Welcome

Our diverse and vibrant community is dedicated to criminal and social justice. Our aims are intellectual discovery in law, criminology, sociology and forensic psychology, to making knowledge matter and helping students reach their highest potential.

The unique strength of our community in this School is that it brings together so many exceptionally talented people of different backgrounds, experiences, interests, methodologies, and perspectives in a subject mix which is stimulating and special in legal and social science education.

The School of Law at Royal Holloway is a new School, built on strong traditions in the College in Criminology, Psychology and Sociology. Our qualifying law programmes, and combined honours programmes offer a mix of law and criminology opportunities. We have excellent links in the world of criminal justice and forensics, and a commitment to making a difference in society. We have excellent links in the world of criminal justice and forensics, and a commitment to making a difference in society.

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Law, Criminology and Sociology at Royal Holloway

The School of Law provides research focused, intellectually stimulating degree programmes for students wishing to undertake study in law, criminology, sociology and psychology.

Our internationally renowned academics are leaders in their fields and bring their research and practice into the lecture theatre, helping students gain current and relevant skills and knowledge.

The School also has an internationally diverse and active student community allowing you to network with fellow students from all around the world.

During your time with us you will benefit from a dedicated support network, including a Personal Tutor and student Peer Guides.

SOCIOLOGY: 96% OF STUDENTS AGREED STAFF ARE GOOD AT EXPLAINING THINGS (National Student Survey, 2018)

LAW: 93% OF STUDENTS AGREED STAFF HAVE MADE THE SUBJECT INTERESTING (National Student Survey, 2018)
Choosing your degree

Our degree programmes reflect the very latest developments in law, criminology, psychology, sociology and social policy. You will also examine real-life situations and have the opportunity to undertake one of our unique industry placements. As you progress through your courses, you will become equipped with the knowledge, skills and experiences essential to advance your future career.

Our degree programmes are designed to give you a solid foundation of knowledge in your first year and to expand on this in subsequent years. By the time you reach your third year you will have an excellent basis of knowledge and will be given the opportunity to dig deeper in to your own individual passions by choosing optional modules alongside your mandatory modules.

If you choose one of our year in industry options, you’ll have the option to spend your third year on a placement, before returning to complete your studies in your fourth year. Within the School we have a dedicated Placements Officer who works closely with the Careers and Employability Service to help you secure a placement and support you while you are out on your placement year.

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Supportive learning
We have a strong culture of support for students. All students are allocated a Personal Tutor before arrival, who will provide academic advice and pastoral support throughout the entire degree programme.

Facilities
We are based close to the College’s beautiful and historic Founder’s Building, which houses our Picture Gallery and chapel as well as a dining hall and accommodation for 500 students.

Directly across from the Founder’s Building is the Emily Wilding Davison Building, completed in 2017 and home to our state-of-the-art library. It is situated a few seconds walk away from the Arts Building, home of the School of Law.
Student Life

Student societies
The School of Law works closely with the Student Law Society to offer a wide range of social and skill-building events including talks from guest speakers, academics and law firms.

Extra-curricular activities
The School of Law runs a range of extra-curricular activities including mooting, interviewing, negotiation and voice training. These activities are designed to increase employability whilst building on your own skills and confidence. The School also offers a range of trips and excursions including court visits, trips to prisons and the Houses of Parliament.

“Studying law at Royal Holloway is both challenging and enjoyable. Whilst there is plentiful reading and seminar preparation to complete, there are also multiple opportunities which go beyond the basic academic sphere, such as talks and mock trials. I chose to study here because of the tight-knit community feel the university offers.”

Harneet
LLB Law
Your future career

Graduating from the School of Law will equip you with a wide range of transferable skills which are highly sought after by employers. Throughout your studies you will learn how to carry out independent research, analyse data and present your findings as well as developing your written and oral communication, time management and research skills. Our graduates leave with skills and knowledge that not only make them attractive to employers in a broad spectrum of careers, but also prepare them for further advanced study.

We have excellent links with Law firms, prisons, government bodies and charities. Recent graduates from the School have gone on to pursue careers in a variety of fields including the Crown Prosecution Service, the police, the probation service, youth custody and the prison service.

93% of our graduates are employed or go on to further study within six months of graduating.

(Destinations of Leavers from Higher Education, 2018)

This brochure was produced in Autumn 2018 and information was correct at that time. Please make sure you check our website or contact us directly for the very latest information if you are considering an application.
Royal Holloway, University of London
• Learn from world leading experts
• Highly ranked for student satisfaction
• Beautiful campus in a safe location
• Vibrant and active community
• Award-winning careers service

Visit us to find out more
Our Open Days are a great way to get a feel for life at Royal Holloway. Look around the campus, meet our students and staff, and find out more about studying and living here.

Find out more and register to attend at royalholloway.ac.uk/opendays