

LAWS70376 Sports Dispute Resolution

Credit Points:	12.5								
Level:	7 (Graduate/Postgraduate)								
Dates & Locations:	2016, Parkville This subject commences in the following study period/s: April, Parkville - Taught on campus. This subject has a quota of 30 students. Please refer to the Melbourne Law Masters website for further information about the management of subject quotas and waitlists.								
Time Commitment:	Contact Hours: 24-26 hours Total Time Commitment: 136-150 hours The pre-teaching period commences four weeks before the subject commencement date. From this time, students are expected to access and review the Reading Guide that will be available from the LMS subject page and the subject materials provided by the subject coordinator, which will be available from Melbourne Law School. Refer to the Reading Guide for confirmation of which resources need to be read and what other preparation is required before the teaching period commences.								
Prerequisites:	Melbourne Law Masters Students: None JD Students: Successful completion of the below subject and relevant work experience in this field: <table><tr><td>Subject</td><td>Study Period Commencement:</td><td>Credit Points:</td></tr><tr><td>LAWS50027 Dispute Resolution</td><td>Semester 1</td><td>12.5</td></tr></table>			Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:	LAWS50027 Dispute Resolution	Semester 1	12.5
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Corequisites:	None								
Recommended Background Knowledge:	Applicants without legal qualifications should note that subjects are offered in the discipline of law at an advanced graduate level. While every effort will be made to meet the needs of students trained in other fields, concessions will not be made in the general level of instruction or assessment. Most subjects assume the knowledge usually acquired in a degree in law (LLB, JD or equivalent). Applicants should note that admission to some subjects in the Melbourne Law Masters will be dependent upon the individual applicant's educational background and professional experience.								
Non Allowed Subjects:	None								
Core Participation Requirements:	The Melbourne Law Masters welcomes applications from students with disabilities. The inherent academic requirements for study in the Melbourne Law Masters are: The ability to attend a minimum of 75% of classes and actively engage in the analysis and critique of complex materials and debate; The ability to read, analyse and comprehend complex written legal materials and complex interdisciplinary materials; The ability to clearly and independently communicate in writing a knowledge and application of legal principles and interdisciplinary materials and to critically evaluate these; The ability to clearly and independently communicate orally a knowledge and application of legal principles and interdisciplinary materials and critically evaluate these; The ability to work independently and as a part of a group; The ability to present orally and in writing legal analysis to a professional standard. Students who feel their disability will inhibit them from meeting these inherent academic requirements are encouraged to contact Student Equity and Disability Support.								
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Subject Overview:	<p>The resolution of sports disputes has become more formalised and complex over the past two decades, especially with the emergence of international bodies such as the Court of Arbitration for Sport. The importance of understanding the legal principles, processes and skills of sports dispute resolution has never been greater. The lecturer brings to this subject an impressive knowledge and experience in the theoretical and practical aspects of sports dispute resolution at national and international levels.</p> <p>Principal topics include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # The legal principles (substantive and procedural) that comprise the 'ius ludorum' (law of games) # Types of sport resolution procedures (domestic and international) # Techniques for effective advocacy and decision-making in sports dispute resolution.
Learning Outcomes:	<p>A student who has successfully completed this subject will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # Understand the general legal principles (substantive and procedural) applicable to the resolution of sporting disputes # Understand techniques applied in the resolution of sporting disputes # Have developed skills to effectively engage in sports dispute resolution.
Assessment:	Four classroom exercises and written responses (50%) to be submitted on days 1, 2, 4 and 5 5,000 word research paper (50%) (13 July) on a topic approved by the subject coordinator A minimum of 75% attendance is a hurdle requirement.
Prescribed Texts:	Specialist printed materials will be made available free of charge from the Melbourne Law School prior to the pre-teaching period.
Breadth Options:	This subject is not available as a breadth subject.
Fees Information:	Subject EFTSL, Level, Discipline & Census Date, http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees
Links to further information:	www.law.unimelb.edu.au/subject/LAWS70376/2016
Related Course(s):	Graduate Diploma in Dispute Resolution Graduate Diploma in Legal Studies Graduate Diploma in Sports Law Juris Doctor Master of Commercial Law Master of Laws Master of Public and International Law