

Entry requirements and admission criteria

Entry requirements for the Bachelor's degree in Law

Admission to the Bachelor's degree in Law is open to any qualified person, without any discrimination on the grounds of age, sex, race, religion, disability, sexual orientation, ethnic or national origins or other status.

Admission to this Bachelor's degree will be made pursuant to the current legislation, as set out in Royal Decree 412/2014, of 6 June, which regulates the basic entry regulations for admission to official Bachelor's degrees, and to the Note issued on 3 April 2014 by the GENERAL SECRETARIAT OF UNIVERSITIES on the procedures for admission to official undergraduate degrees in accordance with the new provisions set out in Organic Law 2/2006, of 3 May, on Education and by Organic Law 8/2003 (LOE). The applicable regulations at our University will be adapted to the legislation in force at all times.

In accordance with the current regulations, entry to this degree programme may be granted to those who are in one of the following cases (art.3 of R.D.):

- a) Students holding a Baccalaureate qualification granted by the Spanish Education System or a recognised equivalent qualification.
- b) Students holding a European Baccalaureate qualification or the International Baccalaureate Diploma.
- c) Students holding Baccalaureate qualifications from educational systems from EU member States or other States, with which applicable international agreements have been signed in this regard on a mutual basis.
- d) Students holding qualifications recognised as equivalent to the Baccalaureate qualification granted by the Spanish Education System, obtained or completed in education systems in non-EU member States, with which no international agreements have been signed for the recognition of the Baccalaureate qualification on a mutual basis. In this case, the University may provisionally admit students who can prove that they have submitted the corresponding application for recognition while the procedure for such recognition is being resolved (art. 4 R.D.).
- e) Students holding the following official qualifications: Técnico Superior de Formación Profesional, Técnico Superior de Artes Plásticas y Diseño or Técnico Deportivo Superior of the Spanish Education System, or recognised equivalent qualifications. In the case of recognised qualifications, the University may admit students who provide evidence of having submitted the corresponding application for recognition while the procedure for such recognition is solved, on a conditional basis (art. R.D.).

- f) Students holding qualifications that differ from those recognised as equivalent to Baccalaureate qualifications (Bachiller, Técnico Superior de Formación Profesional, Técnico Superior de Artes Plásticas y Diseño, or Técnico Deportivo Superior of the Spanish Education System, obtained or completed in a EU member State or in other States, with which applicable international agreements have been signed in this regard on a mutual basis, when such students meet the academic requirements in force in that member State as valid for admission to their Universities.
- g) Adults over twenty-five who successfully complete the entry test regulated in arts. 11 to 15 of Royal Decree 412/2014.
- h) Adults over forty years of age with work or professional experience related to one of the programmes.
- i) Adults over forty-five years of age who successfully complete the entry test regulated in arts. 17 to 20 of Royal Decree 412/2014.
- j) Students holding an official university Bachelor's or Master's degree or an equivalent degree.
- k) Students holding an official university degree including: Diplomado universitario, Arquitecto Técnico, Ingeniero Técnico, Licenciado, Arquitecto, Ingeniero, corresponding to prior university degrees or equivalent degrees.
- l) Students having studied but not completed their university studies abroad or in Spain, or who having successfully completed their university studies abroad have not obtained their recognition in Spain and wish to further their studies at a Spanish university. In this case, the University must necessarily have recognised at least 30 ECTS credits.
- m) Students who were eligible for entry to the university in accordance with the provisions of Spanish Education System prior to Organic Law 8/2013, of 9 December.

Admission criteria

The Admissions Committee, which is made up of the Dean, the Vice-Dean responsible for academic planning and the lecturer responsible for the degree, will be responsible for deciding on admission to the study programme leading to the degree.

Candidates will be selected mainly on the basis of their academic record and their level of English language proficiency, provided they have at least a B1 level of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) or any other qualifications they may provide.

The Admissions Committee may also request any additional supporting documents it deems appropriate or call the candidate for an interview, if it considers that this is necessary to verify that the candidate has reached this level.

According to RD 412/2014, of 6 June, art. 3, section h, as well as art. 9, candidates with work or professional experience related to a study programme, who do not hold academic qualifications to access university education through other entry routes, and who are or have reached the age of 40 in the calendar year in which the academic year begins, may access the university through this entry route.

Access will be granted for specific courses offered by the university, for which purpose the interested party must submit the corresponding application.

The following supporting documents will be required:

- A duly completed application form.
- An original and photocopy of the ID card, passport or other official document proving age.
- A sworn declaration of not holding any qualifications or certificates giving access to University studies.
- A well-documented curriculum vitae.
- Employment history document.

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The Admissions Committee will assess the academic record. If deemed appropriate, the Admissions Committee reserves the right to call candidates for a personal interview or request additional supporting documents.

Admission of students with disabilities

The UD has specific support procedures for students with disabilities, as explained below. The University has a Social Action and Inclusion Service for people with a disability of some kind. This service supports the inclusion and participation of these students, as well as accessibility within the university itself. It provides an individualised service so that the resources available are adapted to meet the specific needs of each student both material and personal.

The University also collaborates with internal and external organisations to improve support for students with a disability of some kind and coordinate our actions.

The following link provides information on the protocols, guides and basic manuals for the care of students with educational needs.

Procedures to ensure gender equality among students

The University of Deusto acknowledges having contributed to the fields identified by the SDGs for years, while also feeling challenged by the scope and content of many of them. The UD has identified four cross-cutting themes: Education, Gender, Social Justice and Ecology, areas in which to address the challenges of the 2030 Agenda.



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The University of Deusto's commitment to Gender Equality consists of contributing to a change in culture that helps to overcome discrimination against girls and young women in access to quality education, promote strategies for equality in the workplace and in public representation and prevent sexual or gender-based violence.

See link: <https://www.deusto.es/es/inicio/somos-deusto/la-universidad/agenda2030>