



Murdoch University

# Law & Criminology

UNDERGRADUATE COURSES 2022



*Free your think*



When you're

# thinking for yourself

there's no limit  
to what you  
might achieve.

## Acknowledgement of Country

Murdoch University acknowledges the Whadjuk people of the Noongar nation as the traditional custodians of this country and its waters and that Murdoch University stands on Noongar Country.

Murdoch University pays its respects to Noongar elders past and present and acknowledges their wisdom and advice in teaching and cultural knowledge activities.

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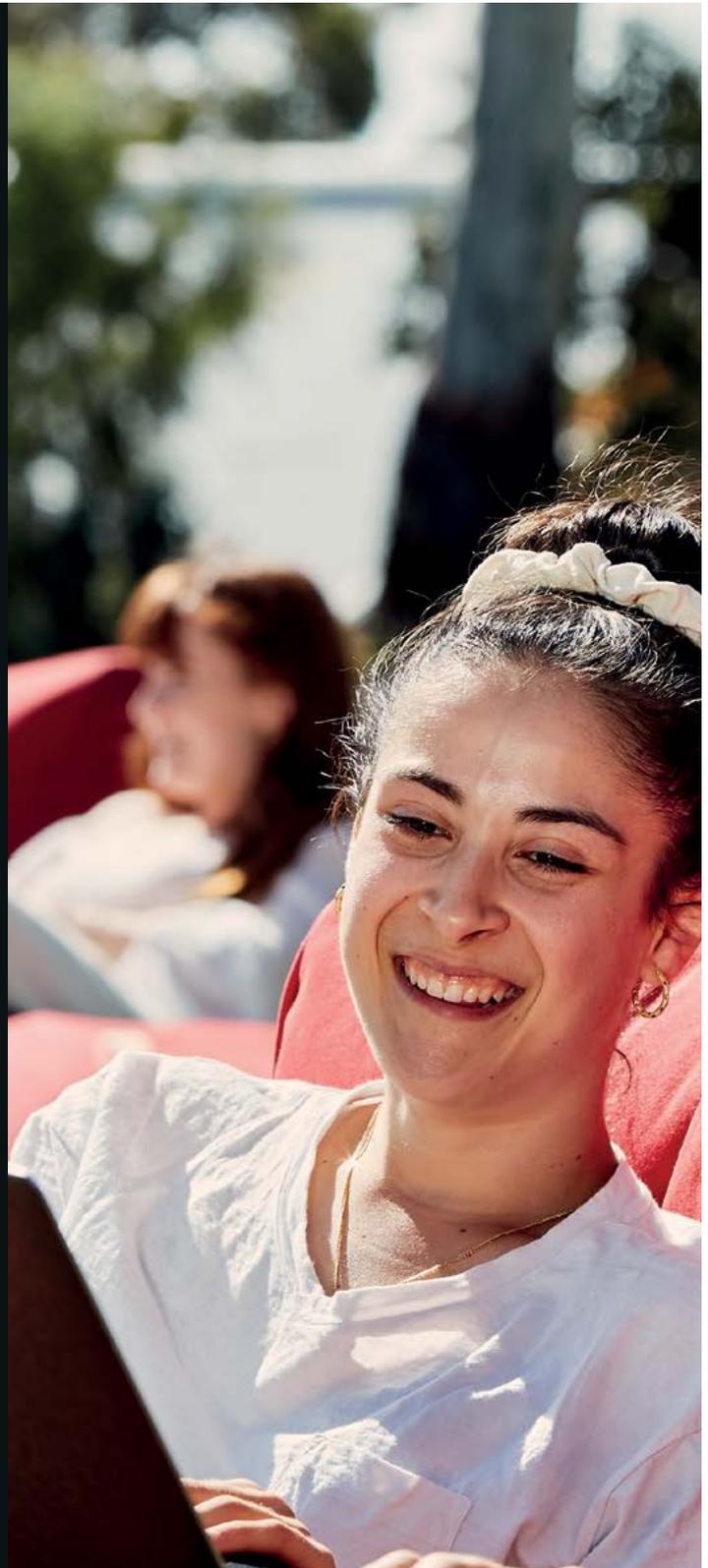
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# The **Murdoch** difference

Ask anyone who's studied here:  
there's something special **about Murdoch.**

Murdoch is a place where you can be yourself and be appreciated for who you truly are. It's the kind of place where the lecturers know you by name, and down-to-earth students wave to you across the lawns of Bush Court. We are honoured to welcome staff and students who come from all walks of life.

Whether you want to change the whole world, some of the world, or just your world, our extensive range of courses and hands-on learning facilities will equip you with the skills you need. But the most important thing you'll learn here? To think freely, and to think for yourself.

We don't follow the crowd, and neither do our students. Thousands of free-thinking students have graduated from Murdoch and made their mark on the world. When you're thinking for yourself, there's no limit to what you might achieve.

Free thinking has always been at the heart of Murdoch and continues to steer us towards activities that truly matter. We're different, and we're proud of it.

**Welcome to our vibrant community.**



**5 star rating**

for overall undergraduate experience,  
student support and for teaching quality

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in Western Australia

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The best of  
**Law &  
Criminology**

### BENEFIT FROM REAL-WORLD LEGAL EDUCATION

Don't wait until you graduate to gain hands-on experience in a real legal setting. You can benefit from clinics at Murdoch to develop your legal skills and deepen your knowledge of the law in context, while providing vital legal services to the community.

Our 20+ year partnership with SCALES Community Legal Centre means you can work on real cases, gaining invaluable experience before you graduate. You will have the opportunity to research and formulate advice for real clients, under the supervision of a qualified solicitor and teaching staff.

We also collaborate with the Aboriginal Family Law Service, offering services to rural and remote Indigenous women experiencing family violence.

### JOIN ONE OF THE LARGEST AND MOST SUCCESSFUL LAW MOOTING PROGRAMS IN WA

The Murdoch Mooting Program is a high quality and innovative program that provides you with the opportunity to develop your practical legal skills in a real-world setting.

You could take part in simulated court proceedings, as well as local, national and international mooting competitions. Our teams hone their skills in our Herbert Smith Freehills Moot Court, which is set up just like a real courtroom, and they compete in more competitions than any other law school in the state.

### WORK FOR REAL CLIENTS TO BUILD YOUR CV

Prepare yourself for the workforce and gain valuable experience while working with our industry placement Work Integrated Learning program. You could work with some of Western Australia's and Australia's leading businesses, government departments, city and shire offices, law firms and not-for-profit organisations.

You could even be offered employment by the organisation you work with.

### LEARN FROM LEADING CRIMINOLOGY ACADEMICS WITH REAL-WORLD EXPERIENCE

Studying a Bachelor of Criminology at Murdoch means you'll gain the knowledge and expertise needed to succeed in a criminology, social justice or a cognitive career.

You'll engage in interactive experiences and learn from leading academics who previously treated notorious prisoners on the inside, worked on cold-cases and with agencies like the FBI or worked in policing and interrogation.



#### 5 star rating

for student support in Law  
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#### Accredited

for undergraduate law degree  
in Australia, Malaysia  
and India



#### Strong job growth

for criminologists  
JOB OUTLOOK 2021

Bachelor of  
**Criminology**  
in **Criminal  
Behaviour**



## Combat crime to make the world a safer place.

Does the thought of examining crime and understanding why offenders commit crime excite you?

Studying a Bachelor of Criminology in Criminal Behaviour will give you exposure to many areas of criminology, including policing and crime prevention and child crime to criminal psychology and law. You'll be taught by leading crime experts and have the opportunity to challenge common perceptions of crime with insights into why people commit offences and how to help both victims and offenders involved in the criminal justice system.

Interested in a crime-fighting career?

