

LAWS 7007 AUSTRALIAN MIGRATION LAW

Credit Points 10

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Description This unit provides students with an introduction to Australia's immigration system. It provides students with a broad overview of sources of Australian migration law, explores the role of government policy in migration law, and outlines the key components of Australia's migration program. The unit gives students a strong grounding in key terminology used in Australian migration law, and introduces Australian visas. The unit explores the regulatory regime for losing a visa and addresses immigration offences.

School Law

Discipline Law, Not Elsewhere Classified.

Student Contribution Band HECS Band 4 10cp

Check your HECS Band contribution amount via the Fees (https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/currentstudents/current_students/fees/) page.

Level Postgraduate Coursework Level 7 subject

Restrictions

Students must be enrolled in program 2803/2819 Graduate Diploma in Migration Law, 2810 Master of Laws (International Governance) or 2824 Master of Laws. This program is available to international students who may obtain a Subclass 600 Tourist Visas (with visa condition 8201 ? Max 3 Months Study), 485 Temporary Graduate Visa or other non-student visas with permission to study.

Assumed Knowledge

Prior study and English language proficiency as per the requirements of program 2803/2819 - Graduate Diploma in Australian Migration Law.

Learning Outcomes

On successful completion of this subject, students should be able to:

1. Analyse the structure of Australia's immigration system, including sources of migration law and role of government policy;
2. Examine the nature of Australian visas and the implications for the loss of Australian visas;
3. Assess the importance of compliance with Australian migration laws and consider the regime with respect to immigration offences in Australia;
4. Effectively explain legal procedures and advice on Australian migration law in written form;
5. Apply basic research skills for relevant legal information on Australian migration law;

Subject Content

The Immigration System
Introduction to Visas
Losing a Visa
Immigration Offences

Public Interest Criteria

Assessment

The following table summarises the standard assessment tasks for this subject. Please note this is a guide only. Assessment tasks are regularly updated, where there is a difference your Learning Guide takes precedence.

Item	Length	Percent	Threshold	Individual/ Group Task
Quiz	30 minutes	10	N	Individual
Case Study	1,500 words	40	N	Individual
Take-Home Examination	2,000 words	50	N	Individual

Teaching Periods

Summer A

Online

Online

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Spring

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