UNIVERSITY OF THE FREE STATE
UNIVERSITEIT VAN DIE VRYSTAAT
YUNIVESITHI YA FREISTATA

UFS·UV
LAW
REGSGELEERDHEID

B.Iuris: with Specialisation in Financial Planning Law

The University of the Free State is one of the oldest universities in South Africa, and celebrated its centenary in 2004. The University is a multicultural and multi-lingual institution with parallel-medium instructions in English and Afrikaans.

The Faculty of Law is widely known as a faculty of excellence and is the only law faculty situates in the judicial capital of South Africa. The Faculty offers a unique opportunity in the B.Iuris with Specialisation in Financial Planning Law (B.Iuris) as this is the only qualification in South Africa to combine pure financial planning with the relevant legal aspect of financial planning law.

The B.Iuris will equip a student to enter into a career in any of the following fields:

- **Legal advisor in banks and insurance companies**
- **Financial Services Provider**
- **Financial Planner**
- **Financial Advisor**
- **Compliance officers**
- **Retirement Fund Management**
- **Medical Schemes Management**
- **Investment Management**

The main aim for any financial planner is to be granted the highest status of a Certified Financial Planning® Professional (CFP®). The B.Iuris is the first step towards achieving this status and the
The B.Iuris is a 3 year degree that can be done on a face to face or a distance learning (correspondence) basis.

Any person wishing to register for the B.Iuris must:

(1) be in possession of an endorsed Senior Certificate (until 2007), with a M-score of at least 30 points; or

(2) be in possession of a National Senior Certificate (from 2008) with an AP score of at least 33 points, with:
(i) a minimum performance mark of 50% (performance level 4) in one of the official teaching languages of the UFS, and
(ii) a minimum performance mark of 70% (performance level 6) in mathematical literacy or a minimum performance mark of 50% (performance level 4) in maths.

The B.Iuris with Specialisation in Financial Planning Law Curriculum

First year of study	
First semester	
Module	**Code**
Economic Systems and Basic Micro Economy	LFPE1514 *
Financial Planning Law	LFPL1514 *
Financial Practice	LFPP1512 *
Introduction to Legal Science	LILS1514
Language course	Elective*
Law of Persons	LPSN1514
Second Semester	
Introduction to Basic Economy	LFPE1524 *
Financial Planning Law	LFPL1524 *
Financial Practice	LFPP1522 *
Introduction to Legal Science	LILS1524
Language Course	Elective*
Family Law	LFAM1524

Second year of study	
First semester	
Module	**Code**
Accounting for Law (year module)	ERRK60806
Financial Planning Law	LFPL2614 *
Labour Law	LLAB2614
Law of Contract	LCON2614
Legal Interpretation	LSIN4614
Second semester	
Accounting for Law (year module)	ERRK60806
Financial Planning Law	LFPL2624 *
Financial Practice	LFPP2622 *
Labour Law	LLAB2624
Practical Insurance Law	LPIL2724
Law of Succession Administration of Estates	LSAE2624

*** Students who have completed the Postgraduate Diploma in Financial Planning, less than three years prior to registering for the B.Iuris degree in Financial Planning Law, will receive recognition for all the modules marked with the astir (*).**

Third year of study	
First semester	
Module	**Code**
Business Trust Law	LBTL3714
Financial Planning Law	LFPL3714
Law of Business Enterprises	LBEN3714
Tax Law	LTAX3714
Second semester	
Financial Planning Law	LFPL3724
Law of Business Enterprises	LBEN3724
Law of Insolvency and Liquidation	LILL4824
Law of Things	LPRO3724
Financial Practice	LFPP3724 *

Application forms can be obtained at:
http://kovsielife.ufs.ac.za/dl/Userfiles/Documents/00000/413_eng.pdf
Quotes can be obtained at:
http://kovsielife.ufs.ac.za/quote/quote.aspx

Articulation for students who have completed the B.Iuris

Postgraduate Diploma in Financial Panning

The main aim for any financial planner is to be granted the highest status of a Certified Financial Planning® Professional (CFP®). Once a student has completed the B.Iuris admission to the Postgraduate Diploma in Financial Planning will be granted. This Postgraduate Diploma completes the education requirement needed in order to obtain the CFP® Professional status.
Students who have completed the B.Iuris will be awarded recognition for the foundation module FBR 711 in the Postgraduate Diploma in Financial Planning (PDFP) and may complete the remaining 3 modules in 1 year.

Proposed curriculum for students who have completed the B.Iuris and continue to the PDFP	
FBR 712	Personal Financial Planning: Investment planning, Estate Planning, Retirement Planning and Risk Management.
FBR 713	Corporate Financial Planning: Business Entities, Business Insurance, Health Benefits, Employee Benefits and Financial Statements and Ratios.
FBR 714	Financial Planning integrated case study.

LL.B

Students will receive recognition for the modules passed during their B.Iuris studies that are relevant to the LL.B Degree.

Proposed curriculum for students who have completed the B.Iuris and continue to the LL.B		
	Semester 1	**Semester 2**
First year	**LCRM1514, LHIS1514, LPRC1512, LPRC2614,**	**LCRM1524, LROM1524, LPRC1522, LPLU2624**
Second year	**LPRC3712, LDEL3714, LPUB3714**	**LIOP3724, LCPR2624, LEVD2624, LOBL3724, LPRC3722, LPUB3724**
Third year	**LCSP4814, LCVP4814, LJUR4814, LRPC4812, LPUB4814, Elective**	**LINT4824, LJUR4824, LTPC4824, LRPC4822, LTHE4824, Elective**
LFPL4814 and LFPL4824 will not be given as elective modules. Recognition may be awarded for LCIL3714 as proposed.		

For any additional information please do not hesitate to contact the programme director.
Programme director: Dr. Liezel Alsemgeest
Email: alsemgeestl@ufs.ac.za
Phone: 051 401 2823

For e-learning information please contact the E-Learning Office
Contact Person:

Cronette Nel **or** **Vernol van der Ross**
Email: NelC1@ufs.ac.za **vanderrossrv@ufs.ac.za**
Phone: 051 401 2433 **051 401 3532**