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Dean's Foreword

It is an exciting time to commence, or continue, studies in law. Many legal issues are at the forefront of public debate and the legal system is poised to experience considerable change. Australians are currently debating the need for a new constitution, a recent High Court decision has enlivened public interest in the many complex legal issues concerning reconciliation with Aboriginal Australia and the focus of the entire community has been directed towards what is viewed by some as a male dominated judiciary. These are just a few of the issues which I hope our students will confront and debate during their years as law students at the University of Newcastle.

The Faculty’s Bachelor of Laws course commenced in 1993 with an intake of 60 students. All of these students enrolled in combined degree programs with Arts, Commerce, Economics or Science. 1994 will see the first intake into the three year graduate LLB program.

In an era of new law faculties and unprecedented demand for law school places the Chief Justice of the High Court of Australia has advocated diversity in legal education. It is highly likely that his call will be heeded. Some of the new law schools will offer courses which are markedly different to those available at the established law schools. At Newcastle we propose to offer diversity within our Bachelor of Laws course for students will be invited to choose, after completing part of the course, whether they wish to enter a stream which will emphasise clinical training or whether they wish to undertake what are best described as traditional legal studies.

We believe that this choice reflects the different career options which are open to people who complete a legal education. Law is now widely regarded as a stimulating and useful general education which promotes a broad understanding of the society in which we live and which fosters the skills of analytical and logical reasoning. It is quite clear that many people who complete a law degree will never practise law or will move away from legal practice after only a few years as a barrister or solicitor. Many law graduates pursue careers in business, government and administration.

Traditionally university law courses have provided part, but not all, of the necessary training for a career in legal practice. Skills training and experiential
Learning have taken place after prospective lawyers graduate from university, but prior to admission to practice. The Faculty believes it desirable to move away from a sequential approach to preparation for legal practice.

At Newcastle we will merge the three components of professional training: theory, skills and experience. Those students who enter the clinical stream for the final two years of their course will be the first law students in Australia to experience an integrated approach to legal education. An appreciation of theory will be enhanced by skills training and by exposure to legal practice, whilst the skills and the experiential component of legal training will be richer if undertaken at the same time as the rules on law and the societal role of law are studied.

The clinical component of the first year LLB subjects has already proved successful. During 1993 students enrolled in Criminal Law and Procedure experienced two placements with criminal law practitioners. This exposure to the daily operations of the criminal justice system undoubtedly enriched the students' understanding of the material considered in lectures and seminars. This placement program would not have been possible without the generous support of the local legal profession and I extend to my colleagues in practice the gratitude of the Faculty of Law for their willingness to participate in educating the next generation of lawyers. Students in our first intake have also experienced the Faculty's commitment to technology. Thanks to the skill and commitment of members of our academic staff we have established a computer laboratory which is the equal of any similar facility in the country. During the first year subject Legal System and Method students receive formal training in computer applications to law and the laboratory is available as a resource for use by law students when classes are not being conducted.

I look forward to the 1994 Academic year with confidence that we can improve the LLB program and that we can provide our students with both a general education in law and the skills necessary to become a successful legal practitioner. I welcome new students and look forward to a continuing association with those students who started in 1993.

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section two
Faculty Information

About This Section
This section contains general information about the Faculty of Law and the Bachelor of Laws course. Award Rules and Faculty Policies are set out in separate sections of this Handbook.

LOCATION
The Faculty of Law is located in the McMullin Building on the Callaghan Campus of the University. The Faculty office and lecturing staff are located in the western end of the top floor of the McMullin Building and a computer laboratory and classroom/mock court room (The Harris Wheeler Court Room) are located on the second floor directly below the Faculty Office.
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GOVERNING BODY
The Governing body of the Faculty of Law is the Faculty Board. As well as all full-time members of the academic staff of the Law Faculty, representatives of other faculties within the University, student members and certain University officeholders (the Vice-Chancellor, the University Librarian) the Faculty Board includes six members of the legal profession who are:
• a Justice of the Supreme Court of NSW nominated by the Chief Justice.
• a Justice of a federal court nominated by the Chief Justice of the Federal Court or the Chief Justice of the Family Court.
• a practising barrister nominated by the Dean.
the President of the Newcastle Law Society or his/her nominee.

- the President of the Hunter Valley Law Society or his/her nominee.

- the President of the Central Coast Law Society or his/her nominee.

In order to allow for informal liaison with the local legal profession the Faculty has established a Legal Profession Liaison Committee. This Committee, chaired by the Hon. Justice G.R. Mullan of the Family Court, meets with senior members of the Law Faculty.

THE UNIVERSITY OF NEWCASTLE LAW STUDENTS ASSOCIATION

The University of Newcastle Law Students Association was established in 1993, and provides a forum for students at all levels. The Association aims to promote the study of law, and holds both academic and social functions. The Association also hopes to play a role in the Australasian Law Students Association, a body that supports law students specifically in the Asian region.

Announcements of University of Newcastle Law Students Association's activities are posted on the student noticeboard in the Law Faculty.

SIR NINIAN STEPHEN LECTURE

The Sir Ninian Stephen Lecture was established in 1993 to mark the arrival of the first group of Bachelor of Laws students. The Right Honourable Sir Ninian Stephen, former Governor General of Australia, delivered the inaugural lecture bearing his name. The Lecture will be delivered by an eminent lawyer at the commencement of each academic year. In 1994 the Lecture will be delivered by the Hon. Justice M.H. McHugh A.C. of the High Court of Australia.

SPARKE HELMORE WITHECOMBE CHAIR OF COMMERIAL LAW

Financial support from the Newcasle firm of solicitors of that name has enabled the University to establish the Sparke Helmore Withcombe Chair of Commercial Law. In 1993 Professor Warren Pengilly was appointed to this chair of law.

BILBIE WHITFORD AND DAN VISITING PROFESSOR OF LAW

An annual donation from the Newcastle firm of Solicitors Bilbie Whitford and Dan enables the Faculty to invite an eminent lawyer as a Visiting Professor of Law for a few weeks each year. Mr Ian Callinan Q.C. joined the Faculty during August 1993 as the Faculty's first Bilbie Whitford and Dan Visiting Professor of Law.

PROPOSED CENTRE FOR HEALTH LAW, ETHICS, AND POLICY

The Faculty of Law, with the support of the Faculties of Medicine, Nursing, and Health Sciences, has taken the lead in developing a proposal to establish a Centre for Health Law, Ethics, and Policy.

The objects of the Centre will be:

- contribute to, and promote, public debate and community education on issues related to health and medical law, ethics, and public policy;
- promote and develop graduate and undergraduate training and courses within the University in these areas;
- establish strong links with health services in the Hunter region, and with relevant state and national bodies.

It is intended that the Centre become an Australian focus of expertise and academic excellence in health law, ethics, and public policy.

AWARDS AND PRIZES

The Donald Geddes Prize in Criminal Law and Procedure

The late Mr Donald Geddes was a leading criminal lawyer in Newcastle. Prior to practising at the bar he was a partner in Newcastle's oldest firm of solicitors, Baker Love.

This prize is awarded annually to the student with the best performance, if of sufficient merit, in the subject Criminal Law and Procedure (LLB102). The donor of the prize is Baker Love, Solicitors. Value $250.

Geoff Thomas Memorial Prize in Torts

Mr Geoff Thomas, who died in 1990, was a highly respected Magistrate who was the first full-time Children's Court Magistrate sitting in the Newcastle and Central Coast areas.

This prize is awarded annually to the student with the best performance, if of sufficient merit, in the subject Torts (LLB201). The donor of the prize is The Central Coast Law Society. Value $250.

The Law Book Company Prize in Legal System and Method

This prize is awarded annually to the student with the best performance, if of sufficient merit, in the subject Legal System and Method (LLB101). The donor of the prize is The Law Book Company Limited. Value $200 (books).

