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OF QUEENSLAND  
AUSTRALIA

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Advanced Humanities (Honours)  
Arts  
Communication  
Criminology and Criminal Justice (Honours)  
Education (Primary)  
Education (Secondary)  
International Studies  
Journalism  
Music (Honours)  
Politics, Philosophy and Economics (Honours)  
Social Science

# ARTS, COMMUNICATION, EDUCATION AND SOCIETY

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# TOP REASONS TO CHOOSE UQ



## ACCESSIBLE LOCATIONS

Three easy-to-access  
campuses – catch public  
transport, ride, walk or drive



## VIBRANT LIFESTYLE

Dynamic sports and  
cultural activities,  
200+ clubs and societies



## WORLD-CLASS FACILITIES

Continuously improving  
teaching, learning, sporting  
and research spaces



## SUCCESSFUL GRADUATES

Higher than national  
averages for full-time  
graduate employment  
rates and salaries



## GREAT EXPERIENCES

Long- and short-term  
overseas study exchange,  
vacation research  
programs and more



## GLOBAL CONNECTIONS

Extensive graduate  
network, strong industry  
partnerships and many  
notable alumni



## EXCELLENT TEACHERS

More national teaching  
awards than any other  
Australian university\*



## LEADING RESEARCH

Global research  
powerhouse with all  
fields at or above world  
standard\*\*



## HIGH-QUALITY PROGRAMS

Most comprehensive  
range of programs in  
Queensland

\*As at December 2016, UQ has received 122 Australian Awards for University Teaching  
\*\* 2015 Excellence in Research for Australia (ERA) assessment



# WELCOME TO THE FACULTY OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES AT UQ

By studying humanities and social sciences, you will learn to think differently and use your understanding to shape the future you want for yourself and your world, whatever career you pursue. Take the opportunity to explore your ideas and find your passion and purpose.

### Job ready

Australian and international employers want UQ's humanities and social sciences graduates because their knowledge, skills and experience add value to strategic goals from day one. These are gained through top-quality programs that give you a competitive edge in the job market.

We support students seeking internships for developing valuable workplace competencies and boosting self-confidence. These opportunities expand networks and often lead directly to employment.

### Diverse study areas

Our disciplines include arts, education, communication and society with over 40 study areas to choose from. A humanities and social sciences degree provides you with a broad education that encourages intellectual curiosity and prepares you for both practical and passionate careers.

From classics to the contemporary including sociology, communication, history, music, anthropology and languages, to name a few, you will criss-cross the horizons of time, geography and culture to understand what it means to be a global citizen in the 21st century.

If you want to learn differently and base your expertise on understanding how and why people interact with each other and the universe, start your personal discovery here.

### Alumni network

We are proud to claim among our alumni hundreds of world-renowned professionals who have built their outstanding careers on the foundations of a UQ humanities and social sciences degree.

These include:

- award-winning actors, authors and musicians
- Ambassadors and High Commissioners
- Managing Directors
- former Governors-General and Premiers
- Rhodes Scholarship recipients.

Graduates are also working in fields such as advertising, community engagement, conservation, education, humanitarian organisations, law, marketing, museums, public policy, publishing, psychology, theatre, translation services and tourism.

### Practical experience

We offer close to 60 unique, work-integrated learning courses. Depending on your program, opportunities include (but are not limited to):

- participating in the Alberese Material Culture Field School in Tuscany, Italy
- on-site visits in Greece
- producing and directing your own film
- visiting places of worship (Abrahamic, Asian and contemporary religions and spirituality)
- writing a narrative travel article
- performing a musical piece at QPAC
- interning at a government or non-government organisation
- participating in the UQ in India journalism project.



Politics, Philosophy and Economics (Honours)



### IN-DEMAND GRADUATES

Be in high demand with global employers



### WIDE ARRAY OF CHOICE

Choose from a range of more than 40 study areas



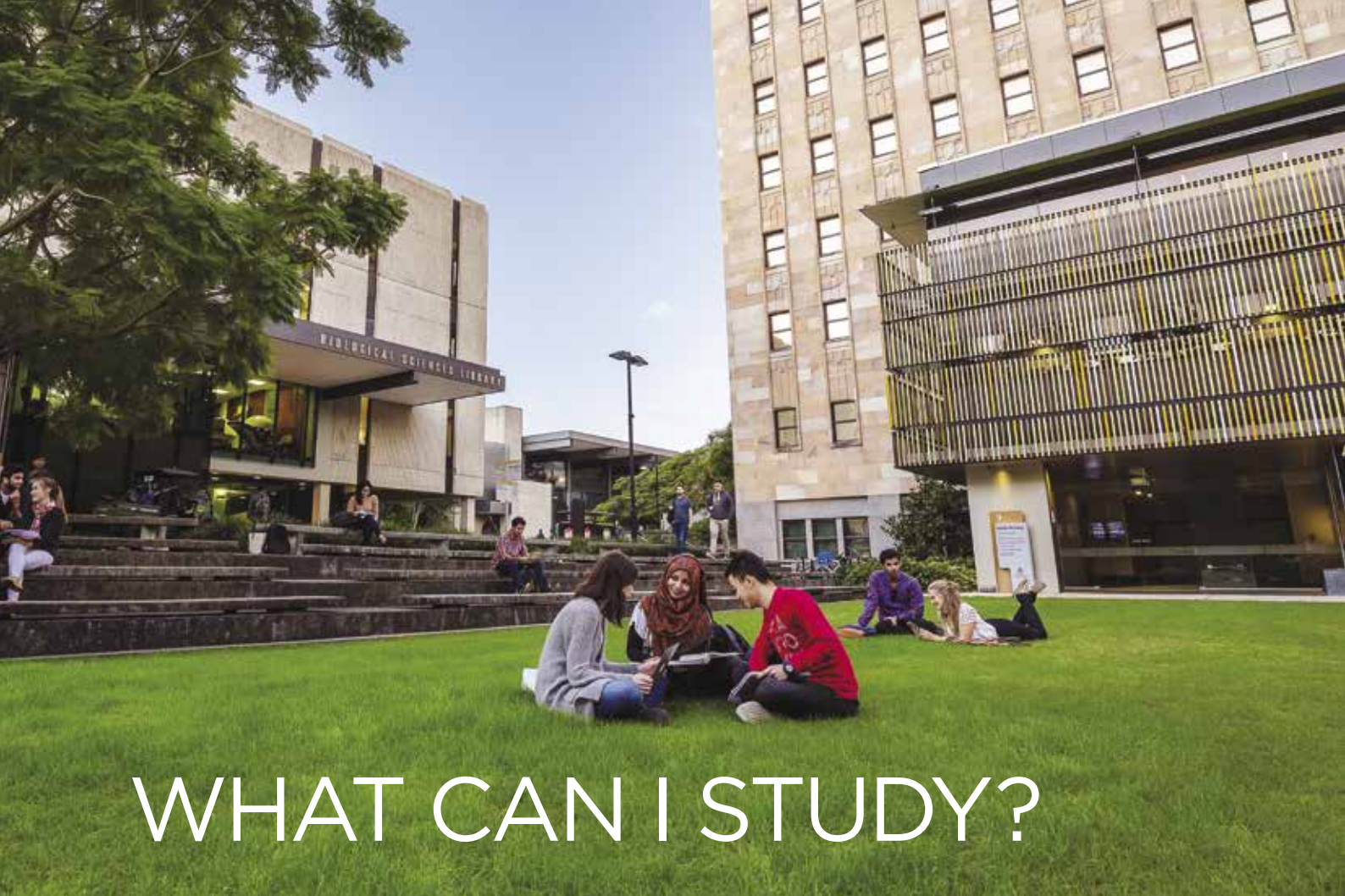
### GO GLOBAL

Travel overseas to study, intern, or experience a field placement

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Humanities and Social Sciences

With a wide range of subjects on offer, our programs provide exceptional opportunities for you to pursue your interests and talents, broaden your horizons and boost your employability.

If you already have a clear understanding of what you want to study and which area you want to specialise in, our more structured programs highlighted in this Study Guide may be just what you're looking for.

However, if you want to explore different fields of study and tailor a program to suit your individual needs, you may wish to enrol in a Bachelor of Arts (see pages 12 and 13). Similarly, if you are interested in becoming a teacher, one of our Teacher Preparation Programs (either Primary – pages 48 and 49, or Secondary – pages 50 and 51) might be what you're after.

Dual programs are also a popular option because they enable you to attain two degrees more quickly than if you studied them separately. Read more about our dual programs on page 5.

We also offer two Concurrent Diplomas in Languages and Music Performance, which could be the perfect balance between a single degree or dual degree program. Read more on pages 60 and 61.

UQ offers one of the widest range of options in Australia for studying the arts, humanities and social sciences.

Our programs can be studied in different ways, so it's important to understand what each one offers.

You also need to consider how long you want to be studying, as the dual programs and diplomas may extend the duration of your studies.

- Our degrees:**
- Bachelor of Advanced Humanities (Honours) (BAdvHum(Hons))\***
  - Bachelor of Arts (BA)**
  - Bachelor of Communication (BCommun)**
  - Bachelor of Criminology and Criminal Justice (Honours) (BCCJ(Hons))\***
  - Bachelor of Education (Primary) (BEd(Primary))\***
  - Bachelor of Education (Secondary) (BEd(Sec))**  
*only available as a dual degree*
  - Bachelor of International Studies (BIntSt)\***
  - Bachelor of Journalism (BJ)**
  - Bachelor of Music (Honours) (BMus(Hons))**
  - Bachelor of Politics, Philosophy and Economics (Honours) (BPPE(Hons))\***
  - Bachelor of Social Science (BSocSc)**

*\* not available as a dual degree; for lists of dual degrees, please see page 5.*

DUAL PROGRAMS

Dual programs offer the opportunity to combine different areas of interest and enable you to complete two degrees in a shorter amount of time.

As the world around you changes, new and fascinating career opportunities are created every day, and job roles increasingly combine multiple disciplines.

A dual program, also called a double degree, will equip you for this evolving job market.



Benefits to 'like'

- Save time**  
Graduate with two bachelor programs in as little as four years – a much shorter time than it would take to study both programs separately.
- Broaden your skills**  
Choose to study two complementary disciplines to broaden your understanding and skills – such as majoring in criminology and sociology in your Bachelor of Arts while studying chemistry or genetics in your Bachelor of Science for a scientific perspective on forensics.
- Strike a balance**  
Why compromise when you can balance your studies and your sanity by pursuing both your career ambitions and your passion? Dual program students appreciate the diversity of topics offered in their two different programs.
- Get an edge**  
As a dual program graduate you will have a competitive advantage with employers, and you will broaden your prospective employment to a wider range of industries.
- Learn from the best**  
By studying in two disciplines you will benefit from exposure to a more diverse range of UQ's outstanding teachers and researchers.



AMBER BLACK  
Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Laws

“ Law has taught me analytical thinking, and Arts allowed me to thrive by engaging in subjects I am interested in.

I realised that I do not need to strive for just one particular career path. If you study what you love, you will get to a lifestyle you love.

DUAL PROGRAMS		QTAC CUT-OFFS	DURATION
Bachelor of Arts +	Bachelor of Communication	OP 10	4 years
	Bachelor of Education (Secondary)	OP 11	
	Bachelor of Information Technology	OP 8	
	Bachelor of Journalism	OP 8	
	Bachelor of Mathematics	OP 4	
	Bachelor of Science	OP 9	
	Bachelor of Social Science	OP 11	4.25 years
	Bachelor of Business Management	OP 9	
	Bachelor of Commerce	OP 6	
	Bachelor of Economics	OP 6	5 years
Bachelor of Communication +	Bachelor of International Hotel and Tourism Management	OP 9	
	Bachelor of Music (Honours)	OP 11	
	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)	OP 6	5.5 years
	Bachelor of Laws (Honours)	OP 1	
Bachelor of Education (Secondary) + <i>(can only be studied as a dual degree)</i>	Bachelor of Arts	OP 10	4 years
	Bachelor of Journalism	OP 8	
	Bachelor of Business Management	OP 9	
Bachelor of Journalism +	Bachelor of Arts	OP 11	4 years
	Bachelor of Mathematics	OP 4	
	Bachelor of Science	OP 9	
	Bachelor of Business Management	OP 9	4.25 years
Bachelor of Music (Honours) +	Bachelor of Music (Honours)	OP 11	5 years
	Bachelor of Arts	OP 8	4 years
	Bachelor of Communication	OP 8	
	Bachelor of Science	OP 8	
Bachelor of Social Science +	Bachelor of Business Management	OP 8	4.25 years
	Bachelor of Laws (Honours)	OP 1	5.5 years
	Bachelor of Arts	OP 11	5 years
Bachelor of Social Science +	Bachelor of Education (Secondary)	OP 11	
	Bachelor of Science	OP 9	4 years



# ADVANCED STUDY FACILITIES

We offer dynamic teaching and learning facilities to help you get the most from your university experience.



