

Curriculum Policy of the Faculty of Law

Based on the Kobe University Curriculum Policy, the Faculty of Law organizes its curriculum in accordance with the following policies:

1. In order to forge a strong *sense of humanity, creativity and international awareness*, the Faculty has established a set of prerequisite courses that all registered students are required to enroll in. These include courses in basic liberal arts, integrated liberal arts, advanced liberal arts, foreign languages, first year seminars, information science courses, and other courses deemed necessary.

2. In order to foster deeper knowledge and forge a strong *creativity, international awareness and specialization*, the Faculty of Law provides the following specialized courses, which include, but are not limited to advanced liberal arts courses with the specific purpose of:
 - Having students acquire an in-depth knowledge in law and associated expertise. As such, the Faculty of Law provides introductory courses, courses in basic legal subjects (A) and (B), courses in advanced legal subjects, courses in basic studies of law, socio-legal studies courses, international law courses, seminars, advanced courses in law, and common courses.
 - Having students acquire in-depth knowledge in political science and associated expertise. As such, the Faculty of Law provides introductory courses, courses in political science, international relations, and modern history, seminars, advanced courses in political science, and common courses.
 - Having students acquire the ability to acknowledge and respect diverse values and ideas as well as to understand and assess problems in the fields of law and politics. As such, the Faculty of Law provides courses in basic studies of law, advanced courses in law, international law courses, courses in political science, international relations, and modern history, reading texts in foreign languages, common courses, and advanced liberal arts courses.
 - Having students acquire the ability to form new ideas with comprehensive thinking in order to solve complex problems. As such, the Faculty of Law provides basic courses, seminars, advanced courses in political science, advanced courses in law, and common courses.

In these courses, various educational methods, such as active learning and experienced-based learning, are combined in a manner that is appropriate for the classroom format of each lecture and/or seminar.

All academic evaluations are assessed through the application of multiple comprehensive methods that are deemed appropriate for each respective course's learning objectives.