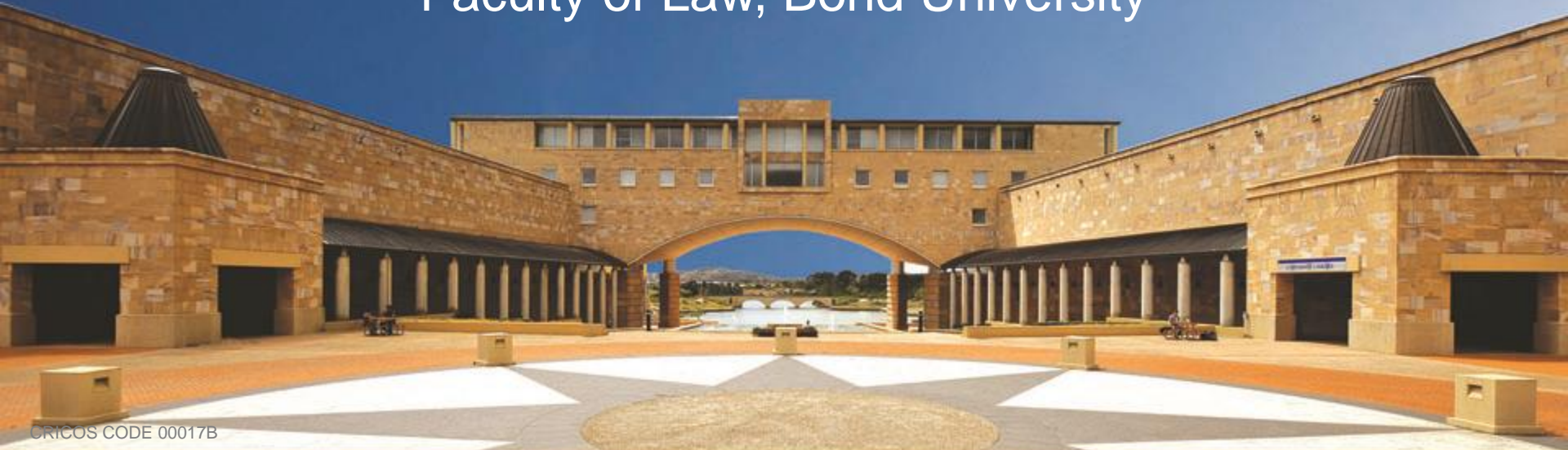


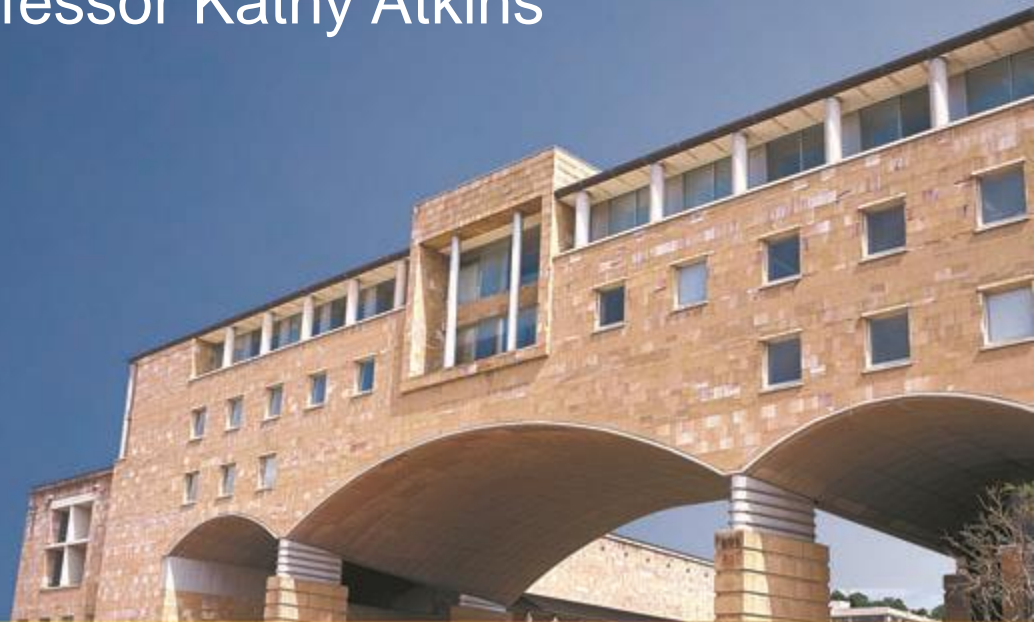


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WHY BOND LAW?