## Archaeology laboratories

UQ has the largest archaeology program in Queensland, and is one of only two programs of its kind in Australia that incorporates scientific approaches to archaeology.

To ensure you gain the most from your studies, UQ has refurbished the archaeology laboratories, which have been

designed as an integrated teaching and research facility. This facility combines general purpose spaces and specialised labs to meet the infrastructure needs of our staff, students and the broader archaeology community.

There are nine individual labs outfitted with state-of-the-art equipment, covering various sub-disciplines across archaeology.

These are:

- Artefact Laboratory
- Chemistry Laboratory
- Fauna Laboratory
- Microscopy Laboratory
- Pacific Laboratory
- Sample Processing Laboratory
- Secure Laboratory
- Teaching Laboratory.

Also included is a purpose-built outdoor teaching facility where archaeology students learn first-hand the techniques of archaeological excavation, as well as practical and experimental archaeological research.

The Archaeology Teaching and Research Centre (ATARC) is the largest and one of the best dedicated archaeological practical learning spaces in the world.

ATARC incorporates a number of teaching and research areas including a simulated archaeological site; a replica crime scene; two areas for excavation by the public during open days; fire-fuelled kilns, smelter, forge and stone knapping areas; a projectile firing range; and other experimental areas.



## Drama Studio

The Geoffrey Rush Drama Studio is a fully equipped teaching venue that enables you to gain experience in all aspects of staging a dramatic production – from lighting, sound, prop design, acting and costuming, to publicity and marketing.

The studio was renamed in 2010 in recognition of the graduate who now wears acting's coveted 'Triple Crown' of Academy, Emmy and Tony Awards.

## JACradio – our in-house online radio station

JACradio is an around-the-clock online radio station committed to delivering 'the ultimate digital radio experience' to UQ students.

JACradio allows journalism and communication students to sharpen their skills in news writing, interviewing and presentation before entering the workforce.

You will be trained in the art of broadcasting by industry consultants and academic staff.

The studio complex includes ultramodern production facilities and the latest audio digital editing software.

## jacTV – pop-up TV studio

jacTV is a student-run web channel, created to give you the chance to practise and master on-camera and production skills before venturing out into the newsroom as a graduate.

Every Friday, jacTV films its weekly news program *The Rundown*.

The production of the show takes place in a pop-up studio that turns an everyday student space into a state-of-the-art television studio.

Those students who decide to pursue on-camera roles gain experience in news gathering, script writing and reading from an autocue system.

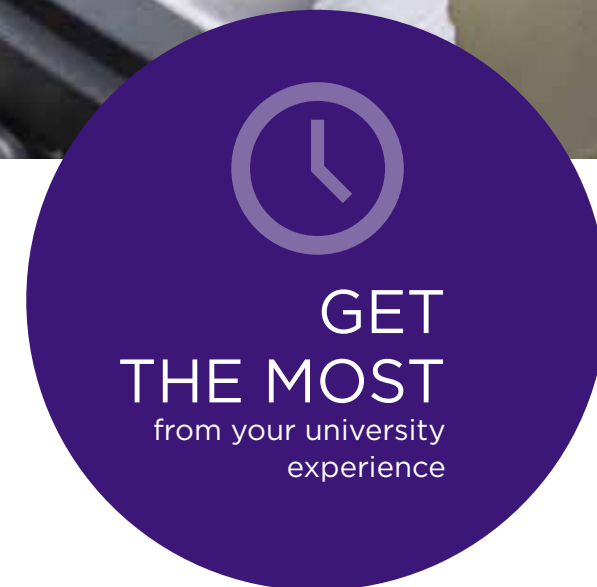
Those in production roles make sure the whole process comes together, ensuring quality audio and video is recorded and then edited together in the post-production phase.

Check out our JAC platforms on [jacdigital.com.au](http://jacdigital.com.au)

## Teaching and school classrooms

The School of Education teaching spaces are designed to mimic school classrooms with the latest in interactive whiteboard technology and flexible teaching spaces.

You can develop skills in using these facilities, and also practise your whiteboard handwriting skills on the whiteboard-walled classrooms.



## Language and interpreting labs

The JM Campbell Conference Interpreting Facility at the School of Languages and Cultures is one of the top interpreter training facilities in Australia – equipped with United Nations-specified simultaneous interpretation booths.

The facility also has video-conferencing capability and a full computer lab.

This facility is used throughout the year for teaching in interpreting, and for simultaneous interpreting forums such as the Master of Japanese Interpretation and Translation (MAJIT) Interpreting Forums.





### Journalism and Communication Student Ideas Centre

Mock newsfeeds and on-camera television news reading and reporting are some of the activities available to you in journalism and communication thanks to unparalleled student facilities.

The studios and learning spaces give you the chance to hone your craft more comprehensively in the digital age.

The retro-styled teaching space will invite you in with comfortable chairs, coffee tables, and easy access to a range of technology – including radio booths and computers with industry-standard software for graphic design, video editing and web development applications.

Triggering visions of a modern newsroom, you can stop and watch the variety of pay TV channels being aired on large flat screens, search the internet for online news, or listen to radio.

For those keen to engage in group work or discussions, a collaborative learning space is located in the next room with computers and whiteboards. Equipment such as cameras, video cameras and voice recorders can be borrowed from JACtech.

You are also invited to update your skills through the in-house workshops on everything from creating your own blog through to photography.

To guide you along in this process, the Media and Production Support team is on hand for any technical questions.



### Music

The Nickson Room is an intimate performance space within the School of Music. Named in honour of the foundation professor of music at UQ, Noel Nickson, this auditorium is used throughout the year for teaching, rehearsals, studio recordings and concerts, including performances by the school's ensembles-in-residence, the White Halo Ensemble and the Viney-Grinberg Piano Duo.

[music.uq.edu.au/events](http://music.uq.edu.au/events)

### Our museums

#### Anthropology Museum

The Anthropology Museum is the largest university collection of ethnographic culture materials in Australia, detailing the late 19th and 20th century social and cultural history of Australian Aboriginal and Pacific peoples.

The museum cares for a significant collection of non-Western art and artefacts including contemporary Pacific and Australian Indigenous artwork. The museum also holds a collection of 6500 photographs. It is a rich resource for schools, the public and students, particularly those studying anthropology and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander studies.

[anthropologymuseum.uq.edu.au](http://anthropologymuseum.uq.edu.au)

#### RD Milns Antiquities Museum

The premier collection of classical Mediterranean artefacts in Queensland, the RD Milns Antiquities Museum depicts the profound impact that the cultures of the ancient Mediterranean have had on the literature, art, politics, and society of our modern world.

The museum supports and promotes the study of the Greek, Roman, Egyptian and Near Eastern civilisations through their material remains. It offers a wide range of programs for primary and secondary schools, university courses and the general public, drawing from its collection of over 7000 original objects.

[uq.edu.au/antiquities](http://uq.edu.au/antiquities)

#### UQ Art Museum

Queensland's second-largest public art collection of works by Australian artists from the colonial era to the present, this museum also holds the Nat Yuen Collection of Chinese antiquities, and the only National Collection of Artists' Self Portraits in Australia.

[artmuseum.uq.edu.au](http://artmuseum.uq.edu.au)



### The Hive

The Hive is a collaborative learning space for students in the Social Sciences and Humanities Library. The contemporary, purpose-built space enables students to work independently or in groups. The installation of Sound Domes allows you to view study material on the flatscreen

monitor without disrupting surrounding study groups. This area is also accessible during the evenings and on weekends and is the access point to UQ's award-winning library.



Bachelor of

# ADVANCED HUMANITIES (HONOURS)

This new four-year undergraduate degree allows high-achieving students to experience the latest in cutting-edge thinking in the humanities, equipping them with honours-level disciplinary skills and a breadth of interdisciplinary proficiencies required of industry professionals and researchers of the future.

2017		OP 5	RANK 91	ATAR 90.90	IB 33
<b>Duration</b> 4 years full-time					
<b>Location</b> St Lucia					
<b>Entry requirements</b> Queensland Year 12 or equivalent; Senior English					
<b>QTAC code</b> 757101					

## What is Advanced Humanities?

The Bachelor of Advanced Humanities (Honours) is an academically rigorous and exciting program for students wishing to grasp an inclusive perspective of some of the key historical, intellectual, literary and artistic traditions that have shaped our world.

Humanities disciplines study how we process and document what it means to be human, using critical and creative methods to explain where we have been, and where we could possibly go.

The scope and complexity of our global society requires imaginative thinkers and problem solvers with a breadth and depth of knowledge in human experience and intellectual traditions.

## What will I study?

As a student, you will engage with the faculty's leading humanities researchers through a core suite of unique interdisciplinary courses to emphasise connections across humanities disciplines including:

- Great Works and the Humanities
- Humanities and the Big Questions
- Interdisciplinary Thinking.

You will also choose majors and honours research projects from:

- Ancient History
- Art History

Studying humanities provides  
**ESSENTIAL TOOLS**  
for understanding the world in which we live

- Drama
- English Literature
- History
- Mathematics
- Musicology
- Philosophy
- Studies in Religion.

## Career opportunities

Graduating with a Bachelor of Advanced Humanities (Honours) equips you for a range of influential roles in the public and private sectors – the sorts of roles requiring well-educated people with first-rate analytical and expressive skills.

The program also provides you with a solid foundation for more specialised study, in the humanities themselves or in a range of humanities-related professional degrees.

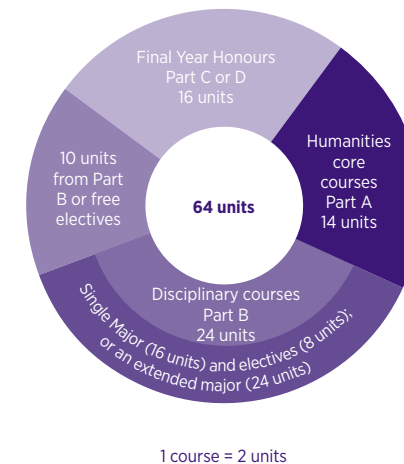
This program prepares you for a range of careers in academic or professional organisations including research, implementation and policy-making positions such as arts policy consultant, cultural development and community engagement officer, creative development researcher, cultural heritage officer, cultural advisor, creative events manager, project leader, curator, commentator, and archivist.

Graduates will also be at the frontline in a new generation of humanities postgraduate study.



First-year Bachelor of Advanced Humanities (Honours) students at their orientation camp at Stradbroke Island

## Bachelor of Advanced Humanities (Honours) structure



## Key features of the degree:

- Embedded honours
- Unique interdisciplinary subjects
- Orientation camp
- Industry internships
- Study Abroad options
- Individual academic mentors
- Small group teaching
- Student conference
- Working with international researchers
- Research collaborations
- Research management



# Bachelor of ARTS

The Bachelor of Arts (BA) is UQ’s most flexible and popular program.

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**Duration** 3 years full-time; part-time equivalent available to Australian residents and citizens

**Location** St Lucia

**Entry requirements** Queensland Year 12 or equivalent; Senior English

**QTAC code** 707001

**Honours** One additional year of study

DUAL PROGRAMS

Bachelor of Arts +

Business Management  
Commerce  
Communication  
Economics  
Education (Secondary)  
Engineering (Honours)  
Information Technology  
International Hotel and Tourism Management  
Journalism  
Laws (Honours)  
Mathematics  
Music (Honours)  
Science  
Social Science

One of the  
LARGEST  
course selections  
in Australia



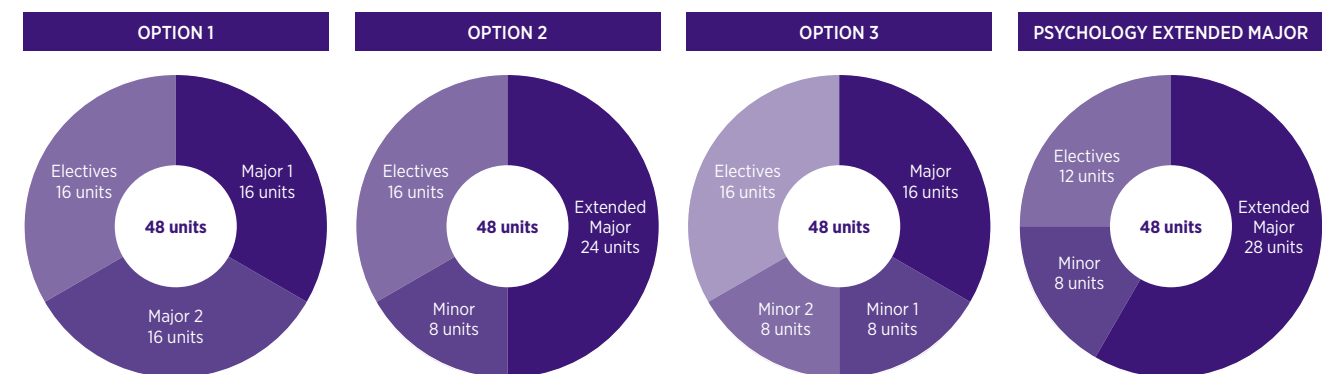
## Structure your program

Majors and minors provide structure to your program: they are the core disciplines that you will follow throughout your undergraduate studies.

