Bachelor of Laws with Honours

These regulations must be read in conjunction with the Academic Regulations (Taught Courses). These regulations are available online via the Open University ‘Student Policies and Regulations’ website at https://help.open.ac.uk/documents/policies.

Short title
LLB (Honours)

Award letters
LLB (Hons) (Open)

Entry requirements
None

Maximum duration of study
16 years, but see additional rules for the time limits for a qualifying law degree.

Credit requirement
360 credits

Stage 1 (120 credits)
120 credits from two specified 60-credit compulsory modules at OU Stage 1

Stage 2 (120 credits)
60 credits from two specified 30-credit compulsory modules at OU Stage 2 and 60 credits from two 30-credit option modules at OU Stage 2

Stage 3 (120 credits)
90 credits from three specified compulsory modules at OU Stage 3 and 30 credits from a 30-credit option module at OU Stage 3 or
30 credits from a specified compulsory module at OU Stage 3 and 90 credits from three 30-credit option modules at OU Stage 3

Maximum transferred credit
240 credits

Maximum age of credit transfer
16 years

Unique study requirement
120 credits at Stage 3
Additional rules
To be awarded a qualifying LLB, you must normally complete the qualification, including any credit transfer, within 6 years. Extensions to the qualifying LLB period on the grounds of exceptional circumstances will be considered by the Teaching Committee.