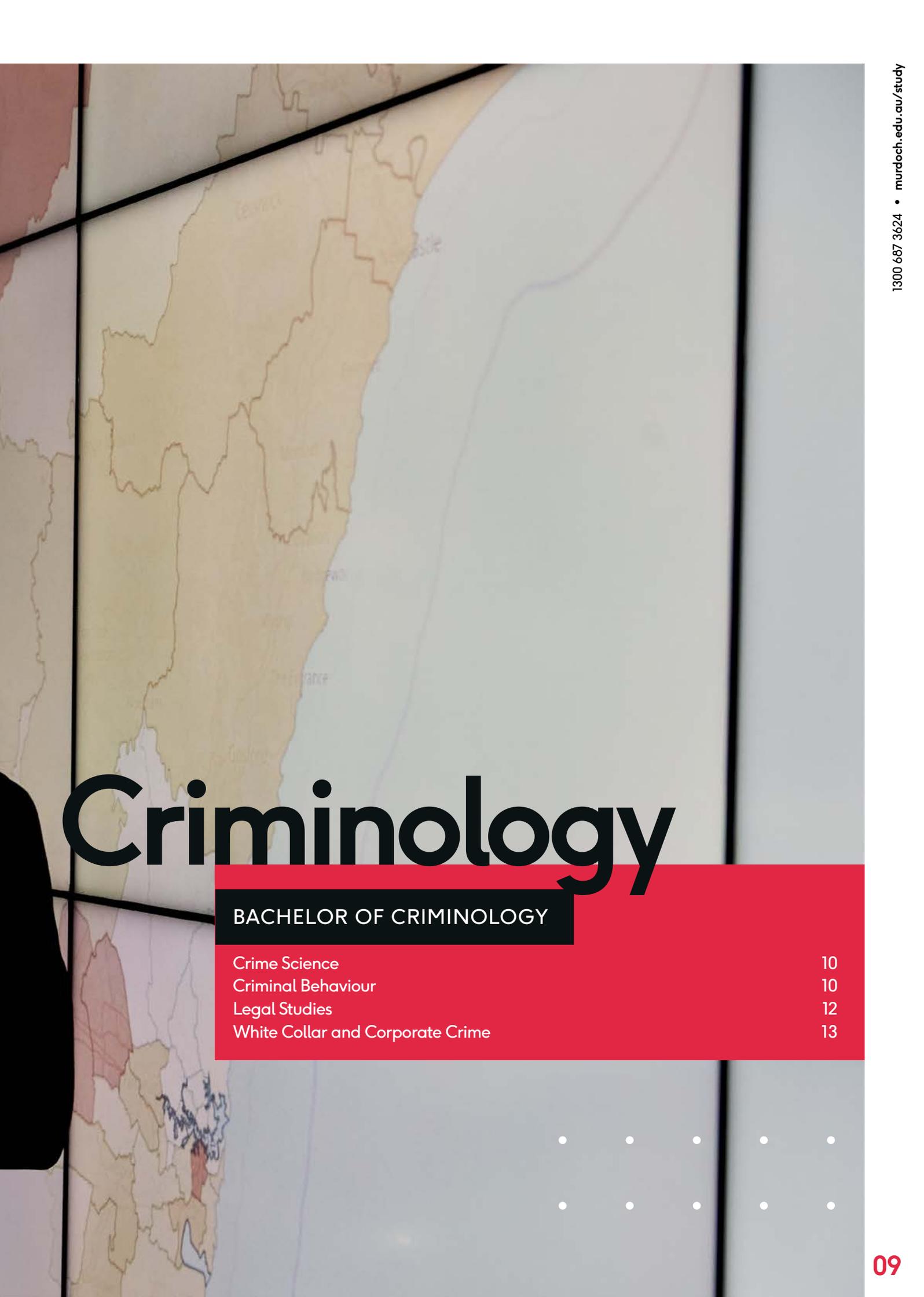
Learn more about Criminal Behaviour on page 10.

## Why study Criminal behaviour at Murdoch?

- 1. Learn with hands-on criminology work.** You'll engage in interactive experiences and learn alongside leading academics in their field, including Associate Professor Guy Hall, who previously treated notorious prisoners on the inside.
- 2. Graduate industry ready.** Develop your career skills, create change or opportunity and increase your professional network through real-world learning experiences over a minimum of 40 hours.
- 3. Work on real-life crime cases.** The Cold Case Review at Murdoch initiative could see you review large volumes of Open Source Intelligence (OSINT) relating to specific cases and provide recommendations to law enforcement or families on new avenues for enquiry.

• Examine  
• crime from  
• a range of  
• perspectives





# Criminology

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## Crime Science

### If you want to...

1. Study at the only university in Australia to offer this course.
2. Analyse crime problems and work with law and forensics to propose targeted problem-solving strategies.
3. Build your network from within our Law, Forensics and Criminology disciplines making use of our strong ties to the Western Australian legal and forensics community.

### As a Crime Science student you will...

- Learn about what can cause growing crime rates and look closely at the “who, what, when, where, why” and how offences are committed.
- Explore the areas of science that can lead to solving and preventing crime.
- Examine how crime hotspots are identified.
- Learn how data can identify and create opportunities for early intervention strategies.
- Explore the value of scientific methods in the analysis of crime trends and the difficulties faced by police forces in protecting the community.

### You'll learn

Forensic anatomy and anthropology, forensic science and miscarriages of justice, advanced criminology, crime science and international and transnational crimes.

### Where it will take you

You will set yourself up for a career in the criminal justice system. Your future career options could include:

- Federal or State Security and Law Enforcement Officer
- Crime Prevention Officer
- Criminologist
- Community Correction Officer
- Juvenile Justice Officer

### What you need to know...

#### BACHELOR OF CRIMINOLOGY

TISC Code MUCCS	Course Code B1345
Duration 3 years	Selection Rank* 70
Intake Semester 1 and 2	Recommended ATAR Subjects N/A

\*Minimum Selection Rank required for consideration

## Criminal Behaviour

### If you want to...

1. Challenge common perceptions of crime with insights into why people commit offences and how to reduce or prevent crime.
2. Develop research methodologies to take an evidenced-based approach.
3. Develop analytical, creative and conceptual thinking to investigate social and crime problems from a criminal behaviour perspective.

### As a Criminal Behaviour student you will...

- Learn to challenge common perceptions of crime as you investigate why people commit offences, how to reduce or prevent crime, and how to help both victims and offenders.
- Examine punishment as a solution to crime while also considering the role of treatment as a response to criminal behaviour and the importance of reintegration.
- Explore criminal behaviour from a social, psychological, biological and legal perspective.

### You'll learn

Criminal behaviour, psychology and law, children and crime, policing and crime prevention, culture, diversity and crime.

### Where it will take you

You could work in the criminal justice system in a range of roles in Australia or overseas. Your future career options could include:

- Community Correction or Liaison Officer
- Juvenile Justice or Youth Officer
- Criminologist
- Police Officer
- Research Officer

### What you need to know...

#### BACHELOR OF CRIMINOLOGY

TISC Code MUCCB	Course Code B1345
Duration 3 years	Selection Rank* 70
Intake Semester 1 and 2	Recommended ATAR Subjects N/A

\*Minimum Selection Rank required for consideration

Learn from  
criminology expert

# David Keatley



**David Keatley is a Criminologist specialising in understanding complex sequences of criminal behaviours.**

He is an expert in behaviour sequence analysis related to serial homicide, sexual assault, false confessions, terrorism and cold cases. Dr Keatley collaborates with researchers and law enforcement agencies on cold case investigations all over the world, alongside working at Murdoch as a criminology lecturer. He has worked on many well-known cases, including one where he applied his behaviour sequence analysis technique to transcripts of the interrogation of Brendan Dassey, whose convictions were examined in the famous Netflix documentary series, *Making a Murderer*.



“ I came across Murdoch while looking into universities that offered psychology in Australia. After some research, I realised that Murdoch is well known for their criminology degree. After stumbling across the combined degree in criminology and psychology, I was certain that Murdoch was the place for me.

I love that my degree allows me to combine my interests of crime investigations and psychology. I get to learn and understand how humans think and function and what stressors drive them towards committing crime. Every time I sit down to study, I come across something interesting and learn something new. ”

**NIKITA BAMB**

**BACHELOR OF CRIMINOLOGY (CRIME SCIENCE)/BACHELOR OF ARTS (PSYCHOLOGY)**

## Legal Studies

### If you want to...

1. Learn how you can make a difference in the world when it comes to issues of human trafficking, crimes against humanity, and social and welfare law.
2. Develop strong ties with the Western Australian legal and business communities.
3. Challenge the way you think about the world as you explore the legal system and how it shapes society.

### As a Legal Studies student you will...

- Gain an understanding of various legal issues and how to apply this knowledge in different justice contexts.
- Learn how the law interacts with other areas, taking units in criminology as you study the foundations of business law.
- Gain skills in dispute resolution through role play and interactive activities.
- Learn a variety of dispute resolution processes including negotiation, conciliation, mediation and arbitration.
- Investigate the interactions between law, crime, frameworks in societies and the various social groupings within society.

### You'll learn

Social and welfare law, criminological research methods, alternative dispute resolution, international and transnational crimes, law, justice and social policy.

### Where it will take you

You will be set up for a career in the criminal justice system.

