

730-838 Copyright 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. Semester 2, - 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:	Dr David Brennan Prof Graeme Austin
Subject Overview:	<p>Objectives:</p> <p>A candidate who has successfully completed the subject should:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # Understand the structure of the Australian copyright system and its economic and social rationales # Understand the nature of the international copyright system # Understand and apply the principles relating to copyright protection in Australia. <p>Syllabus:</p> <p>Principal topics will include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # The evolution and theory of the national and international copyright system # The material protected by copyright # The duration of protection # The rights granted by copyright Infringement of copyright, including defences and available remedies # Ownership, licensing and assignment of copyright # Moral rights and their infringement Technological and other collateral forms of protection # The international copyright conventions.
Assessment:	Take-home examination (100%) Semester 1: 27 July Semester 2: 12-17 November
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.
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