Associate Dean, External Engagement and International
Associate Professor Kathy Atkins





Why Study Common Law?

- Prepares students for a career as a legal professional (on the world stage)
- Is a pathway to becoming a lawyer in Australia
- Is an essential attribute to practising law globally
- Enhances career prospects in the government and corporate sectors in Taiwan





STUDY OPTIONS FOR TAIWANESE STUDENTS

To practise law or work for the government or with a corporation in Taiwan:

- Bachelor of Laws (LLB)
- Juris Doctor (JD)

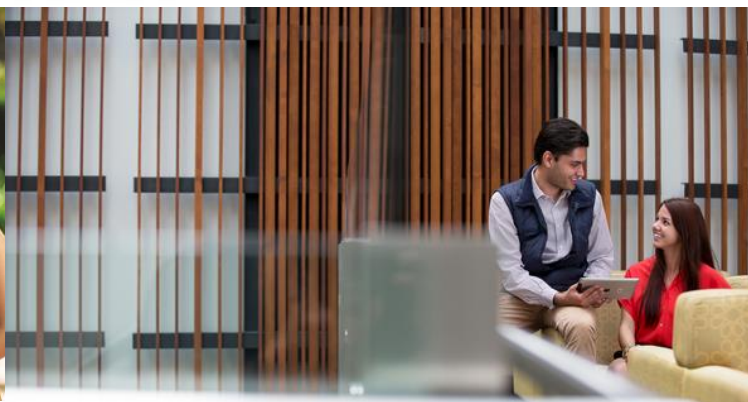
(Note: LLB and JD is not a direct pathway to becoming a lawyer in Taiwan)

To practise law in Australia:

- Bachelor of Laws (LLB) + Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice (PLT)
- Juris Doctor (JD) + Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice (PLT)

To develop specialised knowledge in law or enhance career prospects:

- Master of Laws (LLM)



BACHELOR OF LAWS (LLB) and JURIS DOCTOR (JD)

- Pathway to admission to legal practice in Australia
- Prepares students academically and practically for a legal career
- Teaches students the essential areas of substantive law
- Access to a wide choice of law elective subjects
- Provides an option to complete a specialisation.



UNDERGRADUATE: BACHELOR OF LAWS (LLB)

Duration: 32 subjects – 8 semesters, (2 years and 8 months at Bond)

Entry Requirement: Completion of senior secondary school

Areas of Specialisation:

- Contemporary Legal Issues
- Corporate and Commercial Law
- International and Comparative Law
- Legal Practice
- Media and Technology Law
- Canadian Law and Practice





POSTGRADUATE: JURIS DOCTOR (JD)

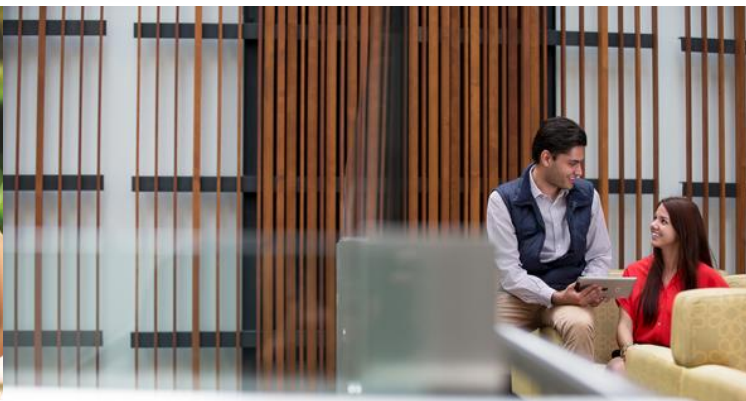
Duration: 24 subjects – 6 semesters, (2 years at Bond)

