SYLLABUS FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF LAWS (LLB) AWARDED IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (LAW) [BBA(LAW)]

This syllabus applies to graduates of the 4-year BBA(Law) who are admitted to the 1-year LLB curriculum in the academic year 2016-2017 and thereafter.

(The full 5-year curriculum is set out below for easy reference. Please consult the full regulations and syllabuses of the BBA(Law) curriculum for details. For the LLB degree, please also refer to the syllabus of the 4-year LLB for the full list and description of law courses available)

Unless otherwise determined by the Head of the Department of Law and/or the Director of the School of Business (as the case may be), the syllabuses of the 5-year double degrees of BBA(Law) and LLB are as follows:

First year (60 credits for candidates with ‡ or without Professional Core in Accounting)

Faculty of Business and Economics (18 credits)

- ACCT1101 Introduction to financial accounting (6 credits)
- ECON1210 Introduction to economics I (6 credits)
- STAT1602 Business statistics OR STAT1603 Introductory statistics (6 credits)

‡For candidates with Professional Core in Accounting

Faculty of Business and Economics (18 credits)

- ACCT1101 Introduction to financial accounting (6 credits)
- ECON1210 Introduction to economics I (6 credits)
- STAT1602 Business statistics OR STAT1603 Introductory statistics (6 credits)

Faculty of Law (30 credits)

- LLAW1001 Law of contract I (6 credits)
- LLAW1002 Law of contract II (6 credits)
- LLAW1008 The legal system (6 credits)
- LLAW1009 Law and society (6 credits)
- LLAW1013 Legal research and writing I † (6 credits)

Other courses (12 credits)

- CAES1000 Core University English ² (6 credits)
- CCxxxxxx Common Core Courses ³ (6 credits)

† A pass in both “LLAW1013 Legal research and writing I” and “LLAW2017 Legal research and writing II” shall be deemed to satisfy the “English in the Discipline” requirement under UG 5(a) of the Regulations for First Degree Curricula.

² Candidates who have achieved Level 5** in English Language in the HKDSE or equivalent are exempted but must take an elective in lieu.

³ Candidates shall select not more than one course (6 credits) from the same Area of Inquiry within one academic year and at least one course (6 credits) and not more than two courses (12 credits) from each Area of Inquiry during the first three years of study.
Second year (60 credits for candidates with† or without Professional Core in Accounting)

Faculty of Business and Economics (24 credits)

Business Core courses (12 credits)* – Principles of management, Management information systems or Introduction to marketing
FINA1310 Corporate finance (6 credits)
xxxxxxxxxx Business Major – core or elective courses (6 credits)

†For candidates with Professional Core in Accounting

Faculty of Business and Economics (30 credits)

Business Core courses (6 credits)* – Principles of management, Management information systems or Introduction to marketing
ACCT2102 Intermediate financial accounting I (6 credits)
ACCT2105 Introduction to management accounting (6 credits)
FINA1310 Corporate finance (6 credits)
IIMT3636 Decision and risk analysis I (6 credits)

Faculty of Law (18 credits)

LLAW1005 Law of tort I (6 credits)
LLAW1006 Law of tort II (6 credits)
LLAW2017 Legal research and writing II (6 credits)

Other courses (12 or 18 credits)

CCxxxxxx Common Core Courses (12 credits)
xxxxxxxxxx Free elective (6 credits) – for candidates without Professional Core in Accounting

Third year (60 credits for candidates with† or without Professional Core in Accounting)

Faculty of Business and Economics (12 credits)

Business Core courses (6 credits)* – Principles of management, Management information systems or Introduction to marketing
xxxxxxxxxx Business Major – core or elective courses (6 credits)

†For candidates with Professional Core in Accounting

Faculty of Business and Economics (24 credits)

Business Core courses (12 credits)* – Principles of management, Management information systems or Introduction to marketing
ACCT3103 Intermediate financial accounting II (6 credits)
ACCT3106 Management control (6 credits)
Faculty of Law (12 credits)

