



STAFFORDSHIRE
UNIVERSITY



UCAS Code:
M290

LLB(Hons) Advice Work

UNDERGRADUATE
COURSE INFORMATION

Key Facts

Faculty of Health

Location:

Stoke Campus

Duration:

3 years full-time

4 to 6 years part-time

Entry requirements:

Typical offer: 240 UCAS points.

A levels: CCC.

All applicants are individually assessed.

Detailed entry requirements can be found on each of our online course pages or by visiting www.staffs.ac.uk/ugentryrequirements

At-a-glance

Graduates are able to choose from a variety of employment directions. There are voluntary advice centres, neighbourhood offices and highly specialised advice-giving agencies, such as consumer protection organisations and immigration advice agencies, including the Citizens Advice Bureau. You may prefer to work in the more traditional legal settings for which the LLB is an appropriate preparation.

During Year 1, the course concentrates on introductory modules. You will study for the Diploma in Advice Work and Law for the first two years and on completing the Diploma you can study for a further year to achieve the LLB. The LLB is clearly orientated towards those wishing to work in legal contexts; however, there is an option to transfer to a degree in Advice work.

In Year 2, time is spent working in an advice-giving agency. This placement might be conducted within a Citizens Advice Bureau, a Housing Association or organisation for the homeless, a women's refuge, a Local Authority, a specialist advice agency or a Law centre.

Year 3, comprises the remaining professional core subjects plus one option module.

Students transferring to advice work for their final year, typically study modules in Research and Social Policy. A key component of the third year is the dissertation that can be used to focus on a socio-legal or an advice-related issue.

Course Outline

Year 1

- English Legal System
 - Law of Contract
 - Constitutional and Administrative Law
 - Social Policy and Social Problems
 - Values in Advice Work
 - Interviewing Skills, Negotiation, and Advocacy
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Year 2

- Law of Tort
- Benefits Advice

Options

- Contract of Employment
 - Social Welfare Law and Practice
 - Housing Law and Advice
 - Debt Advice
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Year 3

- Criminal Law
 - EU
 - Land Law
 - Equity and Trusts
 - Option module
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