On behalf of the Legal Profession Admission Board and the Law Extension Committee we welcome all students to the Winter 2015 teaching session and September 2015 examinations, especially those who are new to the Board’s course.

The Board, which is the admitting authority for lawyers in New South Wales, conducts examinations in subjects that are necessary to satisfy the academic requirements for admission to practice.

The University of Sydney Law Extension Committee provides legal education for the Board’s students in the form of lectures, weekend schools, library facilities and specialised library support, subject guides and materials, the setting and marking of assignments and online resources.

The professional orientation of the examinations is reflected in the curriculum, and in the backgrounds and expertise of the examiners and lecturers, who come from both practice and university. The Examinations Committee, which is constituted under the Legal Profession Admission Rules 2005, oversees the content and conduct of the Board’s examinations and the candidatures of students-at-law. A sub-committee for the Examinations Committee plans and reviews the curriculum for the Board’s examinations and prescribes materials on which the Board’s examinations may be set.

The Board and the Law Extension Committee together aim to provide a course that is readily accessible and academically rigorous. We hope that you will benefit from your studies and achieve your objectives in obtaining an education in law as a stepping stone in your career.

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