

LPAB Areas of Knowledge

While UOW Law is committed to an integrated and holistic approach to legal education, the following table outlines our MINIMUM satisfaction of the prescribed Academic Areas of Knowledge under the *Legal Profession Uniform Admission Rules 2015*

Prescribed Academic Areas of Knowledge	Subject	Topic	Assessed through:
Criminal Law			
(a) The definition of crime	LLB1130	Defining Crime (week 1)	Class participation (10%) Final Exam (60%)
(b) Element of Crime	LLB1130	Components of Criminal Law (week 3)	Class participation (10%) Final Exam (60%)
(c) Aims of the criminal law	LLB1130	Defining Crime: Why do we criminalise certain forms of conduct? (week 1)	Class participation (10%) Final Exam (60%)
(d) Homicide and defences	LLB1130	Homicide (weeks 4 -5, 7) Murder (week 4) Manslaughter (week 5) Assault causing death and supply causing death (week 7)	Class participation (10%) Final Exam (60%)
	LLB1180	Defences I: Mental Illness, Automatism, Intoxication (week 9) Defences II: Extreme Provocation; Self Defence (week 10)	Class participation (10%) Final Exam (60%)
(e) Non-fatal offences against the person and defences	LLB1130	Assault (week 8) Domestic Violence (week 9) Sexual offences (weeks 10-11)	Class participation (10%) Final Exam (60%)
(f) Offences against property	LLB1180	Property offences (week 3)	Class participation (10%) Final Exam (60%)
(g) General doctrines	LLB1130	Defining Crime (week 1) Defining Crime: Why do we criminalise certain forms of conduct? (week 1) Components of Criminal Law (week 3) Criminal Process II: Police powers; Police discretion (week 12) Criminal Process III: The two tiers of justice; Technocratic justice; Reflections on the criminal law as a form of regulation (week 13)	Class participation (10%) Final Exam (60%)
	LLB1180	Strict liability offences (week 4) Extending Criminal Liability I: Complicity (week 7) Extending Criminal Liability II: Accessorial Liability; Conspiracy (week 8) Defences I: Mental Illness, Automatism, Intoxication (week 9) Defences II: Extreme Provocation; Self Defence (week 10)	Class participation (10%) Final Exam (60%)
(h) Selected topics chosen from: (i) attempts (ii) participation in crime (iii) drunkenness (iv) mistake (v) strict liability	LLB1180	Strict liability offences (week 4) Drunkenness (week 4) Mistake (week 4) Extending Criminal Liability I: Complicity (week 7) Extending Criminal Liability II: Accessorial Liability; Conspiracy (week 8) Defences I: Mental Illness, Automatism, Intoxication (week 9) Defences II: Extreme Provocation; Self Defence (week 10)	Class Participation (10%) Assignment 'A' (30%) Final Exam (60%)