BACHELOR OF ARTS		
MAJORS AND MINORS		
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies	French	Music
Ancient History	Gender Studies (minor only)	Peace and Conflict Studies
Ancient History/History	Geography	Philosophy
Anthropology	German	Political Science
Archaeology	History	Popular Music and Technology
Art History	Indonesian	Psychology
Chinese	International Relations	Public Policy
Chinese Translation and Interpreting	Italian	Russian
Classical Languages (Greek and Latin)	Japanese	Sociology
Criminology	Journalism and Mass Communication	Spanish
Drama	Korean	Sports Studies
Economics	Latin American Studies (minor only)	Studies in Australian Culture (minor only)
English	Linguistics	Studies in Religion
English Literature	Mathematics	Writing
Film and Television Studies	Media and Digital Cultures	

You can design your degree in a number of ways:

## Bachelor of Arts structure options



1 course = 2 units

With one of the most comprehensive course offerings in Australia, the BA at UQ celebrates your uniqueness and enables you to tailor a program that fits your career aspirations and interests.

You can structure your dream BA in three ways, depending on the intensity of study and number of electives you want (see diagrams on the next page).

## What can I study?

The BA covers broad disciplines across the arts, humanities and social sciences, as well as a handful of additional disciplines such as mathematics, economics and geography. See pages 12 to 40 for descriptions of all majors offered in the BA.

## Program structures

The BA is a three-year undergraduate program, with the option of an additional honours year.

All BA majors feature compulsory first-year courses, which are referred to as ‘gateway’ courses. These introduce you to each discipline.

There are also compulsory second- and third-year courses called ‘cornerstones’ and ‘capstones’ respectively.

These courses tie together the key learning outcomes that you are expected to have gained within your major.

The option to study a minor is available to complement your chosen major or extended major.

## Benefits of a BA

With one of the largest course selections in Australia, the BA also offers:

- Queensland’s most comprehensive selection of languages (available as a single major, extended major, standalone electives or concurrent diploma)
- practical experience combined with a strong theoretical understanding to prepare you for your career, not just your first job

- employment opportunities strengthened by UQ’s world-class reputation
- award-winning academics, researchers and support staff
- specialised learning spaces, including The Hive and the Geoffrey Rush Drama Studio
- cultural collections, including the RD Milns Antiquities Museum, UQ Art Museum, Anthropology Museum and Fryer Library Special Collections, to enrich your studies
- the ability to take full advantage of student life at UQ, as well as enhanced learning options such as study tours, Study Abroad and summer exchange, which can help you develop beneficial networks.

## Practical experience

Depending on your major, internships and short-term industry placements may be available. These opportunities foster the development of skills and competencies in a work situation.

## Career opportunities

A BA provides you with a well-rounded education, the ability to think and analyse, to write effectively, and the specialist knowledge gained in your major. As a result, a BA opens up a range of career opportunities including but not limited to:

- advertising, marketing, PR and media
- arts administration
- arts curatorship
- broadcasting
- communications
- community/voluntary sector
- event management
- foreign affairs and trade
- government sector
- Indigenous affairs
- international agencies, like UNESCO or the United Nations
- project management
- sport and leisure
- theatre direction and production.

Alternatively, you may choose to progress to honours, which further enhances your career prospects. Many employers, such as those in the public and finance sectors, require you to hold an honours degree.

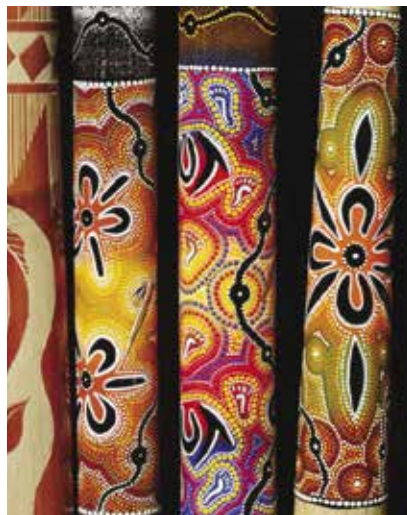


# BA MAJORS

Bachelor of Arts majors (and minors) are listed in alphabetical order on the following pages.

Majors and minors are the  
**CORE DISCIPLINES**  
that you will follow  
throughout your  
undergraduate studies

## BA Major ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER STUDIES



### What is Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies?

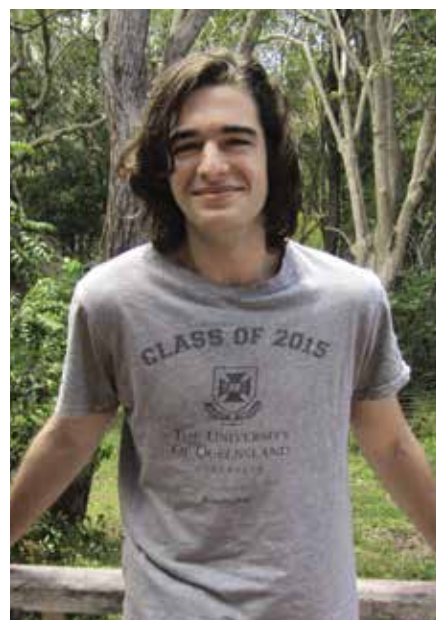
Are you curious about the oldest continuous culture on the planet? This major introduces you to the societies of Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples spanning more than 75,000 years.

Indigenous and non-Indigenous teachers will engage you with the major historical, social, economic and political events and processes that have shaped Indigenous perspectives of life in Australia today.

At UQ's Anthropology Museum, you have access to the largest university collection of ethnographic culture materials in Australia, helping you develop a rich understanding of how Australian Aboriginal and Pacific peoples lived in the late 19th and 20th centuries.

### Careers

Career opportunities include education, community development and the environmental sector.



### OSCAR GOLDMAN

Bachelor of Arts (Ancient History)

After completing his degree, Oscar found a position at SIMP as a research assistant.

He said studying Classics and Ancient History provided him with diligent research skills surrounding a variety of cultures – skills that he was able to take with him into the workplace.

"My current role involves measuring and analysing the impact of incoming business on cultures through comparing historical trends with current survey results," he said.

Ancient History provides not only a grounding in the classical cultures, but methods of inquiry that can be used for other, and indeed modern, societies.

"For those studying Classics and Ancient History, I strongly advise picking up either Latin or Greek as soon as possible," Oscar said.

"Not only are these subjects rewarding in and of themselves, but are necessary for any further study and work in the field.

"Furthermore, the Classics and Ancient History Society provide social and academic events – for guidance, networking, or meeting like-minded people," he said.

## BA Major ANCIENT HISTORY



### What is Ancient History?

Ancient History is a broad discipline that encompasses the history, literature, religion, philosophy, political institutions, social customs, art and architecture of the ancient Mediterranean peoples, particularly the Greeks and Romans.

We will teach you to apply historical method to a range of significant questions in Greek and Roman history, and to critically analyse ancient evidence and modern opinion relating to important individuals and their achievements (e.g. Alexander the Great, Julius Caesar and the Roman Emperors), the development of ideas (e.g. Greek democracy), daily life and material culture.

As part of the Ancient History major, students may elect to take courses that make extensive use of the University's antiquities collection, as well as courses involving trips to Greece and Italy.

### Careers

This major provides ideal training for any job that requires you to research, structure, and present an argument. You will find graduates working in museums, publishing, the diplomatic corps, secondary schools, media organisations, and the public service.

## BA Major ANCIENT HISTORY/HISTORY



### What is Ancient History/History?

This major offers a wide spectrum of courses dealing with the ancient and modern worlds.

Ancient History courses focus on the cultures of Greece and Rome, and you will have the opportunity to study their art, literature, religion, philosophy, politics and social customs.

Modern History courses cover the History of Medieval and Early Modern Europe, Modern Europe and the USA, Asia and the Middle East, and Australia.

You will critically analyse evidence and opinion and develop a comprehensive and well-founded knowledge of selected historical periods, topics, research methods and forms of historical communication.

Given the lasting influence of ancient ideas and institutions, the study of ancient history helps to provide a basis for deeper understanding of modern society.

History teaches you how to interrogate the more recent past and enter into dialogue with forces that have shaped a variety of cultures within the modern world.

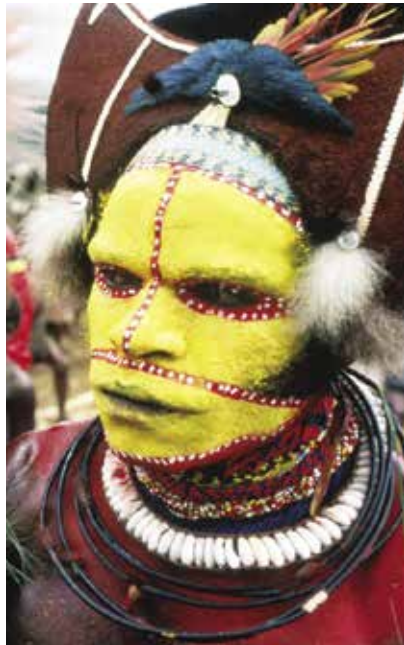
### Careers

This major provides ideal training for any job that requires you to research, structure, and present an argument. It is especially useful for jobs requiring a wide breadth of historical knowledge. You will find graduates working in all levels of education, as well as museums, publishing, media organisations, international agencies and the public service.

This major is tailored to meet prerequisites for teaching history in secondary schools when combined with an appropriate education qualification.



## BA Major ANTHROPOLOGY



### What is Anthropology?

Anthropology is the study of diverse human life and experience everywhere and anywhere that humans exist.

At UQ, you will examine society and culture in settings that are different and distant as well as familiar, from small communities of peoples living on Pacific Islands to the global interactions of modern capitalist nations.

Drawing on other disciplines like human biology, ecology, linguistics, history, politics, sociology and psychology, you'll discover how and why cultural traditions continue and change, and how this knowledge can help current and future generations understand human beliefs and behaviour. You can enrich this experience with access to UQ's Anthropology Museum, which houses and displays the largest university collection of ethnographic and cultural materials in Australia.

### Careers

Anthropology graduates can be employed in government, industry or community organisations working with people of many diverse backgrounds and lifestyles. In Australia, this could mean work on migrant or ethnic issues, on how and why people may be prepared to adopt new technologies, or on resolution of Aboriginal native title claims and negotiation of resource developments like mining, tourism and fishing.

International work might involve economic and social development in Pacific Island countries, attitudes to environmental conservation across the globe, or attempts to engage with the wide range of societies in Asia through tourism, cultural engagements and economic development.

Jobs can be sought in a wide range of organisations including Aboriginal Land Councils, consultancy firms, government departments, international development groups, museums, and in areas of education, tourism and health.

## BA Major ARCHAEOLOGY



### What is Archaeology?

Digging for knowledge about human life in other times isn't always a dirty business. At UQ, you not only learn how to search for and excavate ancient sites to uncover the secrets of the past, but you also learn how to scientifically examine the artefacts you find for clues about how cultures have developed and changed through the ages.

From early human ancestors and the development of farming to the rise of cities and sprawling urban landscapes, UQ is a hub for archaeological science and forensics, as well as the conservation of our own cultural heritage.

UQ's Archaeology Lab and Archaeology Teaching and Research Centre (ATARC) provide the largest integrated teaching and research facility of its kind in Australia and form the core of our program, which aims to train archaeologists for a professional career in Australia or around the world. Join our archaeologists as they undertake research of international importance in Australasia, Africa, the Pacific (Hawaii, Easter Island), the Mediterranean and Near East (Pompeii, Turkey), India and France.

### Careers

In the modern world, most archaeologists obtain jobs connected with cultural heritage and its conservation, and this is true for the several hundred archaeologists working in Australia.

Many are employed by the public service, large corporations and private archaeological consultancy firms to undertake archaeological investigations of development sites.

Some are employed by museums and others gain teaching and research positions in universities.

Your job title in one of these diverse areas may be:

- Archaeologist/Archaeological Consultant
- Community Liaison Officer
- Cultural Impact Assessor/Heritage Assessor
- Curator or Artefact Collection Manager
- Education Officer or Lecturer
- Evaluation Officer
- Field Officer/Assistant/Manager
- Heritage Officer/Director/Project Supervisor
- Lab Technician
- Project Manager
- Researcher/Research Fellow or Assistant
- Site Recorder/Database Manager.

## BA Major ART HISTORY



### What is Art History?

As the world becomes increasingly dominated by images, skills in reading and interpreting visual imagery have become essential competencies for a wide variety of careers within and beyond the arts sector.