Your future career options could include:

- Community Correction Officer
- Juvenile Justice Officer
- Criminologist
- Paralegal Officer
- Court Administrator

### What you need to know...

#### BACHELOR OF CRIMINOLOGY

TISC Code  
MUCLS

Course Code  
B1345

Duration  
3 years

Selection Rank\*  
70

Intake  
Semester 1 and 2

Recommended ATAR Subjects  
N/A

*\*Minimum Selection Rank required for consideration*

# White Collar and Corporate Crime

## If you want to...

1. **Change the way you think about the world and big business.**
2. **Work with local, national or international organisations on real projects as part of our Work Integrated Learning program.**
3. **Follow in the footsteps of other Murdoch students who have worked on real cold cases and travelled overseas to work with governments in post-war zones.**

## As a White Collar and Corporate Crime student you will...

- Examine case studies on embezzlement, insider trading, environmental crimes and more.
- Explore what causes criminal behaviour by a person or organisation and how these behaviours can be prevented.
- Explore the social, economic and political impact of corporate crime and understand the role of regulatory agencies in detecting and preventing crimes.
- Gain valuable research, technical and communication skills as you conduct your own case research.
- Learn how to investigate digital crime scenes using cyber forensics to detect criminal activity.

## You'll learn

Policing and crime prevention, white collar crime, cyber forensics and IT, server environments and architectures, and criminal behaviour.

## Where it will take you

You will be set up for a career in the criminal justice system.

Your future career options could include:

- Financial Forensics Officer
- Risk Management Officer
- Fraud Investigator
- National Security Officer
- Cybercrime Analyst

## What you need to know...

### BACHELOR OF CRIMINOLOGY

TISC Code MUCWC	Course Code B1345
Duration 3 years	Selection Rank* 70
Intake Semester 1 and 2	Recommended ATAR Subjects N/A

*\*Minimum Selection Rank required for consideration*



Gain hands-on training  
in our nationally  
acclaimed clinical  
program



# Law

## BACHELOR OF LAWS

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# Become a practising lawyer in 4 steps

## Step 1.

Meet the admission requirements for entry into your chosen law degree



Including the LLB, LLB combined with another degree or LLB (Graduate).

If you are applying through TISC, make Murdoch Law your first preference.

## Step 2.

Get accepted and complete your law degree at Murdoch



You'll get practical real-world experience through our clinical programs, mooting and work integrated learning opportunities.

## Step 3.

Complete your Practical Legal Training (PLT)



PLT is a structured training program designed to help you develop the practical, day-to-day skills you will need as an entry-level lawyer. Completion of PLT is needed to officially admit you into the legal profession in Australia.

## Step 4.

Apply for admission to practice



Once you have completed your PLT you can then apply for admission into practice. This is the final step in your transition to a career as a lawyer.



“ There were a few reasons for choosing Murdoch. Firstly, I loved the campus, particularly the bushland and secondly, it was the only university that offered such a diverse range of degrees in relation to sustainability and development courses. I was drawn to the human rights and sustainability elements that permeate almost all the courses at Murdoch.

I have never felt like a number to any of my lecturers. All my lecturers have genuinely cared about my learning experience and have been willing to work flexibly to accommodate different student needs. To know that your lecturers are supporting you every step of the way makes a huge difference. ”

**LAUREN HODSON**

**BACHELOR OF LAWS/  
BACHELOR OF ARTS (INTERNATIONAL  
AID AND DEVELOPMENT)**

## Law

### If you want to...

1. Join Western Australia's largest and most successful mooting program.
2. Earn credit towards your degree with hands-on legal training in our award-winning clinic working with real clients in areas such as human rights, family law and Indigenous issues.
3. Shape your degree to suit your specific career goals and aspirations.

### As a Law student you will...

- Develop strong real-life legal skills through our clinical program with partners such as SCALES Community Legal Centre.
- Work on real cases with real clients and get new insight into the legal system.
- Develop your reasoning skills in our internationally-recognised mooting program. Mooting is a simulated court proceeding where you will be presented with a legal problem and argue it before a 'judge' in our purpose-built courtroom.
- Take the opportunity to prepare for the future world of legal work by studying cutting edge areas such as cybercrime and forensics.
- Be able to complete this degree in just four years or sooner by taking advantage of our summer and winter intensive schedule.

### You'll learn

Law required for admission to legal practice and be able to select from a broad range of law electives such as human rights law, family law and commercial law.

### Want to be recognised?

The Bachelor of Laws degree meets the educational requirements of the Legal Practice Board of Western Australia for admission as a practising lawyer. If you would like to become a practising lawyer, you can complete your practical legal training on campus thanks to our partnerships with Leo Cussen and College of Law.

This degree is accredited by the Ministry of Law in Singapore, the Malaysian Bar Council and the Indian Bar Council.

### Where it will take you

Studying law can lead to a career in any area or industry, from navigating human rights to exploring emerging fields such as artificial intelligence. You could work in the public or private sector, fighting for the rights of those who are disadvantaged or unfairly treated, and creating a better society. Your future career options could include:

- Solicitor
- Barrister
- Roles in Federal, State or Local government
- Legal Advisor in the corporate sector or a community legal centre
- Legal Analyst

### What you need to know...

#### BACHELOR OF LAWS

TISC Code MULAW	Course Code B1395
Duration 4 years	Selection Rank* 90
Intake Semester 1 and 2	Recommended ATAR Subjects N/A

*\*Minimum Selection Rank required for consideration*

# Law - Graduate Entry

## If you want to...

1. **Get work experience through our Work Integrated Learning program and intern at real law firms, organisations and clinics.**
2. **Change career and already have an undergraduate degree, you will be able to complete this degree in just three years.**
3. **Earn credit towards your degree with hands-on legal training in our award-winning clinic working with real clients.**

## As a Law - Graduate Entry student you will...

- Benefit from the same opportunities as other Law students and gain an understanding of the Australian legal system and specialist areas of law.
- Develop strong real-life legal skills through our clinical program with partners such as SCALES Community Legal Centre, where you'll work on real cases with clients.
- Develop your reasoning skills in our internationally-recognised mooting program.
- Be able to complete your practical legal training (PLT) on campus thanks to our partnerships with Leo Cussen and College of Law.

## You'll learn

Law required for admission to legal practice and be able to select from a broad range of law electives such as human rights law, family law and commercial law.

## Want to be recognised?

The Bachelor of Laws degree meets the educational requirements of the Legal Practice Board of Western Australia for admission as a practising lawyer. If you would like to become a practising lawyer, you can complete your practical legal training on campus thanks to our partnerships with Leo Cussen and College of Law.

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- Barrister
- Roles in Federal, State or Local government
- Legal Advisor in the corporate sector or a community legal centre
- Legal Analyst

## What you need to know...

### BACHELOR OF LAWS

TISC Code MULGL	Course Code B1340
Duration 3 years	Selection Rank* N/A
Intake Semester 1 and 2	Recommended ATAR Subjects N/A

*\*Minimum Selection Rank required for consideration*

To learn more about our Law admission pathways such as LAW START and Pre-Law visit page 43.



• Tailor your skillset  
to suit your career



# Combined degrees

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## Bachelor of Criminology/ Bachelor of Arts (Psychology)

### If you want to...

1. **Build your network from within our Law, Psychology and Criminology disciplines, making use of our strong ties to the Western Australian legal, psychology and business communities.**
2. **Use real local data on local crime to generate hypotheses about crime patterns and trends.**
3. **Graduate with two qualifications, a unique skillset and even more career opportunities.**

### As a Criminology and Arts (Psychology) student you will...

- Examine crime from a range of perspectives – including law, sociology and psychology – as you learn how to reduce and prevent crime, and help both victims and offenders in the criminal justice system.
- Explore how the mind works, why people commit offences and what can be done to rehabilitate them.
- By combining your Psychology degree with a Bachelor of Criminology, you'll build your expertise in the social and developmental areas of psychology, and complete a unit in Family Relations and Social Development.

### You'll learn

Criminal behaviour, international and transnational crimes, psychological science, cultural psychology, and psychology and law.

### Want to be recognised?

The Bachelor of Arts in Psychology is accredited by the Australian Psychology Accreditation Council (APAC).

### Where it will take you

This course will give you a combination of skills and specialised knowledge. Your future career options could include:

- Crime Journalist
- Crime Prevention Officer
- Community Correction or Juvenile Justice Officer
- Court Administrator
- Paralegal Officer

### What you need to know...

TISC Code MUCAP	Course Code B1347
Duration 4 years	Selection Rank* 70
Intake Semester 1 and 2	Recommended ATAR Subjects N/A

*\*Minimum Selection Rank required for consideration*

# Bachelor of Criminology/ Bachelor of Communication

## If you want to...

1. Advance your creative thinking and communication skills as you learn to investigate social problems and crime from a criminal behaviour perspective.
2. Work with organisations on real projects as part of your Communication degree through our Work Integrated Learning program.
3. Get more real-world experience in our on campus student creative consultancy MESH.

