

LAW

Where will your postgraduate degree take you?

BELOW IS AN OVERVIEW OF THE KINDS OF EMPLOYMENT SECTORS, ORGANISATIONS AND PROFESSIONS THAT RECENT LAW POSTGRADUATES HAVE ENTERED, BASED ON RESPONSES TO 'DESTINATIONS OF LEAVERS' SURVEYS CONDUCTED SIX MONTHS AFTER GRADUATION.

Popular employment sectors

- Business and management consultancy
- Higher education
- Justice and judicial activities
- Legal organisations
- Social work

Range of employers

- Accenture
- Allen & Overy LLP
- Attorney general's office
- Bake & Co Solicitors
- Charity Commission
- Citizens Advice Bureau
- Martineau
- Ministry of Justice
- Oxford Brookes University

- UK Border Agency
- university of Birmingham
- West midlands Police

Typical occupations

- Business Consultant
- Immigration officer
- Interpreter and Legal Adviser
- Lecturer in Law
- Legal Adviser
- operations manager
- Paralegal
- Police Inspector
- Senior Lecturer
- Trainee for Prosecution Services
- Trainee Solicitor



'I provide legal support for a particular type of product which is sold in countries throughout the EU. The international focus of my LLM gave me a good understanding of cross-border transactions, which has really helped me to get to grips with how the products are sold.'

The research skills that I developed throughout my LLM have been really useful for the work that I'm doing now as there are lots of regulatory changes that we need to keep ahead of – I am often required to do research and create memos on these.

One of the modules that I studied on the LLM was the International Sale of Goods – this has been particularly helpful for me because it outlined plenty of different types of sales contracts, such as futures contracts. These are often used in investment banking. I did not have a financial background prior to joining Deutsche Bank so having some understanding of these contracts helped me when learning all the different concepts.'

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