Entry Requirement: A prior undergraduate degree in any discipline.
(A law degree from a University in Taiwan satisfies this requirement)

Areas of Specialisation:

- Corporate and Commercial Law and Practice
- International Business and Finance Law
- Dispute Resolution
- Legal Practice
- Canadian Law and Practice





STUDENTS WHO HOLD AN LLB DEGREE FROM A UNIVERSITY IN TAIWAN

- Students who holds a Bachelor of Laws degree (LLB) from a University in Taiwan, will be eligible for a **6 subject credit** in Bond University's Juris Doctor degree (JD).
- Students will be able to complete the JD degree at Bond University in **5 semesters (1 year and 8 months)**.
- Students will study 18 subjects in total



BACHELOR OF LAWS (LLB) and JURIS DOCTOR (JD): Legal Skills and Professionalism Program

An integrated skills and professionalism program is embedded in both degrees

Focuses on core legal skills essential to the practice of law:

- Legal research
- Legal analysis
- Letter writing
- Drafting commercial and court documents
- Client interviewing
- Advocacy
- Negotiation

Enhances graduate outcomes.





GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN LEGAL PRACTICE (GDLP)

Duration: 2 semesters

- PLT is the link between a law degree (LLB or JD) and becoming a practising lawyer in Australia
- Provides ongoing development of legal skills taught in a practical context in a simulated office environment
- Class room tuition is strengthened by 30 – 60 days of work experience undertaken in a law office
- Bond's CDC supports students in obtaining a PLT work experience placements with a 100% success rate for international students over the past 15 semesters



GDLP Program Structure

Compulsory Components:

- 5 day Learning Intensive
- 4 compulsory coursework subjects
- 30 day compulsory Law Placement (15 days to be completed in Australia)

Elective Components:

- Further 30 day Law Placement and 2 elective coursework subjects
- OR
- 4 elective coursework subjects



The pathway to becoming a lawyer in Australia:

JD

5 Semesters

(LLB from a
University in
Taiwan)

6 Semesters

(no LLB)



GDLP
2 semesters



**Admission to
Legal
Practice**



POSTGRADUATE: MASTER OF LAWS (LLM)

Duration: 8 subjects – 2 semesters (8 months at Bond)

Entry requirement: A prior law degree.

(An LLB degree from a university in Taiwan satisfies this requirement)

Why an LLM?

- Provides students from a legal background with a specialist postgraduate law qualification
- Develops advanced legal research and writing skills and enhances the ability of students to critically evaluate complex legal issues within a global context.
- Students may choose to pursue a specialised area of study or select subjects from a broad range of law electives.





POSTGRADUATE: MASTER OF LAWS (LLM)

Areas of Specialisation:

- Corporate and Commercial Law and Practice
- International Business and Finance Law
- Dispute Resolution
- Canadian Law and Practice

Articulation Agreement

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CCU STUDENT	CREDIT FOR BOND DEGREE
Complete an LLB from a University in Taiwan	<p>Receive 6 subject credit towards Bond JD</p> <p>JD can be completed in 5 semesters (1 year and 8 months)</p>
Complete 22 credit points of coursework of the CCU LLM (with LLB)	<p>Receive 4 subject credit towards Bond LLM</p> <p>LLM can be completed in 1 semester (4 months)</p>

CCU STUDENT	CREDIT FOR BOND DEGREE
Complete 40 credit points of coursework of the CCU LLM (no LLB)	Receive 4 subject credit towards Bond JD JD can be completed in 5 semesters (1 year and 8 months)
Complete the CCU LLM (no LLB) degree	Receive 4 subject credit towards Bond LLM LLM can be completed in 1 semester (4 months)



WHY BOND LAW?

Student Experience

- Australian Law and Language: a complimentary subject for students from a non-English speaking background, providing extra tuition and support in understanding the common law legal system and the language of common law
- Tutorial classes for all law subjects capped at 12 students
- “Open Door” policy: personalised attention to students

Graduate Outcomes

- Bond Law’s Legal Skills and Professionalism program gives students a competitive edge in the job market
- Law Specialists in Bond’s Career Development Centre source work experience, internships, GDLP placements and graduate positions





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Any questions?

