

	Law School
Diploma Policy	<p>The Law School confers a juris doctor degree (professional qualification) to a student who has been enrolled for the requisite duration and earned the minimum required number of credits (3 years at 96 credits for students who have not studied law; 2 years and 70 credits for students who have studied law), developed the requisite basic expertise for functioning as a jurist or legal professional, and gained the ability to apply said knowledge.</p>
Curriculum Policy	<p>In order to establish a systematic, high-quality educational environment, the Law School guides students through the process of learning both knowledge-intensive legal interpretation from research faculty and instructors with professional careers in their subject areas and legal interpretation with a basis in factual organization. Through this approach, the Law School provides an education that enables students to deal with the diverse range of problems occurring in contemporary society, offers a curriculum with a focus on establishing a strong base of knowledge, and thereby nurtures high-quality jurists.</p> <p>After developing an understanding of the basic frameworks of thought and engaging in repeated, ongoing practice with argumentation techniques in years 1 and 2, students examine case studies at the forefront of the field, develop the ability to identify problems, and hone their problem-solving skills in years 2 and 3. By focusing on repeating the basics to establish a solid foundation, the curriculum thus provides a systematic learning framework that enables students to develop advanced application abilities effectively with strong roots in the fundamentals of law.</p> <p>In line with the above policy, the educational curriculum of the Law School is built around four subject groups: Basic Law Subjects (in fields related to constitutional law, administrative law, civil law, commercial law, civil procedural law, criminal law, and criminal procedural law), Practical Basic Law Subjects (in basic fields related to skills required of jurists, the responsibilities of jurists and other topics pertaining to legal practice), Basic Law and Neighboring Subjects (in fields related to basic law and fields with connections to law), and Expanded and Specialized Subjects (in a variety of fields related to leading-edge elements of law and other topics in positive law).</p>
Admission Policy	