# **Curtin University**

# LAW AND TAXATION: INDUSTRY RELEVANT RESEARCH



### Applied Law

- Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Program and the Eminent speaker series including former Chief Justice of the West Australian Supreme Court, the Hon Wayne Martin AC QC and leading members of the legal profession
- Commencement of Practical Legal Training (PLT) Program
- Expansion of the Curtin Law Clinic to integrate PLT students
- Industry Connection: Small Business Development Corporation (SBDC)
- Global positioning with study abroad at Ghent, Tax study tours, connections with University of Bologna and Aberdeen University
- Dedicated Moot Court to enhance mooting skills
- Curtin Law and Taxation Review a student-edited refereed journal

# **Curtin Tax Clinic**

- First National Pro-Bono Tax Clinic in Australia run by taxation students and professionals
- Federal Government Funded
- Industry partnerships with Taxation Professional/Legal firms and Australian Taxation Office
- Research into topical taxation areas
- Work on real problems with actual taxpayers
- Advance the business profession through contribution to work being undertaken in this new era of pro-bono assistance in the taxation profession

## Key research Areas at Curtin Law School

- Law and Taxation including tax and transfer reform; international tax policy (including e-commerce, and base erosion and profit-shifting); regulation and red tape; federalism and superannuation
- Law and Society including Human Rights and Access to Justice



- Law and the Environment including emissions from oil and gas, sustainable transportation, environmental justice, animal welfare and endangered species
- Law and Education including Legal Practice and the Profession
- Law in Commerce including commercial and contract, international, international trade, corporations and property

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