



Law and Higher Education

Guest Editor:

Prof. Dr. Jacob H. Rooksby

School of Law, Gonzaga
University, Spokane, WA 99258,
USA

Deadline for manuscript
submissions:

closed (15 October 2018)

Message from the Guest Editor

Dear Colleagues,

Higher education is a site of recurrent political contest and social debate. What is the purpose of the university? How, for whom, and for what do we educate? What should be the state's relationship with higher education's activities? What is the public's interest in the future of higher education? In what ways does higher education further the public good?

Behind each of these questions lies a complex landscape shaped by existing laws, the specter of prospective laws, and the threat of private interest vindication through civil lawsuits. This reality provides the reason for this Special Issue, which gives academics an opportunity to explore a variety of topics on the forefront of law and higher education, across national contexts.

This Special Issue seeks articles that focus on any legal, theoretical, regulatory, comparative, or policy issue with legal ramifications in higher education.

Prof. Jacob H. Rooksby
Guest Editor





an Open Access Journal by MDPI

Editor-in-Chief

Prof. Dr. Patricia Easteal

1. School of Law and Justice,
University of Canberra, Bruce,
ACT 2617, Australia
2. Legal Light Bulbs, Flynn, ACT
2615, Australia

Message from the Editor-in-Chief

Laws is an international, open access journal featuring rigorous scholarship on critical developments in governance, courts, agencies, and social order. Analysis and synthesis, theory and practice, and empirical and doctrinal work have appeared in the journal; contributions that bridge these traditional boundaries are particularly welcome. The social sciences and humanities generate insights both from and for the legal system. While theory grounds *Laws* in a timeless dialogue shaped by traditions of inquiry, legal practice ensures that scholars are addressing pressing problems. Both normative and positive scholarship can aid policymakers, judges, and agency officials. *Laws* brings together the work of theorists and practitioners, and a diverse range of empirical researchers, to promote the progress of foundational legal norms.

Author Benefits

Open Access: free for readers, with article processing charges (APC) paid by authors or their institutions.

High Visibility: indexed within Scopus, ESCI (Web of Science), RePEc, vLex Justis, CanLII, Law Journal Library, and other databases.

Journal Rank: JCR - Q1 (Law) / CiteScore - Q1 (Law)

Contact Us

Laws Editorial Office
MDPI, Grosspeteranlage 5
4052 Basel, Switzerland

Tel: +41 61 683 77 34
www.mdpi.com

mdpi.com/journal/laws
laws@mdpi.com
[X@Laws_MDPI](https://twitter.com/Laws_MDPI)