The Butterworths Prize in Contracts

This prize is awarded annually to the student with the best performance, if of sufficient merit, in the subject Contracts (LLB301). The donor of the prize is Butterworths Pty. Limited. Value $225 (books). Further Information on prizes and awards may be obtained from University Administration.

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

The Bachelor of Laws course has been accredited by the Barristers and Solicitors Admission Boards, pursuant to the Barristers and Solicitors Admissions Rules 1989, for the purposes of admission to practice as a barrister or solicitor in NSW.

THE BACHELOR OF LAWS COURSE

The University's Bachelor of Laws course commenced in 1993 with an intake of 60 students. For candidates other than graduates the Bachelor of Laws course is offered only in combination with other degree courses which are Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Economics, Bachelor of Commerce and Bachelor of Science. In time, further combinations may be available. Combined degree courses extend over five years of full-time study. There is no formal provision for part-time study or external study. From 1994 the Faculty of Law will offer a three year LL.B course to graduates.

In 1994 half of the places in the course will be open to students who complete the New South Wales Higher School Certificate (or equivalent) in the preceding year and the remaining places will be open to students who wish to transfer from other degree courses in any University, mature age entrants and graduates. Fifty per cent of the HSC places will be reserved for students resident in the Hunter and Central Coast regions. The Faculty will also admit up to four ex-quota Aboriginal students each year.

During the first three years of the combined degree course students will enrol in subjects offered by the Department of Law as part of the LL.B program and they will also enrol in a sufficient number of subjects, offered by Departments within other Faculties, to complete one of the four degrees which may be taken in combination with the LL.B. During the final two years students will enrol in LL.B subjects only.

All combined degree law students will be required to complete five compulsory LL.B subjects during the first three years of the course, known as the core program. These subjects are Legal System and Method, Criminal Law and Procedure, Torts, Contracts and Property. There will be a clinical element in all of these subjects. Combined degree law students will be required to complete the core program in their first year of study.

In many of the core program subjects students will be placed in a legal office in order to gain exposure to legal practice. For example, each student undertaking the first year subject Criminal Law and Procedure will be involved in the preparation and presentation of a plea and a defended criminal matter in a Local Court.

At the end of the third year the LL.B course will diverge into two streams, referred to as Option A and Option B.

Option A - LL.B only

Those students who enrol in Option A for the final two years of the course will undertake what are best described as traditional law studies. The course will be directed towards people who seek a general education in law and it will not attempt to provide students with all of the skills and experience necessary for legal practice. There will be a mix of compulsory and optional subjects. If Option A students wish to practise law it will be necessary for them to complete a postgraduate professional course offered by the College of Law or the Bar Council.

Option B - LL.B and the Diploma of Legal Practice

Those students who successfully complete the Option B course will be awarded both the Bachelor of Laws degree and the Diploma of Legal Practice. The majority of the subjects offered to Option B students will merge traditional undergraduate law teaching with practical legal training and practical legal experience. This stream will be directed towards those students who wish to practise law, with emphasis upon practice as a solicitor. The majority of subjects taken by these students will be compulsory. The schedule of subjects for the Bachelor of Law is set out in Section Three of this Handbook and subject descriptions are located in Section Five.

For Option B students, the final two years at Law School will be intensive. Teaching will take place in
two semesters per year of approximately twenty weeks' duration. Fourth and fifth year medical students undertake studies in semesters of similar length. Each semester, Option B students will undertake five subjects, three of which will be "clinical subjects". Teaching will take place in traditional lectures/seminars, skills courses, and equivalent postgraduate professional training to authorities for the purposes of admission. Students enrolled in these subjects will be required to complete 80 hours of practical experience/skills training in each subject as well as the usual lecture/ seminar hours.

An application is being made to amend the Barristers and Solicitors Admission Rules 1989 in order that those persons who have been awarded both the Bachelor of Laws degree and the Diploma of Legal Practice be granted, for the purposes of admission to practice as a solicitor, the same status as LLB graduates from an accredited law school who have completed the College of Law course. In effect the Faculty contends that its Option B course will offer equivalent postgraduate professional training to that received at the College of Law and equivalent practical legal experience to that which may be required, at some future date, by the relevant authorities for the purposes of admission.

Sequence of Study

Set out below are sample five year plans for students in both Options. The first three years will be common, with the exception that students enrolled in the BSc/LLB combined program will be required to complete an additional 20 credit points of non-LLB subjects over six semesters.

Option A - Bachelor of Laws

First Year
- Legal System and Method (20 points)
- Criminal Law and Procedure (20 points)
- Non LLB subjects (40 points)

Second Year
- Torts (20 points)
- Non LLB subjects (60 points)

Third Year
- Contracts (20 points)
- Property 1 (10 points)
- Non LLB subjects (50 points)

Fourth Year
- Constitutional Law I (10 points)
- Equity and Trusts (10 points)
- Civil Procedure (10 points)
- Option 1 (10 points)

Fifth Year
- Professional Conduct (10 points)
- Trial Process (10 points)
- Conveyancing (10 points)
- Option 1 (10 points)

THE CLINICAL PROGRAM

Students will have access to the clinical program throughout the entire five years of the course. However, for those students who enrol in Option B, exposure to the clinical program will be intensive during the final two years of the course.

Facilities for students undertaking Option B will be found and allocated by the Director of Clinical Legal Education. The Faculty has received strong indications of support from legal practitioners throughout the Hunter region. It is anticipated that some students will be placed outside the City of Newcastle, either in the Hunter Valley or on the Central Coast in Gosford and surrounding areas.

Option B students will undertake five subjects per semester, three of which will be "clinical subjects." Placements in the "clinical subjects" will be matched to the particular subjects to which the student is enrolled. For example, students enrolled in the clinical subject Family Law and Practice will be placed with barristers and solicitors who practise in that area, and possibly with members of the judiciary. The subject will have a theoretical classroom component in which students will be presented with traditional materials dealing with substantive and procedural law. There will be a skills component which will involve some concentration upon improving the lawyering skills introduced in earlier subjects (e.g., interviewing, advising, negotiation) and there will be mock exercises dealing with the preparation of court documents, appearances in court and the various means of non-litigious dispute resolution. The clinical component will also involve exposure to actual family law cases through placements with legal practitioners. The aim is to ensure that the classroom, the skills and the practical experience components complement each other.

In most subjects students will engage in some mock exercises before moving on to deal with real clients. The exposure to real clients will be used by the students to acquire skills and, most importantly, to reflect upon the theoretical perspectives imparted in the classroom. It is the Faculty's hope that it may be able to negotiate some limited rights of appearance for final year students along the lines of the student practice rules which exist in most jurisdictions in the United States of America.

LEGAL AID CLINIC

The Faculty proposes to establish a legal aid clinic in the city of Newcastle to enable the Bachelor of Laws course to achieve its objective of successfully merging traditional legal education with skills training and exposure to legal practice.

LIBRARY RESOURCES

While the University law collection is located in the main library, the Auchmuty Library, it is housed and staffed separately from the main collection. The Library subscribes to the major law reports, legislation, law journals and loose leaf services. The Library also holds a substantial collection of legal texts from all common law jurisdictions. The collection is classified according to the Moys Classification for Legal Materials Scheme.

Law Reserve

The Law Reserve collection consists of an open reserve and a closed reserve section. The open reserve section contains all recommended texts, reprints of articles and reports and all major loose leaf services. The closed reserve section includes material such as reprinted and recent seasonal legislation. Items may be removed from Law Reserve for a two hour period.

RANKIN AND NATHAN Database Room

A donation from the Newcastle Law firm Rankin & Nathan enabled the Faculty to establish the Law Library Database Room. The Law Library subscribes to a number of bibliographic and full text CD-ROM databases. These are available for use within the Law Library Database Room. A printer is also available. Terminals must be reserved with library staff before use.