Studying the Art History major at UQ will enrich your understanding of the changing values of visual cultures across a diversity of intellectual approaches.

You'll examine objects, paintings, sculptures, films and other creative media across cultures and through time to build your knowledge of creative evolution, and develop a stronger contemporary visual literacy and broad understanding of art traditions.

Access to the UQ Art Museum, Queensland's second-largest public art collection of works by Australian artists, will add another dimension to your learning.

### Careers

The arts industry is an area of growth and UQ has an exceptional history of placing graduates in employment positions in private galleries and art institutions in Queensland, nationally and internationally.

Art history is extremely beneficial for those seeking professional careers in art galleries, art museums, state ministries and arts councils as arts writers and in other related occupational areas.

Within art galleries and art museums, there are a number of positions that require art history. These include curators, who study and write about works of art and make recommendations for their purchase and display; educational officers, who promote the gallery's holdings and lecture on current exhibitions; and registrars, who oversee the cataloguing of objects, arrange loans and maintain records.



### JESSICA MCNEIL

Bachelor of Arts (Honours) (Archaeology)

After graduating with a BA Honours at UQ, Jessica went on to pursue her academic career in archaeology at Harvard University, looking into the stone tool technologies that emerged in Kenya around 50,000 years ago.

Thanks to the UQ Employability Advantage Grant program, Jessica was able to experience incredible overseas field work opportunities in France and Africa throughout her studies, which gave her a passion for Paleoanthropology – the archaeology involved with questions of human evolution.

Jessica was impressed with the fantastic researchers within the UQ Archaeology Department who work across the globe and every time period.

"They're always willing to help you foster a new interest and introduce you to other people who share your passions," she said.

"Get involved! There's always newly excavated material to be worked on or ancient technology experiments to be carried out, and there's so much scope in archaeology to extend your engagement beyond the standard course hours."



## BA Major CHINESE



### What is Chinese?

A rapidly changing society with a history dating back to the 17th century BC, China comprises 56 ethnic groups that offer a rich heritage of cultural diversity. In recent decades, China has played an increasingly significant role in world culture, economy and politics.

The Chinese language is key to understanding the redistribution of power in the Asia-Pacific region. At UQ, you will not only study topics such as writing, speaking and language, but also cultural studies, cinema, literature, history, translation and interpreting. A stream for Teaching Chinese as a Second Language (TCSL) is also available for those students who may wish to teach Chinese in the future.

### Careers

Because of Australia's large Chinese population and the frequent interaction between the two countries, there is always a demand for people with Chinese language skills and cultural understanding. Having an understanding of the language and culture can undoubtedly enhance your competitiveness in the job market.

Career opportunities are unlimited and you are by no means confined to language related fields – although you may choose to work in areas such as translation and interpretation or teach Chinese in Australia. Chinese language skills are also an advantage for careers in diplomacy, law, health, education, technology and academia.

Chinese medicines and medical treatments have become one of the most popular alternative treatments in Australia, and Chinese arts and feng shui have also inspired many Australian architects and designers.

The Chinese-speaking population is currently the largest in the world. Learning Chinese opens a window to understanding Chinese culture and way of life.



### NILE DE JONGE

Bachelor of Arts (Honours) (Ancient History and Classical Languages)

Nile decided to continue studying after graduating from her BA and went on to pursue her Honours in Classical Languages at UQ.

She said this was a fantastic opportunity, as it allowed her to study texts that had not been examined in as great detail as others from more commonly translated authors.

"During my Honours year my research and translating capabilities improved immensely, providing me with invaluable skills for further writing and research challenges," Nile said.

Any language study is beneficial as it challenges your brain to think in a new way, creating new thought processes, and Nile said Ancient Greek and Latin are no exception.

"Since so many of our English words originate from Greek and Latin roots, a better understanding of our own language quickly starts to develop from studying these ancient languages," she said.

"The study of Greek and Latin also allows us a certain intimacy with the ancient world. It allows us to engage with the ancients, to understand how their minds worked, how they interacted with one another and how they viewed their own history.

"Through these languages, we can see how people joked, see their cultural idioms, and how their language – both written and spoken – developed through the centuries, something that is not always achieved through the reading of these texts in English."

## BA Major CHINESE TRANSLATION AND INTERPRETING



### What is Chinese Translation and Interpreting?

The Chinese-speaking population is currently the largest in the world. Alongside this, the global economic and political role of China is becoming increasingly important. With this, more and more people with competency in Chinese/English translation are in demand.

Designed for students who are native Chinese speakers, this major provides you with knowledge of the key issues in Chinese/English translation and Mandarin/English interpreting, based on the generic NAATI (National Accreditation Authority for Translators and Interpreters) paraprofessional credential.

This major introduces you to the professional practice of translation and interpreting, and explores the influence of target culture and language genre on the translation and interpreting of written and spoken texts between English and Chinese.

In doing so, this major provides a solid basis for future postgraduate coursework study of translation and interpreting in the UQ Master of Arts in Chinese Translation and Interpreting program (MACTI), which is accredited at the NAATI Professional Translator and Interpreter levels.

### Careers

China's interaction with the global community is on the increase; therefore, there is a growing demand for people with highly developed Chinese and English language skills and cross-cultural understanding. Graduates will gain the foundations for future employment as interpreters and/or translators (further postgraduate coursework study is required). Chinese language skills are also an advantage for careers in diplomacy, law, health, education and academia.

## BA Major CLASSICAL LANGUAGES (GREEK AND LATIN)



### What is Classical Languages (Greek and Latin)?

The language and literature of Greece and Rome continues to have a profound impact on western culture. Some of our earliest examples of drama, history, philosophy and epic poetry are written in Greek and Latin. For more than 2000 years, the language of science, medicine, diplomacy and law was Latin.

The Classical Languages major at UQ provides you with the opportunity to learn two of the oldest languages in the world. You will learn grammar and acquire skills in reading and writing. A study of the ancient languages is immensely valuable for appreciating the culture and sophistication of Greco-Roman antiquity.

### Careers

This major provides ideal training for any job that requires an understanding of how languages work and an ability to write clearly and elegantly. You will find our graduates working in publishing, education, the public service, and media organisations.



## BA Major CRIMINOLOGY



### What is Criminology?

Criminology draws from sociology, psychology, criminal law, public health and geography to understand the workings of the criminal justice system, including police, courts and corrections.

Businesses, corporations, government agencies, social institutions, communities and families use the expertise of criminologists to help prevent and control offending.

Criminologists seek to understand the causes, consequences, and prevention of crime. This includes the processes of criminal decision-making, why some places and communities are more crime prone than others, and why some people, families, communities and societies experience more crimes than others.

Criminologists develop and implement evidence-based crime prevention policies in response to a wide range of crime problems in society.

### Careers

**Policy advisor** roles in government areas such as courts, policing, corrections, housing, education, social services, justice, youth justice, and communities.

**Practice roles** as a child support officer, crime prevention officer, immigration officer, customs officer, loss prevention officer, intelligence officer, fraud investigator, police officer, and probation/parole officer.

**Research and evaluation** roles in government, non-government organisations, university, corporations and businesses.

**Crime management** roles in corporate security, risk management units, compliance agencies, local councils, crime prevention councils, treatment centres, and not-for-profit service providers.

## BA Major DRAMA



### What is Drama?

From the rituals and storytelling of ancient cultures to the multimedia entertainment industry of the 21st century, writing and theatrical performance have evolved in response to changes in human society.

By studying drama at UQ, you will learn how to interpret theatre through time and across cultures and will be challenged to think about what constitutes performance on the stage, on the page and in everyday life.

You will develop an understanding of the theatrical and literary aspects of drama, from ancient Greek classics and medieval theatre to the most recent plays from around the world. You'll critique professional performances, review plays, compare the classics with contemporary scripts, and craft your career on a broad base of knowledge and experience. You'll also work with leading local, national and international practitioners to develop work at the Geoffrey Rush Drama Studio, home to the New Theatre Writing Laboratory and the Queensland Shakespeare Ensemble.

### Careers

As well as developing your creative practice, enhancing professional opportunities and complementing other academic qualifications, a major in Drama can lead to arts-related careers or vocations.

Some drama graduates make careers in the theatre industry. Such possibilities include performing, directing, dramaturgy, stage management, writing or reviewing, as well as professional positions such as publicity/marketing, arts administration, arts policy, or youth and community arts work.

Others find rewarding careers in teaching or publishing.



### CLAIRE IRVINE

Bachelor of Arts (Honours) (Criminology)

Claire Irvine graduated from UQ with a BA and BA (Hons) in criminology. She is now working as a research officer for the road safety strategic development and intelligence unit in the Queensland Police Service.

Claire's role includes reviewing road policing innovations, undertaking major evaluations of road policing initiatives and policy changes, managing data systems, liaising with law enforcement agencies and other organisations, and writing reports.

Claire said UQ provided her with the knowledge and skills required to acquire her current role.

In her criminology major, Claire was able to choose electives from a large, diverse list, and she said this enabled her to study courses that really interested her.

"The best part of being a UQ student was access to the fantastic facilities – including those that assisted me with my degree such as world-class academics, libraries and computer systems, and those that enhanced my overall university experience, including sporting facilities, cafes, and the Red Room," she said.

Claire also had the opportunity to undertake an internship in UQ's Summer Research Scholar program, where she worked on the national security and preparedness survey under the supervision of Dr Suzanna Ramirez, an academic in the School of Social Science.

## BA Major ECONOMICS



### What is Economics?

Economics is the science of decision-making. As individuals, communities, companies and governments, we face choices every day, weighing up the costs and benefits of our decisions.

With the ongoing momentum of globalisation, economic/financial/cultural integration and increasing pressure for ecological sustainability, economics provides powerful tools to analyse complex issues.

Economics determines much of today's social and political landscape, and students trained in this field are exceptionally well positioned to play a leading part in the future direction of business, government and society.

Within this major, you can select courses such as experimental economics, financial markets and institutions, health economics, managerial economics, macroeconomics and microeconomics.

### Careers

Graduates with an economics major have sufficient skills to work for a variety of employers including the public service (state and federal), the private sector (e.g. financial institutions, retail), not-for-profit organisations and international aid agencies.

The Faculty of Business, Economics and Law's Student Employability Team is dedicated to helping students increase their employability, access opportunities and manage their career. Students can access assistance to help them proactively build their employability skills, which will help them stand out to employers during and upon completion of their degree. For more information, visit [bel.uq.edu.au/SET](http://bel.uq.edu.au/SET)



## BA Major ENGLISH



### What is English?

English is the medium of communication, business and entertainment for millions of people around the world. From witty plays and elegant films to pungent protest songs and complex novels, it allows people to formulate and convey their particular vision of the world and their often urgent desire to celebrate or improve it. Students will examine examples of English at work in different circumstances, ranging from poetry to television and the internet.

Combining courses from English Literature, Film and Television, and Writing, the English major offers a rich cross-disciplinary study experience. You will learn to examine familiar ideas from new perspectives, to approach unfamiliar ideas with intelligence, and to research and communicate your own ideas with confidence.

### Careers

The English major develops a set of general skills that are highly sought after in the job market: the ability to think broadly and critically, to write and communicate clearly, and to solve complex problems in fresh, innovative ways.

The English major is approved for the dual BA/BEd (Sec) degree, making it a suitable degree for those wishing to teach in secondary schools in Queensland and elsewhere in Australia. Its combination of courses and areas is carefully chosen in consultation with UQ's School of Education and mirrors that found in the high school English and English Extension syllabus.

## BA Major ENGLISH LITERATURE



### What is English Literature?

Studying the English Literature major at UQ, you'll explore literary history from the Elizabethan period through to contemporary literary culture as it moves into the digital age.

You'll be engaged with work from across the centuries and across the globe, with the spread of English as a world language.

You'll look at Shakespeare and Austen, David Malouf and Toni Morrison, literary traditions and literary revolutions, literary classics and recent prize-winners. And in doing all this, you'll learn a range of skills – the close reading and careful analysis of texts, the ability to write clearly and concisely, and the ability to make and critique arguments – skills that are key to success not only in your education, but also in future career paths.

The English Literature major will push you towards an active engagement with cultural values and ideas, examining and questioning as you work towards a greater understanding of cultural history and towards the larger question of what it means to be human.

To study English Literature is to discover a compelling record of what is possible for us to experience, imagine and create.

### Careers

This major trains you in vital analytical, critical, research and writing skills now essential in many occupations and professions.



### MARIA QUIRK

Bachelor of Arts (Honours) (English Literature and History)

In Maria Quirk's opinion, UQ has "the best humanities program in Queensland".

Graduating with a Bachelor of Arts (Honours) majoring in English Literature and History, Maria said the range of majors and courses available was very appealing.

"A BA gives you opportunity to study a range of subject areas while also focusing on your specific area of interest," Maria said.

Throughout her degree, Maria was able to take courses in political science, cultural studies and international relations in addition to her two majors of History and English Literature.

