




**University  
of Bolton**

Teaching Intensive, Research Informed

School of  
**Law**

THE TIMES &  
SUNDAY TIMES  
GOOD UNIVERSITY  
GUIDE 2019

**1st**

IN THE UK FOR  
STUDENT EXPERIENCE

**LAW**

Why choose to study at

# Bolton?



# It's simple...

We pride ourselves on our **teaching quality**

**4th**

in the UK for Teaching Quality | The Times & Sunday Times

We focus on providing a **positive student experience**

**1st**

in the North West for Student Satisfaction | Complete University Guide 2020

University education as it should be

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hidden extras, all the tools for your course\*

We don't just **invest in you!**

Great facilities to enhance your learning experience

The university also has links with different law firms which can **help me build my experience** and **prepare me for my future career**. I love the Moot Court where you practice.



**Shabahn Jaza**

Student Law & President of the Student Law Society

The vibrant School of Law offers courses in both law and criminal justice. Our excellent facilities provide the right environment for our students to learn, including a courtroom, a Legal Advice Centre, an independent law library for students and the support of an eminent line-up of academic and external professors, including practising solicitors, barristers and judges.

Excellent links with local employers are equally complemented by our student support scheme, through personal tutors, student liaison officers, peer mentors and our central student services.

Our LL.B (Hons) Law course will provide you with the professional competencies of functioning legal knowledge and applied skills as required for the Solicitor's Qualifying Examination (overseen by the

Solicitors Regulation Authority) to become a solicitor in England and Wales. It also satisfies the Academic Stage of training to become a barrister in accordance with the Bar Standards Board and allows you to proceed to the vocational stage of training.

Our Centre for Contemporary Coronial Law, launched in 2016, is now approaching its 4th year. In addition, The University of Bolton's Legal Advice Centre launched in September 2019, where Law students are guaranteed a work placement and can put their acquired skills into practice by assisting members of the public with their legal enquiries.

Finally, our crime and criminal justice course is recognised by leading crime and victim agencies.

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## Courses:

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# Crime & Criminal Justice

The criminal justice sector offers a wide range of rewarding and challenging careers. We work in collaboration with criminal justice partners including Her Majesty's Prison and Probation Service, the Home Office, Police Services & UK Border Force, whose role is to investigate, collate intelligence, enforce compliance of British legislation and manage offenders.

The course allows you to **learn and explore** different types of law, and be assessed in a variety of ways.

## + Course highlights

## Speak to a lecturer (we are here to help)

On the criminal justice course you will embrace critical thinking to investigate individual, social, legal and political forces that shape crime and how it is controlled. Theory is supported by practice in crime causation, criminal behaviours and how to combat crime.

You will be encouraged to develop skills such as critical reasoning, analytical ability, problem solving, theoretical and conceptual thought and the application of theory to real situations.

Academics with criminal justice backgrounds encourage you to develop practical skills, including the personal qualities of resilience and determination, needed to work in this dynamic sector.

**Wendy Bateman**

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Award	Course
BA (Hons)	Crime & Criminal Justice
BA (Hons)	Crime & Criminal Justice with Foundation (4 years)
BA (Hons)	Crime & Criminal Justice (Top-up)

**Jade Munnely**  
Student Law

I like my course,  
because there is  
**always one-to-one  
support available.**

**Aneeqa Ahmad**

Student Law

## Law

The LL.B (Hons) Law degree prepares you for practice in the legal profession as a solicitor or barrister. The qualification is highly regarded by employers and is the basis for graduate level entry into other careers such as commerce, industry, the civil service and the armed forces.

### + Course highlights

Exceptionally high staff-to-student ratios. Academics bring established professional contacts providing access to work placements and future employment.

Academic research by law staff provides a constant commitment to the research excellence framework, exposing students to expertise in a range of disciplines.

Dedicated law facilities, including a Moot Court and law library, provide the best opportunity to succeed in this dynamic field.

### Speak to a lecturer (we are here to help)

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Award	Course
LL.B (Hons)	Law
LL.B (Hons)	Law with Foundation (4 years)

For more detailed course information, including UCAS codes and entry requirements visit [www.uob.ac/law](http://www.uob.ac/law)



## LEGAL ADVICE CENTRE

**The University of Bolton's Legal Advice Centre provides legal support and advice to the people of Bolton.** The centre is operated by law students, supported by legal professionals, providing a free service for members of the public based in the university's Institute of Management (IoM) building.

The centre helps to fill the gap that exists due to reduced access to legal advice and supports a wide range of legal advice provision.

The Centre operates under the supervision of law lecturers within the School of Law, who also have many years' experience of working in Legal Practice. Their experience helps to ensure that students gain first-hand experience of real life legal problems whilst in a supported environment.

Furthermore, all law students are guaranteed at least one work placement in the Legal Advice Centre over one academic semester.

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[www.uob.ac/legal](http://www.uob.ac/legal)

## Postgraduate courses Masters in Law

The LL.M Law programme at the University of Bolton enables both law and non-law graduates to pursue advanced legal study. Offering a highly regarded and flexible route to a professional career within the legal sector.

### Course highlights

The programme is industry-driven and provides advanced legal knowledge and helps you to develop the associated research and reasoning skills that are highly valued by employers.

The course programme is designed to provide intellectually stimulating content, underpinned by internationally recognised research. By the end of the course, you will have had the opportunity to develop key transferable skills that are in demand for legal and non-legal careers worldwide.

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At the School of Law, we take a very hands-on approach with our students by ensuring that they are provided with effective legal and criminal justice employability skills. There's nothing more rewarding than seeing our students develop over the years by helping them to achieve their goals.



**Beverley Caddick**

Academic Operations Lead  
& Senior Lecturer

## What is #UniAsItShouldBe?

...quite simply, ensuring you enjoy your time at university; through quality teaching, passionate lecturers, supportive environment, great facilities ...and on graduation helping you find a job.

# Come and explore

## Open Days/Access All Areas

These provide a great opportunity to discover more about life at the University of Bolton and how we can help your career ambitions. You'll get to speak to our passionate lecturers, and hear first-hand from our students about the wonderful courses we offer. Tours of the modern facilities as well as the halls of residence, make up the day. At the end of your visit, you will have a better understanding of why we are the right university for you.

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[www.uob.ac/opensdays](http://www.uob.ac/opensdays)



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# Map

- 1 Senate House
- 2 The Calderwood Building
- 3 Bolton One
- 4 Innovation Factory
- 5 The Chancellor's Building & Social Learning Zone
- 6 The Chancellor's Mall
- 7 National Centre for Motorsport Engineering



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Framework

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