COMPUTER LABORATORY

A 32-bit computer laboratory for use by law students is located within the Faculty of Law. The computer laboratory runs Windows applications on the Faculty of Law computer network that is part of the University of Newcastle campus network. The applications available on the network include word processor, database, spreadsheet, legal and research packages, as well as a number of CD-ROMs.
HARRIS WHEELER COURT ROOM AND LECTURE ROOM
A donation from the Newcastle law firm Harris Wheeler enabled the Harris Wheeler Court Room and Lecture Room to be built. It is situated in the Law Faculty and will be used extensively throughout the LL.B course to provide advocacy training and to ensure all students are familiar with court room practices and etiquette. The Harris Wheeler Court Room was officially opened in March 1993 by Mr John Marsden, the Immediate Past President of the Law Society of New South Wales.

ADMISSION TO PRACTICE AS A BARRISTER OR SOLICITOR IN NSW
In order to practise law in NSW it is necessary to be admitted to the Supreme Court as a barrister or solicitor and then to take out a practising certificate issued by the Bar Council or the Law Society of NSW. Admission to practice as a barrister or solicitor is governed by the Barristers and Solicitors Admission Rules 1989.

A person who has completed an approved course in law (the LL.B course offered by this Faculty has been accredited) and a course of practical legal training may apply to the Supreme Court for admission as a solicitor. Following admission an application must be made to the Law Society for a practising certificate. In the first instance a restricted practising certificate, allowing the solicitor to practise as an employee, will be issued. In order to practise as a partner a solicitor must complete 12 months of approved practice under the supervision of a solicitor who holds an unrestricted practising certificate, and complete a practice management course. Solicitors wishing to practise as sole practitioners must undertake a further two years of approved supervised practice.

A person who has completed an approved course in law may apply to the Supreme Court for admission as a barrister. It is not necessary to complete a course of practical legal training before seeking admission as a barrister but it is advisable to do so. Upon admission to the Bar it is necessary to complete a course extending over 12 weeks offered by the Bar Council and to read with a Master (an experienced barrister) for a period of 12 months. Practising certificates for barristers are issued by the Bar Council.

It is highly likely that the Rules governing admission to practice will be amended over the next few years. Students will be kept informed of any changes. Enquiries concerning admission to practice in NSW or other Australian jurisdictions should be directed to the Dean or the Executive Officer.

section three
Award Rules

About This Section
This section contains the University's Rules Governing Academic Awards and the Schedule for the Bachelor of Laws and the Diploma of Legal Practice.

Rules Governing Academic Awards
Application of Rules
1. These Rules shall apply to all the academic awards of the University other than the degrees of Doctor and Master.

Interpretation
2. (1) In these Rules, unless the context or subject matter otherwise indicates or requires:
   - "award" means the degree, diploma (including graduate diploma and associate diploma) or graduate certificate for which a candidate is enrolled;
   - "course" means the total requirements of the program of study approved by the Academic Senate to qualify a candidate for the award as set out in the schedule;
   - "Dean" means the Dean of a Faculty;
   - "department" means the department offering a particular subject and includes any other body so doing;
   - "Faculty" means the Faculty responsible for the course;
   - "Faculty Board" means the Faculty Board of the Faculty;
   - "schedule" means the schedule to these Rules relevant to the award listed under the name of the Faculty;
   - "subject" means any part of a course for which a result may be recorded.

(2) A reference in these Rules to a Head of Department shall be read not only as a reference to the person appointed to that office but also, where a subject is not offered by a department as such, to the person approved
by the Academic Senate to undertake the responsibilities of a Head of Department for the purpose of these Rules.

Admission
3. An applicant for admission to candidature for an award shall satisfy the requirements of the University governing admission to and enrolment in a course and any other additional requirements as may be prescribed in the schedule for that award.

Subject
4. (1) For the purposes of a course, a subject may be classified at a level determined by the Faculty Board.

(2) Each subject shall be allotted a credit point value by the Academic Senate after considering the advice of the Faculty Board of the Faculty in which the department is located.

(3) The Academic Senate, after considering a request from a Faculty Board, may determine that a subject be not offered during a particular academic year.

(4) The Faculty Board shall approve the subjects for the award. Any change in the list of approved subjects which will have effect in the following year shall be approved by a date determined by the Academic Senate.

(5) Where there is any change in the list of approved subjects, the Faculty Board shall make all reasonable provision to permit students already enrolled in the course to progress normally.

Enrolment
5. (1) A candidate may not enrol in any year in a combination of subjects which is incompatible with the requirements of the timetable for that year.

(2) Except with the permission of the Dean and subject to any contrary provision in the schedule:
(a) a candidate may not enrol in subjects totalling more than the equivalent of 40 credit points in any semester;
(b) a candidate shall not enrol in a subject which does not count towards the award; and
(c) a candidate shall not be permitted to enrol in any subject which is substantially equivalent to one which that candidate has previously counted towards a degree or diploma.

(3) A candidate for an award shall not enrol in a course or part of a course for another award in this University unless consent has first been obtained from the Dean and, if another Faculty is responsible for the course leading to that other award, the Dean of that Faculty, provided that a student may enrol in a combined course approved by the Academic Senate leading to two awards.

Pre-requisites and Co-requisites
6. (1) The Faculty Board on the recommendation of the Head of the Department may prescribe pre-requisites and/or co-requisites for any subject offered by that Department.

(2) Except with the permission of the Dean granted after considering any recommendation made by the Head of the Department, no candidate may enrol in a subject unless that candidate has passed any subjects prescribed as its pre-requisites at any grade which may be specified and has already passed or concurrently enrols in or is already enrolled in any subjects prescribed as its co-requisites.

(3) Except with the permission of the Dean, a candidate will not have satisfied a pre-requisite if the pre-requisite subject has not been completed in the preceding eight calendar years.

(4) A candidate attaining a Terminating Pass in a subject shall be deemed not to have passed that subject for pre-requisite purposes.

Credit
7. (1) A Faculty Board may grant credit to a candidate in specified and unspecified subjects, on such conditions as it may determine, in recognition of work completed in the University or another institution approved by the Faculty Board for this purpose or additionally as may be provided in the schedule.

(2) Except as may be otherwise provided in the schedule, a candidate shall not be given credit for more than sixty-five percent of the total number of credit points required to complete the course.

Subject Requirements
8. (1) The subjects which may be completed in the course for the Award shall be those approved by the Faculty Board and published annually as the Approved Subjects section of the schedule.

(2) A candidate enrolled in a subject shall comply with such academic and practical requirements and submit such written or other work as the Department shall specify.

(3) Except as otherwise permitted by the Head of Department, any material presented by a candidate for assessment must be the work of the candidate and not have been previously submitted for assessment.

(4) To complete a subject a candidate shall satisfy published departmental requirements and gain a satisfactory result in such assessments and examinations as the Faculty Board shall require.

Withdrawal
9. (1) A candidate may withdraw from a subject or the course only by informing the Academic Registrar in writing and the withdrawal shall take effect from the date of receipt of such notification.

(2) A student shall be deemed not to have enrolled in a subject if that student withdraws from the subject:
(a) in the case of a semester length subject, before the Higher Education Contribution Scheme census date for that semester; or
(b) in the case of a full year subject, before the first Higher Education Contribution Scheme census date for that academic year.

(3) Except with the permission of the Dean:
(a) a candidate shall not be permitted to withdraw from a subject after the relevant date which shall be:
(i) in the case of a semester length subject, the last day of that semester; or
(ii) in the case of a full year subject, the last day of second semester; and/or
(iii) subject to any provision within the schedules; and
(b) a candidate shall not be permitted to withdraw from a subject on more than two occasions.

AbSENCE
10. (1) Subject to any provision in the schedule, a candidate in good academic standing in the course:
(a) may take leave of absence of one year from the course; or
(b) with the permission of the Dean, may take leave of absence of two consecutive years from the course without prejudice to any right of the candidate to re-enrol in the course following such absence and with full credit in all subjects successfully completed prior to the period of leave.

(2) For the purposes of sub-rule (1), unless otherwise specified in the schedule, a candidate eligible to re-enrol shall be deemed to be in good academic standing.

