

The Career Centre

What can I do with a major in Law



Where do Lawyers work?

Below is a non-exhaustive list of available job sectors and career options after a Bachelor degree in Law, depending on graduates' interests, experience and further studies.

Diplomacy, State & Federal Administration, Government Affairs, International Organizations, Police

- Diplomat, Consular Agent
- Legal Adviser, Government Researcher
- Legal Administration /Relations Officer
- Federal Government Agencies Legal Counsel
- Policy Advisor/Analyst
- International Conflicts Analyst
- Law Specialist (Environment, Diversity, Security ...)
- Public Affairs Consultant
- Parliamentary Assistant
- International Project Manager
- Immigration, Police Chief, Senior Police Officer
- Customs Officer

In-House Lawyers (working for Private Businesses, Non-Profit Organizations)

- General Counsel
- Lawyer
- Advisor, Negotiator
- Contract Manager
- Regulations & Compliance Officer
- Insurance Investigator
- Tax Adviser, Tax Consultant
- Research Lawyer

With many practice areas : banking and finance, block chain, anticorruption, corporate governance, mergers and acquisitions, data protection and cybersecurity, litigation, insurance, employment and labor law, international arbitration, construction, real estate, intellectual property, taxation.

Private Practice Law Firms

- Solicitor
- Barrister
- Attorney
- Legal ConsultantMarket Research Lawyer
- Lobbyist

With many practice areas in : business law, banking & finance, family law, criminal defense, intellectual property, bankruptcy, litigation, dispute resolution, arbitration, insurance, labor & employment, environment, taxation, telecoms, internet and media, fashion, sports, etc...

Judicial Careers: Civil and Criminal Justice, Courts & Tribunals Administration, Public Notary

- Public Prosecutor (public, criminal, state advocate...)
- Judge, Magistrate, Public Defender, Judicial Officers (Judiciary)
- Court Administration (Law Clerk, Court Officer, Manager, Court Clerk, Registrar, Maintenance Clerk)
- Law Enforcement Officer
- Public Notary

Education & Research, Consulting, Other Careers

- Law Professor
- Human Resources Manager
- Legal Affairs Audit and Management Consultant
- Technical Writer, Publisher and Reporter (Journalism)
- Politician
 - Policy Analyst
 - Criminologist
 - Auction Officer
 - Entrepreneur, General Manager

Further studies options

A whole range of postgraduate studies are available after a Bachelor degree in Law. Examples of areas of specialization (Master and PhD) include:

- Environmental & sustainability law and policies (SUAD)
- International business law (SUAD)
- International law, international relations and diplomacy (SUAD)
- Public or corporate law
- Private law
- Health law/Comparative health law/Law and health politics
- Notary law
- European law
- Banking & finance law
- History of law

Where do SUAD graduates go following a Bachelor degree in Law?

The following non-exhaustive list of institutions is based on SUAD placement records for alumni of the Law department.

- Sorbonne University Abu Dhabi (UAE)
- University of Paris-Descartes (now University of Paris) (France)
- University of Panthéon- Sorbonne Paris 1 (France)
- University of Panthéon-Assas (France)
- University of Strasbourg (France)
- HEC Paris (France)
- IAE Paris (France)
- NEOMA Business School (France)
- Ecole des Relations Internationales (ILERI) (France)
- Institute of Judicial Studies and Training (UAE)
- King's College London (UK)
- University of Cambridge (UK)
- University of Reading (UK)
- University of Buckingham (UK)
- Harvard Law School (US)
- University of California, Berkeley (US)
- University of California, Los Angeles (US)
- Boston University School of Law (US)
- The Georges Washington University Law School (US)
- Washington University St Louis (School of Law)
- University of Montreal (Canada)
- University of Melbourne (Australia)

Postgraduate admission requirements in terms of eligible and relevant undergraduate degree vary widely from country to country and from one higher education institution to another. Candidates may refer to the admission requirements applicable to each institution.

Best career exploration websites for students

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What do SUAD alumni do?

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Compliance Officer at Crédit Agricole CIB, Paris **Chanael**

Senior Associate, Legal Division at Abu Dhabi Investment Authority (ADIA), Abu Dhabi **Saeed**

Paralegal at Mubadala, Abu Dhabi **Dana**

Associate at Gide Loyrette Nouel, Paris. Having successfully completed her bar examination, Clarisse has recently been sworn in as a French advocate. **Clarisse**

Legal Counsel at Rothschild & Co, Paris Lea

French Advocate and Legal Counsel at Islamic Development Bank, Jeddah **Mohammed**

Associate at White & Case LLP, Paris Mounia

Junior Associate at Baker Mckenzie Habib Al Mulla, Dubai **Shaima**

Legal Counsel at the Dubai Tourism Authority, Dubai **Fatima**

International Dispute Resolution & White Collar Crime Associate at Squire Patton Boggs, Dubai Amira

Broker in the insurance industry and specialized in Financial Lines and Civil Liability at AON, Paris Margaux

