



Tsinghua University and Peter A. Allard School of Law at the University of British Columbia (UBC) LL.B./J.D. Degree Partnership Option

Admission Application Procedures

Application deadline: April 5th

The following form is intended for University of Tsinghua LLB students in their third year of studies who wish to participate in the degree partnership option with UBC. The following required documents must be submitted to Allard Law by the application deadline:

1. The completed application form (begins on page 3)

2. A Personal Statement written by the applicant

- Your Personal Statement is an essay of no more than 750 words.
- The contents of your statement should outline those features about yourself that distinguish you from other candidates and/or anything you feel is relevant to your application including highlights about your non-academic achievements.

3. Transcripts from Tsinghua University

 You must make arrangements with Tsinghua University to have official transcripts, in the original language together with an accompanying official English language translation issued by Tsinghua University in a sealed envelope, included with the application materials sent to the Allard School of Law.

4. Transcripts from post-secondary schools other than Tsinghua

 You must make arrangements with every post-secondary institution you have attended besides Tsinghua to have official transcripts, in the original language together with an accompanying official English language translation issued by the institution in a sealed envelope, sent to Tsinghua University School of Law to be included with the application materials sent to the Allard School of Law.

5. Two Academic Letters of Reference

6. A form or letter from the Tsinghua University indicating:

- (i) approval from Tsinghua University to apply to the UBC J.D. program, including whether the applicant meets all eligibility requirements as stated above;
- (ii) the applicant's overall grade average to date;
- (iii) the overall grade ranking for students enrolled in the Tsinghua University LL.B. program, per year/cohort; and
- (iv) the applicant's grade average for all law courses taken at Tsinghua University to date (i.e., all courses taught within the School of Law).

7. English Language Proficiency Test Results

- Tsinghua students must demonstrate sufficient English language proficiency by obtaining the minimum scores on one of the English language proficiency examinations below noted. The examining body must send results directly to the Allard School of Law, Attention: J.D. Admissions, Tsinghua-UBC Degree Partnership Option. For TOEFL examinations, UBC's institution code is 0965 and the Faculty of Law's department code is 03. The Allard School of Law requires the following minimum scores:
 - (i) TOEFL: minimum score of 100, of which the reading, listening and writing component minimum is 75; or
 - (ii) IELTS: minimum overall band of 7.0 with a reading and writing band minimum of 7.0; or
 - (iii) GCE: A-level English examination with a standing of at least "B".
 - (iv) Test results are considered valid for two years after the date the test is taken.
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Except where specified above, all application materials must be in English. All of the above documents are to be provided to the Tsinghua University School of Law to send directly to:

JD Admissions
The University of British Columba
Peter A. Allard School of Law
1822 East Mall
Vancouver, BC V6T 1Z1
Canada

If you have any questions regarding the Joint Legal Education Program or the admissions process, please contact the Admissions office at admissions@allard.ubc.ca or 1-604-822-6303. General information about the Peter A. Allard School of Law can be found at www.allard.ubc.ca. Questions regarding course selection and the Allard School of Law curriculum may be directed to Kaila Mikkelsen, Assistant Dean, Students, at mikkelsen@allard.ubc.ca. Allard Law Ambassadors are available to give tours and answer questions about student life at Allard. They can be reached at ambassadors@allard.ubc.ca.

For information about practicing law in BC, visit the Law Society of BC website at www.lawsociety.bc.ca. If you are an international student, you must ensure that your visa arrangements are finalized before classes start in September. UBC has comprehensive information for international students available online at: http://students.ubc.ca/international.





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Applications to be included in application package submitted by Tsinghua.

English language proficiency test results are required.

Please refer to application requirements for details.

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Collection and Use of Personal Information

The University collects, uses, retains and discloses personal information in accordance with the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FIPPA), R.S.B.C. 1996, c.165 as amended. Personal information provided on this application is collected pursuant to the University Act, R.S.B.C. 1996, c.468, as amended, and FIPPA. The information will be used by the University including without limitation for the purposes of:

- + admission, registration, graduation and other decisions on your academic status
- operating athletic, residential, alumni and other UBC related programs (including issuing UBC Card and U-Pass).

The University may share and disclose personal information as follows:

- + within the University to carry out its mandate and operations
- + to UBC student societies and UBC Alumni Association
- + to other educational institutions
- + to professional organizations
- + Law School Admission Council
- + to the provincial government
- + to entities participating in or operating UBC related programs (eq. U-Pass)

Information may be disclosed to third parties by UBC for statistical and research purposes including without limitation to conduct surveys in order to gain feedback from its students regarding their experiences at UBC.

The student societies of UBC are the UBC Alma Mater Society and UBC Okanagan Students' Union and all of their associated constituency organizations ("UBC Student Societies"). The UBC Student Societies are separate legal entities from the University.

Disclosure of personal information to UBC Student Societies include full name, student number, year level, faculty of study, membership to organization, and e-mail address. UBC Student Societies use this personal information to:

- + run elections
- + manage their membership
- administer student programs (including the UBC Alma Mater Society and Graduate Student Society Health & Dental Plan)
- + communicate with their membership

Students may choose to opt-out of disclosing the abovementioned personal information to the UBC Student Societies by indicating so on the Student Service Centre.

Declaration

- + I agree that my secondary and post-secondary grades may be released to UBC. I will notify Admissions of any additional post-secondary studies taken subsequent to the date of this application.
- + I accept that if, in reading and completing this application,
 I knowingly or carelessly provided untrue or incomplete information,
 (a) any offer of admission, whether accepted or not, may be withdrawn by UBC;
 (b) I may be required to withdraw from UBC;
 (c) I may be subject to academic discipline.
- + I agree that UBC may verify the information provided by contacting the relevant institution or any secondary or post-secondary institutions not listed in this application.
- + I accept that information on falsified documents is shared with the Association of Universities and Colleges of Canada.
- + I agree that my name may be released to my school or school district if I am a Scholarship recipient.
- + I agree, if admitted to UBC, to comply with the UBC calendar and all the rules and regulations of the University, present and future.
- + I hereby certify that all statements made in connection with this application and all supplementary information submitted by me are true and correct. I understand that Peter A. Allard School of Law does not admit all persons who apply for admission and that the selection of applications for admission is solely within the discretion of Peter A. Allard School of Law.

- + I hereby authorize and consent to the release of information and documentation from my admission file, including copies of my application form, transcripts and letters of reference, for use in carrying out the duties of members of the Admissions Committee, any scholarship or bursary selection committees appointed by the Dean or Peter A. Allard School of Law, the Law School Admission Council's Panel on Misconduct and Irregularities in the Admission Process and the Law Foundation of British Columbia.
- + I also authorize the release to other law schools and/or the Program of Legal Studies for Native People of information with respect to whether I have accepted a place in the University of British Columbia J.D. program.
- + If I am the recipient of a Scholarship, Prize or Award I give Peter A.

 Allard School of Law and the University permission to provide the award donor with my name and year of study and to publish my name, year of study and/or picture in any lists of scholarship, prize or award winners or publicity associated with scholarship, prize or award winners, and, if I am awarded a Bursary, I give the University permission to provide the Faculty with my name and the name of my Bursary.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT

DATE (Year / Month / Day)