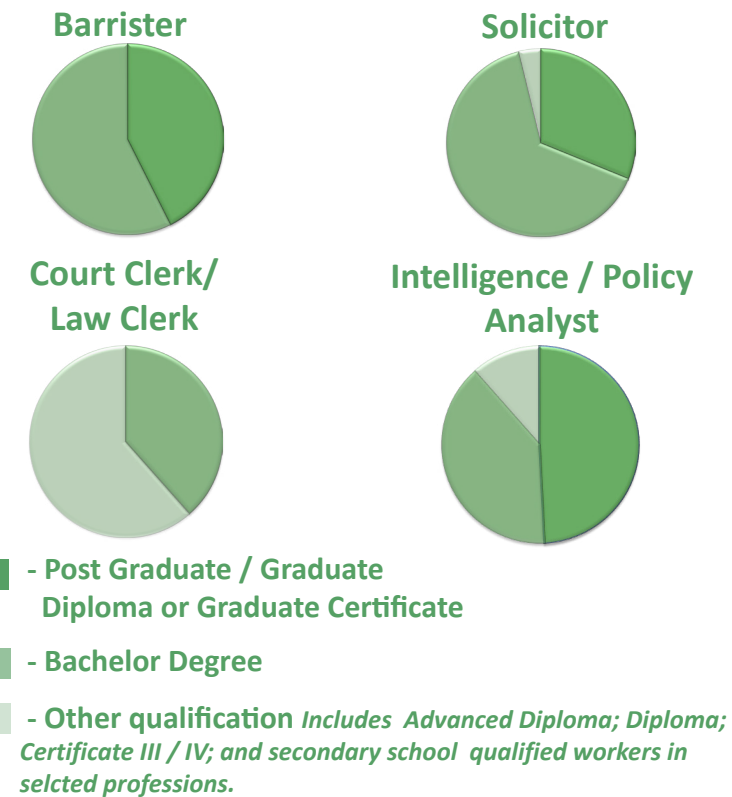


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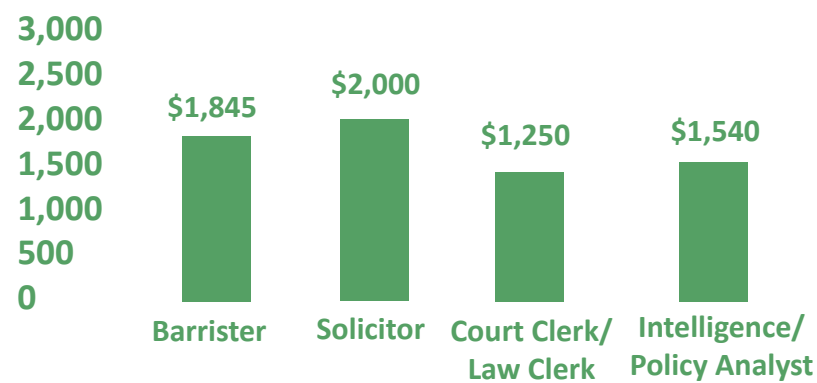


Source: 4  
Education level attained/ % of total employment in Australia:  
Law Profession - selected roles



Source: 1

Average full time weekly earnings (before tax):  
Law profession - selected roles



Where do Registered Legal Practitioners work?

Numbers of entities registered in Victoria as at 31 January 2017.

Source: 5

Sole Practitioner	5,460	Government Employer	152
Non-legal Employer (lawyer working for a business)	1,645	Community Legal Centre	62
Incorporated Legal Practice	1,473	Foreign Law Practice	27
Law Firm	240	Unincorporated Legal Practice	30
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,089</b>		



“In a world of complex threats, our security and leadership depends on... strong and principled diplomacy.” - Barack Obama



## Law Profession - Workforce Facts

Source: 2

Employment for Barristers to November 2020 is expected to grow moderately. Employment in this very small occupation (8500 in November 2015) rose slightly in the past five years and rose very strongly in the long-term (ten years).

Employment for Solicitors to November 2020 is expected to grow strongly. Employment in this very large occupation (67,700 in November 2015) rose very strongly in the past five years and in the long-term (ten years). Solicitors, Court and Legal Clerks are mainly employed in Professional, Scientific and Technical Services, Public Administration and Safety and Financial and Insurance Services.

Employment for Court and Legal Clerks to November 2020 is expected to grow moderately. Employment in this small occupation (13,300 in November 2015) remained relatively steady in the past five years.

Intelligence and Policy Analysts represent a medium sized occupation (20,300 in November 2015) and are mainly employed in Public Administration and Safety, Health Care and Social Assistance, and Professional, Scientific and Technical Services. Employment for this occupation rose strongly in the past five years and rose strongly in the long-term (ten years).



Source: 2  
Employment levels and estimated growth in Australia:  
Law profession - selected roles

Role	2015	2020 (estimated)
Barrister	8,400	9,100
Solicitor	67,700	79,700
Court Clerk/ Legal Clerk	13,300	13,400
Intelligence/ Policy Analyst	20,300	21,100



“Injustice anywhere is a threat to justice everywhere.”  
- Martin Luther King Jr.



Source: 3  
Gender % split:  
Law profession - selected roles