(i) Elements of criminal procedure. Select topics chosen from: (i) classification of offences (ii) process to compel appearance (iii) bail (iv) preliminary examination (v) trial of indictable offences	LLB1130	Defining Crime (week 1) Defining Crime: Why do we criminalise certain forms of conduct? (week 1) Bail (week 2) Components of Criminal Law (week 3) Criminal Process II: Police powers; Police discretion (week 12) Criminal Process III: The two tiers of justice; Technocratic justice; Reflections on the criminal law as a form of regulation (week 13) Trial of indictable offences (week 13)	Class Participation (10%) Assignment 'A' (30%) Final Exam (60%)
	LLB1180	Extending Criminal Liability I: Complicity (week 7) Extending Criminal Liability II: Accessorial Liability; Conspiracy (week 8) Defences I: Mental Illness, Automatism, Intoxication (week 9) Defences II: Extreme Provocation; Self Defence (week 10)	Class Participation (10%) Final Exam (60%)
Torts			
(a) Negligence	LLB2240	Weeks 6-13 (duty of care, standard of care, factual causation, scope of liability, particular duty areas, vicarious liability, pure mental harm, pure economic loss, statutory authorities, defences, intoxication)	Class participation (15%), including group presentation (5%) Final closed book exam (50%)
(b) A representative range of torts and their defences	LLB2240	Weeks 2-5 (overview of trespass and case, battery, assault, action on the case for wilful injury, false imprisonment, nuisance, trespass to land, trespass to goods, conversion, detainee)	Assignment (30%) Final exam (50%) Class participation Weeks 1-5
(c) Damages	LLB2240	Week 11	Class participation (15%) Final closed book exam (50%)
	LLB300/ LLB3300	Week 1 Introduction Overview of Remedies Self Help Remedies Compensatory Remedies – General principles Week 2 Compensatory Remedies – Assessment in Particular situations Week 3 Compensatory Remedies - General principles affecting awards of compensation (causation, remoteness, contributory negligence, mitigation) and Equitable Compensation Week 4 Restitutionary Remedies, Punitive Remedies	Problem assignment (45%)
(d) Concurrent liability	LLB2240	Week 12	Class participation (15%) Final closed book exam (50%)
(e) Compensation schemes	LLB2240	Weeks 1 & 13	Class participation (15%) Final closed book exam (50%)
Contracts			
(a) Formation, including capacity, formalities, privity and consideration	LLB1120	Weeks 2, 3 & 4: Agreement – Offer, Termination of Offer, Acceptance Weeks 5 & 6: Consideration Week 8 Intention to Create Legal Relations and Capacity Week 9 Certainty and Completeness Week 9 Formalities Week 12 Doctrine of Privity	Assignment (30%) Examination (60%) Class participation (10%)
(b) Content and construction of contract	LLB1170	Weeks 1 & 2 Identifying the Express Terms Week 2 Construing the Terms Week 3 Implied Terms	Assignment (30%) Examination (60%) Class participation (10%)

(c) Vitiating factors	LLB1170	Week 9 Mistake Week 10 Misrepresentation / Misleading and Deceptive Conduct Weeks 11 & 12 Vitiating Factors: Duress, Undue Influence, Unconscionable Conduct / Statutory Relief	Examination (60%) Class participation (10%)
(d) Discharge	LLB1170	Week 4 Frustration Weeks 5 & 7 Performance, Breach and Termination of Contract	Assignment (30%) Examination (60%) Class participation (10%)
(e) Remedies	LLB1170	Weeks 7 & 8 Contractual Remedies (Common Law and Equitable)	Examination (60%) Class participation (10%)
	LLB 300/ LLB3300	Week 1 Self Help Remedies Weeks 1-3 Compensatory Remedies Week 4 Restitutionary Remedies Week 5 Coercive Remedies	Class Participation (10%) Problem assignment (45%)
(f) Assignment	LLB2270	Week 3 Assignment of rights & obligations	Exam (50%) Assignment (40%) Class participation (10%)
Property			
(a) meaning and purposes of the concept of property	LLB2220	Week 1: Nature, functions and sources of property and throughout the course	Assignment 40% Examination 50% Class participation 10%
(b) possession, seisin and title	LLB2220	Week 1: Nature, functions and sources of property Week 2: Limits and boundaries of land Week 3: Doctrines of tenures and estates; Native Title Week 4: Adverse Possession; Legal and equitable interests in land Weeks 5 and 6: Torrens Title Week 7: Possession of Chattels	Assignment 40% Examination 50% Class participation 10%
(c) Nature and type (ie fragmentation) of proprietary interests	LLB2220	Week 1: Nature, functions and sources of property Week 2: Limits and boundaries of land Week 3: Doctrines of tenures and estates; Native Title Week 4: Legal and Equitable interests in land Week 7: Possession of Chattels	Assignment 40% Examination 50% Class participation 10%
	LLB2270	Week 2: Equitable Interests in Property & throughout the course	Exam 50% Assignment 40% Class participation 10%
(d) Creation and enforceability of proprietary interests	LLB2220	Week 4: Legal and Equitable interests in land and throughout the course	Assignment 40% Examination 50% Class participation 10%
(e) Legal and equitable remedies	LLB2220	Week 4: Legal and Equitable interests in land and throughout the course	Assignment 40% Examination 50% Class participation 10%

