

HKU-UCL Dual Degree Program in Law

Admissions

- Through HKU:
 - IB does not include bonus points
 - 3 HL and 3 SL, score of 19 at HL (Chinese A preferred)
 - No early admissions/ Fast Track option
 - Math 1/2 won't count as part of core
 - Will do interview if personal consideration and deemed necessary (non-JUPAS will most likely be interviewed)
 - double check later for HKU if they require LNAT
 - HKU will automatically consider you for local regular LLB program if you do not make into dual program (same course code)
 - HKU scholarships available if applied through HKU; Swire scholarships + government scholarships
 - 90-100 applications last year
- UCL entry:
 - LNAT required; entry essay mandatory
 - 39/45 for UCL, prefer traditional subjects, HK alumni 12000 pounds
 - No interview for UCL
- Cannot apply to BOTH (will completely disqualify application) but can apply for dual through HKU and then do UCL 3 year

Program

- 2 LLB degrees
- Qualifies for PCLL in HK or PC in London
- Same thing as 3 year UCL and 4 year HKU law programs
- All students to start in UK and then come to HK in year 3
- UCL - taught in small groups (8 person per class maximum); encourages extracurriculars, give own opinion, point of view
- Placement at Centre of Access to Justice (mandatory), opportunity to speak at tribunals, experiential learning, clinical education arm of UCL; provides opportunity to apply classroom knowledge,
- More attractive to international law firms

Additional Details from Launch Event on September 10, 2016:

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First intake: September 2016
Annual intake quota : 5 for each university
Duration : 4-year full-time

- ▶ Year 1 & 2 – UCL
- ▶ Year 3 & 4 – HKU

HKU Scholarships (based on merit)

Entry Requirements:

JUPAS

- ✓ At least an average score of HKDSE 36 in 4C+2X
- ✓ 5 or above in each of DSE subjects

Non-JUPAS

- ✓ IB: Minimum 39/42 (at least 6 in each subject)
- ✓ GCEAL: Minimum A*A A
- ✓ Equivalent standard in an alternative qualification which satisfies HKU entry requirements.

Application procedures via HKU

- Either apply to HKU Faculty of Law through JUPAS¹ or non-JUPAS² and submit an internal online application at <https://www.law.hku.hk/hkuucl/>:

- ¹ Choose LLB (JS6406) as one of the Band A choices
- ² Choose LLB (6406) as the first choice

- Deadline – tentatively January 2017
- Duplicate applications to both HKU and UCL not allowed. Eligibility will be disqualified.
- Conditional offers may be issued from February onwards.
- Invitation for applications for 2017 Admissions will up on the website soon.

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Programme Structure (300 credits)

UCL (Yr 1 and 2)

Equivalent of HKU 132 credits

- ▶ Yr 1 Contract Law
- ▶ Criminal Law
- ▶ Property Law I
- ▶ Public Law
- ▶ Summer Internship (Ctr for Access to Justice)
- ▶ Yr 2
- ▶ European Union Law
- ▶ Jurisprudence and Legal Theory
- ▶ Property Law II
- ▶ Tort Law

HKU (Yr 3 and 4)

HKU 168 credits

- ▶ Compulsory law courses (54 credits)
- ▶ Practical Chinese for law students (6 credits)
- ▶ Common core courses (24 credits)
- ▶ Disciplinary law electives (30 credits)
- ▶ Electives (30 credits)
- ▶ Dissertation (12 credits)
- ▶ Vocational Internship (12 credits) (summer)