

HUMANITIES ELECTIVES FOR LAW STUDENTS

We are happy for Law advisors to sign Law undergrad students into almost any of our courses based on the pre-requisite constraints in our handbook.

I include over the page the tables of first year courses, sorted by entry requirements and timetable slot, which I make available to our Humanities first-years in orientation; this may be of use when advising students of their various options when they are new to the subjects.

- This is an updated version which is modified for particular constraints applying to Law students. You will obviously need to check the handbook for senior courses.
- This list is also useful because it excludes the programme-specific courses (Social Work, Performing/Creative Arts) which are only available to students in those specific programmes. Anything in these lists below is a viable elective, the non-available programme courses are not reflected.
- Please note that Humanities has stringent restrictions on timetable clashes, and will not usually authorise students wishing to register for courses in the same slot; very few of our subjects are set up for recorded lectures to be available online.

Changes from previous years:

You may wish to note the following recent tweaks to the timetable/course offerings, which could trip you up if you go by previous years' rules:

- **Politics first-year courses are not available to students outside the major**, therefore are not available as Law electives.
- **Psychology** has relaxed its first-year entrance requirements to require concurrent MAM1014/16 registration only for students not meeting the Mathematics or proficient NBT QL, i.e. they are no longer requiring passing the two MAM courses before taking PSY.

Senior courses without stringent entry requirements.

It may help for advising purposes to be aware of particular subjects which are a bit vague and hand-wavy on senior course entrance requirements, and may thus be useful for students in difficulty who need a senior credit at short notice.

- Classics. The major in Classical Studies does not have first-year requirements, and entry into many of its second-year courses requires only second-year status.
- History. Second-year History courses other than the core major course HST2040F require only 2 or more courses in "historical, social science or cultural studies", i.e. almost anything we offer except languages.
- Philosophy. Second-year Philosophy courses other than the core major course PHI2041S and PHI2044F Philosophy of Maths require only second-year status.
- Gender Studies and African Studies. Second-year Gender Studies courses and AXL2200S require only second-year status.

Courses open to all students (no entrance requirements)

	FIRST SEMESTER (Lecture period in brackets)		SECOND SEMESTER (Lecture period in brackets)	
HUMANITIES COURSES	AXL1400F	Words, Deeds, Bones And Things (1 st)	AXL1401S	Intro to Anthropology (1 st)
	ELL1013F	Literature: How and Why? (2 nd)	ELL1016S	Image, Voice, Word (2 nd)
	REL1002F	Religions Past And Present (2 nd)	REL1006S	Judaism, Christianity and Islam (2 nd)
	AXL1300F	Introduction To Language Studies (3 rd)	AXL1301S	Intro to Sociolinguistics (3 rd)
	TDP1027F	Intro To Theatre And Performance A (3 rd)	TDP1045S	SA Performance Genealogies (3 rd)
	HST1013F	Worlds in Contact (3 rd)	HST1014S	Empires & Modernities (3 rd)
	*PHI1025F	*Critical Thinking (3 rd)		
	SLL1057F	Ancient Egypt (3 rd)		
	SOC1001F	Introduction to Sociology (4 th or 6 th)	SLL1097S	Introducing Ancient History (4 th)
	SWK1013F	Community Connections (4 th)	SOC1005S	Individual and Society (4 th or 6 th)
		SWK1004S	Basic Professional Interaction (4 th)	
FIN1006F	Intro to African Art (5 th)	AXL1100S	Understanding Gender (5 th)	
PHI1024F	Introduction to Philosophy (5 th)	FIN1009S	Approaches to Art History (5 th)	
*SLL1002F	*Word Power (5 th)	PHI1010S	Ethics (5 th)	
		*SLL1002S	*Word Power (5 th or 8 th)	
SLL1054F	The World of Odysseus (6 th)	AXL1201S	Representations of Africa (6 th)	
SOC1001F	Introduction to Sociology (4 th or 6 th)	SLL1136S	The World of Aeneas (6 th)	
FAM1001F	Media And Society (6 th)	SOC1005S	Individual and Society (4 th or 6 th)	
#POL1004F	Introduction to Politics (7 th)	FAM1000S	Analysing Film And Television (6 th)	
*ECO1006F	*Economics For Non-Specialists (8 th +9 th)	#POL1005S	(<i>entrance requirement, see below</i>)	
		*SLL1002S	*Word Power (5 th or 8 th)	
NON-HUM COURSES		#BUS1007S	Intro to Organisational Psychology (2 nd)	
		AGE1002S	Archaeology and our Heritage (5 th)	

Courses with additional entrance requirements

Code	Course title	Entrance requirements (see handbook for details)
First semester		
PSY1004F	Intro to Psychology Part I (1 st or 5 th)	50% on Mathematics (NSC) OR 70% on the NBT QL score. <u>No Matric Maths and NBT QL 69% or lower</u> : must register concurrently for MAM1014 and MAM1016.
Second semester		
PSY1005S	Intro to Psychology Part II (1 st or 5 th)	PSY1004F
SLL1046S	Afrikaans Media: Theory, History, Practice (5 th)	Afrikaans at Matric, see handbook for details

- **AXL1200S, Africa: Culture, Identity and Globalisation** has a smaller credit value than the standard, 8 instead of 18, I have removed it from the list because I don't think it really applies to Law students. (It's designed for Engineers). Point them towards the second-year version instead.
- **Drama courses** will no longer have the practical component from this year, so should be easier for Law students to fit into their timetable. Note the change to the department code, TDP rather than DRM.
- **FIN1009S, Images in Conflict** is taught on the Hiddingh campus in the second semester, students may wish to be aware of the travel time implications when planning a timetable.