	LLB2270	Week 7: Resulting Trusts and Constructive Trusts Week 12 & 13: Remedies for Breach of Fiduciary Duty and Breach of Trust, Tracing	Exam 50% Assignment 40% Class participation 10%
(f) Statutory schemes of registration	LLB2220	Weeks 5 and 6: Torrens Title (also covers old system title)	Assignment 40% Examination 50% Class participation 10%
(g) Acquisition and disposal of proprietary interests	LLB2220	Week 3: Doctrine of estates Week 4: Adverse Possession; Legal and Equitable interests in land Weeks 5 and 6: Torrens Title Weeks 8 and 9: Leases Week 10: Easements and Profits a Prendre Week 11: Covenants Week 12: Mortgages	Assignment 40% Examination 50% Class participation 10%
(h) Concurrent ownership	LLB2220	Week 13: Co-ownership	Examination 50% Class participation 10%
(i) Proprietary interests in land owned by another	LLB2220	Week 8: Leases Week 9: Leases Week 10: Easements and Profits a Prendre Week 11: Covenants Week 12: Mortgages	Examination 50% Class participation 10%
	LLB2270	Week 2: Equitable Interests in Property & throughout the course	Exam 50% Assignment 40% Class participation 10%
(j) Mortgages	LLB2220	Week 12: Mortgages	Examination 50% Class participation 10%
Equity			
(a) The nature of equity	LLB1100	Topic 2 (Week 2): Nature and Sources of Law Topic 8 (Week 8): Judicial decision making: the doctrine of precedent Topic 9 (Week 9): Judicial decision making: analysing cases	Examination 60% Class participation 10%
	LLB2270	Week 1: Introduction to Equity & throughout the course	Exam 50% Assignment 40% Class participation 10%
(b) Equitable rights, titles and interests	LLB2220	Week 4: Legal and Equitable interests in land and throughout the course	Assignment 40% Examination 50% Class participation 10%
	LLB2270	Week 2: Equitable Interests in Property & throughout the course	Exam 50% Assignment 40% Class participation 10%
(c) Equitable rights, titles and interests	LLB2270	Week 3: Assignments in Equity	Exam 50% Assignment 40% Class participation 10%

(d) Estoppel in equity	LLB1120	Week 10 Equitable estoppel	Examination 60% Class participation 10%
	LLB2270	Week 2: Equitable interests in property	Exam 50% Assignment 40% Class participation 10%
(e) Fiduciary obligations	LLB2270	Week Five: Fiduciary Duties	Exam 50% Assignment 40% Class participation 10%
(f) Unconscionable transactions	LLB1170	Weeks 11 & 12 Vitiating Factors: Duress, Undue Influence, Unconscionable Conduct / Statutory Relief	Examination 60% Class participation 10%
	LLB2270	Week 2 Equitable Interests in Property	Exam 50% Assignment 40% Class participation 10%
(g) Equitable remedies	LLB1170	Week 8 Specific Performance and Injunctive Relief	Examination 60% Class participation 10%
	LLB2220	Week 4: Legal and Equitable interests in land and as referred to throughout the course	Assignment 40% Examination 50% Class participation 10%
	LLB2270	Week 7: Resulting Trusts and Constructive Trusts Week 12 & 13: Remedies for Breach of Fiduciary Duty and Breach of Trust, Tracing	Exam 50% Class participation 10%
(2) Trust	LLB2270	Week 7: Introduction to Trusts, Resulting Trusts & Constructive Trusts Week 8: Creation of Express Trusts Week 9: Charitable Trusts Week 10: Rights/Duties of Trustees Week 11: Rights/Duties of Trustees Continued	Examination 50% Class participation 10%
Company Law			
(a) Corporate Personality	LLB 302/ LLB3302	Topic 1: Forms of business organisations Topic 3: Constitutional & regulatory framework Topic 4: Separate legal entity	Class participation 15% Online test 30% Roleplay 55%
(b) The incorporation process	LLB 302/ LLB3302	Topic 1: Forms of business organisations Topic 4: Separate legal entity Topic 5: Start-up and the corporate constitution	Class participation 15% Online test 30% Roleplay 55%
(c) The corporate constitution	LLB 302/ LLB3302	Topic 4: Separate legal entity Topic 5: Start-up and the corporate constitution	Class participation 15% Online test 30% Roleplay 55%
(d) Company contracts	LLB 302/ LLB3302	Topic 6: External relations	Class participation 15% Roleplay 55%
(e) Administration of companies and management of the business of companies	LLB 302/ LLB3302	Topic 8: Directors' duties	Class participation 15% Roleplay 55%