## As a Criminology and Communication student you will...

- Gain a broad range of skills and ways of thinking that will really give you a competitive edge in your career.
- Investigate criminal behaviour, the science behind crime and legal studies.
- Be able to customise your degree to suit your interests – and your career aspirations. With your Bachelor of Criminology, you can choose to major in Legal Studies, Criminal Behaviour, Crime Science or White Collar and Corporate Crime.
- Be able to major in Journalism, Strategic Communication or Global Media and Communication.

## You'll learn

Crime scene investigation, children and crime, communication strategy and planning, broadcasting and digital news gathering and communicating global issues.

## Where it will take you

This course will give you a combination of skills and specialised knowledge which will expand your career options. Your future career options could include:

- Crime Journalist
- Crime Prevention Officer
- Community Correction or Juvenile Justice Officer
- Court Administrator
- Paralegal Officer

## What you need to know...

TISC Code MUCBC	Course Code B1362
Duration 4 years	Selection Rank* 70
Intake Semester 1 and 2	Recommended ATAR Subjects N/A

*\*Minimum Selection Rank required for consideration*

## Bachelor of Criminology/ Bachelor of Global Security

### If you want to...

1. Study a course that is not offered anywhere else in Australia.
2. Travel to Indonesia for a semester as part of our Study Indonesia Australian Consortium for 'In-Country' Indonesian Studies program.
3. Explore a range of perspectives on issues including interpersonal violence, political violence and transnational crime.

### As a Criminology and Global Security student you will...

- Learn to build the expertise in criminology and security you need to help tackle today's global concerns.
- Learn what causes growing crime rates, what goes on behind criminal minds and behaviours, and discover how the legal system shapes our society.
- Delve into the history and causes of terrorism, how it affects society and what can be done about it.

### You'll learn

International and transnational crimes, psychology and law, social and welfare law, understanding international politics, and United States policies and global security.

### Where it will take you

Across the world, organisations are facing more dangerous and varied security threats than ever before. When you graduate, your career opportunities could include working in the intelligence services, Australian Defence Force, and state and federal government agencies. Your future career options could include:

- Criminologist
- Customs and Protections Officer
- Defence Force Officer
- Immigration and Citizenship Officer
- State and Federal Law Enforcement Officer
- Intelligence Services (private or public)
- Border Force Officer

### What you need to know...

TISC Code MUCGS	Course Code B1366
Duration 4 years	Selection Rank* 70
Intake Semester 1 and 2	Recommended ATAR Subjects N/A

*\*Minimum Selection Rank required for consideration*

# Bachelor of Criminology/ Bachelor of Science (Forensic Biology and Toxicology)

## If you want to...

1. Study the only course of its kind in Western Australia.
2. Study analytical techniques for toxicology in our state-of-the-art laboratory, which is part of the Australian National Phenome Centre.
3. Learn the latest real-world techniques and policies, with course input and guest lectures by forensic experts.

## As a Criminology and Science (Forensic Biology and Toxicology) student you will...

- Apply DNA sequencing and other forensic techniques from the lab to simulated crime scenes.
- Learn about a range of forensic disciplines including forensic palynology, the pathology of asphyxiation, electrocution, gunshot wounds and fatal fire injuries, as well as how to recognise blunt and sharp force injuries and the weapons that cause them.
- Explore the motivations and patterns of criminal behaviour in Australia, the science that helps solve major crime, and how our justice system works in Australia.

## You'll learn

Crime scene investigation, children and crime, forensic DNA analysis, forensic anatomy, and anthropology and forensic toxicology.

## Where it will take you

This combined degree will set you up for a career in either the criminal justice system or forensics. Your future career options could include:

- Criminologist
- Forensic Investigator or Scientist
- Laboratory Analyst
- State or Federal Police Law Enforcement Officer
- Intelligence Officer
- Health Department or Hospital Researcher

## What you need to know...

TISC Code MUCBS	Course Code B1360
Duration 4 years	Selection Rank* 70
Intake Semester 1 and 2	Recommended ATAR Subjects Chemistry, Mathematics Applications

*\*Minimum Selection Rank required for consideration*

## Bachelor of Laws/ Bachelor of Arts

### If you want to...

1. **Get work experience through our Work Integrated Learning program which allows you to intern at local and international organisations.**
2. **Join Western Australia's largest and most successful mooting program, competing across Australia and the world.**
3. **Gain a competitive edge in your law career by allowing you to specialise in areas such as politics.**

### As a Law and Arts student, you will...

- Hone your communication and problem-solving skills.
- Learn professional presentation skills, media liaison and language skills, with the option to explore policies and international relations.
- Create an e-portfolio to showcase your work to employers when you graduate.

### You'll learn

Criminal law and procedure, legal protection of international human rights, refugee and family law, introduction to mooting and an introduction to legal practice.

### Want to be recognised?

The Bachelor of Law degree meets the educational requirements of the Legal Practice Board of Western Australia for admission as a practising lawyer. If you would like to become a practising lawyer, you can complete your practical legal training on campus thanks to our partnerships with Leo Cussen and College of Law.

This degree is accredited by the Malaysian Bar Council and the Indian Bar Council.

### Where it will take you

Studying law in combination with arts can lead to a career in any area or industry, from navigating human rights to exploring emerging fields such as artificial intelligence. You could work in the public or private sector, fighting for the rights of those who are disadvantaged or unfairly treated, and creating a better society. Your future career options could include:

- Lawyer
- Solicitor or Barrister roles in Federal, State or Local government
- Ambassador
- Politician

### What you need to know...

TISC Code MULBA	Course Code B1370
Duration 5 years	Selection Rank* 90
Intake Semester 1 and 2	Recommended ATAR Subjects N/A

*\*Minimum Selection Rank required for consideration*

# Bachelor of Laws/ Bachelor of Arts (Psychology)

## If you want to...

3. Explore criminal behaviour, relationships and the workings of the human mind.
2. Develop analytical skills alongside contemporary scientific research methods.
3. Earn credit towards your degree with hands-on legal training in our award-winning clinic, working with real clients, in areas such as human rights, family law and Indigenous issues.

## As a Law and Arts (Psychology) student you will...

- Build special expertise in the social and developmental areas of psychology, and complete a unit in Family Relations and Social Development.
- Explore crime from a range of perspectives, including law, sociology and psychology and learn how to reduce or prevent crime and help both the victims and offenders involved in the criminal justice system.
- Examine leading-edge research and get opportunities for practical experience to explore how we make sense of ourselves.

## You'll learn

Trial advocacy, legal protection of international human rights, psychological science, cultural psychology and psychology and law.

## Want to be recognised?

The Bachelor of Laws (LLB) degree meets the educational requirements of the Legal Practice Board of Western Australia for admission as a practicing lawyer, and has specific pre-requisites for registration that you must meet to qualify for admission.

If you would like to become a practising lawyer, you can complete your practical legal training (known as PLT) on campus thanks to our partnerships with Leo Cussen and College of Law.

This degree is accredited by the Malaysian Bar Council and the Indian Bar Council.

The Bachelor of Arts in Psychology course is accredited by the Australian Psychology Accreditation Council (APAC). You could add a fourth year of study, such as our Graduate Diploma or Honours program, to be eligible for provisional registration with the Psychology Board of Australia.

## Where it will take you

You could work in a range of industries including business, health or other roles in Local, State and Federal government or non-governmental organisations. Your future career options could include:

- Lawyer
- Legal Practitioner
- Psychologist
- Human Resources or Marketing Officer
- Researcher

## What you need to know...

TISC Code MULAP	Course Code B1354
Duration 5 years	Selection Rank* 90
Intake Semester 1 and 2	Recommended ATAR Subjects N/A

\*Minimum Selection Rank required for consideration

## Bachelor of Laws/ Bachelor of Business

### If you want to...

1. **Get experience in the corporate world so you can have an understanding of how business works, allowing you to make better-informed decisions as a legal practitioner.**
2. **Build your network of contacts by becoming a member of professional bodies and associations through our industry connections.**
3. **Graduate with two qualifications, giving you a unique skillset.**

### As a Law and Business student you will...

- Develop an in-depth understanding of business strategy, management, analytics and many other areas.
- Gain a broader understanding of private and public corporations and their legal implications, giving you a competitive advantage in your career.
- Be able to specialise in areas such as Accounting, Business Law, Finance, Hospitality and Tourism Management, Human Resources Management, Management, and Marketing.

