

BCL (HONS) (LAW AND BUSINESS) - CK307

Overview

NFQ Level 8, Major Award

First Year - BCL (Law and Business)

First Year consists of core modules to the value of **60** credits (**35** credits Law; **25** credits Business). In order to be admitted to the First University Examination in Law and Business, a student must have satisfactorily attended prescribed modules to the value of **60** credits.

Second Year - BCL (Law and Business)

Second Year consists of core modules to the value of **60** credits (**30** credits Law; **30** credits Business). In order to be admitted to the Second University Examination in Law a student must have: (a) passed the First University Examination in Law and Business; and (b) subsequently satisfactorily attended prescribed modules to the value of **60** credits.

Third Year - BCL (Law and Business)

Third Year consists of core modules to the value of **60** credits (**30** credits Law; **30** credits Business). In order to be admitted to the Third University Examination in Law a student must have: (a) passed the Second University Examination in Law and Business; and (b) subsequently satisfactorily attended prescribed modules to the value of **60** credits.

Fourth Year - BCL (Law and Business)

Fourth Year consists of modules to the value of **60** credits comprising core modules to the value of **20** credits in Law and a minimum of **5** more elective credits of Law (making a total of at least **25** credits of Law) and core modules to the value of **10** credits in Business and a minimum of **10** more elective credits of Business (making a total of at least **20** credits of Business). In order to be admitted to the BCL (Law and Business) (Hons) Degree Examination, a student must have: (a) passed the Third University Examination in Law and Business; and (b) subsequently attended in a satisfactory manner prescribed modules to the value of **60** credits.

Workload Guideline

Where a programme contains elective modules it is recommended that students do not take any more than 40 credits in any semester. Students are therefore advised to choose their modules so that the workload is evenly spread throughout the year.

Programme Requirements

For information about modules, module choice, options and credit weightings, please go to Programme Requirements (p. 1).

Programme Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
Year 1		
Students take 60 credits as follows:		
<i>Core Modules</i>		
AC1102	Financial Accounting	5
EC1207	Principles of the Micro Economy	5
EC1208	Principles of the Macro Economy	5
IS1105	Business Information Systems	5
LW1001	Legal Writing	5

LW1104	Foundations of the Legal System	5
LW1112	Constitutional and Institutional Law of the European Union ¹	5
or LW1114	Droit institutionnel de l'Union européenne	
LW1154	Law of Contract	10
Select one of the following: ²		10
LW1161	Constitutional Law: Fundamental Rights (5)	
plus LW1162	plus Constitutional Law: Institutions of Government () ²	
LW1163	Dlí Bunreachtúil: Bunchearta (5)	
plus LW1164	plus Dlí Bunreachtúil: Institiúidí an Rialtais () ²	
MG1000	Principles of Management	5

Year 2

Students take **60** credits as follows:

<i>Core Modules</i>		
AC2204	Introduction to Management Accounting	5
AC2205	Intermediate Management Accounting	5
EC2211	Economics - Production and Costs	5
IS2200	IS Analysis and Design for Business	5
LW1106	Law of Torts I	5
LW1107	Law of Torts II	5
LW1153	Criminal Law	10
LW2001	Clinical Legal Skills - Group Work and Presentation	5
LW2204	Economic Law of the European Union	5
MG1002	Foundations of Marketing	5
MG2001	People and Organisation	5

Year 3

Students take **60** credits as follows:

<i>Core Modules</i>		
AC3302	Investment Appraisal	5
AC3304	Introduction to Pricing Assets and Valuation	5
EC2214	The Macroeconomic Environment in a Global Context	5
IS3001	IS Solutions for the Digital Enterprise	5
IS3320	Designing and Using Management Information Systems	5
LW2249	Property Law: Ownership and Succession	5
LW2250	Property Law: Rights in the Land of Others	5
LW2254	Commercial Law	10
LW3345	Company Law I: Fundamental Concepts and Doctrines	5
LW3346	Company Law II: Management, Finance and Insolvency	5
MG2008	Business Ethics and Governance	5

Year 4

Students take **60** credits as follows – all listed core modules (**30** credits) and **30** credits of elective modules:

<i>Core Modules</i>		
EC4213	Law and Economics of EU Competition Policy	5
EC4214	Law and Economics of Competition and Regulation	5
LW3303	Law of Equity: Doctrines and Remedies	5
LW3305	Law of Equity: Trusts	5
LW3307	Moot Court (Law and Business)	5