(f) Duties and liabilities of directors and officers	LLB 302/ LLB3302	Topic 8: Directors' duties	Class participation 15% Roleplay 55%
(g) Share capital and membership	LLB 302/ LLB3302	Topic 7: Company finance Topic 9: Meetings and members' remedies	Class participation 15% Roleplay 55%
(h) Members' remedies	LLB 302/ LLB3302	Topic 9: Meetings and members' remedies	Class participation 15% Roleplay 55%
(i) Company credit and security arrangements	LLB 302/ LLB3302	Topic 7: Company finance	Class participation 15% Roleplay 55%
(j) Winding up of companies	LLB 302/ LLB3302	Topic 3: Constitutional & regulatory framework Topic 8: Directors' duties Topic 10: Introduction to financial difficulties	Class participation 15% Online test 30% Roleplay 55%
Administrative Law			
(a) Organisation and structure of the administration	LLB2230	Topic One: Administrative Law: An Introduction Topic Four: Reviewing Executive Decision Making: The Nature and Framework of Merits Review Topic Five: Judicial Review: The Nature and Framework of Judicial Review	Class participation: 10% Quiz: 15% Moot: 25% Examination: 50%
(b) Administrative Law theory	LLB2230	Topic One: Administrative Law: An Introduction	Examination: 50%
(c) Common law and statutory avenues of judicial review at Commonwealth and State level	LLB2230	Topic Five: Judicial Review: The Nature and Framework of Judicial Review Topic Six: Judicial Review: The Limits to Judicial Review	Class participation: 10% Quiz: 15% Moot: 25% Examination: 50%
(d) Grounds of judicial review	LLB2230	Topic Seven: Judicial Review: Introduction to the Grounds of Review and Unauthorised Decision Making Topic Eight: Judicial Review: Considering Irrelevant Matters, Failing to Consider Relevant Matters Topic Nine: Judicial Review: Improper Purpose, No evidence, Fraud, Bad faith, Unreasonableness, Irrationality/Illogicality and Uncertainty Topic Ten: Judicial Review: Delegated Legislation, Improper Delegation and Fettering Discretion Topic Eleven: Judicial Review: General Principles of Procedural Fairness, The Hearing Rule Topic Twelve: Judicial Review: The Rule Against Bias, Remedies	Class participation: 10% Quiz: 15% Moot: 25% Examination: 50%
(e) Remedies	LLB2230	Topic Twelve: Judicial Review: The Rule Against Bias, Remedies	Class participation: 10% Quiz: 15% Moot: 25% Examination: 50%
(f) Crown immunity	LLB1160	Weeks 8 & 12	Assignment 30% Final exam 60%
(g) Administrative Appeals Tribunal	LLB2230	Topic Four: Reviewing Executive Decision Making: The Nature and Framework of Merits Review	Class participation: 10% Quiz: 15% Examination: 50%
(h) Statutory review	LLB2230	Topic Four: Reviewing Executive Decision Making: The Nature and Framework of Merits Review Topic Five: Judicial Review: The Nature and Framework of Judicial Review	Class participation: 10% Quiz: 15% Moot: 25% Examination: 50%