"Taking these elective classes broadened my understanding of world history and politics and opened my eyes to new interests and research areas that I would never have discovered otherwise," she said.

Maria went on to study for a PhD and said her BA gave her the tools, knowledge and experience she needed to pursue a career in academia.

"Throughout my degree I learned how to manage my time, work well with other people and communicate my ideas effectively.

"Even more importantly, UQ taught me how to think critically and analytically; skills that are invaluable in any career, but are particularly vital as a PhD candidate," she said.

Maria would tell a future student to embrace the opportunities UQ has to offer.

"The best part of an Arts degree is the choices you have ahead of you. There are so many things to study and learn about – this is a degree that can literally take you anywhere," she said.

## BA Major FILM AND TELEVISION STUDIES



### What is Film and Television Studies?

The Film and Television Studies major provides a strong grounding in the study of two of the most powerful forms of artistic and cultural expression of the past century.

You will learn about wide-ranging cultural perspectives and historical periods, contemporary popular culture, screen aesthetics, genre, narration, realism, national cinemas, adaptation, industrial and technological developments, and audience reception.

While you will also have the opportunity to learn about film and television through creative and practical assignments such as reviewing, storyboarding and screenwriting, the focus is on visual literacy, critical thinking, audio-visual analysis, cultural understanding, research and communication skills.

### Careers

Employment opportunities include positions with festivals, film culture organisations, screen corporations and film distributors, as well as state and federal public service positions.

Film and Television Studies is also directly relevant to teaching film and media studies or working as a film reviewer, production researcher or location manager.

With the growth of pay and digital television, there are now more opportunities to work with television companies and online screen-media content providers.



## BA Major FRENCH



### What is French?

French is a truly global language, spoken in Europe, North America, Africa and in our own region of the Pacific. That's more than 220 million people available to communicate with in French.

At UQ, we offer courses for all levels, from complete beginners through to school-leavers and to students with extensive experience in French.

But that's not all. French at UQ offers opportunities to pursue your interests in literary and cultural studies, cinema, intercultural communication, translation and second language acquisition.

And to boost your fluency and experience life as a Francophone in many parts of the world, UQ offers hands-on Study Abroad experiences with institutions in France, Switzerland, Canada and New Caledonia.

### Careers

French can open doors professionally in a range of fields: in teaching, diplomacy and translating, as well as areas as diverse as mining, engineering, pharmaceuticals and transport.

There is also a significant body of work in French on topics such as political thought, feminism, human rights, migration, peace and conflict studies or ethics, and opportunities for work in related areas.

Moreover, our graduates find that the linguistic skills developed in learning French are translatable to many aspects of working life, making them careful, critical and confident intercultural communicators in English as well as French.



### EMILY MILLER

Bachelor of Arts (French and Anthropology)

After finishing her Bachelor of Arts, Emily was accepted into the UQ French Honours program for which she was awarded First Class Honours. Emily has been MC for Australia's biggest French Festival and is now one of its committee members. She was also awarded the Mabel Pingel Scholarship for excellence in French and completed a Winter Research Program with the UQ French department.

Her passion for language and theatre inspired her to direct and produce Brisbane's first ever French play entirely in French with English subtitles. Local high school students, French expatriates and Francophiles alike attended the sellout season. The first French-language play was such a success that Emily is directing and producing another French play this year.

Emily aspires to use theatre as a tool to not only introduce French theatre culture to Australians, but also give second language learners the opportunity to engage with the French language outside the classroom.

"My skills and employability as a graduate have greatly increased since learning French," Emily said.

"I have had countless opportunities and have now forged relationships with French communities both nationally and internationally.

"In a nutshell, learning French at UQ is a must – the French team is consistently awarded for its excellence in teaching and innovation, and is relentless in its efforts to improve second language learning in higher education," she said.



### LIU, XIAOCHUN (APRIL)

Bachelor of Arts (Sociology and French)/Bachelor of Education (Secondary)

April chose to study a language as part of her dual degree as it added a different range of knowledge to her program and a cultural aspect as well; giving her greater possibilities for her future career.

When it came to choosing her program, April said she wanted to choose a degree with a purpose.

"For me, it has to either interest you or be useful to your future career," April said.

"I would say sometimes you might think what you are doing is not what you've expected before, but you can get through it if you always have a purpose or a reason," she said.

As an international student, April wanted to share her personal experience with prospective international students in the hope that it may help them to make the decision to study at UQ in the future.

"My UQ study experience is fantastic and I've been enjoying it so much! It provides a great platform for me to develop myself, both academically and personally.

"I have discovered some of my potential capabilities by actively getting involved in various co-curricular activities provided by the University – such as social and networking skills, leadership skills etc. – and I'm becoming more open-minded and confident.

"I would say my learning experience at UQ is one of the best things in my life."

After graduating, April would like to work in the education industry – in consulting and training or marketing/promotions – or may even start up her own small business.

## BA Minor GENDER STUDIES



### What is Gender Studies?

This minor focuses on the social and cultural constructions of gender in human interactions within both Australian and global cultures, often with a concern for the intersection of gender with issues of race and ethnicity, class and sexuality.

You will build 'gender literacy': a developed understanding of conceptual frameworks used by feminist thinkers and gender theorists, and of tools for analysing and discussing the construction, representation and performance of femininity and masculinity.

You will also acquire knowledge of debates and controversies in the development and application of feminist and other innovative and radical theories and methodologies.

'Gender literacy' will be applied to fields of inquiry including popular culture, media (traditional and new), artistic production, politics and history, and, at advanced levels, to specialised areas selected from literature, sociology, Indigenous studies, development and internationalism, and philosophy.

The minor, or its individual courses taken as electives, provide a depth of understanding of gender questions in the areas you are focusing on for your major or other studies.

### Careers

A knowledge and understanding of gender issues is centrally important in many professional areas, and Gender Studies graduates are increasingly finding satisfying employment in areas as diverse as communications, teaching, librarianship, law, media and publishing, the public service (state and federal), non-governmental organisations (NGOs) and development agencies, diplomacy and business, as well as specialist gender-related fields related to equity and diversity, policy development, social justice and women's services.

Employers value Gender Studies graduates for their exceptional abilities in creative and critical thinking, textual and visual analysis and critical interpretation; their excellence in writing and communication; and their understanding and empathy.



## BA Major GEOGRAPHY



### What is Geography?

In this major you will analyse many of today's big issues, such as climate change and population growth.

Geography has never been more relevant or important to society and its future. With the Earth's population set to expand from seven billion to 11 billion by the end of the century, humans will be influenced by the environment more than ever before and vice versa. The world will need professionals who are able to monitor and assess changes.

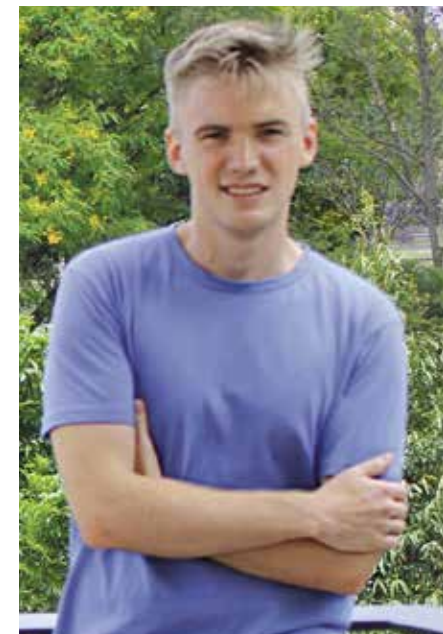
The Geography major will prepare you for a career in understanding, predicting and shaping the behaviour of our environment and society, through public and private sector roles.

Through world-class teaching, practical work, research and field trips, you can develop specialist expertise in demography, urban geography, economic geography, climatology, biogeography and landscape ecology, hydrology and geomorphology, marine and coastal systems, earth system science, and geographical information science.

### Careers

You may find careers in:

- defence
- demography
- ecotourism
- environmental consultancy
- environmental monitoring and pollution control
- geographical information systems
- mining
- national parks and wildlife conservation
- natural resource management, including coastal, river and catchment systems
- planning the delivery of human services (health, infrastructure, emergency services)
- policy development (at all levels of government)
- remote sensing
- teaching and research
- transport planning
- urban management.



### ERICH MORGENBESSER

Bachelor of Arts (Honours) (Geography, English)/Bachelor of Education (Secondary)

Erich completed his Honours program in Geography with his thesis examining the spatial relationships between all fast-food outlets and all mainstream schools in the Greater Brisbane Region.

He received funding to present this thesis at the Institute of Australian Geographers Annual Conference in Adelaide, which he said was an excellent experience. UQ was a natural choice for Erich due its proximity to his home in Brisbane and the flexibility of the courses.

Studying geography provided the opportunity to travel and gave Erich a sense of confidence, which has empowered him to achieve both at University and in his personal life.

"I was fortunate enough to study three unique disciplines: English (literature, film, TV), Geography, and Education," he said.

"I was always interested in what I was studying, and if I found myself too consumed in one subject, I would just switch.

"The geography aspect of my Arts degree enabled me to travel to Hong Kong and China, where I was able to further understand and apply all the theory-based learning from my studies into the practical side of travelling."

## BA Major GERMAN



### What is German?

German is one of the most widely spoken languages on earth, and a major community language in Australia. Germany has one of the strongest economies in the world, and is a leader in many areas of technology and culture.

Whether you have studied German at high school or never studied it at all, it is possible for you to study German at UQ. Learning to speak the language and to understand the German culture will give you a competitive edge in the 21st century. It will also enable you to read the works of great thinkers and writers in the language in which they were written.

For future decision-makers working in a German-speaking context, undertaking German at UQ will provide a thorough introduction to the German literary and cultural history. Such knowledge is essential for any level of professional credibility in Germany.

### Careers

German language skills are an asset in many careers, including international relations, engineering, international business, tourism, teaching, the sciences, manufacturing, tourism and hospitality, diplomacy, the media, the public service, teaching, the arts, and of course translating and interpreting.

As Germany is a major global agent in economics and culture, skills in intercultural communication are constantly increasing in importance, and a full appreciation of cultural differences is essential to understand global economic, social and political issues.

## BA Major HISTORY



### What is History?

One of the most exciting and rewarding disciplines to study at university, History embraces the human experience in the broadest sense. In considering individuals, societies and civilisations through time, History students explore the factors and changing circumstances shaping the human condition.

UQ's world-class historians in the School of Historical and Philosophical Inquiry introduce you to topics from the medieval world to contemporary modernity, relating to societies and cultures from across the globe. Elective courses explore key themes in society, politics and culture, with a particular focus on Australia, Europe, Asia and North America. Specific courses examine national and international history, empires and global history, totalitarianism and genocide, the medieval and early modern world, slavery and the legacies of colonialism, the rise of today's superpowers, and many other themes.

A knowledge of historical context and processes through time clarifies your sense of humanity's story, and your ability

to develop critical insights into complex issues and situations. The UQ History major introduces you to enthralling topics and opportunities for independent research and thinking. As a student of History, you will develop critical, analytical and communication skills essential for vocational success in today's global knowledge economy.

### Careers

Your training in history prepares you for a great range of vocational opportunities. The skills and content gained in a History degree are highly transferable: research, analysis and critical thinking, effective communication and writing skills, are all prized assets in employment today. History graduates can be found as leaders in the corporate world, in public policy and governance roles, defence and foreign affairs, journalism, legal research, education, archives and museums, working on heritage sites, in film and television production, and a host of other vocations. Your love of history and the skills gained in studying it will take you a long way.



## BA Major INDONESIAN



### What is Indonesian?

For business or pleasure, studying Indonesian at UQ will enhance your connection with the people of Australia's closest neighbour.

Indonesian (Bahasa Indonesia) has more than half a billion speakers, making it one of the most widely spoken languages in the world. Indonesia has hundreds of different ethnic groups, each with its own culture and language. For many Indonesians, their first language is their regional language, but Indonesian serves as a focus for national unity and is used in all government and public domains, including education, commerce and the mass media.

Because Indonesian is based on Malay, learning Indonesian not only gives students knowledge of the language of the world's largest Muslim-majority country, but also provides access to three other countries in South-East Asia, namely Malaysia, Singapore and Brunei.

At UQ, you'll learn about the country's history, politics, cultures and society while developing spoken and written languages skills from a wide range of authentic, contemporary sources. It is available for beginning, intermediate and advanced students as a major or an elective.

### Careers

Graduates with expertise in Indonesian are poised to make the most of opportunities in the 21st century. As Indonesia emerges as one of the world's top 10 economies, the existing demand for Indonesian studies graduates will only increase.

In addition to the personal benefits of language study, graduates with Indonesian language skills have a wide choice of careers options in many areas of government, business, mining and industry and in environmental and development careers. Our recent graduates are working as teachers, researchers, diplomats, translators and lawyers.