### You'll learn

Trial advocacy, legal protection of international human rights, foundations of accounting, business in society, transforming business.

### Want to be recognised?

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This degree is accredited by the Malaysian Bar Council and the Indian Bar Council.

### Where it will take you

You could work in a range of industries including business or other roles in Local, State and Federal government, non-governmental organisations or other areas as in-house counsel. Your future career options could include:

- Lawyer
- Legal Advisor in the corporate sector
- Legal Practitioner
- Commercial Lawyer
- Investment Lawyer

### What you need to know...

TISC Code MULBB	Course Code B1369
Duration 5 years	Selection Rank* 90
Intake Semester 1 and 2	Recommended ATAR Subjects Mathematics Applications

*\*Minimum Selection Rank required for consideration*



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“ I chose to study at Murdoch because my degree takes five years, which is a significant period of time. I knew university would be like my second home, and so I wanted to go to a university that felt like home. During open-day at Murdoch, the staff were friendly and warm. I loved that everyone I met was so easy going and homely. As a country kid, I love nature and I liked how Murdoch was very green and had so much natural flora.

I have always had an interest in law and a passion for helping others. I like the combination of criminology and law because criminology provides the background information into offending, which will make me a better lawyer in the long run. ”

**JESSICA RANDELL**

**BACHELOR OF LAWS  
/BACHELOR OF CRIMINOLOGY  
(CRIMINAL BEHAVIOUR)**

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## Bachelor of Laws/ Bachelor of Communication

### If you want to...

1. **Get work experience through our Work Integrated Learning program which allows you to intern at local and international organisations.**
2. **Join Western Australia's largest mooted program, competing across Australia and the world.**
3. **Earn credit towards your degree with hands-on legal training in our award-winning clinic.**

### As a Law and Communication student you will...

- Learn the skills to make you a great communicator, whether you're presenting evidence in a court of law or meeting with your clients.
- Gain valuable skills to use in your future career, including presentation skills, media liaison, broadcasting, writing, news media, public affairs, advocacy and more.
- Be able to specialise in journalism, strategic communication or global media and communication.

### You'll learn

Criminal law and procedure, refugee and family law, how to communicate global issues, media audiences, governance and globalisation, digital media skills.

### Want to be recognised?

The Bachelor of Laws degree meets the educational requirements of the Legal Practice Board of Western Australia for admission as a practising lawyer. If you would like to become a practising lawyer, you can complete your practical legal training on campus thanks to our partnerships with Leo Cussen and College of Law.

This degree is accredited by the Malaysian Bar Council and the Indian Bar Council.

### Where it will take you

Studying law in combination with communication can lead to a career in any area or industry, from navigating human rights to pursuing a career in politics. You could work in the public or private sector, fighting for the rights of those who are disadvantaged or unfairly treated, and creating a better society. Your future career options could include:

- Lawyer
- Solicitor or Barrister
- Corporate Communicator
- Ambassador
- Politician

### What you need to know...

<b>TISC Code</b> MULCM	<b>Course Code</b> B1353
<b>Duration</b> 5 years	<b>Selection Rank*</b> 90
<b>Intake</b> Semester 1 and 2	<b>Recommended ATAR Subjects</b> N/A

*\*Minimum Selection Rank required for consideration*

# Bachelor of Laws/ Bachelor of Criminology

## If you want to...

1. Understand why people commit offences, how to reduce or prevent crime, and how to help both victims and offenders.
2. Challenge common perceptions of crime.
3. Graduate with two qualifications, enhancing your career prospects and learning to work across different industries.

## As a Law and Criminology student you will...

- Examine crime from a range of perspectives, including law, sociology and psychology and learn how to reduce or prevent crime, and help both the victims and offenders involved in the criminal justice system.
- Be able to specialise in criminal behaviour, crime science or white collar and corporate crime.

## You'll learn

Criminal law and procedure, legal protection of international human rights, international and transnational crimes and criminal behaviour.

## Want to be recognised?

The Bachelor of Laws degree meets the educational requirements of the Legal Practice Board of Western Australia for admission as a practising lawyer. If you would like to become a practising lawyer, you can complete your practical legal training on campus thanks to our partnerships with Leo Cussen and College of Law.

This degree is accredited by the Malaysian Bar Council and the Indian Bar Council.

## Where it will take you

Studying law in combination with criminology can lead to a career in any area or industry, from navigating human rights to pursuing a career in the police force. You could work in the public or private sector, fighting for the rights of those who are disadvantaged or unfairly treated, and creating a better society. Your future career options could include:

- Lawyer
- Criminologist
- Federal or State Security and Law Enforcement Officer
- Crime Prevention Officer
- Financial Forensics Officer

## What you need to know...

TISC Code MULCR	Course Code B1346
Duration 5 years	Selection Rank* 90
Intake Semester 1 and 2	Recommended ATAR Subjects N/A

*\*Minimum Selection Rank required for consideration*

## Bachelor of Laws/ Bachelor of Global Security

### If you want to...

1. Study a combined degree that is not offered anywhere else in Australia.
2. Work on real cases in collaboration with our SCALES Community Legal Clinic, simulate court proceedings through our mooted program.
3. Learn how to address some of the world's biggest security challenges.

### As a Law and Global Security student you will...

- Explore the complex causes of terrorism, how it is shaping the world, and what can be done about it.
- Develop a deeper understanding of the security challenges of the Indo-Pacific region (including Australia) and potential solutions in the form of counterterrorism.
- Gain a new perspective on a range of domestic and global issues, and how the law and policies change in response to these issues.

### You'll learn

Trial advocacy, legal protection of international human rights, refugee law, terrorism in a globalised world and Middle East politics and security.

### Want to be recognised?

The Bachelor of Laws degree meets the educational requirements of the Legal Practice Board of Western Australia for admission as a practising lawyer. If you would like to become a practising lawyer, you can complete your practical legal training on campus thanks to our partnerships with Leo Cussen and College of Law.

This degree is accredited by the Malaysian Bar Council and the Indian Bar Council.

### Where it will take you

Across the world, organisations are facing more dangerous and varied security threats than ever before. When you graduate with a combined degree in Laws and Global Security, you could pursue a wide range of career opportunities in the intelligence services, the legal sector, and in state and national government departments. Your future career options could include:

- Intelligence Services (private or public)
- Lawyer
- Legal Practitioner
- Security Analyst
- Customs and Protections Officer
- Defence Force or Border Force Officer
- State and Federal Law Enforcement Officer

### What you need to know...

TISC Code MULGS	Course Code B1365
Duration 5 years	Selection Rank* 90
Intake Semester 1 and 2	Recommended ATAR Subjects N/A

*\*Minimum Selection Rank required for consideration*

# Bachelor of Laws/ Bachelor of Information Technology

## If you want to...

1. Study a degree that has been designed in collaboration with our industry advisors and clients.
2. Specialise in technology-related fields such as cyber-security, organisational systems design, application design and development or artificial intelligence (AI).
3. Benefit from our strong ties to the law and IT industry.

## As a Law and Information Technology student you will...

- Take a hands-on approach to the law, develop strong real-life legal skills through our clinical program and develop your reasoning skills in our internationally recognised mooted program.
- Practice law in a range of complex IT settings and have the opportunity to take part in project-based units and solve problems for real clients.
- Explore theory, methods and systems used in the IT industry and will acquire strong analytical, research, design and technology skills combined with a very strong understanding of software design and programming.

## You'll learn

Australian legal system, legal and policy issues, frameworks and principles of law, ethical issues, abstraction and systems thinking and design and decision-making methodologies.

## Want to be recognised?

The Bachelor of Laws (LLB) degree meets the educational requirements of the Legal Practice Board of Western Australia for admission as a practising lawyer. If you would like to become a practising lawyer, you can complete your practical legal training (known as PLT) on campus thanks to our partnerships with Leo Cussen and College of Law.

This degree is accredited by the Malaysian Bar Council and the Indian Bar Council.

