

Socio-Legal Studies

Year and Campus:	2015												
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Overview:	Please note that PD-ARTS Postgraduate Diploma in Arts will no longer be accepting new applications as of the 1st January 2015, the program from 2015 will be offered as GDA-ARTS Graduate Diploma in Arts (Advanced). Please refer to the correct handbook entry for program information for commencing students from 2015. See program overview												
Learning Outcomes:	Students who complete the Postgraduate Diploma in Arts in this area of specialisation should: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # understand the social, political and historical context of law and legal process; # have developed a specialized knowledge in an area of socio-legal studies; # appreciate the problems of legal reform; # gain a deep conceptual understanding of the relationship between law and society; # be able to critically and constructively discuss the role of law in society; # gain a high level of critical thinking and analysis and a high standard of academic writing; # be equipped to engage in creative and methodologically rigorous, independent and high quality research, integrating theoretical and empirical analysis. 												
Structure & Available Subjects:	The Postgraduate Diploma in Arts in this area of specialisation requires: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # thesis (50 points) # one compulsory subject (12.5 points) # three elective subjects (37.5 points) <p>Total 100 points</p> <p>Please note: the thesis must be taken over two consecutive semesters</p>												
Subject Options:	<p>Thesis Subject 50 points</p> <p>Please note: the thesis must be taken over two consecutive semesters</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Subject</th> <th>Study Period Commencement:</th> <th>Credit Points:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>SOLS40001 Socio-Legal Studies Thesis</td> <td>Semester 1, Semester 2</td> <td>25</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Compulsory Subject 12.5 points</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Subject</th> <th>Study Period Commencement:</th> <th>Credit Points:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>POLS40013 Social Science Research Seminar</td> <td>February</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Elective Subjects 37.5 points</p>	Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:	SOLS40001 Socio-Legal Studies Thesis	Semester 1, Semester 2	25	Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:	POLS40013 Social Science Research Seminar	February	12.50
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	CRIM40003 Drugs and Justice	Semester 2	12.50
	CRIM40005 The New Punitiveness?	July	12.50
	CRIM90004 Taming Business? Crime, Law and Politics	Semester 1	12.50
	CRIM90006 Criminology and Sociology Internship	Semester 1, Semester 2	12.50
	CRIM90007 Genocide, State Crime and the Law	Semester 2	12.50
	CRIM90008 Sovereignty, Justice, Indigenous Peoples	March	12.50
	CRIM90009 Judging Crime	Semester 1	12.50
	CRIM90011 Research and Criminal Justice Governance	July	12.50
	CRIM90020 Framing Crime	July	12.50
	MULT50002 Indigenous Peoples in Global Context	February	12.50
	POLS40002 Australian Politics:Democracy & Justice	Semester 1	12.50
	POLS40004 Justice, Democracy and Difference	Semester 1	12.50
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Related Course(s):	Postgraduate Diploma in Arts		