## BA Major INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS



### What is International Relations?

In a major survey of international relations scholars, UQ was recently ranked as the best institution to study undergraduate international relations in Australia.

Studying the International Relations major at UQ equips you with the necessary theoretical and practical tools to understand, analyse and evaluate events and issues, both domestically and internationally.

International relations introduces you to the significant trends shaping the world around you, trains you in ways to conceptualise, and helps you make sense of and situate current events in the proper analytical, historical and global context.

Throughout the program, you will be encouraged to incorporate such training into the development of practical skills designed to enhance professional opportunities.

### Careers

The skills and knowledge gained by studying international relations are particularly relevant to those seeking employment in policy-making positions in government agencies, private enterprise, non-government organisations or international organisations.

Graduates find employment with federal departments such as Foreign Affairs and Trade and Defence and with state agencies concerned with trade and economic development.

International organisations such as the United Nations, the World Bank and non-governmental organisations (NGOs) also seek graduates with these areas of specialisation, as do employers in the private sector with interests in international business. Careers include:

- consular attaché
- diplomat
- humanitarian affairs advisor
- international advocate
- journalist
- policy advisor
- trade advisor.



### VERONIQUE HICKMAN

Bachelor of Arts (Italian)

Getting a degree had been on Veronique's bucket list for many years, so when her children entered tertiary study themselves, she felt it was the right time for her to start.

"As a mature-aged student I was very nervous before the course started, but there was no need to be as the lecturers were both dynamic and supportive," she said.

"Whilst studying for my degree, the biggest challenge was to keep disciplined in my studies and combine my study life and my role as a mother."

As part of her Bachelor of Arts, Veronique studied languages, and chose to major in Italian as a cross-institutional student with Griffith University.

"This year I will spend a semester in Italy and will be living right in the heart of the magnificent city of Florence, where I will be studying Italian in a language school," she said.

"After my BA I am planning to do a postgraduate degree in order to open my own practice as an immigration agent, where I will be helping people from Europe to immigrate to Australia, as I did myself."

Veronique has thrived at UQ and her degree has opened new doors for her professionally, as well as increased her own self-confidence.

"Studying at a university such as UQ has been one of the best decisions of my life," she said.

## BA Major ITALIAN



### What is Italian?

Italian culture has strongly influenced the art, music, architecture, literature, science and technology of Europe and Australia.

Studied cross-institutionally with Griffith University, Italian language courses are offered at Griffith's Nathan and Gold Coast campuses.

You can start at beginner or intermediate level and study Italian up to advanced levels. The courses will also take you on a journey through contemporary Italian society to explore its cinema, media, music, literature, politics, popular culture and food.

The Italian program is student-centred and promotes reflective independent learning. It takes advantage of new communication technologies and integrates extra-curricular activities such as singing in the Italian choir and conversations with native speakers in the community.

### Careers

Knowledge of Italian language and culture can open doors to careers in many fields, as Italy plays a significant role on the economic and cultural stages.

Italy is a leader in the culinary arts (a major exporter of food and related technologies), interior design, fashion and industrial design, robotics, space engineering, civil engineering, machine tool manufacturing, and the production of pharmaceutical and biomedical products.

Past students have found employment in the following fields:

- architecture
- communications
- hospitality/tourism/travel
- international development
- international relations
- law
- medicine
- music/photography/art
- teaching (secondary and tertiary level)
- translating/interpreting.



## BA Major JAPANESE



### What is Japanese?

Japanese is a key world language used in social, cultural and economic pursuits, research and government interaction.

Students with wide interests and from a broad range of academic disciplines study Japanese at UQ with a view to using the language in their local communities, in Japan and in wider global forums for professional or personal reasons.

Japanese is available for beginning and continuing students of intermediate and advanced levels as a major, extended major or an elective. Students can also take courses focusing on Japanese popular culture, literature, and interpreting and translation while developing spoken and written language skills. There are also opportunities to gain in-country experiences via exchange programs with more than 20 Japanese universities.

### Careers

Graduates with Japanese skills work in diverse sectors, including business, education, interpreting and translation, engineering, government, law, media, diplomacy, journalism, IT, finance, tourism and hospitality.

In Australia, in Japan and in the wider Asia-Pacific region, there are considerable opportunities to use Japanese to engage with Japanese speakers for professional purposes and leisure. Japan is also a major trading partner of Australia and there is a high level of social interaction between community and interest groups in Australia and Japan.

## BA Major KOREAN



### What is Korean?

Korean is spoken by more than 75 million people around the world. South Korea's increasing visibility in the world economy promotes a higher world status, technological innovation and global popular culture is prompting students to learn about this country with its rich history and diverse modern society.

Korean at UQ covers the fundamentals of the language and culture including K-pop, as well as business communication, translation and interpreting, and contemporary film.

With various authentic language techniques drawn from everyday life, the courses are practical and interactive, providing opportunities to meet Korean native speakers in regular conversational classes.

### Careers

The Korean economy is the third largest in Asia after Japan and China. This means that employers in business and trading companies, law firms, schools and universities, and federal and state governments have a need for people with Korean expertise.

People with Korean language qualifications are also in high demand in an existing and expanding sector of information and technology, tourism, hospitality and other global Korean companies. There are also work opportunities in media, entertainment and film due to the increase in popularity of Korean Wave, which includes pop culture, food, music, K-drama and K-pop.

Employment opportunities in the field of social work in Australia may also be enhanced by knowledge of the language and culture. There are also many English teaching positions available in Korea from kindergarten to university.

## BA Major JOURNALISM AND MASS COMMUNICATION



### What is Journalism and Mass Communication?

This major offers critical understanding of key principles and practices in global journalism, mass communication and digital media.

It provides a basis for careers in the media and related industries, which require insight into the contemporary media landscape; skills in research, analysis and policy development; and an understanding of emerging technologies and their current and future impacts in professional and strategic communication, journalism, digital media strategy, and the media and entertainment industries.

If you wish to develop specific skills in content creation and media production you may pursue the Bachelor of Communication and the Bachelor of Journalism programs (see more on pages 44-45 and 54-55 of this study guide).

### Careers

Studying the major in Journalism and Mass Communication will allow you to become a global communicator and influence what the world reads, watches and understands.

It provides a broader basis for careers in mass communication, journalism and the media, as well as a wide range of other occupations where critical understanding, flexibility, research, analytical and communication skills, and proficiency in communication are required.

A growing mass media industry is constantly seeking staff with an understanding of how this industry functions and you may see yourself working as one of the following:

- Communication director
- Media advisor
- Media policy specialist
- Media strategist
- News analyst.



### MONICA WAUNG

Bachelor of Arts (Japanese and History)

If you are not quite sure what you want to study at university, Monica's advice is to start by taking subjects that you liked best (or were good at) in high school.

"I liked studying Japanese the most in high school, so I took up a Japanese major without really thinking about career prospects at the time, but now I have found a career path I could take, so don't be afraid to just study what you enjoy," she said.

"Unlike sitting in big lecture halls with hundreds of other students, class sizes for Japanese at UQ are usually very small – sometimes less than 10 people in a class – so you can get a lot of one-on-one help from the lecturer.

"Also, studying Japanese involves a lot of group work, which is heaps of fun and provides an opportunity to make new friends."

Monica believes the best thing about studying at UQ is the myriad of activities on offer other than study that you can get involved in.

"These not only include sports and clubs, but also the summer/winter research programs where you can get involved in research with academics," she said.

"There's even opportunities for casual jobs (I found work as a tutor and a tour guide here at UQ)."

Monica is interested in enrolling in the Master of Arts in Japanese Interpreting and Translation (MAJIT) program after she graduates from her BA, which will then qualify her to become a Japanese-English translator.



## BA Minor LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES



### What is Latin American Studies?

Latin America has a huge population of Spanish speakers, and as Australians increase their engagement with Latin America, it is now vital for graduates, leaders and professionals to possess an understanding in order to participate in an informed and thoughtful way with this diverse and complex part of the world.

At UQ, you will develop an understanding of the history, culture, social and political realities and key issues of Latin America from the pre-Hispanic era to contemporary times.

UQ is also a hub for Queensland's Spanish speaking community, hosting events like the Latin American Film Festival and the annual UQ Latin American Colloquium – a pivotal business forum with Latin America's ambassadors to Australia.

### Careers

A minor in Latin American Studies at UQ can complement any career. It could enhance a career for anyone wishing to work within the areas of diplomacy, international relations, engineering, marketing, finance, non-government organisations, healthcare, tourism and hospitality.

## BA Major LINGUISTICS



### What is Linguistics?

Linguistics – the scientific study of language – explores how humans communicate by examining the relationships between structure, meaning and context.

At UQ, you'll discover what language is, how we learn and use it, and how it varies and changes across social and historical contexts.

Our courses encourage you to develop a deeper understanding of how sounds (phonetics and phonology), words (morphology), sentences (syntax), meaning (semantics) and social cues (sociolinguistics) can create or confound communication.

Our staff conduct linguistics research and teach in a variety of areas, including the documentation and analysis of Aboriginal languages, phonetics and phonology, morphology, syntax, discourse and conversation analysis, historical linguistics, cognitive linguistics and voice training.

### Careers

A background in linguistics is highly relevant to many professions including teaching (especially language teaching, English teaching, and teaching English as a second language (TESOL)); translation; language and speech technology; language

policy and planning; speech pathology; cognitive science (including computer science and artificial intelligence); publishing; the legal profession; and intelligence analysis.

You may consider:

- **Teaching:** become a better teacher by learning more about the structure of English; knowing how languages work helps you learn and teach other languages
- **Language documentation:** join the world-wide movement to document endangered languages; work with Indigenous people in Australia to record their languages
- **Writing:** become a better writer by learning about the beauty of language, its sounds, structures and uses
- **Forensic linguistics:** become a consultant for the police, analysing records to provide evidence in cases
- **Editing:** work for a publishing company
- **Linguistics:** work for an Aboriginal language centre of the government helping to design and run language revitalisation programs.
- **Software engineering:** create programs which transcribe speech as you talk
- **Travel writing:** work for a travel guide writing the language sections in guide books.

## BA Major MATHEMATICS



### What is Mathematics?

Mathematics is one of the most enduring fields of study, and is essential in an expanding number of disciplines and professions. Mathematicians develop new ideas and proofs, and also apply their modelling skills with the latest computer technology to solve problems in the social, physical and biological sciences, engineering, information technology, economics and business. Many students study mathematics as part of a dual degree or alongside another major in the BA to augment their other fields of study.

In your first year, you will study essential topics in calculus, linear algebra, discrete mathematics and differential equations. From second year, you will select more specialised courses that emphasise new ideas in mathematics and include recent developments in fields such as pure mathematics, applied mathematics,

statistics, mathematical physics, mathematical biology, bioinformatics, data analytics and finance.

### Careers

Graduates are sought by employers for their excellent quantitative skills and problem-solving abilities, and obtain rewarding positions in the public and private sectors. Graduate mathematicians work in areas such as banking and finance; business analytics; environmental, physical and biomedical sciences; engineering; defence; university teaching and research; animation; transport and logistics; and teaching (when combined with a teaching qualification).



### JORDAN HOLLIS

Bachelor of Arts (Linguistics)

Jordan said she "fell into" linguistics by accident. She was at a point in her degree where she had changed majors a few times and hadn't found anything that she thought suited her.

She said she was about to take six months off when she read the course profile for one of UQ's introductory linguistics courses.

"Studying linguistics at UQ made me realise that this was something I was really passionate about, so I embraced it completely and got involved in anything and everything linguistics-related that I could."

This led Jordan to the research assistant role she has today, where she works on creating databases containing linguistic information on Australia's languages.

Jordan also works as a tutor for UQ's School of Languages and Cultures, where she teaches the very same introductory linguistics course that initially piqued her interest in the field.

"I hope that I can inspire and motivate my students the way that my tutors inspired me," she said.

While Jordan is lucky enough to say she works in the field she majored in, the journey to get there was not as straightforward as one would imagine.

"If I can stress one thing, it would be that it is okay to not know what you want to study or what you want to be when you 'grow up'.

"It is OK if the first thing you try out doesn't work. That is the advantage of studying a Bachelor of Arts; it gives you the freedom to try your hand at a few different areas of study before settling on a major you think suits you."

Jordan's second piece of advice would be to get involved.

"The University of Queensland offers a great Summer Research Program that allows students to gain first-hand experience of what research within their field is like – working alongside like-minded students and some of UQ's leading academics.

"The Summer Research Program is where I got my first taste of linguistic research and I have never looked back!"



## BA Major MEDIA AND DIGITAL CULTURES



### What is Media and Digital Cultures?

The Media and Digital Cultures major offers a sequence of courses dealing with contemporary media cultures, institutions and technologies.

You will learn a combination of critical analytic, research, planning and writing skills related to contemporary media industries.

The major is distinctive for its emphasis on a combination of critical perspectives, research and analytic frameworks, and attention to media cultures and technologies.