(3) A person who has been enrolled in a course but is absent without leave or has been excluded from the course may apply for re-admission to that course and may be re-admitted to candidature under such conditions and at such time as the Faculty Board may determine, unless otherwise specified in the schedule.

Qualification for the Award
11. (1) To qualify for the award a candidate shall satisfactorily complete the requirements governing the course prescribed in the schedule.

(2) A subject which has been counted towards a completed award may not be counted towards another award, except to such extent as the Faculty Board may approve.
Combined Degree Programs

12. (1) Where so prescribed for a particular course, a candidate may complete the requirements for one Bachelor degree in conjunction with another Bachelor degree by completing a combined degree program approved by the Academic Senate on the advice of the Faculty Board and, where the other Bachelor degree is offered in another Faculty, the Faculty Board of that Faculty.

(2) Admission to a combined degree program shall be restricted to candidates who have achieved a standard of performance deemed satisfactory for the purposes of admission to the specific combined degree course by the Faculty Board(s).

(3) The work undertaken by a candidate in a combined degree program shall be no less in quantity and quality than if the two courses were taken separately.

(4) To qualify for admission to the two degrees a candidate shall satisfy the requirements for both degrees, except as may be otherwise provided.

Relaxing Provision

13. In order to provide for exceptional circumstances arising in a particular case, the Academic Senate may, after consultation with the Senate of the Faculty Board, relax any provision of these Rules.

SCHEDULE - BACHELOR OF LAWS AND DIPLOMA OF LEGAL PRACTICE

Interpretation

1. In this Schedule, unless the context otherwise indicates or requires -

"approved graduate" means the holder of a degree of the University or of another tertiary institution which is approved by the Faculty Board for the purposes of this Schedule;

"combined degree program" means the program of study leading to the Bachelor of Laws degree and to another degree as listed in clause 9;

"core program" means the subjects totalling 90 credit points set out in Table 1 of the list of Approved Subjects;

"course" means the requirements for the degree and includes, if the candidate pursues Option B, the requirements for the diploma;

"degree" means the degree of Bachelor of Laws;

"diploma" means the Diploma of Legal Practice;

"Option A" means the course leading to the degree of Bachelor of Laws;

"Option B" means the alternative course leading to the degree of Bachelor of Laws and to the Diploma of Legal Practice;

"another degree" and "other degree" means a Bachelor degree of the University, other than the Bachelor of Laws degree, which is included in a combined degree program.

Enrolment

2. (1) A candidate may only undertake the course as part of a combined degree program unless the person is an approved graduate.

(2) An approved graduate may undertake the course other than as part of a combined degree program.

(3) A candidate must enrol in subjects totalling at least 80 credit points each year unless the Dean permits otherwise.

(4) A candidate must first enrol for the degree under Option A but may be permitted to enrol for the degree and the diploma under Option B pursuant to clause 4.

Qualification for the Degree (Option A)

3. To qualify for admission to the degree pursuing Option A, a candidate must pass subjects totalling not less than 250 credit points comprising -

(a) the core program; and

(b) the subjects totalling 80 credit points set out in Table 2 of the list of Approved Subjects;

(c) subjects totalling not less than 80 credit points selected from the subjects set out in Table 4 of the list of Approved Subjects; and

must have completed the requirements for admission to the other degree, unless the candidate is an approved graduate.

Enrolment as a Candidate (Option B)

4. (1) A candidate may be permitted to enrol for the degree and the diploma under Option B after -

(a) passing the subjects in the core program; and

(b) completing the requirements for admission to the other degree, unless the candidate is an approved graduate.

(2) In exceptional circumstances the Dean may permit a candidate to enrol under Option B even though the candidate has not satisfied the conditions set out in sub-clause (1).

(3) A candidate may apply to the Dean for permission to enrol under Option B in a manner and by a date determined by the Dean.

(4) In the event that the number of candidates who apply for permission to enrol under Option B exceeds the number of available places in the Faculty's Option B course, the Dean will determine which candidates will be permitted to enrol by applying the selection criteria determined and published by the Faculty Board.

(5) A candidate who has unsuccessfully applied for permission to enrol under Option B must complete the course under Option A unless the Dean determines otherwise.

Qualification for the Degree and Diploma (Option B)

5. To qualify for admission to the degree and the award of the diploma pursuing Option B, a candidate shall pass subjects totalling not less than 200 credit points comprising -

(a) the core program; and

(b) the subjects totalling 160 credit points set out in Table 3 of the list of Approved Subjects;

(c) subjects totalling not less than 20 credit points selected from the subjects set out in Table 4 of the list of Approved Subjects.

Grading of the Degree

6. (1) The degree shall be conferred as an ordinary degree except that, where the performance of a candidate has reached a standard determined by the Faculty Board to be of sufficient merit, the degree shall be conferred with Honours.

(2) There shall be two classes of Honours, namely Class I and Class II. Class II shall have two divisions, namely Division 1 and Division 2.

Absence

7. (1) The Faculty Board may grant a candidate leave of absence which may be subject to conditions.

(2) Leave of absence may not be taken without the approval of the Faculty Board.

(3) The Faculty Board may permit a candidate who has been absent without leave to enrol in the course subject to any conditions which it determines.

Time Requirements

8. (1) If the course is taken as part of a combined degree program the course must be completed in not less than five and not more than eight years of study.

(2) An approved graduate must complete the course in not less than three and not more than five years of study.

(3) In exceptional circumstances the Faculty Board may vary these time requirements.

Combined Degrees

9. A candidate, who is not an approved graduate, must undertake one of the following combined degree programs -

- Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of Arts
- Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of Commerce
- Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of Economics
- Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of Science.
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² Refer to Faculty Policy on Grading of the Degree
About This Section

This Section contains the Faculty Board policies of special interest to students enrolled in the Bachelor of Laws. These policies should be read in conjunction with the Award Rules and Schedule which are set out in Section Three of this Handbook.

Faculty Policies Relating to the Bachelor of Laws

1. **Deferment of Admission**

   The Dean may grant an applicant who has been offered admission a deferment for one year. An applicant seeking deferment must apply to the University Secretary in writing prior to the expiry date for the offer of admission.

   The number of applicants permitted to defer admission in any one year shall not exceed 5. Should the number of applications for deferred admission exceed 5, be submitted to those applicants seeking deferment for reasons of health, financial or family problems.

   Applicants permitted to defer admission who enrol in another degree or diploma course in a recognised tertiary institution may be refused permission to enrol at the expiration of their period of deferment if their academic performance in that other course has fallen below the standard required for admission to the Bachelor of Laws (LL.B) course.

2. **Enrolment**

   Candidates must enrol in subjects totalling at least 40 credit points in each semester except where a candidate has been granted credit or the Dean permits otherwise.

   Unless the permission of the Dean is obtained, enrolment in a subject after the second week of the semester in which it is offered will not be approved.

3. **Prerequisites**

   The Dean may approve the relaxation of any prerequisite condition.

4. **Credit**

   Credit will not normally be granted in subjects totalling more than 80 credit points. Normally credit will be granted in specified subjects only and the Dean must be satisfied that the subject for which credit is sought is substantially the same as a subject included in the list of Approved Subjects for the LL.B. It is unlikely that credit will be granted for 500 level subjects.

   Intending Option B candidates are advised that it would be to their advantage to complete the full LL.B program.

5. **Grading of the Degree**

   At the completion of Year 4 of the LL.B program students may be invited to become candidates for the LL.B with Honours. Honours candidates must enrol in the 600 level Honours subject with a value of 10 credit points in which they will be required to present a substantial piece of research.

   To enrol in the Honours subject:

   i) the candidate shall attain a distinction average for subjects completed in Years 1, 2, 3 and 4 of the LL.B; and

   ii) the candidate shall not have failed any subjects in the LL.B program.

   The Dean may recommend that a student be permitted to enrol in Honours other than as indicated above or that a student not be permitted to enrol in Honours.

