

Observation of Teaching Policy



The University of Law's Observation Of Teaching Policy has been informed by the Office for Students Sector-Recognized Standards and the General Ongoing Conditions of Registration and has regard to the UK Quality Code for Higher Education. These definitive reference points for all English higher education institutions set out how academic standards are established and maintained and how excellence in the quality of learning opportunities is assured.

This policy sits within The University of Law's Quality and Standards Code, which provides a suite of policies designed to safeguard the academic standards of The University of Law and to assure the quality of learning opportunities offered; this policy should therefore be read in conjunction with other relevant policies within the code.

Introduction

2 This document sets out the policy for the observation of teaching at the University of Law and is supported by a number of protocols. This policy applies to all those who teach or facilitate student learning.

Responsibility for this policy

3 Ultimate responsibility for the development of clear and effective processes and procedures associated with the maintenance of standards and quality assurance of academic provision and overseeing their application lies with the Academic Board.

Expectation

4 The University expects all those who teach or facilitate student learning to participate in a teaching observation at least once every year. Details of the schemes operated are found in the supporting protocols.

Key Aims and Principles



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