

730-768 Regulation and the Law

Credit Points:	12.500
Level:	Graduate/Postgraduate
Dates & Locations:	2008, This subject commences in the following study period/s: Semester 1, - Taught on campus.
Time Commitment:	Contact Hours: 24 - 26 contact hours per subject. Total Time Commitment: The time commitment for this subject depends on the candidate's background and experience.
Prerequisites:	N.A.
Corequisites:	N.A.
Recommended Background Knowledge:	None
Non Allowed Subjects:	None
Core Participation Requirements:	N.A.
Coordinator:	Professor Terence Daintith
Subject Overview:	<p>Objectives:</p> <p>A candidate who has successfully completed the subject should:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # Understand the phenomenon of regulation as an activity of government # Be able to show how law prompts, shapes, implements and controls regulation # Understand the general concepts and issues in the field of regulation # Be able to apply these understandings in the analysis of substantive areas of law and policy. <p>Syllabus:</p> <p>Principal topics will include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # What is regulation? # Development of the regulatory state # Why regulate? Explanations and justifications # Forms and techniques of regulation # Problems in regulatory design # The Australian regulatory environment: Federal structure; coordination and competition among regulatory jurisdictions; impacts of international regulation # Public utility regulation # Evaluating regulation: Legitimacy, legality, accountability, fairness, efficiency, effectiveness.
Assessment:	Examination 1 hour (25%) (18 April, pm) Research paper 7,500 words (75%) (5 June) (topic approved by the subject coordinator)
Prescribed Texts:	Core subject materials will be provided free of charge to all students. Some subjects require further texts to be purchased. Please visit the subject homepage on the Melbourne Law Masters website by following the link at the bottom of this subject entry.
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
Generic Skills:	Please see the Subject Objectives for this information.

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