Across the major courses focus on contemporary cultural practices in a media saturated world, the continuous evolution of media technologies and industries, the interactive and data-driven platforms that now form the basis of everyday media

infrastructure, and significant domains of cultural production such as news and television.

### Careers

The major prepares students to work in industry roles that require a combination of critical judgment, industry and digital analytics, and cultural engagement.

It approaches media as technologies for orchestrating social, cultural and political life.

Graduates with a range of critical analytical abilities in mediated communication will be candidates for work in the media industries, and the expanding array of organisations that have in-house media production and management capacities.

## BA Major MUSIC



### What is Music?

Music is a powerful and evocative art form. Studying music at UQ will help you understand its diverse social and historical meanings, so you can navigate its complex structures and trajectories.

Understanding how sonic materials are organised, developing literacy in music notations, composing and improvising, the role of music in health and wellbeing, improving critical appreciation and historical knowledge, exploring different genres, and developing sound scholarship are all fundamental characteristics of tertiary-level music study that is designed to build your knowledge, confidence and proficiency in music.

### Careers

This major has two streams: one for musicologists and music historians, and the other for professional music educators. Depending on which stream you choose, possible careers include music research, teaching (both at schools and privately), arts administration, and music criticism and journalism.

## BA Major PEACE AND CONFLICT STUDIES



### What is Peace and Conflict Studies?

In an infinitely complex world, peace and conflict studies aims to understand how conflict occurs and to contribute to conflict prevention, resolution and peacebuilding.

Through the study of conflict analysis, you will gain insight into how and why disputes arise and can escalate into violence. Your work on peace processes engages with a wide repertoire of conflict responses that aim to manage and resolve disputes beyond the recourse to violence.

These include conflict prevention strategies, international peacekeeping, humanitarian intervention, peace-building and conflict reconciliation processes.

You will gain an understanding of the roles played by state militaries, non-government organisations, intergovernmental institutions and a range of non-state groups in international politics.

Throughout your studies, you will also engage with conceptual debates on Indigenous politics, gender, ethics and justice, development and non-violence.

### Careers

The Peace and Conflict Studies major can lead directly to employment in a range of areas where analytical skills are required to identify better responses to humanitarian and justice concerns, where practical skills of conciliation and negotiation are required, and where an understanding of the interconnectedness of the causes of violence is necessary.

More specifically, a background in Peace and Conflict Studies will equip you with capacities relevant to careers in such areas as diplomacy (including the United Nations and its affiliates), developing-world aid and development (organisation and research), mediation services, defence planning, welfare and public interest work, and journalism.

You may find yourself working as one of the following:

- conflict resolution practitioner
- diplomat
- international development manager
- negotiator
- peace practitioner
- researcher.



### LAI CHEUK YIN (JEFF)

Bachelor of Arts (Music)

After graduating, Jeff went on to be a secondary school music teacher teaching music at the G.T. (Ellen Yeung) College in Hong Kong.

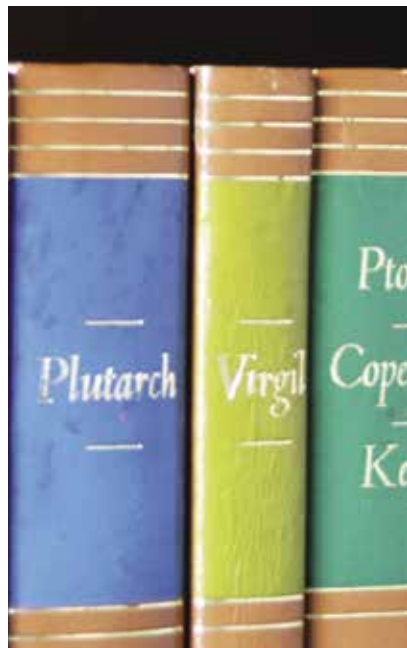
Jeff said UQ's School of Music provided a lot of performance opportunities and valuable resources for him to continue his study of MMUS (Piano Performance) at Royal Northern College of Music (RNCM) in Manchester, UK.

"The environment at UQ gives you many opportunities to study with some great piano teachers such as Dr Liam Viney, who gave me a lot of valuable advice on my piano study," he said.

"The Brisbane lifestyle is also fabulous and I would love to visit Brisbane every year."



## BA Major PHILOSOPHY



### What is Philosophy?

The Philosophy major at UQ is not only the largest Philosophy major in Queensland, but staff maintain international reputations for their teaching and research activities.

The study of philosophy introduces students to key ideas in a range of areas of inquiry including epistemology, ethics, logic, metaphysics, the history of philosophy, and the philosophy of disciplines such as art, science, education, and politics.

You'll receive intellectual training in the critical evaluation of theories and arguments, and learn how to construct arguments and communicate ideas in a clear and powerful way.

Students of philosophy acquire advanced analytical reasoning skills, communication skills, and general problem-solving abilities. In addition, philosophy will help you to develop sound methods of research and analysis that can be applied in your other courses.

### Careers

Studying philosophy can lead to a number of career paths, where you can either practise or apply your learning on the job.

Practical application of philosophy includes roles in:

- diplomatic and/or foreign affairs
- ethics
- financial services/business
- law
- public policy
- social science
- teaching and academia.

Other roles where you may be able to apply your philosophical skills include:

- arts/cultural sector
- education
- environmental management
- graduate programs in both public and private sectors
- librarianship
- management consultancy
- market research
- project management.



### MADELAINE-MARIE JUDD

Bachelor of Arts (Honours) (Political Science and International Relations)

When Madelaine-Marie graduated from UQ, she took with her the key attributes and skills she acquired that were vital for her role today as a Project Manager/Senior Research Assistant at Bond University.

These attributes include research and analytical skills, the ability to communicate with professional and academic stakeholders, and the confidence to contribute effectively within both an individual and team environment.

During her studies she participated in the Summer Research Scholarship within the School of Political Science and International Studies, providing her with a valuable opportunity to work within a research team that was led by academics who were leaders in the field.

"It was during this scholarship program that I recognised my interest in research, and I strongly encourage students who are interested in the research process to apply for such opportunities," Madelaine-Marie said.

As part of her current role, Madelaine-Marie attended the G20 Young Entrepreneurs' Summit (2014) in Sydney, where she was offered the position of Deputy Director of the G20 Research Group, Queensland Branch.

From this she was invited to attend the G20 Pre-Summit (2014) in Brisbane, and the G20 Leaders Summit (2014).

"I was fortunate to attend press conferences of leaders such as Secretary General of the United Nations Ban Ki-Moon, as well as European Council President Herman Van Rompuy," Madelaine-Marie said.

## BA Major POLITICAL SCIENCE



### What is Political Science?

Political Science studies power — who gets to do what to who, and under which conditions. The exercise of public power ranges from benign policies such as speeding fines through to the indefinite detention of asylum seekers.

Understanding such diverse actions requires a range of intellectual tools, including the history of ideas of power and freedom, case studies of institutions and crisis management, and political rhetoric.

The Centre for the Government of Queensland at UQ curates, among other interests, the parliamentary and political history of this state.

### Careers

Political Science graduates enjoy challenging and rewarding careers in a diverse range of organisations and industries, both locally and abroad.

Our courses are designed to equip you with the knowledge and practical skills needed to engage with and address pressing local and global issues.

You will develop high-level analytical, research and communication skills along with a critical and enquiring approach to global challenges and issues.

As a result, you will enjoy a wide range of career choices and have an identifiable 'toolbox' of skills to offer potential employers.

Graduates are employed in both public and private sector organisations that place a premium on such skills as critical analysis, preparing papers using the protocols and conventions of the discipline, and using verbal communications skills.

You may find yourself working in the following areas:

- consulting
- commerce/industry
- communication
- community sector
- defence and intelligence
- diplomacy and foreign affairs
- government and policy
- humanitarian services
- international development
- journalism.

## BA Major POPULAR MUSIC AND TECHNOLOGY



### What is Popular Music?

Popular music has the power to uplift, stimulate, comfort, motivate and communicate. Its attractiveness lies in its ubiquity, openness and lack of convention. Explore rock music and its history through the artists, their music and culture, from the early 1950s through to today's age of free music downloads, technological innovations and festival culture.

Equip yourself for changing music-making environments by developing practical music-making skills and technical knowledge with mobile devices, digital audio workstations, and recording studio technologies.

If popular music is your passion, these courses will help you understand your own response to music and the society in which you live, allowing you to experience the power and wonders of music and encouraging your own self-expression in writing and production.

### Careers

This major produces well-qualified, multi-skilled graduates capable of working effectively in today's music industry.

Possible careers include music recording and production, studio management, music and sound design, multimedia composition, and popular music criticism and journalism.



## BA Major PSYCHOLOGY



### What is Psychology?

Psychology is a broad-ranging discipline, which incorporates both the scientific study of human behaviour and its biological, cognitive, and social bases, and the systematic application of this knowledge to applied problems.

Training in psychology involves not only the acquisition of information, but also the development and cultivation of analytical skills that are valuable personally and professionally.

Graduates particularly value the skills they acquire in statistical analysis, critical thinking and interpersonal communication.

By studying the Psychology major at UQ you will join one of the most prestigious schools of psychology in Australia. You will develop superior analytical skills that are relevant to many careers and will learn from award-winning lecturers and researchers who are recognised as leaders in psychology.

### Careers

Our graduates are employed in a variety of fields. Some go on to further training to become registered psychologists in a variety of specialisations. Others enter professions that require superior analytical and thinking skills such as human resources, mental health, counselling and corrective services, market research and business development.

Our award-winning lecturers structure your learning based on cutting-edge theory and research in psychology. This ensures that you will graduate well-equipped to embark on an exciting career.

## BA Major PUBLIC POLICY



### What is Public Policy?

The Public Policy major enables you to understand the political, institutional and economic mechanisms that determine the policies that shape our lives.

As you complete the major, you will study important policy issues such as climate change, globalisation and disaster management.

You will also learn about the principles and methods of policy analysis and acquire an understanding of how governments search for new ways to deal with important problems confronting society.

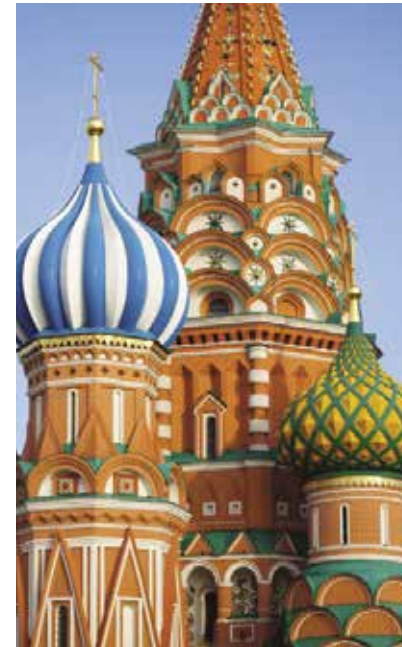
You may also choose to study specific policy fields such as environmental policy, Indigenous policy, and Australian foreign policy.

### Careers

Career options include policy analysis and advice in the public and private sectors, and in the community and interest group sector in roles such as:

- business liaison officer
- community development manager
- lobbyist
- policy advisor
- policy-maker.

## BA Major RUSSIAN



### What is Russian?

With almost 200 million native speakers in Europe and Asia, Russian is a major international language and at the same time a gateway to one of the world's great cultures.

Learning Russian at UQ allows you to understand the place of Russia in the modern world and how the Russian state and society have evolved over centuries. You will also develop an appreciation of Russian literature, drama and film. This not only gives you insights into the Russian worldview, but also encourages you to look beyond the stereotypes and clichés that often characterise our notions of other nations.

### Careers

Governments, non-government organisations and corporations around the world recognise more than ever the need to engage with Russia and the importance of recruiting graduates with Russian language skills as diplomats, researchers, policy analysts and translators.

Proficiency in Russian, especially when combined with specialist qualifications in areas such as law, economics and business, enables graduates to take advantage of the international employment opportunities that have resulted from Russia's transition to the market economy. Many graduates have pursued careers in other countries where Russian is widely used, such as Mongolia, Uzbekistan and Kazakhstan: these include specialist English language teachers, charity workers and professional consultants.

As a relatively complex language, Russian is of particular interest to anyone considering further study or a career in linguistics.



### CONOR McDONALD

Bachelor of Arts (Public Policy)

Conor's public policy major led directly to a work experience placement with the Queensland Public Service for a couple of weeks before graduating in 2015.

This led to a three-month contract as a policy officer within the Secretariat that worked on the Opportunities for Personalised Transport Review – which was then extended until the end of the review.

Conor now works in the Department of Transport and Main Roads as a policy officer in the Road Safety Unit.

"I wasn't really sure what I wanted to do when I finished my degree; however, at some point I decided that as opportunities presented themselves I would say 'yes', and see what happened," Conor said.

"My advice to current policy students would be to try to take all the course content on board, and find ways to pursue the stuff that really interests you.