## Where it will take you

A law degree is the passport to a career in any industry, as well as being a required qualification for legal practice. IT is of fundamental importance and graduates with an IT qualification will continue to be highly employable in the future. Your future career options could include:

- Legal Practitioner (Solicitor and/or Barrister)
- Legal Analyst
- IT Specialist
- Cyber Security Analyst
- Data Analyst
- Business/Systems Analyst
- Software Architect
- Information Systems Manager
- AI Specialist
- Management

## What you need to know...

<b>TISC Code</b> MULIT	<b>Course Code</b> B1398
<b>Duration</b> 5 years	<b>Selection Rank*</b> 90
<b>Intake</b> Semester 1 and 2	<b>Recommended ATAR Subjects</b> Mathematics Applications

*\*Minimum Selection Rank required for consideration*

## Bachelor of Laws/ Bachelor of Science

### If you want to...

1. Explore a degree which has you add a scientific specialisation to your law degree.
2. Graduate with two qualifications, a unique skillset and even more career opportunities.
3. Travel while you earn credit towards your law degree, with opportunities to study in Italy, Switzerland, India or take on an internship in Germany.

### As a Law and Science student you will...

- Develop the kind of observation, analysis and reasoning skills that will give you a competitive edge in your career.
- Be able to specialise in Forensic Biology and Toxicology, Environmental Science or Environmental Management and Sustainability.

### You'll learn

The legal protection of international human rights, water and earth science, forensic DNA analysis, environmental restoration, and global and regional sustainability.

### Want to be recognised?

The Bachelor of Laws degree meets the educational requirements of the Legal Practice Board of Western Australia for admission as a practising lawyer. If you would like to become a practising lawyer, you can complete your practical legal training on campus thanks to our partnerships with Leo Cussen and College of Law.

This degree is accredited by the Malaysian Bar Council and the Indian Bar Council.

### Where it will take you

A combination of law and science degrees will give you the skills, knowledge and ways of thinking you need to pursue a wide range of rewarding careers across many industries. Your future career options could include:

- Defence Lawyer
- Restoration Ecologist
- Forensic Investigator
- Crime Scene Officer
- Atmospheric or Climate Change Scientist

### What you need to know...

<b>TISC Code</b> MULBS	<b>Course Code</b> B1324
<b>Duration</b> 5 years	<b>Selection Rank*</b> 90
<b>Intake</b> Semester 1 and 2	<b>Recommended ATAR Subjects</b> Biology or Human Biology, Chemistry, Mathematics Applications or Methods, Physics

*\*Minimum Selection Rank required for consideration*

# Bachelor of Laws/ Bachelor of Science (Psychology)

## If you want to...

1. **Develop analytical skills alongside contemporary scientific research methods for investigating human minds and behaviour.**
2. **Get valuable work experience through our Work Integrated Learning program which allows you to intern at real law firms and clinics.**
3. **Become a registered Psychologist.**

## As a Law and Science (Psychology) student you will...

- Examine crime from a range of perspectives, including law, sociology and psychology and learn how to reduce or prevent crime and help both the victims and offenders involved in the criminal justice system.
- Have the chance to study psychology along with other subjects in science. You can build special expertise in your final year with a unit in Cognitive Neuroscience.

## You'll learn

Trial advocacy, legal protection of international human rights, psychological science, cultural psychology and psychology & law.

## Want to be recognised?

The Bachelor of Laws degree meets the educational requirements of the Legal Practice Board of Western Australia for admission as a practising lawyer. If you would like to become a practising lawyer, you can complete your practical legal training on campus thanks to our partnerships with Leo Cussen and College of Law.

This degree is accredited by the Malaysian Bar Council and the Indian Bar Council.

The Bachelor of Science in Psychology course is accredited by the Australian Psychology Accreditation Council. You could add a fourth year of study, such as our Graduate Diploma or Honours program, to be eligible for provisional registration with the Psychology Board of Australia.

## Where it will take you

Studying law can lead to a career in any area or industry, from navigating human rights to exploring emerging fields such as artificial intelligence. Your future career options could include:

- Lawyer
- Legal Practitioner
- Psychologist
- Human Resources or Marketing Officer
- Researcher

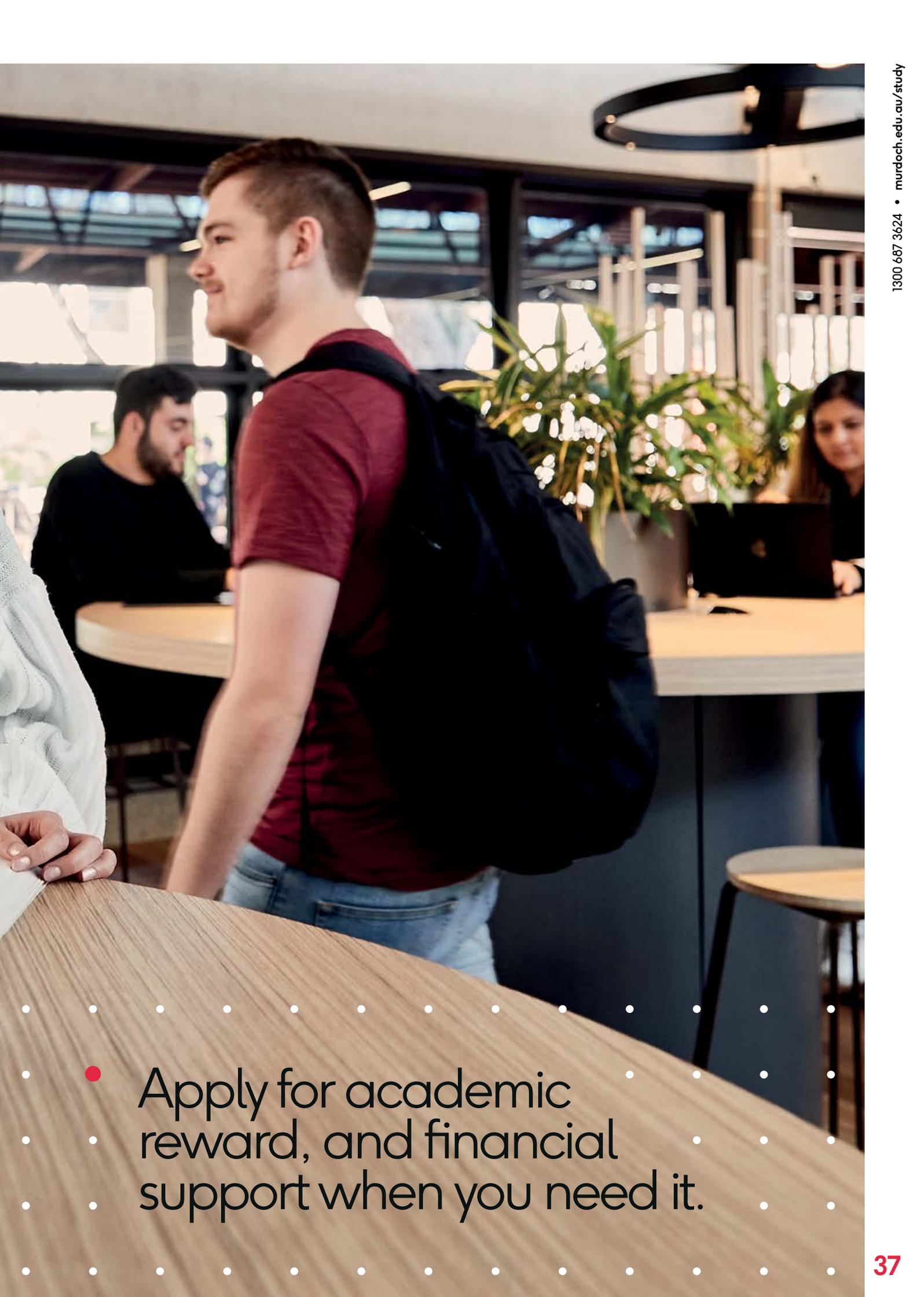
## What you need to know...

<b>TISC Code</b> MULSP	<b>Course Code</b> B1355
<b>Duration</b> 5 years	<b>Selection Rank*</b> 90
<b>Intake</b> Semester 1 and 2	<b>Recommended ATAR Subjects</b> Biology or Human Biology, Chemistry, Mathematics Applications or Methods, Physics

*\*Minimum Selection Rank required for consideration*



# Scholarships



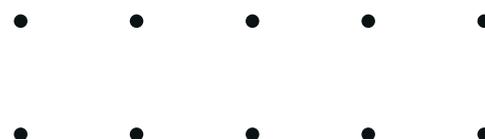
• Apply for academic reward, and financial support when you need it.

## We're proud to offer over \$2.5 million in scholarships each year.

These not only reward high academic achievement, but also provide support to Indigenous students, students from regional or remote areas, and students who have faced personal or financial hardship. Based on your chosen course of study, there is also a range of study area specific scholarships on offer.