6. **Leave of Absence**

   The Rules concerning the degree of LL.B make provision for candidates enrolled in the LL.B course to take a period of leave of absence. Such leave will not be granted for more than two consecutive years and normally will only be granted to any student once during the course.

   The Faculty appreciates that students who undertake Law in combination with another course, may wish to take leave of absence for one year to undertake Honours in that other course.

   A student who has been granted leave of absence will be permitted to re-enrol in the course in the academic year immediately following the expiration of the period of leave with credit in all subjects passed in the LL.B course prior to the period of leave. The LL.B course, however, merges traditional undergraduate law teaching with practical legal training and practical legal experience. Teaching will take place in traditional lectures/seminars, skills courses and through supervised placements in various legal offices throughout Newcastle and the Hunter Region. Leave of absence may disrupt a student's learning. Furthermore, large numbers of students taking leave of absence in any one year may result in large class sizes the following year. Because Faculty resources are limited, group sizes may have to be increased and this could result in an unsatisfactory educational experience for the year as a whole. Accordingly, the Faculty Board, under Rules governing the LL.B degree, has adopted the following policy with respect to leave of absence.

   1. Leave of absence will not be granted for more than two consecutive years.

   2. Leave of absence will only be granted to a student who, in the academic year prior to the year in which the student wishes to take leave, has passed all subjects in which he/she has been enrolled.

   3. Leave of absence will normally only be granted to any particular student once during the course.

   4. Leave of absence will not be granted to more than five students from any year of the course.

   5. Applications for leave of absence must be in writing giving full reasons why leave is required and must be submitted to the Dean by the first Friday in January each year. In exceptional circumstances an application for leave of absence may be accepted up until the Friday of the first week of the University's first semester in any one year.

   6. Applications for leave of absence will be determined by the Dean who, in reaching the decision, will give priority to students who seek leave for the purpose of undertaking an Honours year in the non-LL.B course or for reasons of health, financial or family problems.

   7. The Faculty Board may relax the provisions of paragraphs 1 and 4 (above) to accommodate exceptional circumstances arising in a particular case.
### Faculty of Science and Mathematics

1. If a candidate does not pass at least two semester subjects (equivalent to twenty credit points) in their first two years of part-time attendance, that candidate will be asked to show cause as to why the candidate should not be excluded from the Faculty. If the candidate does not successfully show cause, a condition will be imposed on re-enrolment, that the candidate's program be restricted to a maximum of thirty credit points in each semester.

2. If a candidate does not pass at least eight semester subjects (equivalent to eighty credit points) by the end of their first two years of full-time attendance or four years of part-time attendance, that candidate will be asked to show cause as to why the candidate should not be excluded from the Faculty. Candidates who have been reviewed under (1) above and have satisfied the conditions imposed on their re-enrolment, will not be asked to show cause at the end of that year.

3. In any year following their second year of full-time attendance or first four years of part-time attendance, if a candidate's academic record indicates failure in more than fifty percent of their total enrolment (as expressed in credit points), that candidate will be asked to show cause as to why the candidate should not be excluded from the Faculty.

4. TheDean may request that Faculty Board review the academic progress of any student who has an extremely poor academic performance in years subsequent to the end of the second year of attendance in the Faculty of Science and Mathematics. The use of this provision is at the discretion of the Dean.

5. If a candidate fails a semester subject for the second time, that candidate shall not be permitted to enrol again in that subject except with the permission of the Dean on the recommendation of the Head of Department offering that subject.

6. If a candidate fails a compulsory subject for the second time or fails four semester subjects twice that candidate will be asked to show cause as to why the candidate should not be excluded from the Faculty.

7. Candidates should note that a Terminating Pass can be awarded only at the 100 Level or 200 Level and that no more than four Terminating Passes may count in a candidate's program (equivalent to forty credit points), with no more than two (equivalent to twenty credit points) at the 200 Level.

8. In the case of a candidate enrolled in a Combined Degree course who fails to maintain a minimum of Credit level grades or better in fifty percent of the candidate's total enrolment in any one year, that candidate will be asked to show cause why a recommendation should not be made to the Admissions and Progression Committee that the candidate's enrolment in the combined degree course be terminated (i.e., the candidate be permitted to continue in a single degree only).

Note: Where there is a change in attendance status, two part-time years will be taken as the equivalent of one full-time year for the purposes of this policy.

### Requirements for Combined Law Degree Programs

Rule 12(1) of the Rules Governing Academic Awards states under the heading Combined Degree Programs:

Where so prescribed for a particular course, a candidate may complete the requirements for one Bachelor degree in conjunction with another Bachelor degree by completing a combined degree program approved by the Academic Senate on the advice of the Faculty Board and, where the other Bachelor degree is offered in another Faculty, the Faculty Board of that Faculty.

The Bachelor of Laws degree comprises subjects totalling 250 credit points. To satisfy the requirements for a combined Bachelor Arts/Bachelor of Laws degree candidates would follow the following program:

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To be read in conjunction with the above policy statements on Leave of Absence.

A student wishing to take leave of absence in a particular year normally can only be granted leave if she/he passes all subjects taken in the previous year which count towards the LL.B. As a result, decisions on application for leave of absence cannot be made until results for all students enrolled in the LL.B in that year have been determined.

Applications for leave of absence in a particular year cannot be considered if they are submitted after the end of the first week of the first semester of that year. This is a University wide requirement.

A student who is not granted leave of absence may still be absent from the course as the Faculty cannot require a student to re-enrol against that student’s wishes.

A student who is absent de facto, however, will not be guaranteed re-admission to the course in a particular year. The re-admission of such students will be determined in accordance with the Faculty’s policies on re-enrolment made under Rules governing the LL.B degree.

### Progress

The progress of each student enrolled in the LL.B program will be considered annually.

If a student fails a subject, that student will be required to meet with the Faculty Admissions and Progression Committee for discussion and/or counselling. Failure to attend such a meeting without reasonable excuse may result in the student’s not being permitted to re-enrol in the failed subject.

If a student fails a subject for the second time that student will be asked to show cause why she/he should not be excluded from the Faculty.

For progress requirements in a course taken in combination with the Bachelor of Laws, attention is drawn to the following policies of the Faculties of Arts, Economics and Commerce and Science and Mathematics.
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**Year 1**

**Bachelor of Arts Subjects**

- 40 credit points at 100 level

**Bachelor of Laws Subjects**

- 40 credit points at 100 level

**Year 2**

- 60 credit points at 200 level

- 20 credit points at 200 level

**Year 3**

- 50 credit points - 40 of which must be at 300 level in one Group A discipline

- 30 credit points - 20 at 300 level, 10 at 200 level

**Year 4**

- 80 credit points

**Year 5**

- 80 credit points

Total 240 credit points for the Bachelor of Arts and 250 credit points for the Bachelor of Laws.

Students transferring from the Bachelor of Arts degree program to the Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Laws degree program should note clause 3(1)(a) of the degree rules for the Bachelor of Arts:

- not more than 80 credit points at the 100 level may be counted towards the degree except that a candidate who has completed more than 40 credit points at the 100 level and who transfers to the combined Arts/Law program may count up to 100 credit points at the 100 level.

To satisfy the requirements for combined Bachelor of Commerce/Bachelor of Laws degrees or Bachelor of Economics/Bachelor of Laws degrees, candidates would follow the following program:

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Total 240 credit points for Bachelor of Economics or Bachelor of Commerce, 250 credit points for the Bachelor of Laws.

To satisfy the requirements for a combined Bachelor of Science/Bachelor of Laws degree candidates would follow the following program:

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Within the Bachelor of Science course a sequence of at least 20 credit points at the 100 level, 30 credit points at the 200 level and 40 credit points at the 300 level must be chosen from a single discipline.

Within the combined degree program there is a total of 170 credit points from Bachelor of Science subjects and 250 credit points from Bachelor of Laws subjects. It is proposed in the Bachelor of Science that credit be granted in 70 points of Bachelor of Laws subjects, thus taking the total Bachelor of Science credit points to 240.

