor: successful completion	L
	Master of Laws: successful completion	L
	Master's degree: successful completion. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Call to the Bar / Practising Certificate: that is acceptable to the University	L
	Bachelor degree (including honours): our requirements differ from institute to institute. You are therefore advised to contact us before submitting your online application to see if you meet our classification requirement	D
	Bachelor degree (including honours): successful completion	C
	Work Experience: at least 5 years relevant work experience. For example accounting, banking, finance or insurance	C
South Africa	Bachelor of Laws (NQF level 8): provided at least Second Class (Division Two) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent	L
	Bachelor degree (Honours / NQF level 8): provided at least Second Class (Division Two) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Master of Laws: successful completion	L
	Master's degree: successful completion. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Call to the Bar / Practising Certificate: that is acceptable to the University	L
	Bachelor degree (Honours / NQF level 8): provided at least Second Class (Division Two) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent	D
	Bachelor degree (NQF level 7): successful completion	C
Work Experience: at least 5 years relevant work experience. For example accounting, banking, finance or insurance	C	
Sri Lanka	Bachelor of Laws: provided at least Lower Second Honours is achieved or the acceptable equivalent	L
	Bachelor degree (Special or Professional): provided at least Lower Second Honours is achieved or the acceptable equivalent. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Master of Laws: successful completion	L

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	Master's degree: successful completion. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Call to the Bar / Practising Certificate: that is acceptable to the University	L
	Bachelor degree (Special or Professional): provided at least Lower Second Honours is achieved or the acceptable equivalent.	D
	Bachelor degree (General, Special or Professional) successful completion	C
	Work Experience: at least 5 years relevant work experience. For example accounting, banking, finance or insurance	C
Switzerland	Bachelor of Laws (180 ECTS): provided an overall average of at least 4.0 out of 6.0 is achieved from all subjects taken or the acceptable equivalent	L
	Diplom / Diplôme / Diploma or the Lizentiat / Licence / Licenza: provided an overall average of at least 4.0 out of 6.0 is achieved from all subjects taken or the acceptable equivalent. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Master of Law: successful completion	L
	Master's degree: successful completion. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Call to the Bar / Practising Certificate: that is acceptable to the University	L
	Bachelor degree (180 ECTS): provided an overall average of at least 4.0 out of 6.0 is achieved from all subjects taken or the acceptable equivalent	D
	Diplom / Diplôme / Diploma or the Lizentiat / Licence / Licenza: provided an overall average of at least 4.0 out of 6.0 is achieved from all subjects taken or the acceptable equivalent.	D
	Bachelor degree (180 ECTS): successful completion	C
	Diplom / Diplôme / Diploma or the Lizentiat / Licence / Licenza: successful completion	C
	Work Experience: at least 5 years relevant work experience. For example accounting, banking, finance or insurance	C
United Kingdom	Bachelor of Laws (Honours): provided at least Second Class (Lower Division) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent	L
	Bachelor degree (Honours): provided at least Second Class (Lower Division) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Juris Doctor: successful completion	L
	Common Professional Examination / Graduate Diploma in Law: successful completion. In addition you must hold a Bachelor degree (Honours) with at least Second Class (Lower Division)	L
	Postgraduate Diploma in Law awarded by the University of London: successful completion	L
	Master of Laws: successful completion	L
	Master's degree: successful completion. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Call to the Bar / Practising Certificate: that is acceptable to the University	L
	Bachelor degree (Honours): provided at least Second Class (Lower Division) is achieved or the acceptable equivalent.	D
	Postgraduate Certificate in Law awarded by the University of London: successful completion	D
	Bachelor degree: successful completion	C

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USA	Bachelor of Laws: provided a Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) of at least 2.6 out of 4.0 is achieved	L
	Bachelor degree: provided a Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) of at least 2.6 out of 4.0 is achieved. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Juris Doctor: successful completion	L
	Master of Laws: successful completion	L
	Master's degree: successful completion. In addition at least 50% of all units studied must be in Law related subjects that are acceptable to the University.	L
	Call to the Bar / Practising Certificate: that is acceptable to the University	L
	Bachelor degree: provided a Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) of at least 2.6 out of 4.0 is achieved.	D
	Bachelor degree: successful completion	C
	Work Experience: at least 5 years relevant work experience. For example, accounting, banking, finance or insurance.	C