Postgraduate Law
at Macquarie Law School

Bachelor of Laws (graduate entry)
Master of Environmental Law
Master of International Environmental Law
Master of International Trade and Commerce Law
Master of Laws

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Photo: Phillipa Janos
Why study Law at Macquarie University?

Macquarie Law offers postgraduate courses for lawyers and non-lawyers, with our students benefiting from the school’s research and teaching excellence in the fields of international, environmental, public and private law.

+ **Get a legal education unlike anywhere else.** Macquarie’s dedication to interdisciplinary study – and commitment to encouraging students to think critically and creatively – develops lawyers with a character unique in their understanding and application of the law.

+ **Choose from a vast range of topics and specialities.** You’ll have the chance to explore ideas within and across disciplinary boundaries including: climate change law, international human rights law, trade and environment, law and moral dilemmas, and water and marine resources law.

+ **Join a leader in environmental law.** Macquarie’s Centre for International and Environmental Law was one of Australia’s first to focus on environmental law.

+ **World class research centres.** The Centre for Legal Governance and the Centre for International and Environment Law, build upon the School’s expertise and established reputation for interdisciplinary research in the fields of international, public and private law.

+ **Enhance your degree.** Connect with career networks and communities via internships, study abroad programs and work-integrated learning opportunities.

**Did you know?**

Macquarie University Commerce/Law student Ryan Harvey (pictured, above right) was named The College of Law - Law Student of the Year at the 2011 Lawyers Weekly Awards.
Macquarie Law School’s Graduate LLB equips you to enter the legal profession, and prepares you to take advantage of the expanding range of opportunities that a law degree brings. A hallmark of our degrees is a commitment to the interdisciplinary study of law, which is designed to foster a sound understanding of legal doctrine as well as an awareness of the role of law in society and a developed sense of social responsibility.

**A LAW DEGREE WITH A DIFFERENCE**
A Macquarie law degree equips you to be so much more than just a lawyer. It provides you with creative problem-solving skills, critical thinking and analytical skills, the ability to communicate clearly and effectively and gives you leadership capabilities: skills employers look for in graduates. Macquarie graduates are well equipped to practise law and apply their legal skills in diverse contexts. Our students are taught to think about the law, how it operates, and why – not just what the law is.

**WHAT YOU CAN STUDY**
- Fifteen compulsory units to meet degree requirements
- Nine electives from a diverse range of legal areas
- A Participation and Community Engagement unit, which facilitates graduates in transitioning from university into the workplace

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**
The Macquarie Graduate LLB program will qualify graduates to seek admission to practice as a lawyer in NSW.

Macquarie Law School alumni serve as judicial officers, as managing partners in major commercial law firms and practise as barristers and solicitors both locally and internationally. Many of our alumni work overseas in a range of professions where the skills developed during their studies can be applied in varied contexts such as government, international organisations, business, media or community work.

**KEY FEATURES**
- Benefit from learning from researchers in Macquarie’s innovative research centres: the Centre for Legal Governance and the Centre for International and Environmental Law
- Gain a transformative learning experience through the Participation and Community Engagement units which will better equip you to engage in the workforce
- Focus on global engagement and interdisciplinary approaches to the study of law

**ADMISSION INFORMATION**

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**Daniel Lee**

Bachelor of Commerce with Bachelor of Laws

“During my time at Macquarie, it became like home, especially because of the relaxing atmosphere. It is perhaps this unique environment which gives students the space and opportunity to reach their full potential. The best part of my degree was challenging myself.”
Masters degrees within Macquarie Law School provide an interdisciplinary perspective on regulatory problems facing governments, businesses and communities. The Master of Environmental Law promotes comprehensive knowledge of relevant laws in context, fostering a broad understanding of this dynamic area.

WHO SHOULD APPLY
The Master of Environmental Law is available to both lawyers and non-lawyers and is designed to meet the needs of business persons, environmental consultants, workers in the resource sector and lawyers working in the environmental law and government law area, or those wishing to work in these areas.

WHAT YOU CAN STUDY
• Biodiversity and Biotechnology Law
• Climate Change Law
• Comparative Environmental Law
• Environmental Economics
• Environmental Litigation and Mediation
• Heritage Law and Policy
• Indigenous Law and Natural Resource Management
• International Environmental Law
• Local Government and Planning Law
• Pollution, Law and Environmental Management
• Sustainable Corporate Governance and Financing
• Water and Marine Biodiversity Law

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES
Our graduates are legal professionals who are specialised in environmental law. They find employment in policy development; local, state or federal government; journalism; business management; non-governmental and community based organisations and consulting roles.