**Note:**

Students undertaking courses in combination with the Bachelor of Laws should refer to the relevant Faculty Handbook for further information on degree Regulations and Faculty policies.
This subject will introduce students to the principles of criminal responsibility. Principles of sentencing and victim compensation will be considered.

The subject will have a clinical component. All students will observe and assist a practising lawyer in the preparation and presentation of both a plea in mitigation and a defended case in a Local Court.

**Materials**


**LLB201 Torts** 20cp

Lecturer: Associate Professor R.N. Watterson

Hours: Two 2-hour seminars per week for two semesters.

**Content**

This subject will introduce students to the rules of law which impose liability for civil wrongs. Both common law rules and statutory schemes will be considered in detail, with emphasis upon those areas of law most commonly encountered in daily life such as the tort of negligence. Remedies, and particularly the assessment of damages, will be covered in some depth.

The subject will have a clinical component. Students will undertake placement with a practising lawyer in a contract matter.

**Materials**


**LLB202 Property I** 10cp

Lecturer: Mr. M. Stuckey

Hours: Two 2-hour seminars per week for one semester.

**Content**

This subject will introduce students to the notion of property and interests in property. Topics covered will include the distinctions between real, personal and intangible property, the notions of title and ownership, the distinctions between legal and equitable interests in property, and the enforceability at law and in equity of proprietary interests.

**Materials**


**LLB301 Contracts** 20cp

Lecturer: Mrs. A. Finlay

Hours: Two 2-hour seminars per week for two semesters.

**Content**

This subject involves an examination of the principles of contract law including capacity, formation, privy, terms and conditions, discharge and remedies. Statutory modifications to common law principles will be considered.

The subject will have a clinical component. It is proposed that all students will be placed with a practising lawyer in a contract matter.

**Materials**


**COMPULSORY SUBJECTS OPTIONS A & B**

**LLB401 Constitutional Law I** 10cp

Not offered in 1994

Hours: Two 2-hour seminars per week for one semester.
### Faculty of Law

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| **LLB407 JURISPRUDENCE** | 10cp |
| Not offered in 1994 | |
| Hours | Two 2-hour seminars per week for one semester. |
| Content | This subject will introduce students to the legal rules governing the proof of facts in civil and criminal trials. Topics covered will include relevance, competence and compellability, kinds of evidence, the examination of witnesses, burdens and standards of proof, evidence of opinion, character and by document, illegally obtained evidence, the rule against hearsay and its exceptions, and res gestae. |

| **LLB405 EVIDENCE** | 10cp |
| Not offered in 1994 | |
| Hours | Two 2-hour seminars per week for one semester. |
| Content | This subject will introduce students to the legal rules governing the proof of facts in civil and criminal trials. Topics covered will include relevance, competence and compellability, kinds of evidence, the examination of witnesses, burdens and standards of proof, evidence of opinion, character and by document, illegally obtained evidence, the rule against hearsay and its exceptions, and res gestae. |

| **LLB406 COMPANY LAW** | 10cp |
| Not offered in 1994 | |
| Hours | Two 2-hour seminars per week for one semester. |
| Content | This subject will introduce students to the law relating to restrictive trade practices and to the consumer protection provisions in the *Trade Practices Act* and other legislation. The clinical component will include simulated exercises dealing with the incorporation process and the management of companies. Students will undertake placements which will provide exposure to the legal services provided to corporations. |
| Materials | To be advised. |

### LLB402 ADMINISTRATIVE LAW I 10cp

| Not offered in 1994 | |
| Hours | Two 2-hour seminars per week for one semester. |
| Content | This subject examines the exercise of statutory power by administrative agencies and officials and the means by which administrative decisions may be reviewed and challenged. A major focus of the subject will be the judicial review of administrative action but it will also examine extra-judicial redress such as ombudsmen and freedom of information legislation. |

| **LLB408 PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT** | 10cp |
| Not offered in 1994 | |
| Hours | Two 2-hour seminars per week for one semester. |
| Content | This subject will examine the role of the legal profession and the legal and ethical responsibilities of legal practitioners. There will be detailed consideration of the legal requirements imposed upon solicitors when dealing with trust accounts. Topics covered will include duties and conduct in relation to the law, the courts, clients and members of the legal profession, the history and organisation of the legal profession, the principles of trust accounting and the legal rules relating to trust accounting. |

| **LLB404 CIVIL PROCEDURE** | 10cp |
| Not offered in 1994 | |
| Hours | Two 2-hour seminars per week for one semester. |
| Content | This subject will introduce students to the notion of corporate personality and the regulation of corporations. Topics covered will include the incorporation process, the corporate constitution, the management and control of a company, methods of financing, company contracts and the processes of winding up a company. There will be comparison of the various means of conducting business in association such as companies, partnerships and co-operatives. |
| Materials | To be advised. |
### LLBS05 WILLS AND THE ADMINISTRATION OF ESTATES 10cp

**Not offered in 1994**

**Hours** Two 2-hour seminars per week for one semester, 4 clinical hours per week.

**Content**

The subject will introduce students to the law governing the passing of property upon death. Topics covered will include the nature and formalities of wills; testamentary capacity; the construction of wills; appointment of personal representatives; the rules of intestacy; grants of administration; and the powers and duties of personal representatives.

The clinical component will include simulated exercises dealing with the preparation of wills and applications for a grant of probate or letters of administration. Students will be placed with a legal practitioner in order to participate in the preparation of a will and applications to the Supreme Court for probate or letters of administration.

**Materials**


### LLBS07 CONVEYANCING 10cp

**Not offered in 1994**

**Hours** Two 2-hour seminars per week for one semester, 4 clinical hours per week.

**Content**

This subject will introduce students to the law and practice governing the transfer of interests in land. Topics covered will include requirements for a binding contract; detailed examination of the Law Society approved Contract of Sale; exchange; remedies available to vendor and purchaser upon breach; old system conveyancing; strata title conveyancing and residential and commercial tenancies.

The clinical component will include simulated exercises dealing with the preparation of contracts of sale through to settlement and the transfer of property interests. Students will be placed with a practising lawyer in order to assist in conveying transactions.

**Materials**

To be advised.

### LLBS08 COMMERCIAL LAW II 10cp

**Not offered in 1994**

**Hours** Two 2-hour seminars per week for two semesters, 4 clinical hours per week.

**Content**

This subject will build upon the materials covered in LLB40B. The classroom component will include an examination of the law and practice in relation to costs, and business and professional matters associated with the establishment and operation of a legal practice.

The clinical component will include simulated exercises in relation to ethical problems confronted by legal practitioners, and exercises pertaining to legal costs. Students will have access to trust accounts and they will, under appropriate supervision, assist in trust account dealings.

**Materials**

*Prescribed* - F. Riley, *N.S.W. Solicitors Manual*, Butterworths

### LLBS09 EMPLOYMENT LAW 10cp

**Not offered in 1994**

**Hours** Two 2-hour seminars per week for one semester, 4 clinical hours per week.

**Content**

This subject will introduce students to the multiplicity of laws governing the employment relationship. The focus will be upon individual employer/employee relations but there will be some reference to the collective aspects of the relationship. Topics covered will include common law rules dealing with the formation of a contract of employment; rights and duties of both parties; termination of the relationship and remedies for breach; workers' compensation; occupational health and safety legislation and antidiscrimination legislation.

**Materials**

To be advised.
section six
Master and Doctoral Degree Regulations

MASTER AND DOCTORAL DEGREE REGULATIONS
This section contains the Rules governing the following postgraduate degrees offered in the Faculty of Law:
Master of Laws
Doctor of Laws

RULES GOVERNING MASTERS DEGREES

PART I - GENERAL

2. In these Rules and the Schedules thereto, unless the context or subject matter otherwise indicates or requires:
   "Faculty Board" means the Faculty Board of the Faculty responsible for the course in which a person is enrolled or is proposing to enrol;
   "program" means the program of research and study prescribed in the Schedule;
   "Schedule" means the Schedule of these Rules pertaining to the course in which a person is enrolled or is proposing to enrol; and
   "thesis" means any thesis or dissertation submitted by a candidate.

