

LAW CONVERSION COURSE COMPARISON

Course	Entry requirements	Course length	Course content	Fees*	Postgraduate Master's Loan funding	Scholarships and Bursaries	Course progression	Possible career outcomes
Postgraduate Diploma in Law (PgDL)	2:2 or above in any discipline (or equivalent)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Full-time • Part-time 	<p>This course allows you to develop the key intellectual and personal skills required by lawyers, alongside skills required to pass professional examinations for qualification as a solicitor.</p> <p>Modules include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foundations of legal knowledge. • Law of Organisations. • Skills & Behaviours. 	From £10,950	No	Yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LLM Legal Practice (SQE1&2) ; or • SQE1 Preparation Course ; or • Bar Practice Course (BPC) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Solicitor ; or • Barrister
MA Law (Conversion)	2:2 or above in any discipline (or equivalent)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Full-time • Part-time 	<p>This course allows you to develop the key intellectual and personal skills required by lawyers, alongside skills required to pass professional examinations for qualification as a solicitor.</p> <p>By studying a Master's degree you could be eligible for a Postgraduate Master's Loan worth up to £11,570.</p> <p>Modules include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foundations of legal knowledge. • • Law of Organisations. • Skills & Behaviours. <p>Plus 8,000 word dissertation in</p>	From £12,700	Yes	Yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LLM Legal Practice (SQE1&2) ; or • SQE1 Preparation Course ; or • Bar Practice Course (BPC) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Solicitor ; or • Barrister ; or • Employers in a variety of disciplines
MA Law (SQE1)	2:2 or above in any discipline (or equivalent)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Full-time • Part-time 	<p>Law.</p> <p>This course allows you to develop the key intellectual and personal skills required by lawyers, alongside skills required to pass professional examinations for qualification as a solicitor.</p> <p>By studying a Master's degree you could be eligible for a Postgraduate Master's Loan worth up to £11,570.</p> <p>Modules include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foundations of legal knowledge. • Law of Organisations. • Skills & Behaviours. • SQE1 (Functioning Legal Knowledge 1&2). <p>Plus free SQE1 Exam Preparation Course.</p>	From £13,950	Yes	Yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SQE2 Preparation Course • Bar Practice Course (BPC)* 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Solicitor ; or • Employers in a variety of disciplines
SQE Law Essentials	None required	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Full-time • Part-time 	<p>Preparation for the academic modules covered in the SQE1 assessment – Functioning Legal Knowledge (FLK).</p> <p>This course does not lead to an academic award.</p>	£3,900	No	No	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LLM Legal Practice (SQE1&2) ; or • SQE1 Preparation Course 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Solicitor

*the MA Law (SQE1) is designed to prepare non-law graduates for the solicitors' SQE1 assessment. A student can also move onto the BPC after completing MA Law (SQE1), but the PgDL and MA Law (Conversion) are more appropriate courses for future barristers'