The Master of Environmental Law gives you the opportunity to join world-class researchers on environmental law at the Centre for International and Environmental Law where you can participate in conferences, workshops and research projects as part of your studies.

KEY FEATURES
• Gain an indepth understanding of environmental law in its own right and within a broad interdisciplinary framework
• Broaden your perspective by working with students from both law and non-law backgrounds
• Enjoy flexibility through internal or distance mode
• Study electives from Macquarie’s Graduate School of the Environment

ADMISSION INFORMATION

CRICOS CODE  073732D
MINIMUM COURSE DURATION  1 year
CREDIT POINTS REQUIRED  32
COURSE COMMENCES  Session 1 (February), Session 2 (July)
LOCATIONS  North Ryde (main campus) and by distance*
2012 ANNUAL FEE (SAU)*  $27,072
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS  Bachelor degree from a recognised university with GPA of 2.50 out of 4.00.
ENGLISH LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS  IELTS (Academic English only); Minimum 6.5 overall, with 6.0 in each section. For other accepted qualifications, visit www.goto.mq.edu.au/englrq

* Distance students are required to attend intensive 2 or 3 day on-campus sessions for each unit undertaken. In most instances these sessions are held during mid-session breaks in April or September.
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Master of International Environmental Law

Masters degrees within Macquarie Law School provide an interdisciplinary perspective on regulatory problems facing governments, businesses and communities in the areas of global and national governance, environmental sustainability and corporate social responsibility. This degree will be particularly useful in providing international and comparative studies across a wide range of environmental law.

WHO SHOULD APPLY
The Master of International Environmental Law is available to both lawyers and non-lawyers and is designed to meet the needs of business persons, environmental consultants, environmental scientists, workers in the resource or development sector and lawyers working in the environmental law and government law area, or those wishing to work in these areas.

WHAT YOU CAN STUDY
• Biodiversity and Biotechnology Law
• Comparative Environmental Law
• Environmental Litigation and Mediation
• Heritage Law and Policy
• Indigenous Law and Natural Resource Management
• Law, Globalisation and Cultural Transformations
• Law of the Sea
• Sustainable Corporate Governance and Financing
• Trade and Environment Law
• Water and Marine Biodiversity Law
• International Law

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES
Our graduates are professionals who are specialised in international environmental law. They find employment in policy development, the international development sector, international organisations, state or federal politics, journalism, non-governmental or community based organisations and consultancy roles.

Ana Carolina Carneiro | Brazil
“This degree has provided me with deep knowledge of many areas in environmental law and will allow me to choose different professional pathways, be it politics, the judiciary or the government. It was the everyday experience at Macquarie that was one of the best parts of my degree - the campus environment and all the people that I met.”

KEY FEATURES
• Specialise by studying one of the few degrees in International environmental law in the world
• Broaden your perspective by working with students from both law and non-law backgrounds
• Enjoy flexibility through internal or distance mode
• Postgraduate certificates and postgraduate diplomas in environmental law provide pathways into this degree

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CRICOS CODE 073731E
MINIMUM COURSE DURATION 1 year
CREDIT POINTS REQUIRED 32
COMMENCING Session 1 (February), Session 2 (July)
LOCATIONS North Ryde (main campus) and by distance*
2012 ANNUAL FEE (SAU)* $27,072
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS Bachelor degree from a recognised university with GPA of 2.50 out of 4.00.
ENGLISH LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS IELTS (Academic English only), Minimum 6.5 overall, with 6.0 in each section. For other accepted qualifications, visit www.goto.mq.edu.au/engreq

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The Master of International Trade and Commerce Law is available to both lawyers and non-lawyers and is designed to meet the needs of persons with an interest in business, international business, international studies, finance and commercial law. It is taught in partnership between Macquarie Law School and the Macquarie City Campus.

WHO SHOULD APPLY
Graduates with a background in business, commerce, economics, law, international relations or related disciplines who are interested in gaining greater knowledge and understanding of international trade and commercial law.

WHAT YOU CAN STUDY
• International Trade and Finance
• International Business Transactions
• International Commercial Law
• International Financial Management
• Entrepreneurship and Business Strategy
• International Political Economy
• Sustainable Corporate Governance and Financing
• Trade and Environment Law
• Electronic Commerce and the Law
• International Dispute Settlement
• Law of International Organisations
• International Law
• International Marketing

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES
This degree equips graduates with the skills and knowledge to pursue careers in multinational corporations, international organisations dealing with finance, trade and development issues, and national businesses engaging in international markets. The optional dissertation also opens up the possibility of students pursuing doctoral studies in an area of specific interest to them.