(i) Freedom of information	LLB2230	Topic Six: Accountability Mechanisms: Freedom of Information & Reasons	Class participation: 10% Quiz: 15% Examination: 50%
Federal and State Constitutional Law			
(a) State constitutions and constitutional systems	LLB2280	Week 1: Introduction: Basic Concepts; Week 9: The States in the Federation	Class participation: 10% Assignment: 30% Examination: 60%
(b) The Commonwealth Constitution and constitutional system	LLB1100	Topic 4 (Week 4): Introduction to the Constitution	Examination 60% Class participation 10%
	LLB2280	Week 1: Introduction: Basic Concepts; Week 2: Constitutional Interpretation & Characterisation of Legislation Week 12: Indigenous Australians & the Constitution and constitutional change	Class participation: 10% Assignment: 30% Examination: 60%
(c) The constitution and operation of the legislature, executive and judiciary	LLB1100	Topic 4 (Week 4): Introduction to the Constitution Topic 5 (Week 5): Introduction to Parliaments and Statute Law	Examination 60% Class participation 10%
	LLB2280	Week 1: Introduction: Basic Concepts; Week 2: Constitutional Interpretation & Characterisation of Legislation Week 7: Executive Power & Government Spending Week 8: Judicial Power	Examination 60% Class participation 10%
(d) The relationship between the different institutions of government and the separation of powers	LLB1100	Topic 4 (Week 4): Introduction to the Constitution Topic 5 (Week 5): Introduction to Parliaments and Statute Law	Class participation: 10% Assignment: 30% Examination: 60%
	LLB2280	Week 1: Introduction: Basic Concepts	Class participation: 10% Assignment: 30% Examination: 60%
(e) The relationship between the different levels of government	LLB2280	Week 1: Introduction: Basic Concepts. Week 6: Section 92 “ ... trade, commerce, and intercourse among the States ...” Week 10: Express Limits on Power Week 11: Implied Limits on Power	Class participation: 10% Assignment: 30% Examination: 60%
Civil Dispute Resolution			
(a) Court adjudication under an adversary system	LLB300/ LLB3300	Week 8 Overview of Civil Procedure; Case Management; ADR	LLB330/LLB3300: Class Participation 10% LLB301/LLB3301: Problem assignment 45% Civil Procedure – Final exam 45% LLB2225: Draft simple pleadings for a Local Court Statement of Claim (10%) Mediation file assignment (50%)
(b) The cost of litigation and the use of costs to control litigation	LLB300/ LLB3300	Week 8 Overview of Civil Procedure; Case Management; ADR Week 12 Discovery, Subpoenas and Interrogatories	
(c) Service of originating process—as foundation of jurisdiction, including service out of the relevant State or Territory and choice of forum	LLB300/ LLB3300	Week 10 Filing and Service of Documents	
(d) Joinder of claims and parties, including group proceedings and the defence of prior adjudication as instances of the public interest in avoiding a multiplicity of proceedings and inconsistent verdict	LLB300/ LLB3300	Week 9 Causes of Action and Parties, Initiating Proceedings, Pleadings	