LW3367	Jurisprudence	5
<i>Elective Modules</i>		
Students take modules to the value of 30 credits from the following: ³ 30		
AC4100	Management Accounting: Planning and Control (5)	
AC4101	Management Accounting: Performance and Decision Making (5)	
AC4407	Financial Reporting 1 (5)	
AC4408	Financial Reporting 2 (5)	
AC4409	Corporate Financing (5)	
EC4211	Economics of the Labour Market (5)	
EC4212	Behavioural Economics in Labour Markets (5)	
EC4215	Business Econometrics 1 (5)	
EC4220	Strategic Economic Consultancy (5)	
FE4008	Food Security and the Developing World (5)	
IS4449	IT Solution Selling and Digital Business (5)	
IS4450	Enterprise Sales Solutions for Global Business (5)	
LW2006	The Law of Evidence I (5)	
LW2007	The Law of Evidence II (5)	
LW2207	International Human Rights Law (5)	
LW2208	Law of the European Convention on Human Rights (5)	
LW2216	Humanitarianism and the Law (5)	
LW2263	Law of Public Administration (5)	
LW2264	Administrative Law: Grounds of Judicial Review (5)	
LW2269	Privacy and Data Protection Law (5)	
LW2275	Family Law: Child Law (5)	
LW2276	Family Law: Family Relationships (5)	
LW3308	Alternative Dispute Resolution (5)	
LW3312	Employment Law: Contracts, Termination, Collective Labour Law (5) ⁴	
LW3313	Employment Law: Rights Protection, Equality, Specific Categories of Employees (5) ⁵	
LW3316	Financial Services: Law and Regulation (5)	
LW3347	Contemporary Issues in Corporate Law (5)	
LW3368	Principles of Revenue Law (5)	
LW3369	Income Tax Law (5)	
LW3370	Sports Law (5)	
LW3371	Sources and Foundations of Environmental Law (5)	
LW3372	Environmental Law: Contemporary Issues in Governance, Regulation and Enforcement (5)	
LW3373	Sports Law Clinic (5)	
LW3376	Traveller Equality and Justice Project Clinic (10)	
LW3377	Courtroom Ethnography: Theory and Practice (5)	
LW3404	Medical Law and Ethics (5)	
LW3405	Medical Law: Regulation of Healthcare (5)	
LW3407	Placement (5)	
MG3012	Enterprise and Innovation (5)	
MG3013	Marketing Communications (5)	
MG3018	Human Resource Management (5)	
MG4004	Project Management (5)	
MG4036	Strategic Management (5)	
MG4048	Digital Marketing (5)	

MG4402	Leadership and Organisational Dynamics (5)
Total Credits	240

- ¹ LW1112 and LW1114 comprise the same module in English (LW1112) and in French (LW1114). Students may register for either LW1112 or LW1114 but not both.
- ² LW1161 and LW1163 comprise the same module in English (LW1161) and as *Gaeilge* (LW1163). Students may register for either LW1161 or LW1163 but not both. LW1162 and LW1164 comprise the same module in English (LW1162) and as *Gaeilge* (LW1164). Students may register for either LW1162 or LW1164 but not both.
- ³ Students must choose a minimum of 5 credits Law and a minimum of 10 credits Business.
- ⁴ LW3312 is not available to students who have previously passed LW3301.
- ⁵ LW3313 is not available to students who have previously passed LW3302.

Notes:

- The right is reserved not to offer any particular elective modules listed in the regulations.
- Students may not select modules which involve a timetable clash.
- In order to ensure a reasonable distribution of workload, when choosing modules for all programmes, students should take a balance of credits between Semester 1 and Semester 2. Students who wish to deviate from this rule must seek permission from their Programme Director.

Examinations

Full details and regulations governing Examinations for each programme will be contained in the *Marks and Standards Book* and for each module in the *Book of Modules*.

Programme Learning Outcomes

Programme Learning Outcomes for BCL (Hons) (Law and Business) (NFQ Level 8, Major Award)

On successful completion of this programme, students should be able to:

- Demonstrate an in-depth and contextual knowledge and understanding of legal and business principles and rules;
- Communicate and work effectively to a professional standard;
- Demonstrate analytical and problem solving skills associated with effective practice;
- Engage in the application of frameworks and techniques in organisational settings.