Academic Excellence Senior Status
Law Scholarships 2024-25

If you’re an international student studying the Law LLB M103 (Senior Status) programme you could be eligible for a scholarship worth £3,000 for 2024-25 entry, which you’ll receive as a fee discount in your first year of study.

Terms and conditions

Eligibility

- These scholarships are restricted to students who are overseas fee payers and are entirely self-funded*.

- These scholarships are restricted to students studying on the LLB M103 Law (Senior Status) programme only.

- Students must register for the first year (Year 1) of study on the LLB M103 Law (Senior Status) programme at the University of Essex in 2024-25.

- Students must have been awarded an equivalent of a UK 2.1 at undergraduate level.

- UCAS applicants must actively make Essex their firm choice by 12 July 2024. Applicants that become firm with Essex through rejection by their original firm choice selection elsewhere are not eligible. Direct Applicants must accept their offer by 12 July 2024.

- The award cannot be held in conjunction with any other University of Essex scholarships.

- This scholarship is available for the first year of study (Year1) at undergraduate level in 2024-25 only.

- Successful applicants should be available for promotional activities

*Students receiving a repayable loan to fund their studies will be considered as self-funded. This includes, but isn’t restricted to tuition fee loans from the following bodies:

- Student Finance England/Wales/Northern Island

- Student Awards Agency Scotland
- US Federal Direct Loans
- Canada student loans
- Norwegian State Loan (Lanekassen),
- Swedish Board of Student Finance (CSN),
- Social Insurance Institution of Finland (KELA)
- Denmark State Educational Grant and Loan Scheme.

**Students who are not eligible**

The following students are NOT eligible for the Scholarship, regardless of meeting the above criteria:

- Students who are fully or partly sponsored.
- Students who are assessed as Home fee payer.
- This scholarship award does not apply to deferred entry. Where a scholarship has been awarded to a student who subsequently defers entry to the following academic year, the award will be withdrawn and the applicant will be considered again in line with the terms and conditions that apply in the new proposed year of entry.
- Current students whose first year of undergraduate study at the University of Essex, was prior to academic year 2024-25.

**How to apply**

If you meet all the eligibility criteria, you will automatically be considered for this award. You don’t need to complete an application form. The University will assess your eligibility based on the academic transcripts and certificates you submit with your application for your place at Essex.

**Payment arrangements**

- These scholarships will only be made available as a reduction on the tuition fee that is payable on registration at the University. Payment cannot be offset against a tuition fee deposit if one is required.
- If you intermit from your course, you may, at the discretion of the University, be entitled to a pro-rata payment of the remainder of your award on your return to study. Please contact the Funding Team for further information.

**Resolution of disputes**
Acceptance of this award constitutes acceptance of these terms and conditions. Applicants should contact the Undergraduate Admissions Team in the first instance for guidance regarding this award. Registered students should contact the Funding Team. In cases not covered by the above terms and conditions, or where a student claims exceptional circumstances, or disputes a decision not to make payments due under an award, final appeals on decisions regarding eligibility must be made via the Student Complaints process. The Academic Registrar or their nominee will review the case and his/her decision will be final.

These terms and conditions apply to the academic year 2024-25. The University of Essex reserves the right to update these terms and conditions as necessary.