(e) Defining the questions for trial—pleadings, notices to admit and other devices	LLB300/ LLB3300	Week 9 Causes of Action and Parties, Initiating Proceedings, Pleadings	
(f) Obtaining evidence—discovery of documents, interrogatories, subpoena and other devices	LLB300/ LLB3300	Week 12 Discovery, Subpoenas and Interrogatories	
(g) Disposition without trial, including the compromise of litigation	LLB300/ LLB3300 LLB2225	Week 13 Concluding Proceedings Finalising agreements. Weeks 4 Dispute Management and Dispute Resolution Options; Week 5 Dispute Management – Negotiation; Week 6 Dispute Management - Mediation	
(h) Extra-judicial determination of issues arising in the course of litigation	LLB300/ LLB3300 LLB2225	Week 8 Overview of Civil Procedure; Case Management; ADR Week 4 - Dispute Management and Dispute Resolution Options; Week 5 Dispute Management – Negotiation; Week 6 Dispute Management - Mediation	
(i) Judgment	LLB300/ LLB3300	Week 13 Concluding Proceedings	
(j) Appeal	LLB300/ LLB3300	Week 13 Concluding Proceedings	
(k) Enforcement	LLB300/ LLB3300	Week 13 Concluding Proceedings	
(l) Alternative dispute resolution	LLB300/ LLB3300 LLB2225	Week 8 Overview of Civil Procedure; Case Management; ADR Week 4 - Dispute Management and Dispute Resolution Options; Week 5 Dispute Management – Negotiation; Week 6 Dispute Management - Mediation	
(m) Obligations of parties and practitioners relating to the resolution of disputes	LLB300/ LLB3300 LLB2225	Week 8 Overview of Civil Procedure; Case Management; ADR Week 9 Causes of Action and Parties, Initiating Proceedings, Pleadings Week 4 Dispute Management and Dispute Resolution Options; Week 7 Dispute Management - Breaking deadlocks, developing options and finalising the agreement	
Evidence			
(a) Introduction (i) the relevant sources of the law of evidence and procedure (ii) fair trials, proof and adversarialism, including principles underpinning accusatorial justice (iii) evidentiary issues to be addressed before trial—disclosure, notices and requests	LLB301/ LLB3301	Week 1 Introduction, Prima facie case, burden and standard of proof Week 3 Court control of proceedings And throughout the course	On line test 20% Moot or assignment (student election) 20 % Class Participation 10% Final exam 50%
(b) Forms of evidence (i) witnesses—competence and compellability (A) the examination of witnesses, including vulnerable witnesses	LLB301/ LLB3301	Week 2 Sources of Evidence, Documentary Evidence, Other Evidence Week 3 Court Control of proceedings, Calling witnesses, Oaths and Affirmations, Competence and Compellability Week 4 Questioning Witnesses	

(B) the accused as a witness, including the privilege against self-incrimination (ii) documentary evidence, including proof of contents (iii) real evidence		Week 7 Accused as a witness Week 10 Privilege	
(c) Evidentiary principles and rules, and exceptions to the rules (i) relevance (ii) original evidence including res gestae (iii) hearsay evidence (iv) opinion evidence (v) admissions and confessions (vi) tendency and coincidence evidence (vii) credibility evidence (viii) character evidence	LLB301/ LLB3301	Week 1 Relevance Week 9 Hearsay includes the statutory replacement for res gestae Week 8 Opinion Week 7 Admissions Week 5 Tendency and Coincidence Week 4 Credibility Week 6 Character	
(d) The bases for privilege including legal professional and client privilege	LLB301/ LLB3301	Week 10 Privilege	
(e) Judicial warnings, comment and directions	LLB301/ LLB3301	Week 13 warnings and otherwise throughout the course	
(f) Mandatory and discretionary exclusions and the limitations on evidence	LLB301/ LLB3301	Week 12 Discretions	
Ethics and Professional Responsibility			
Professional and personal conduct in respect of a practitioner's duty: (a) to the law (b) to the Courts (c) to clients, including a basic knowledge of the principles relating to the holding of money on trust, and (d) to fellow practitioners	LLB1197	Topic 1: Lawyers and Lawyering Topic 2: The Ethical Framework Topic 3: Admission to the Profession Topic 4: Regulation and Discipline Topic 9: Duty to the Courts and the Administration of Justice Topic 5: Lawyer Client Relationship Topic 6: Duty of competence & care Topic 7: Duty of loyalty Topic 8: Duty to account Topic 10: Duties to others	Class participation (15%) Mid-session assignment (25%) Final Exam (60%)