KEY FEATURES
• Learning from researchers in Macquarie’s innovative research centres: the Centre for Legal Governance and the Centre for International Environmental Law
• Gain an interdisciplinary perspective, which is enhanced by students and staff from diverse backgrounds
• The Master of International Trade and Commerce Law can be combined with the Master of International Relations

ADMISSION INFORMATION
CRICOS CODE 045284M
MINIMUM COURSE DURATION 1 year
CREDIT POINTS REQUIRED 32
COURSE COMMENCES Session 1 (February), Session 2 (July)
LOCATIONS North Ryde (main campus) and Macquarie City Campus*
2012 ANNUAL FEE (SAU)* $29,024
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS Bachelor degree from a recognised university with a GPA of 2.50 out of 4.00.
ENGLISH LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS IELTS (Academic English only), Minimum 6.5 overall, with 6.0 in each section. For other accepted qualifications, visit www.goto.mq/engrlq

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Alex Katalon Kerangpuna | Papua New Guinea

“I work for the Department of Foreign Office and Trade in Papua New Guinea, reaching trade agreements with the World Trade Organisation and other nations and [with this degree] I hope to improve the way we implement policy and benefit fully from international trade agreements. I’m grateful for the world-class education I’ve received at Macquarie – all the knowledge I’ve gained here, I’ve gained from experts.”

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ALSO AVAILABLE BY DISTANCE

Our masters degrees are ideally suited to practising lawyers wishing to add to their expertise or wanting to move into a new area of law. They focus on regulatory problems facing governments, businesses and communities in the areas of global and national governance, environmental sustainability and corporate social responsibility.

WHO SHOULD APPLY
The Master of Laws is open to law graduates and practicing lawyers who are looking to further their understanding in a particular area of law.

WHAT YOU CAN STUDY
- Advanced Torts
- Climate Change Law
- Comparative Environmental Law
- History of Law in Australia
- Comparative Legal History
- Indigenous Peoples and Natural Resource Management
- International Dispute Settlement
- International Human Rights Law
- International Law
- International Trade and Finance Law
- Law, Globalisation and Cultural Transformation
- Law and Moral Dilemmas
- Pollution and Environmental Regulation
- Sustainable Corporate Governance and Financing
- Trade and Environment
- Water and Marine Resources Law

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES
Macquarie Law School postgraduate students obtain a well-rounded qualification that opens the way to the variety of careers for which an understanding of law is relevant, including legal practice, private industry, commerce, government, education and community services. Our graduates also find work in federal and state politics, government, business management and consultancy roles.

KEY FEATURES
- Specialisations available in Environmental Law and International Environmental Law
- Build your conceptual understanding and practical skills across a range of areas and allow you to undertake specialisations in legal history, environmental law or international environmental law
- Study a range of units from related disciplines through our flexible degree structure
- Work with active researchers in the Centre for Legal Governance as well as the Centre for International and Environmental Law

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The Honorable Rob Stokes MP
NSW Parliamentary Secretary for Renewable Energy

“Macquarie Law School has earned a reputation as one of the leading university law schools in Australia, having developed a unique brand of legal education that examines law in its wider context. The Macquarie approach is particularly suited for lawyers wanting to pursue careers in policy and government, and not just the commercial practice of law.”

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About Macquarie University

At Macquarie, you will join a welcoming community of 35,000 students with more than 12,000 international students from over 110 countries. Ranked within the top ten universities in Australia (Shanghai Jiaotong University Rankings, 2011), Macquarie University is recognised for its innovative curriculum, high-quality teaching, world-leading research and green campus environment.

Campus location and facilities

Macquarie University’s North Ryde campus is uniquely located in parklands only 30 minutes from Sydney’s central business district. On campus you will find modern facilities, including a state-of-the-art Sport and Aquatic Centre, private teaching hospital, museums and hotels.

In 2011 we opened our new multi-million dollar library – a learning space like no other in Australia, featuring study lounges, a robotic document retrieval system and a cafe.

The Macquarie Centre shopping complex is on our doorstep and we have our own train station on campus, providing a direct rail link to the city centre.

Quality student accommodation is available both on and off-campus.

Enhance your degree

Macquarie University offers a range of leadership and career building programs to help students get an edge in the global job market.

The Global Leadership Program (GLP) allows students to develop leadership and intercultural skills through studying, volunteering and participating in experiences both in Australia and overseas.

The Graduate Development Program (GDP) offers a personalised approach to building independent career skills, combining an individual development plan with one-on-one consultations, weekly workshops and industry speaker events.

Macquarie also offers an internship program and one of the most extensive international exchange programs of any Australian university.

Find out more

For more information about Macquarie University courses, international student support, accommodation or scholarship opportunities, please contact us.

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