



Capability Statement

College of Business and Law Research

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Overview

The College of Business and Law takes pride in its rigorous industry-relevant research, which is a core priority across the College. Our dedicated academic staff conduct leading-edge research and critical analyses focussed on real-world challenges that confront industry, government, and the community sector. Our research is highly translatable, and impact focussed.

Our research interests extend across the globe. Leading researchers in the College are internationally recognised and widely published in top-ranking journals, and they provide value to our industry partners in the form of evidence-based expertise. This expertise resides in disciplines central to the core themes of our five Schools. Within these disciplines, our researchers focus on areas of Digital and Frontier Business, Supply Chain and Logistics, and Ethical Business and Social Impact.

The College hosts several research centres, groups, and labs that are distinguished by their commitment to research excellence and strong links to industry. Our researchers work across Schools, and within the established College research structures.



Research Focus

Research in the College of Business and Law covers a broad range of business discipline areas, reflecting the broad activities of our Schools. Our cohesive and supportive environment provides support to our nationally and internationally established researchers and nurtures our emerging early career researchers and feeds directly into high-quality supervision of postgraduate candidates and transformative learning experiences for undergraduate students.

The College has a number of research structures, established to concentrate capability and join-up interdisciplinary research expertise with the needs of industry. These research structures include:

- Centre for People, Organisation and Work
- Centre for Business and Human Rights
- Centre for International Development
- Centre for Cyber Security Research and Innovation
- Blockchain Innovation Hub
- Global Transport and Logistics Research Group

The College's School of Economics, Finance and Marketing also host to several top researchers across the Behavioural Business Lab, Consumer Culture Insights Group, Consumer Wellbeing Research Group and the Placemaking Economics Group.

In addition to the research structures, the College of Business and Law is strongly aligned with the Global Business Innovation Enabling Capability Platform (ECP), and other ECPs such as Social Change and Urban Futures. Additionally, the College is strongly affiliated with the RMIT Centre for Innovative Justice, the Australian APEC Study Centre.



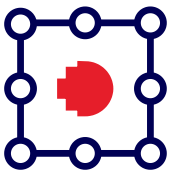
Industry Partnership

College of Business and Law researchers are always looking for interesting and challenging industry problems to solve. Research partnerships can take many different forms, including collaborations, sponsorships and contract research. Visit <https://www.rmit.edu.au/for-business/research-partnerships> to connect with us and find out.



Learn More

The College of Business and Law Research website features a suite of Researcher Profile videos. These videos profile some of our top researchers and showcase their research stories. Additionally, the website hosts the College of Business and Law Thought Leadership Blog – Acumen. To find out more about our research visit <https://www.rmit.edu.au/about/schools-colleges/college-of-business-and-law/research> to watch the videos and explore the blog.



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For all general enquiries contact the College of Business Research Office at business.research@rmit.edu.au or phone +61 3 9925 5480.

Location

The College of Business and Law has a central location in the heart of Melbourne. This enables researchers to establish close links with industry, whether it is with business, government, or the wider community. Our address is as follows:

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