



**Southampton
Solent
University**

Law and criminology

Undergraduate courses 2026



Best university in Hampshire for learning opportunities, teaching, assessment and feedback, and academic support (NSS 2025).



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SEES ME.**

Become a versatile professional, equipped with the skills, mindset, and practical experience needed to thrive in the ever-evolving fields of law and criminology.

Our law programmes provide you with the practical skills and knowledge needed to excel in a variety of legal careers, from corporate law to public service.

And if you're passionate about understanding crime and justice and aspire to make a difference in society, our criminology degrees are an ideal choice. You'll explore diverse topics, including the criminal justice system, victimology, cybercrime, and youth justice.

With strong industry connections and a focus on real-world applications, our courses prepare you to navigate the complexities of the legal and criminology fields with confidence.



Why Solent?

Solent is ranked in the UK's top five for law out of 108 institutions
(The Guardian University Guide 2025).

- Our LLB (Hons) is ranked best in the country* for teaching in the subject of law, out of 111 institutions (NSS 2025)

*Ranking is compared to the 131 UK Universities (usual League table providers) with this subject area.

- Partnership with the College of Legal Practice offers LLB (Hons) Law students a preparation course for the first part of the new Solicitors Qualification Examination (SQE).
- Guest lectures, spotlight events, workshops, placements, mentoring and volunteering opportunities within law, the police, and criminology organisations.
- The Southampton Solent Law Clinic is a free legal service serving our local community, giving Solent law students real-world experience supported by award-winning law firm Dutton Gregory Solicitors.

Course list	UCAS tariff points	Foundation Year available	URL and UCAS code
LLB (Hons) Law	104-120	Y	www.solent.ac.uk/M100
LLB (Hons) Law with Business	104-120	Y	www.solent.ac.uk/LWB1
LLB (Hons) Law with Criminology	104-120	Y	www.solent.ac.uk/LWC1
BSc (Hons) Criminal Investigation with Psychology	104-120	Y	www.solent.ac.uk/CIN1
BA (Hons) Criminology	104-120	Y	www.solent.ac.uk/M930
BSc (Hons) Psychology with Criminology	104-120	Y	www.solent.ac.uk/PWC1
BA (Hons) Criminology and Sociology	104-120	Y	www.solent.ac.uk/CAS1

Specialist facilities and equipment

Law

Mock courtroom

Our purpose-built Solent Courtroom gives you the opportunity to practise your legal and professional skills and knowledge in a realistic setting. Mimicking the key features of a real-life courtroom, this gives our students an excellent opportunity to practise advocacy of cases.

Law library

Books and information are a lawyer's tools. The ground floor of the Solent Library hosts a dedicated law collection which includes thousands of textbooks in most areas of law, including several copies of our courses' recommended texts, practitioner texts, academic journals, and all the main general law report series.

Law databases

Solent also has an excellent collection of subscriber law databases – including the major collections offered by Westlaw, Lexis Library and i-Law – giving access to a vast array of legal resources both on- and off-campus.

Southampton Solent Law Clinic

In partnership with award-winning solicitors, Dutton Gregory, this free legal service is designed to serve city residents, addressing community needs while enhancing student skills and real-world legal experience in a safe, supported environment.



Criminology

Professional-quality equipment – psychophysiological recording, eye-tracking and experimental cubicles.

Portable crime scene and mock courtroom for use during investigating crime scene and forensic evidence modules (criminology).

Our purpose-built Solent Courtroom gives you the opportunity to practise your skills and knowledge in a realistic setting.



Take a virtual tour of our state-of-the-art facilities – visit explore.solent.ac.uk



All the lecturers are down-to-earth, knowledgeable and approachable – they're very friendly and always happy to help. No question was a silly one to ask, and they all genuinely care about students' progression. Law at Solent is for you if you are looking to develop academic skills with real-life applications. The library is also good, and for law the online subscription services that the University provides are industry-standard, so very up to the job."

Sam O'Toole, IP Lawyer, Briffa Solicitors
LLB (Hons) Law, 2016



The course had a good balance of theoretical and historical theory, while keeping its finger on the pulse of modern and current crime and punishment issues facing society today. The topics and modules throughout the three years were varied and engaging. This gave me a hunger to continue my learning outside of the university premise and inspired me to take on criminology as a career."

Kirsty Kearns
BSc (Hons) Criminal Investigation with Forensic, Psychology, 2020 – now known as BSc (Hons) Criminal Investigation with Psychology

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www.solent.ac.uk/LC-stories

How to apply

For information and advice on how to apply to Solent, find your course at www.solent.ac.uk/courses and visit the 'How to apply' section.

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