MURDOCH UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS (APPLICABLE TO A VARIETY OF COURSES)			
SCHOLARSHIP	TOTAL VALUE	ELIGIBILITY	COURSE
City of Mandurah Indigenous	\$12,000	To be eligible, you will need to be: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent and an Australian citizen</li> <li>intending to enrol full-time in an undergraduate degree at Murdoch's Mandurah or Perth (South St) campus</li> <li>a current resident in the City of Mandurah</li> <li>experiencing circumstances of personal or financial hardship</li> </ul>	All undergraduate courses
City of Mandurah Scholarship	\$12,000	To be eligible, you will need to be: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>an Australian citizen or permanent resident</li> <li>enrolled full-time in an undergraduate degree at Murdoch's Mandurah or Perth (South St) campus</li> <li>a current resident of the City of Mandurah</li> <li>able to demonstrate high academic achievement</li> </ul>	All undergraduate courses
George Alexander Foundation	\$24,000	To be eligible, you will need to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>have relocated from a rural or remote location to study internally (on campus)</li> <li>have achieved an ATAR of 80 or higher</li> <li>have selected Murdoch University as your first preference on TISC</li> <li>be able to demonstrate examples of personal leadership and/or contributions to the community</li> </ul>	All undergraduate courses
Kulbardi Success	Variable – paid fortnightly	To be eligible, you must be: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander student</li> <li>enrolled or intending to enrol in the K-Track enabling course or an undergraduate course</li> <li>facing circumstances of personal or financial hardship</li> </ul>	All undergraduate courses
Murdoch Alumni Annual Appeal	\$3,000	To be eligible, you will need to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>be enrolled in your second last or final year of undergraduate study</li> <li>have a good academic record with a distinction average or above</li> </ul>	All undergraduate courses
Murdoch Senate Bursary	\$3,000	To be eligible, you will need to be: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>an Australian citizen or permanent resident</li> <li>enrolled in your first undergraduate course at Murdoch</li> <li>facing financial and/or personal hardship</li> </ul>	All undergraduate courses

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## MURDOCH UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS (APPLICABLE TO A VARIETY OF COURSES)

SCHOLARSHIP	TOTAL VALUE	ELIGIBILITY	COURSE
Ragdoll	\$12,000	To be eligible, you will need to be: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>enrolled full-time and commencing your first year of study</li> <li>experiencing circumstances of personal or financial hardship</li> </ul>	Bachelor of Business or Commerce, Bachelor of Science, Bachelor of Engineering, Bachelor of Criminology, Bachelor of Education, Bachelor of Laws, Bachelor of Nursing, Bachelor of Sport and Exercise Science
TAFE WA Rewards	\$3,000	To be eligible, you will need to be: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>completing, or have completed, a Diploma, Advanced Diploma or an Associate Degree</li> </ul>	All undergraduate courses
Tertiary Access Payment	\$5,000	To be eligible, you will need to be: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>from an outer-regional, remote or very remote area (use the Student Regional Area Search tool to check your eligibility) and relocating to study at Murdoch University and be at least 90 minutes one way by public transport from their family home</li> <li>undertaking eligible tertiary study in the year immediately following completion of Year 12 or equivalent (or the first available semester of their chosen course if the course has a mid-year, or later, start)</li> <li>studying face to face, or in dual delivery method, for at least part of the course</li> <li>enrolled in full-time study</li> <li>an Australian citizen, permanent resident (if Newly Arrived Resident's Waiting Period has been served), hold a permanent humanitarian visa or be a New Zealand citizen meeting Australian Residence rules under section 7 of the Social Security Act 1991</li> </ul> <p>The minimum age for a student to be eligible for the TAP is 16 years, unless an applicant is independent, in which case it is 15 years, and the maximum age is 22 years at time they commence their course, noting some students may have taken a break during their secondary studies for reasons outside of their control such as medical reasons or emergencies, or have completed their Year 12 qualification over multiple years.</p> <p>For more information visit <a href="https://servicesaustralia.gov.au/individuals/services/centrelink/tertiary-access-payment">servicesaustralia.gov.au/individuals/services/centrelink/tertiary-access-payment</a></p>	All undergraduate courses

## LAW AND CRIMINOLOGY

James TF Chong Memorial	\$3,000	To be eligible, you will need to be: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>an Australian citizen or permanent resident of Aboriginal descent</li> <li>a Year 12 school leaver with an ATAR of 90 or higher</li> <li>prepared to commence full-time studies for the first year of the Bachelor of Laws</li> <li>able to demonstrate a measure of commitment and initiative in your academic and/or personal life</li> </ul>	Bachelor of Laws
Kulbardi Pre-Law	\$4,000	To be eligible, you will need to be: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>an Australian citizen or permanent resident of Aboriginal descent</li> <li>able to demonstrate prior interest or experience in Law or Legal Studies</li> </ul>	Pre-Law
Pre-Law	Tuition fee waiver	To be eligible, you will need to be: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>an Australian citizen or permanent resident</li> <li>intending to enrol in the Pre-Law program</li> <li>able to demonstrate prior interest or experience in Law or Legal Studies</li> </ul>	Pre-Law

# A global outlook



## We want to change your world, literally. We'll encourage you to think for yourself and be curious about how the world works.

The world becomes your classroom when you join one of our 70 Study Abroad and Exchange programs across the globe.

Whether you spend a winter abroad in Europe or do a semester exchange in Asia, the opportunities are endless.

Best of all, your overseas study can count towards your degree, so you can see the world while completing your degree. This means that not only do you get to see the world while undertaking your Murdoch degree, but you'll also:

- Get a different perspective on your course
- Take classes that aren't available at Murdoch
- Learn a new language or improve on existing skills
- Add value to your resume and increase your employability
- Build an international network
- Become more confident, independent and mature
- Meet people from different cultures and make friends from around the world!

### EXCHANGE PROGRAM

If you're looking to spend anywhere between a semester or a year overseas, our exchange program could be what you're looking for. You could choose from one of the destinations below:

- Austria
- Canada
- Croatia
- Czech Republic
- Denmark
- Germany
- Hong Kong
- Ireland
- Japan
- Malaysia
- Netherlands
- Spain
- Sweden
- United Kingdom
- USA

### SHORT-TERM PROGRAMS

If you want to travel overseas while studying but only have a short amount of time, our short-term program might be best for you. With a short-term program, you can study one or two units with one of our overseas partners, usually during the summer or winter break. If you're looking for more hands-on learning, an international internship could give you real-world experience and boost your future career prospects. You could head to London, New York, Cambodia or Spain, to name just a few.

### INTERNATIONAL STUDY TOURS

Like the short-term program, international study tours run over the summer or winter breaks. You could get valuable work experience while on tour with other students from your area of study.

#### Law and Criminology study tours:

- Law Summer Program (Italy)
- Law International Human Rights Program (Switzerland)
- International Law and Security (India)
- Commercial Law (Indonesia)
- International Trade Law in Practice: 3 months internship (Germany)
- Human Rights Challenge (India)



“The best part of my exchange experience was the absolutely incredible people I met. I never thought I would go on exchange when I started university but I am so incredibly glad I did. It sounds clichéd, but you learn so much about yourself on exchange; things you wouldn't necessarily learn if you don't challenge yourself.”

**CAITLIN FERGUSON STUDIED LAW AND GLOBAL SECURITY ABROAD AT THE UNIVERSITY OF DUNDEE, SCOTLAND.**

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# Find your path

**Enrolling into university is a big decision, especially if you are unsure whether you'll meet the admission requirements. The first thing you need to do is find out which of our admission pathways you are eligible for, and how they work.**

## **WHAT ENTRY REQUIREMENTS WILL I NEED TO MEET TO STUDY AT MURDOCH?**

To gain admission into an undergraduate course at Murdoch, you will need a Western Australian Certificate of Education (WACE), a selection rank of 70 or higher (depending on your chosen course) and you will need to meet our English Language Competency (ELC) requirements. There are multiple ways to demonstrate your ELC and achieve a selection rank of 70.

## **MEETING ACADEMIC AND ENGLISH LANGUAGE COMPETENCY (ELC) REQUIREMENTS**

The most common ways for a domestic student to meet ELC requirements are:

- Two years of Year 11 and 12 or VET studied in Australia (or a combination of both), or
- A minimum scaled score of 50 or higher in ATAR English (or equivalent), or
- A score of 140 or higher in the Written English Component of the Special Tertiary Admission Test (STAT).

## **ACHIEVING A SELECTION RANK**

A selection rank of 70 can be achieved by attaining a raw or adjusted ATAR of 70, completing an accredited Certificate IV or higher, achieving an International Baccalaureate (IB) score of 24 or higher, or by using a portfolio. You can also achieve a 70 selection rank by completing one of Murdoch's enabling courses. Some courses, like Engineering, Law and Veterinary Science have higher selection ranks, which can be achieved by higher ATAR or IB scores, higher level VET qualifications, or previous university study.