3. These Rules shall not apply to degrees conferred honoris causa.

4. A degree of Master shall be conferred in one grade only.

2. An application for admission to candidature for a degree of Master shall be made on the prescribed form and lodged with the Secretary to the University by the prescribed date.

3. (1) To be eligible for admission to candidature an applicant shall:
   (a) have satisfied the requirements for admission to a degree of Bachelor in the University of Newcastle as specified in the Schedule; or
   (b) have satisfied such other requirements as may be specified in the Schedule.

4. A degree of Master shall be conferred on the application of the Faculty Board and the Chancellor against any decision made by the Dean.

5. The program shall be carried out:
   (a) under the guidance of a supervisor or supervisors either appointed by the Faculty Board or as otherwise prescribed in the Schedule; or
   (b) as the Faculty Board may otherwise determine.

6. Upon request by a candidate the Faculty Board may grant leave of absence from the course. Such leave shall not be taken into account in calculating the period for the program prescribed in the Schedule.

7. (1) A candidate may withdraw from a subject or course only by informing the Secretary to the University in writing and such withdrawal shall take effect from the date of receipt of such notification.

2. A candidate who withdraws from any subject after the relevant date shall be deemed to have failed in that subject unless granted permission by the Dean to withdraw without penalty. The relevant date shall be:
   (a) in the case of a subject offered only in the first semester, the Monday of the 9th week of first semester;
   (b) in the case of a subject offered only in the second semester, the Monday of the 9th week of second semester;
   (c) in the case of any other subject, the Monday of the 3rd week of second semester.

8. (1) If the Faculty Board is of the opinion that the candidate is not making satisfactory progress towards the degree then it may terminate the candidature or place such conditions on its continuation as it deems fit.

2. For the purpose of assessing a candidate's progress, the Faculty Board may require candidates to submit a report or reports on their progress.

3. A candidate against whom a decision of the Faculty Board has been made under Rule 8(1) of these Rules may request that the Faculty Board cause the case to be reviewed.

4. A candidate may appeal to the Vice-Chancellor against any decision made following the review under Rule 8(3) of these Rules.
9. In exceptional circumstances arising in a particular case, the Academic Senate, on the recommendation of the Faculty Board, may relax any provision of these Rules.

PART II - EXAMINATION AND RESULTS

10. The Examination Rules approved from time to time by the Council shall apply to all examinations with respect to a degree of Master with the exception of the examination of a thesis which shall be conducted in accordance with the provisions of Rules 12 to 16 inclusive of these Rules.

11. The Faculty Board shall consider the results in subjects, the reports of examiners and any other recommendations as prescribed in the Schedule and shall decide:
   (a) to recommend to the Council that the candidate be admitted to the degree; or
   (b) in a case where a thesis has been submitted, to permit the candidate to resubmit an amended thesis within twelve months of the date on which the candidate is advised of the result of the first examination or within such longer period of time as the Faculty Board may prescribe; or
   (c) to require the candidate to undertake such further oral, written or practical examinations as the Faculty Board may prescribe; or
   (d) not to recommend that the candidate be admitted to the degree, in which case the candidature shall be terminated.

PART III - PROVISIONS RELATING TO THESIS

12. (1) The subject of a thesis shall be approved by the Faculty Board on the recommendation of the Head of the Department in which the candidate is carrying out the research for the thesis.
   (2) The thesis shall not contain as its main content any work or material which has previously been submitted by the candidate for a degree in any tertiary institution unless the Faculty Board otherwise permits.

13. The candidate shall give to the Secretary to the University three months' written notice of intention to submit a thesis and such notice shall be accompanied by any prescribed fee.

14. (1) The candidate shall comply with the following provisions concerning the presentation of a thesis:
   (a) the thesis shall contain an abstract of approximately 200 words describing its content;
   (b) the thesis shall be typed and bound in a manner prescribed by the University;
   (c) three copies of the thesis shall be submitted together with:
      (i) a certificate signed by the candidate that the main content of the thesis has not been submitted by the candidate for a degree of any other tertiary institution; and
      (ii) a certificate signed by the supervisor indicating whether the candidate has completed the program and whether the thesis is of sufficient academic merit to warrant examination; and
   (iii) if the candidate so desires, any documents or published work of the candidate whether bearing on the subject of the thesis or not.
   (2) The Faculty Board shall determine the course of action to be taken should the certificate of the supervisor indicate that in the opinion of the supervisor the thesis is of not sufficient academic merit to warrant examination.

15. The University shall be entitled to retain the submitted copies of the thesis, accompanying documents and published work. The University shall be free to allow the thesis to be consulted or borrowed and, subject to the provisions of the Copyright Act, 1968 [Coun], may issue it in whole or any part in photocopy or microfilm or other copying medium.

16. (1) For each candidate two examiners, at least one of whom shall be an external examiner (being a person who is not a member of the staff of the University), shall be appointed either by the Faculty Board or otherwise as prescribed in the Schedule.
   (2) If the examiners' reports are such that the Faculty Board is unable to make any decision pursuant to Rule 11 of these Rules, a third examiner shall be appointed either by the Faculty Board or otherwise as prescribed in the Schedule.

SCHEDULE — MASTER OF LAWS

Classification

1. The degree of Master of Laws shall be a degree by research offered in the Faculty of Law.

Admission to Candidature

2. (1) An applicant for admission to candidature shall:
   (a) have satisfied the requirements for admission to the degree of Bachelor of Laws in the University of Newcastle or to a qualification considered equivalent at another university or tertiary institution approved for this purpose by the Committee; or
   (b) in exceptional cases, produce evidence of possessing such other qualifications as may be approved by the Committee.

3. Notwithstanding sub-clause (1) the Committee on the recommendation of the Head of the Department of Law may require an applicant to complete such prerequisite and/or corequisite studies as it may prescribe.

4. Applications for admission to candidature shall be considered by the Committee which may approve or reject any application.

5. Before an application for admission to candidature is approved, the Committee shall be satisfied that adequate supervision and facilities are available.

Qualification for the Degree

3. To qualify for admission to the degree a candidate shall complete to the satisfaction of the Committee a program consisting of the submission of a thesis embodying the result of the candidate's research.

Supervision

4. The work for the thesis shall be carried out under the direction of a supervisor or supervisors appointed by the Committee on the recommendation of the Head of the Department of Law.

Time Requirements

5. The program shall be completed:
   (a) in not less than two academic years except that in the case of a candidate who has satisfied the requirements for the Bachelor degree with Honours or who has had relevant research experience, the Committee on the recommendation of the Head of the Department of Law may reduce this period to not less than one academic year; and
   (b) except with the permission of the Committee, given on the recommendation of the Head of the Department of Law, not more than five years.

Examiners

6. Examiners for the thesis referred to in Rule 15(1) shall be appointed by the Committee on the recommendation of the Head of the Department of Law.

DOCTORAL DEGREES RULES

1. (a) These Rules are made in accordance with the powers vested in the Council and shall relate to the degrees of Doctor of Engineering, Doctor of Letters, Doctor of Science, Doctor of Medicine, Doctor of Philosophy, Doctor of Education and Doctor of Laws.
   (b) In order for a doctoral degree the candidate shall comply with the requirements for the degree as set out in the appropriate Schedule of these Rules.

2. In these Rules "Graduate Studies Committee" means the Graduate Studies Committee of Academic Senate.

3. These Rules shall not apply to degrees conferred honoris causa.

SCHEDULE I - HIGHER DOCTORAL DEGREES

Application of Schedule

1. This schedule shall apply to the degrees of Doctor of Engineering, Doctor of Laws, Doctor of Letters and Doctor of Science.