Language Courses

Language Courses open to students who have never studied the language before

(NB students must do the A course before they can do the B course. Lecture periods are in brackets).

SLL1022F	Sesotho Communication 1A (1 st)	SLL1023S	Sesotho Communication 1B (1 st)
SLL1075F	Initial Portuguese A (1 st)	SLL1016S	#Sotho Additional A (=SLL1022F) (2 nd)
SLL1060F	Initial French A (2 nd or 5 th)	SLL1076S	Initial Portuguese B (1 st)
SLL1131F	Isixhosa Language & Literature Studies 1A (2 nd)	SLL1061S	Initial French B (2 nd or 5 th)
SLL1101F	Xhosa Communication 1A (3 rd)	SLL1132S	Isixhosa Language & Literature Studies 1B (2 nd)
		SLL1102S	Xhosa Communication 1B (3 rd)
SLL1042F	Afrikaans Intensive A (4 th)	SLL1018S	#Xhosa Additional A (=SLL1101F) (3 rd)
SLL1121F	Chinese Studies 1A (4 th or 8 th)	SLL1042S	#Afrikaans Intensive A (4 th)
SLL1082F	Hebrew Intensive A (5 th)	SLL1122S	Chinese Studies 1B (4 th or 8 th)
SLL1062F	German Studies IA (5 th)	SLL1083S	Hebrew Intensive B (5 th)
SLL1064F	Italian Intensive A (6 th)	SLL1063S	German Studies IB (5 th)
SLL1050F	Latin IA (7 th)	SLL1065S	Italian Intensive B (6 th)
SLL1058F	Initial Arabic A (8 th)	SLL1051S	Latin IB (7 th)
SLL1052F	Greek IA (8 th)	SLL1059S	Initial Arabic B (8 th)
SLL1073F	Initial Spanish A (8 th)	SLL1053S	Greek IB (8 th)
		SLL1074S	Initial Spanish B (8 th)

Language courses open to students who have passed a language at N^o5/Matric or equivalent

(NB students must do the A course before they can do the B course. Please see handbook for detailed entrance requirements)

SLL1131F	IsiXhosa Language & Literature Studies 1A (2 nd)	SLL1132S	IsiXhosa Language & Literature Studies 1B (2 nd)
SLL2073F	Spanish IIA (2 nd)	SLL2074S	Spanish IIB (2 nd)
SLL2040F	Afrikaans IIA (3 rd)	SLL2041S	Afrikaans IIB (3 rd)
SLL2060F	French Language And Literature IIA (3 rd)	SLL2061S	French Language And Literature IIB (3 rd)
SLL2050F	Latin IIA (4 th)	SLL2051S	Latin IIB (2 nd)
SLL2101F	IsiXhosa Communication IIA (4 th)	SLL2102S	IsiXhosa Communication IIB (4 th)
SLL2062F	German Studies IIA (4 th)	SLL2063S	German Studies IIB (4 th)
SLL2082F	Hebrew Language And Literature IIA (4 th)	SLL2083S	Hebrew Language And Literature IIB (4 th)
SLL2064F	Italian IIA (5 th)	SLL2065S	Italian IIB (5 th)
SLL2075F	Portuguese IIA (6 th)	SLL2076S	Portuguese IIB (6 th)

these courses are repeats of the first semester A course, and will not count as a credit in addition to that course. **NB there is no longer an Afrikaans Intensive B course.**

- **Xhosa Communication 1 (SLL1101F, SLL 1102S)** are initial Xhosa courses designed for students who do not speak the language: **students who are Xhosa-speaking at home, or whose home language is a related Nguni tongue (Zulu, Swati, Ndebele) should NOT be permitted to register.** They should take the Isixhosa Language & Literature Studies courses instead.
 - Sesotho is not an Nguni language, so native Sesotho speakers can take Xhosa Communication, and Xhosa speakers can take Sesotho Communication.
- **European languages courses** (French, Italian, German, etc) first-year courses are for students who have never studied the language before. Students with Matric or equivalent in a subject go straight into the second-year course.
 - Some students present with some language proficiency which is not Matric-level, or not formalised. They may be admitted to higher level language courses after assessment by the Head of Section for that language, who will sign a concession form granting access to the appropriate course for their level of proficiency.