LACC Statement on Statutory Interpretation	Subject	Topic	Assessment testing understanding of topic
<p>1. Locating and using legislation A law graduate should be able to locate, and make appropriate use of, the text of a legislative provision relevant to a legal problem.</p>	LLB1160	Purpose and Context/Techniques in Reading Legislation (week 4) Intrinsic materials (weeks 5 and 7) Australian legislation and international law (week 11) Specific types of acts and practice problem areas (week 12)	CP (10%) Mid-session assignment (30%) Final Exam (60%)
<p>2. Aids to interpretation A law graduate should be familiar with, and be able to make appropriate use of, the various aids to statutory interpretation authorized by law, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) the intrinsic guides to interpretation offered by the text of the relevant legislation; (b) the principles and presumptions employed by the courts; (c) the common law and statutory regimes governing recourse to extrinsic materials as potential aids to interpretation; (d) the relevant Commonwealth, State or Territory Interpretation Act; (e) other contextual factors authorized by the law. 	LLB1160	Purpose and context/techniques in reading legislation (week 4) Intrinsic materials (weeks 5 and 7) Extrinsic materials (week 8) Presumptions, Maxims and Canons (week 9)	CP (10%) Final Exam (60%)
<p>3. Deploying interpretative techniques A law graduate should be able to deploy, where appropriate, a range of techniques in the course of solving an interpretative problem. In addition to deploying substantive interpretative factors, the techniques include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) determining whether a legislative provision is open to more than one construction; (b) identifying and articulating alternative constructions, where a provision is reasonably open to more than one construction; (c) resolving competing alternative constructions; (d) identifying how a suggested construction may be accommodated in a manner consistent with the existing text of a legislative provision (for example, whether it is to be by judicial gloss or by an implication); (e) reaching a considered view on the legal meaning, or likely legal meaning, of a doubtful legislative provision. 	LLB1160	Purpose and context/techniques in reading legislation (week 4) Australian legislation and international law (week 11) Specific Types of Acts and Practice Problem areas (week 12)	CP (10%) Mid-session assignment (30%) Final Exam (60%)

<p>4. Special interpretative issues A law graduate should be familiar with, and be able to handle adequately, problems raising special interpretative issues, including:</p> <p>(a) determining whether the exercise of a statutory power is invalid if a condition or procedure regulating its exercise, is breached;</p> <p>(b) determining whether a law has a retrospective operation;</p> <p>(c) determining whether a statutory offence contains a mental ingredient to be proved by the prosecution (mens rea); and, if so, what that ingredient is;</p> <p>(d) determining the scope of a statutory power to make delegated legislation in the light of delegated legislation which has purportedly been made under that power;</p> <p>(e) the application of a rule of interpretation in any applicable charter of human rights.</p>	<p>LLB1160</p>	<p>Presumptions, Maxims and Canons (week 9) Principle of Legality/Interpreting Fundamental Common Law Rights (week 10) Australian legislation and international law (week 11) Specific types of acts and practice problem areas (week 12)</p>	<p>CP (10%) Final Exam (60%)</p>
<p>5. Written advice A law graduate should be able to give a reasoned opinion as to the appropriate meaning of a legislative provision which takes adequate account of the law of statutory interpretation.</p>	<p>LLB1160</p>	<p>Purpose and context/techniques in reading legislation (week 4) Intrinsic materials (weeks 5 and 7) Extrinsic materials (week 8) Presumptions, Maxims and Canons (week 9) Principle of legality and interpreting fundamental common law rights (week 10) Australian legislation and international law (week 11) Specific types of acts and practice problem areas (week 12) Revision (week 13)</p>	<p>Final Exam (60%)</p>