Eligibility for the degree

2. Eligibility for the degree shall be assessed on published work of the candidate although in special circumstances additional unpublished work...
work may be considered provided that these circumstances are recognised as sufficient by the Committee. The term "published work" shall mean work which has been printed in a periodical or as a pamphlet or as a book readily available to the public. The examiners shall have discretion to disregard any of the work submitted if, in their opinion, the work has not been so available for criticism.

**Admission to candidature**

3. An applicant for admission to candidature shall:
   (a) be a graduate of not less than eight years standing either:
      (i) of the University of Newcastle; or
      (ii) of another university, approved for this purpose by the Committee, who has carried out advanced study and research in the University of Newcastle for a period of not less than three years; and
   (b) have made an original contribution or contributions of distinguished merit adding to the knowledge or understanding of any branch of learning with which the Faculty in which the applicant proposes to become a candidate is concerned.

**Application for admission to candidature**

4. (1) A written application for admission to candidature setting out full details of the applicant's academic qualifications shall be lodged with the Academic Registrar and shall include:
   (a) a list of published work proposed to be submitted in the event that candidature is approved;
   (b) a short discourse describing the research embodied in such work and making clear the extent of originality and the candidate's part in any collaborative work;
   (c) the names of three people whose advice as referees may be sought.

(2) The application shall be considered by the Committee which in determining the acceptability of the candidature may seek such other advice as it deems fit.

**Submission for the degree**

5. Upon admission to candidature the candidate shall, within one year, submit to the Committee:
   (a) four copies of all the work listed in the application;
   (b) four copies of any additional work, published or unpublished, which the candidate may desire to submit in support of the candidature; and
   (c) a Statutory Declaration indicating those sections of the work, if any, which have been accepted previously in partial fulfilment of the requirements for a degree or diploma in any university.

**Examination**

6. (1) The Committee shall appoint three examiners of whom at least two shall not be members of the staff of the University.

(2) The examiners may require the candidate to answer further oral or written questions concerning the submitted work.

**SCHEDULE II - RULES FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY**

1. An applicant for admission to candidature for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy shall:
   (a) have satisfied all the requirements for admission to the degree of Master or the degree of Bachelor with first or second class honours in the University of Newcastle or a degree from another university approved for this purpose by the Graduate Studies Committee; or
   (b) have satisfied all the requirements for admission to the degree of Bachelor with first class honours or the ordinary degree of Bachelor in the University of Newcastle or a degree from another university approved for this purpose by the Graduate Studies Committee, and have achieved by subsequent work and study a standard recognised by the Graduate Studies Committee as equivalent to at least second class honours; or
   (c) in exceptional cases submit such other evidence of general and professional qualifications as may be approved by the Academic Senate.

2. Before approving an application to candidature the Graduate Studies Committee:
   (a) shall be satisfied that the applicant can devote sufficient time to advanced study and research; and
   (b) may require an applicant to sit for such examinations or carry out such work as the Committee may prescribe.

3. Upon admission to candidature the candidate shall enrol and shall pursue a program of advanced study and research (which in these requirements shall be referred to as "the program") prescribed by the Graduate Studies Committee for not less than three nor more than five consecutive years or such different period as the Graduate Studies Committee may approve, provided that in no case shall the period be less than two years.

4. (a) The program shall be carried out in the University under the direction of a supervisor or supervisors appointed by the Graduate Studies Committee on the recommendation of the Head of the Department or Division in which the candidate is to carry out the research.

   (b) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (a) of this section, a candidate may be granted special permission by the Graduate Studies Committee to spend a period of not more than one year in research at another institution approved by the Graduate Studies Committee.

5. The candidate and the supervisor shall submit to the Graduate Studies Committee annual reports on the candidate's progress. If after considering these reports, the Committee is of the opinion that the candidate is not making satisfactory progress towards the degree the Committee may terminate the candidature or place such conditions on the continuation of the candidature as it deems fit.

6. Not later than one year after admission to candidature the candidate shall submit the subject of a thesis for approval by the Graduate Studies Committee. After the subject has been approved it may be changed only with the permission of the Graduate Studies Committee.

7. On completing the program every candidate shall submit a thesis which complies with the following requirements:
   (a) the greater proportion of the work described must have been completed by the candidate subsequent to admission to candidature for the degree;
   (b) it must be a significant contribution to the knowledge of the subject;
   (c) it must be written in English or in a language approved by the Graduate Studies Committee and reach a satisfactory standard of literary presentation;
   (d) it must consist of the candidate's own account of the research undertaken by the candidate. In special cases work done conjointly with other persons may be accepted provided the Graduate Studies Committee is satisfied on the candidate's part in the joint research; and
   (e) it must not contain as its main content any work or material which has previously been submitted for a university degree or other similar qualification unless the Graduate Studies Committee otherwise permits.

8. The candidate shall give in writing to the Secretary three months' notice of intention to submit the thesis and such notice shall be accompanied by any prescribed fee.

9. The candidate shall comply with the following provisions concerning the presentation of the thesis:
   (a) the thesis shall contain an abstract of approximately 300 words describing its content;
   (b) the thesis shall be typed and bound in a manner prescribed by the University;
   (c) four copies of the thesis shall be submitted together with:
      (i) if the candidate so desires, any documents or work published by the candidate whether bearing on the subject of the thesis or not; and
      (ii) a report from the supervisor advising that the candidate has completed the prescribed program and certifying that the thesis is of sufficient academic
merit to warrant examination, provided that if the supervisor is unwilling to give such a certificate the candidate may nevertheless request that the thesis be accepted for examination.

10. The University shall be entitled to retain the submitted copies of the thesis, accompanying documents and published work. The University shall be free to allow the thesis to be consulted or borrowed. Subject to the provisions of the Copyright Act (1968) the University may issue the thesis in whole or any part in photostat or microfilm or other copying medium.

11. The Graduate Studies Committee shall appoint three examiners of whom at least two shall not be members of the staff of the University.

12. The candidate may be required by the Graduate Studies Committee to undertake further oral, written or practical examinations concerning the subject of the thesis or work.

13. A candidate permitted by the Graduate Studies Committee to resubmit a thesis for examination shall do so within a period of one year from the date on which the candidate is advised of the result of the first examination.

14. In exceptional circumstances arising in a particular case the Academic Senate on the recommendation of the Graduate Studies Committee may relax any requirement of this Schedule.

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**Section Seven**

**Subject Computer Numbers**

The subjects selected should be written on the enrolment form in the following manner.

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Advanced Technology Centre
Animal House
Architecture
Architecture Drawing Studios
Art
Aviation
Behavioural Sciences Building
Biological Sciences
Bowman Building
BSC Building (Red Square)
CALT - (Centre for Advanced Learning & Teaching)
Centres
Chancellery (Central Administration)
Chemistry Building
Child Care Centre - Kinabe
Child Care Centre - Work Based
Children's Centre - Worrawa
Commonwealth Bank
Computing and Information Sciences
Design Building
Drama Studios
Drama Theatre
Education
Edwards Hall
Engineering Administration
Engineering Bulk Sales
Engineering Chemical & Materials
Engineering Civil & Surveying
Engineering Classrooms
Engineering Electrical & Computer
Engineering Mechanical
Engineering Science (D W George)
Evatt House
Erskine Theatre
Erskine Theatre Annexe
Evans Building
Graduate Studies
Great Hall
Griffin Dunstan Theatre
Hunter Building
Hunters Technology Centre
International House
Lecture Theatre: B
Lecture Theatre: Bushan
Lecture Theatre: E
Library - Auchmuty
Library - Huxley
Maintenance Workshop
Mathematics Building
Medical Sciences Building
MCM Print Building
Physics Building
Richardson Wing
Security
Science Building
Sculpture Workshop
Social Sciences Building
Special Education Centre
Sports Centre - Auchmuty
Sports Centre - Huxley
Sports Gymnasium - Hunter
Spa Pool
Staff House
Temporary Office Buildings
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TUNRA Annex
University Union - Hunter
University Union - Shortland
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Wetlands Pavilion

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