To find out more, visit [murdoch.edu.au/courses](http://murdoch.edu.au/courses)

## **AM I ELIGIBLE FOR MURDOCH RISE?**

At Murdoch we offer Murdoch RISE, a selection rank adjustment aimed at supporting access to university for students from regional, low socio-economic, or Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander backgrounds. It can help you get into your preferred course by increasing your Murdoch selection rank. There's no need to register – if you're eligible, the adjustment factor is automatically added to your raw ATAR score when you apply to Murdoch.

To find out what schools and postcodes are eligible for the RISE adjustment, visit [murdoch.edu.au/admissionpathways](http://murdoch.edu.au/admissionpathways)

## **WHAT DO I DO IF I DON'T MEET THE ENTRY REQUIREMENTS TO STUDY AT MURDOCH?**

If you don't meet the entry requirements that's okay – we offer a range of pathways to study at Murdoch, including our range of enabling pathway courses. Our enabling pathway courses will help you transition to uni and boost your academic skills.

To find out more about our range of admission pathways, visit

[murdoch.edu.au/pathways](http://murdoch.edu.au/pathways)

## PORTFOLIO ENTRY PATHWAY

If you're ready to pursue your university goals but don't currently meet our standard admission requirements, our portfolio entry pathway could be the ideal option for you. If you're a school leaver, you can demonstrate your eligibility through your final Year 12 subject results and/or extra-curricular activities that relate to your desired course. All portfolio applicants need to demonstrate English Language Competency (ELC). Portfolio entry is also available to mature age applicants and may be suitable for those who can demonstrate skills and experience related to the area in which they would like to study.

## ENABLING PATHWAY COURSES

We have a range of enabling courses available, taking into account your high school results, previous studies, and work and life experience. Our pathway courses will help you develop the skills you need to study at a university level. Upon successful completion, you'll be eligible to study most undergraduate courses with a selection rank of 70.

### OnTrack

Our most popular enabling pathway course is OnTrack, a free 14-week course run at our Perth, Mandurah and Rockingham campuses.

OnTrack will provide you with a supportive adult learning environment in which you can develop effective study habits and learning strategies as well as the tuition needed to develop your academic skills to an undergraduate level. You will be given assistance to explore an undergraduate degree program that matches your aspirations and a network of peer and academic support at Murdoch University.

### FlexiTrack

If you'd like to study a pathway course like OnTrack but can't commit to a full-time workload or would prefer to study online, then FlexiTrack may be the course for you.

With the same entry requirements and course content as OnTrack, FlexiTrack is our free online course for students who do not qualify for direct entry. The course can be studied intensively over 10 weeks, full-time over 20 weeks, or part-time over 12 months. With numerous intakes available, you could begin your studies in February, April, July, September or November.

### OnTrack Sprint

If you don't quite get the ATAR results you need, OnTrack Sprint could be the right option for you. It's a free, intensive 4-week course which commences every year in January at our Perth campus.

OnTrack Sprint will help you to develop effective study habits and learning strategies and build your academic skills to an undergraduate level in a supportive environment. If you successfully complete this course you could apply to start one of our degrees in Semester 1, at the same time as your high school friends (excluding nursing).

To be eligible, you'll need a selection rank between 60 and 69.95 and have met English Language Competency (ELC) requirements within the last 18 months or have a selection rank of 70 or higher within the last 18 months and be unable to demonstrate ELC.

### K-Track

K-Track is our free 14-week on-campus course designed to enable Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander students to qualify for entry into an undergraduate degree. The course is tailored specifically for students who would not otherwise qualify for entry.

Through a series of units, you'll explore the concepts of communication, collaborative work practices and critical thinking. You will also be introduced to academic writing styles, referencing, essay writing and constructing arguments.

## Law pathways

### LAW START

If you've achieved great results in one or more ATAR subjects with a strong focus on essay-writing and communication, LAW START could be an option for you to apply to study Law at Murdoch. To be considered for admission, you will need to nominate Law, or a combined Law degree, at Murdoch as your first preference on TISC and meet our English Language Competency (ELC) requirements.

### Pre-Law

Pre-Law is our night course designed for mature age applicants who do not meet the entry requirements for our Bachelor of Laws. If you complete this course at credit level (at least a 60% average), you'll be offered direct entry into the Bachelor of Laws.

# Murdoch alumni

**When I graduated high school, I wanted to study Criminology, and Murdoch is known to be a hands-on university.**

I knew that for me, this is something that I wanted to be a part of and without further hesitation, I enrolled!

I was born in Malaysia and moved to Australia when I was 10 years old. Whilst growing up in Malaysia, women had to fight for their rights and had to work twice as hard for their efforts to be recognised. I did not want to live in a world or generation that did not empower another just because of their gender. I have always been the person who wanted to stand up and empower people around me to reach their goals.

I have always had an interest in the way crimes work and always grew up wondering what makes a criminal. I grew up watching CSI with my dad and I was always so intrigued why people do what they do and the theories and psychology behind that.

When I started studying, it was nothing like the movies, but it was interesting and as the years went by, I got answers to the questions I had growing up. In one of my units, we went to Casuarina Prison. Most students were excited but as we waited to go into the prison, you could sense the anxiousness from not knowing what could happen or what we were going to hear. When we went in, we heard lots of stories about the cycle of crimes and why people end up in

prison and the reasoning behind it. After seeing this, I knew that whatever my career pathway is, I wanted to help young people and deter them from offending.

One of my greatest achievements during my study was receiving full time employment before finishing my degree, I've also been given the opportunity to continue my studies and upskill by doing my Masters of Criminology in 2021. I currently work as a career advocate and case manager. I work with young individuals from ages 15-24 to help them upskill and gain full time employment. A lot of clients I deal with at work have been in trouble with the law, suffer from mental health issues or need a little extra help with getting employed.

Murdoch has always been a great experience. I have learnt so much, not just about my degree but also myself as a person. During my time here, I have done a lot of things and have had experiences I know that I will always look back on and be proud of.

My advice for future students is that when you take a chance you might just surprise yourself. Be bold and brave and change your world for the better. It is all about perspective, so take this chance at Murdoch to change your mind and perspective and let the rest fall into place.

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**“From a young age,  
I always knew I wanted  
to help people around me  
and do my part to make  
the world a better place.”**



A photograph of two young men in red graduation gowns with green stoles. The man on the left is holding a black mortarboard with a yellow tassel high in the air. Both men are smiling broadly and looking upwards. The background is a modern building with large glass windows. A grid of small black dots is overlaid on the top right portion of the image.

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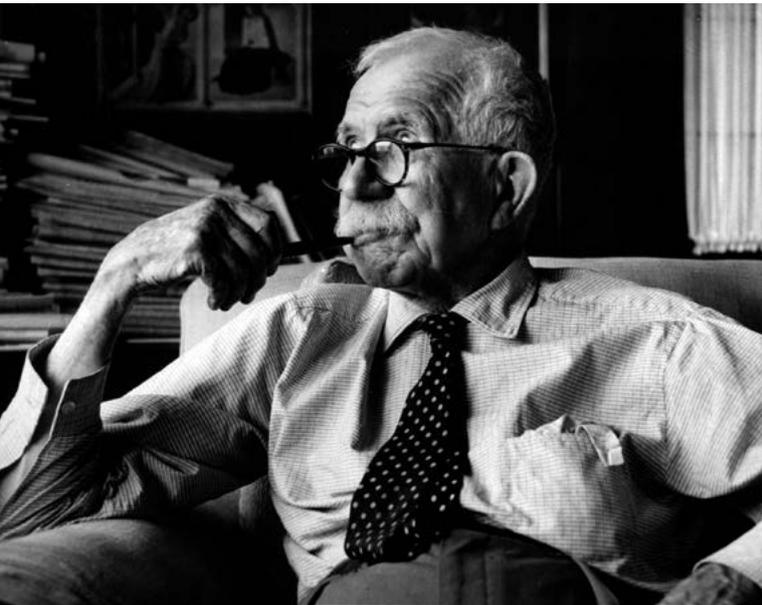
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	SEMESTER 1	SEMESTER 2
Orientation Week	21 – 25 February	25 – 29 July
Semester Period	28 February – 3 June	1 August – 4 November
Exam Period	11 – 25 June	12 – 26 November

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- SIR WALTER MURDOCH, OUR FOUNDING FATHER AND ORIGINAL FREE THINKER, 1926.

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