

New from September 2020

Key facts

Law Conversion Course (PGDL).

Level 7 Postgraduate diploma



Duration

8 months, full-time

16 months, part-time



Qualification achieved

Postgraduate Diploma in Law is awarded by BPP University



Delivery

Face-to-face (with supporting online materials)

Online



Assessment

Includes examinations with written elements and multiple-choice questions, oral assessments and written coursework**



Locations

London Waterloo, Birmingham, Bristol, Cambridge, Leeds, Manchester or Online



Start dates

Three per year from September 2020

Is this for you?

If you're a non-law graduate, our Law Conversion Course (PGDL) is your first step to becoming a solicitor or barrister.

It enables a smooth transition into studying law whilst developing the skills you need to secure a training contract or pupillage. Non-law graduates are often in demand by recruiters, because they can offer transferable knowledge and skills that go beyond that of other candidates.

You'll learn to think like a lawyer from the outset, with opportunities to apply your growing legal knowledge, professional capabilities and problem-solving skills. Through our advanced approach, your preparation for practice starts from day one.

Upon completion, progress onto the current LPC or future SQE preparation course to become a solicitor (subject to the SRA's transitional rules on the SQE), or the Barrister Training Course (BTC) to become a barrister.

We are trusted by 60 leading law firms, who exclusively send their trainee solicitors to study our LPC, including 4 out of 5 Magic Circle firms.* So when the profession trusts us, you can too.

Why choose this programme?

- Learn from experienced lawyers in extended, highly interactive small group teaching sessions
- Discover how legal issues are encountered in practice by working in our Virtual Practice Environment, using realistic case studies that span multiple legal disciplines
- Supported by our innovative learning platform, BPP Adapt, you can track your progress, understand your strengths, and target areas for improvement, ensuring you're fully prepared to pass your assessments
- Our modular structure means assessments are evenly spread throughout the course
- Graduate with a Master's degree and access postgraduate loan funding, by completing an additional professional research project
- Flexible study to fit your commitments – learn full-time, part-time, online or face-to-face at one of our UK study centres
- Set foot in the real world of law by advising real clients through our award-winning Pro Bono Centre
- Gain extensive support with training contract and pupillage applications, mock interviews and CV advice from our expert Careers Service

Funding your studies

- Postgraduate funding – you can choose to graduate with an LLM Law and Practice, by completing an additional professional research project. This qualifies for a postgraduate loan of up to £10,906
- Law scholarships – we support the brightest future legal talent, from all backgrounds
- Future Finance – you can borrow between £2,500 and £40,000 to pay tuition fees and living expenses for higher education in the UK*

To learn more about your funding options, visit: bpp.com/students/funding

*As at September 2019. **Some of the examinations will be part-seen, involving advanced release of assessment material. +Please note that we act as a credit broker to Future Finance and are not responsible for providing the loan or assessing your eligibility for a loan. Further details of eligibility requirements, interest rates and other key terms of the loan are available by visiting the Future Finance website.

How is your programme structured?

The PGDL will develop your knowledge and understanding of core legal principles, and help you build foundational professional skills.

Compulsory

Company Law	Tort Law
Contract Law	Trusts Law
Criminal Law	Foundational Legal Skills
Land Law	
Public Law I	
Public Law II	

Master's degree route

Professional Project: Law
If you wish to graduate with an LLM Law and Practice, you will undertake this additional professional research project.

Looking to start before September 2020?

You'll study our Graduate Diploma in Law (GDL) or LLM [Law Conversion].
For more information, visit bpp.com/courses/law.

How do you apply?

Applications to study the Law Conversion Course (PGDL) will open in Autumn 2019. Priority will be given to applicants who have placed BPP as their first choice.

For more information, visit: bpp.com/courses/law/pgdl-law-conversion-course

For more information or to apply

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