

Doctor of Laws (LLD)



Strathmore University
Law School

Scaling the Heights of the Legal Profession

Programme Overview

The Strathmore University LLD Programme is designed to produce thought leaders in the legal arena. It is aimed at enhancing legal research and dissemination, providing quality education and community service to the region in line with Strathmore University's mission. This is achieved through engagement with a substantial body of academic research and writing under the close supervision of competent faculty.

Programme Overview

3 academic years

Programme Structure

- **Year One** - Coursework
- **Year Two** - Research
- **Year Three** - Research

Taught Courses

- Advanced Legal Research and Writing
- Legal Theory
- Legal Ethics

Our LLD programme is designed to inspire innovative and critical thinking, promoting ground-breaking research.

WHAT SETS US APART

Faculty

We have developed a multi-disciplinary faculty with a rich and diverse portfolio of both local and international expertise. They have extensive global experience in research, teaching and supervision.



Strategic Partnerships

We have partnered with a number of top industry players around the world to ensure that this programme is delivered to the highest possible standards of excellence. This will be realized through faculty exchange and supervision collaboration with our partners.

Student - Faculty Ratio

An optimal student faculty ratio that allows LLD students to closely interact with the professors who have expertise in a broad range of research.



Admission Requirements

The applicants should be holders of a Bachelors of Law (LLB) and a Masters of Law (LLM) from institutions recognized by the Academic Council of Strathmore University.

All applicants will be subjected to a rigorous selection process. Our selection process is based on a consideration of the applicant's research topic for LLD, the availability of a suitable supervisor and an evaluation of the concept note.

The following documents should be attached to the application form:

1. 2 recent passport photos.
2. A certified copy of your national ID or passport (bio-data page).
3. A signed updated CV in the Europass CV format. <https://europa.eu/europass/en>
4. 2 duly filled reference forms one from a former undergraduate professor and the other from a former postgraduate professor qualified to attest your qualification for graduate studies.
5. Certified copies of your undergraduate and Master's degree certificates and transcripts of records (or their respective equivalents) showing the full details of the units studied and the grades scored.

6. A certified copy of your KCSE certificate or equivalent.
7. A copy of your thesis/research work undertaken at Master's level.
8. A concept note of about 2,000 words (approx. 5 pages) on the research idea you would like to write on. The concept note should capture the following indicators:
 - Research gap
 - Problem statement and Research Questions
 - Methodological approach
 - Contribution to knowledge
 - Proposed references
9. List of at least 2 proposed supervisors from accredited institutions in or outside Kenya.

Note: Copies of documents should be certified by either a Magistrate or an Advocate.

For more Information about the programme and application process please write to: lld@strathmore.edu
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