LLAW2012 Commercial law** (6 credits)
LLAW3010 Business associations*** (6 credits)

Other courses (24 or 36 credits)

CBBL9001 Practical Chinese for BBA(Law) students (6 credits)
CCxxxxxx Common Core Courses¹ (18 credits)
xxxxxxxxxx Free electives (12 credits) – for candidates without Professional Core in Accounting

* For Year 2 and 3, candidates can determine the sequence in taking these three Business Core courses: IIMT2601 Management information systems, MGMT2401 Principles of management, and MKTG2501 Introduction to marketing.

** For candidates who will pursue exchange studies, these courses may be taken in Year 3 or Year 4.

Fourth year (60 credits for candidates with† or without Professional Core in Accounting)

Faculty of Business and Economics (18 credits)

STRA4701 Strategic management (Capstone course of BBA(Law)) (6 credits)
xxxxxxxxxx Business Major – core or elective courses (12 credits)

† For candidates with Professional Core in Accounting

Faculty of Business and Economics (36 credits)

ACCT3107 Hong Kong taxationº (6 credits)
ACCT3109 Auditing (6 credits)
ACCT4104 Advanced financial accounting (6 credits)
FINA2320 Investment and portfolio analysis (6 credits)
STRA4701 Strategic management (Capstone course of BBA(Law)) (6 credits)
xxxxxxxxxx FBE elective (6 credits)

Faculty of Law (24 credits)

LLAW3203 Guided research‡ (6 credits) or LLAW3187 Mooting and dispute resolution (6 credits) §§ (Capstone for legal studies major)
LLAWxxxx Law electives (18 credits)

º Alternatively, ACCT3107 Hong Kong taxation can be taken in the summer semester proceeding from Year 3 to Year 4, subject to course offerings in that summer semester.

† or a Law Designated Research course as approved by the Department of Law.

‡ For candidates who will not pursue the 1-Year LLB curriculum.

§§ For candidates who will continue to pursue the 1-Year LLB curriculum after having successfully completed the BBA(Law) curriculum.

Other courses (18 credits)

xxxxxxxxxx Free electives (18 credits) – for candidates without Professional Core in Accounting
Fifth year (final year of the LLB) (72 credits)

LLAW3094 Equity and trusts I (6 credits)
LLAW3095 Equity and trusts II (6 credits)
LLAW3203 Guided research\* (6 credits)
LLAWxxxx Law electives\‡ (54 credits)

\‡ or a Law Designated Research course as approved by the Department of Law.

\* required for candidates who have taken and completed the Mooting course in their fourth year of study.

[In order to meet the requirements for the LLB, candidates shall complete the following courses in Year 4 and 5, as Law electives:

LLAW2001 Constitutional law (6 credits)
LLAW2003 Criminal law I (6 credits)
LLAW2004 Criminal law II (6 credits)
LLAW2009 Introduction to Chinese law (6 credits)
LLAW2013 Land law I (6 credits)
LLAW2014 Land law II (6 credits)
LLAW3001 Introduction to legal theory (6 credits)
LLAW3093 Administrative law (6 credits)

In addition, the following courses are recommended Law electives (as PCLL pre-requisites):

LLAW3097 Civil procedure (6 credits)
LLAW3099 Criminal procedure (6 credits)
LLAW3102 Evidence I (6 credits)
LLAW3105 Land law III (conveyancing) (6 credits)]

\# Candidates can choose to declare a specialisation by completing at least 36 credits of law electives listed under one of the following areas: Chinese law; Commercial, corporate and financial law; International trade and economic law.

The method for calculation of the honours classification for the degree of Bachelor of Laws awarded in conjunction with the degree of Bachelor of Business Administration (Law) is being finalized by the Faculties and will be subject to the University’s consideration. Such information will be announced to students upon approval by the University.