"Work hard on your writing and thinking skills, talk to your lecturers and tutors, learn from constructive criticism, and back yourselves."



## BA Major SOCIOLOGY



### What is Sociology?

Sociology examines human societies to understand social order and disorder, social structure and social change, modern society and culture, social institutions, and the relationship between people, the economy, technology and the environment.

Discovering the diversity of human life and communities and how different aspects of social life are mutually connected can help us explain patterns of social behaviour and relationships. This can help us find answers to problems that disrupt social organisation and harmony, such as conflict, crime and deviance, reduced trust and reciprocity.

At UQ, sociology uses research to examine government and social control; gender and sexuality; family and household relationships; globalisation, migration and culture; health and wellbeing; housing, cities and community life; media and technology; and life pathways.

### Careers

Graduates can pursue careers in policy analysis, statistics, research or social planning in government, or in market research and analysis in the private sector.

You may find yourself working as one of the following:

- applied research officer
- communications and public relations consultant
- education administrator
- ethics advisor
- evaluation officer
- event manager
- health services manager
- industry analyst
- lobbyist
- market researcher
- policy advisor
- policy researcher
- project manager
- research officer
- social planning officer
- sociology and social science teacher.



### JENNA RISELEY

Bachelor of Arts (Honours) (French and Russian)

Jenna first chose to study Russian out of curiosity, but ended up enjoying it so much that after she completed her Bachelor of Arts she decided to go on to Honours.

"Studying Russian at UQ has been a great experience. The classes are fun and highly personalised, the teaching staff are awesome, and it's really interesting and rewarding to learn about a culture that few Australians are acquainted with," she said.

Jenna said learning the grammar can be a bit of a slog for the first year or two, so it's helpful to get involved with the Russian Club at UQ and make friends with native speakers if possible.

"If you're interested in travel or an immersion experience, UQ regularly sends students to study in Russia over the holidays."

Jenna is planning on studying information technology next year and her dream career is to do technical translation.

## BA Major SPANISH



### What is Spanish?

With over 500 million speakers, Spanish is one of the most widely spoken languages in the world. It is the official language of more than 20 countries in Europe, Latin America and Africa, and its presence is rapidly increasing elsewhere in the world.

Over the last 10 years, the Australian public and private sectors have begun closer commercial, business and intellectual ties with Spain and particularly Latin America. It is now vital for graduates, leaders and professionals to possess an understanding in order to participate in an informed and thoughtful way with this diverse and complex part of the world.

You may study Spanish and Latin American Studies at UQ from introductory to advanced level, taking courses in Spanish language, Latin American and Spanish literature, film and cultural studies, applied linguistics and translation studies.

UQ is also a hub for Queensland's Spanish speaking community, hosting events like the Latin American Film Festival and the annual UQ Latin American Colloquium.

### Careers

Spanish is the second language for global communication, with a strong, established and growing presence in the arts, business, engineering and sciences, offering improved chances of employability.

As a graduate, knowledge of Spanish opens up a range of opportunities in areas such as international relations, diplomacy, education, law, health, mining, fishery, social welfare or business, entertainment and tourism. For those wishing to teach, you may choose to give yourself further credentials by sitting a Diploma of Spanish as a Foreign Language (DELE). This is an official certifying degree of competence and mastery of the Spanish language granted by the Ministry of Education, Culture and Sport of Spain and is recognised worldwide.

## BA Major SPORTS STUDIES



### What is Sports Studies?

The growth in the sport, physical activity and health industries over the past two decades has created a range of employment opportunities in the areas of social policy, journalism, management, marketing, planning and development, education and psychology.

Sports Studies at UQ provides you with an understanding of the sport and leisure industries from sociological, historical, economic and psychological perspectives.

You will undertake courses in the social science and humanities areas of the study of sport, as well as courses relating to the history and sociology of sport and the human body in society.

### Careers

Sports Studies graduates currently hold leadership positions with state and national sporting teams, the media and international sporting organisations.



## BA Minor STUDIES IN AUSTRALIAN CULTURE



### What is Studies in Australian Culture?

Contemporary Australian culture is characterised by its diversity, creativity and international reach.

Studies in Australian Culture at UQ brings together key courses in the BA degree, enabling you to focus on many different dimensions of Australian culture — the visual arts, including Australian Indigenous art, literature, history, drama, cinema, television and other forms of popular culture.

By drawing these courses together into a standalone minor, you can focus on particular media or forms of culture and also pursue comparisons across different fields.

The minor is suitable both for international students seeking to learn about Australian culture and society and local students wishing to gain in-depth knowledge of Australian culture across various media.

### Careers

Careers include work in journalism/media or as a teacher (in conjunction with an education qualification).

## BA Major STUDIES IN RELIGION



### What is Studies in Religion?

Religion is a major force in every part of the world, and it continues to shape societies across the globe.

UQ's Studies in Religion program provides you with the opportunity to examine the world's most influential religious traditions, and to develop critical methods for analysing them.

Studies in Religion offers courses by professional and highly enthusiastic teachers in the history of religions; in western and eastern religious traditions, spiritual practices and religious thought; in the sociology of religion; in contemporary religious movements; and in the relationship between science and religion.

### Careers

Studying religion develops critical thinking, cross-cultural understanding and in-depth knowledge of religious beliefs and practices.

In a practical sense, these skills are advantageous for many careers, but particularly in:

- broadcasting
- community development
- diplomatic/foreign affairs
- education and academia
- health and social care
- international business
- journalism
- religious organisations
- law
- travel and tourism.

Undergraduate study in religion is an excellent foundation to progress to postgraduate studies in law, business and education.

## BA Major WRITING



### What is Writing?

The major in Writing provides you with a fundamental and substantial understanding of how language works at the word, sentence, paragraph and document level in academic, professional and creative writing.

As a future creative or corporate writer you will learn, both independently and collaboratively, how to design, structure and edit coherent and compelling writing for a variety of media, genres and situations.

### Careers

You may find work as an:

- advertising executive
- editor
- ghost-writer
- journalist
- marketer
- playwright

- public relations manager
- publisher
- science writer
- teacher
- travel writer.

The explosion of text-creating and publishing opportunities in the contemporary workplace has created a growing demand for writing and editing expertise.

As well as enhancing professional opportunities, developing your creative practice and complementing other academic qualifications, a writing program can also lead to writing-related careers or vocations as an arts reviewer, blogger, columnist, copywriter, corporate writer, critic, editor, feature writer, fiction writer, media liaison officer, poet, publishing coordinator, screen writer, speech writer or web developer.



### SHASTRA DEO

Bachelor of Arts (Honours) (Writing)

Shastra graduated in 2015 and is currently working as a published poet and freelance editor.

Shastra said UQ's BA major in Writing strikes a delicate balance between creative and professional writing, and sparked her interest in both poetry and editing, and she went on to complete her Honours in Writing at UQ.

The poetry manuscript Shastra wrote as part of her dissertation won the 2016 Arts Queensland Thomas Shapcott Poetry Prize, and was published in UQP in 2017.

Her degree has also given her the opportunity to work for Queensland Writers Centre and the QAGOMA Research Library.

"Good writers are good readers — treat your favourite books as instructions for writing the story that only you can write," she said.

"My biggest challenge is that I'm always discovering more and more things I do not know — particularly while freelancing."

Shastra is currently enrolled in a Master of Arts in Writing, Editing, and Publishing and is consistently surprised by the new things she's learning.



# Bachelor of COMMUNICATION

Communication is an expanding area of employment and the Bachelor of Communication teaches you how to fit into a wide range of careers in government, business or the community sector.

Study with one of  
Australia's  
**LEADING  
UNIVERSITIES**  
and be in demand  
by employers  
around the  
globe



## LUCY STEADMAN

Bachelor of Communication (Public Relations)/Bachelor of Journalism

Throughout her studies, Lucy wasn't sure if she wanted to be a journalist or PR professional, but the dual program allowed her to try out both before settling on PR – she is now an Account Manager for London PR agency, Firefly Communications.

By taking on internships, gaining industry skills in her UQ courses and combining them with initiative and hard work, Lucy was able to secure this role and move to London where she now deals with technology companies, interacting with clients in this ever-changing industry.

Lucy said although she ended up choosing to focus her career on PR, one of the more memorable courses that helped her career was participating in UQ's Vietnam Reporter project.

"I was one of 10 students selected to visit Vietnam to report on political, social and tourism stories, while developing my skills in radio, television, print and photojournalism simultaneously, and the project was also an assessed subject," she said.

skills in mediated communication will be candidates for work in the media industries, and the expanding array of organisations that have in-house media production and management capacities.

## Career opportunities

The Bachelor of Communication program prepares students for careers in public relations, media management, corporate communication, public affairs, media production and analysis, social media management, organisational communication, community engagement and more.

Communication (BCommun)					
2017	OP	RANK	ATAR	IB	
	10	79	78.35	28	
<b>Duration</b> 3 years full-time					
<b>Location</b> St Lucia					
<b>Entry requirements</b> Queensland Year 12 or equivalent; Senior English					
<b>QTAC code</b> 741001					
<b>Honours</b> Additional year of study					

Communication/Arts					
2017	OP	RANK	ATAR	IB	
	10	79	78.35	28	
<b>Duration</b> 4 years full-time					
<b>Location</b> St Lucia					
<b>QTAC code</b> 741201					

Communication/Journalism					
2017	OP	RANK	ATAR	IB	
	8	84	83.70	30	
<b>Duration</b> 4 years full-time					
<b>Location</b> St Lucia					
<b>QTAC code</b> 741301					

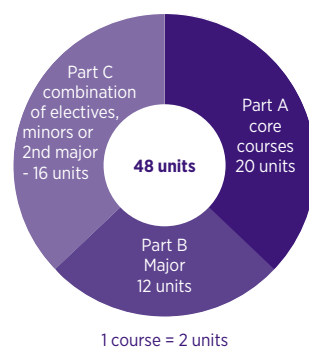
Business Management/Communication					
2017	OP	RANK	ATAR	IB	
	9	81	80.50	29	
<b>Duration</b> 4 years full-time					
<b>Location</b> St Lucia					
<b>QTAC code</b> 711511					

## DUAL PROGRAMS

### Bachelor of Communication +

Arts  
Business Management  
Journalism

## Bachelor of Communication Structure



## What is Communication?

In response to the dramatic changes taking place in media industries, technologies and cultures, our redesigned Bachelor of Communication prepares you for a lifetime of creative and critical use of media and communication in industries, government and communities.

The Bachelor of Communication will give you a strong foundation in writing, industry engagement (including internships), practice and production skills, and critical thinking.

You'll develop expertise in multimedia and online content production, social media engagement and analytics, community and stakeholder engagement, and campaign development.

## What will I study?

You will study a wide range of communication forms including emerging media platforms and technologies, social media, mobile media, screen, audio and written forms. You will acquire the skills to reach the right people with the right message, build community and stakeholder engagement, and learn how to develop a communication campaign from concept to delivery.

You'll develop industry-focused communication tactics through working with real organisations, gaining first-hand experience in strategic industry practice. The flexibility of the program allows you to specialise in areas of interest, thereby tailoring your own career path.

The core set of compulsory courses introduce you to the central features of

contemporary communication processes and you then specialise by choosing a major in:

- Public Relations
- Digital Media.

To complement these choices, you can also choose from a selection of minors in:

- Advertising
- Event Management
- Health Communication
- Interaction Design
- Journalism
- Writing.

Public Relations and Digital Media are also available as minors, or it is possible to undertake both as majors.

All courses combine practice and theory and provide a platform for employment or further study.

## Public Relations

The Public Relations major provides you with a strong foundation for working in public relations and strategic communication across corporate, political and not-for-profit sectors.

You will learn the importance of relationship management, community engagement and strategic communication within organisations and stakeholder groups.

You will gain an understanding of the theories of public relations and communication, as well as the importance of organisational reputation; acquire skills in media management; learn to identify and manage organisational issues and crises; and develop industry materials and strategic campaigns for real client organisations.

This major has been designed to build and develop key skill-sets and knowledge-bases, ensuring you are well-prepared for both the technical and advisory roles that are central to professional public relations practice.

You will learn and develop skills in planning, strategy, research, budgeting, evaluation, writing and media production.

Graduates will gain a critical understanding of the role played by public relations locally and globally, examined within ethical, socially responsible and legal frameworks.

## Digital Media

The Digital Media major offers a sequence of media courses dealing with contemporary media practices, institutions and technologies.

You will learn a combination of critical analytic, research, production, management and planning skills related to contemporary media industries.

This major is distinctive for its emphasis on a combination of critical perspectives, research and analytic frameworks, and content and platform management, and takes up a 'change making' orientation, approaching media as technologies for orchestrating social, cultural and political life.

Across the major, courses focus on the continuous evolution of media technologies and industries, the interactive and data-driven platforms that now form the basis of everyday media infrastructure, significant domains of cultural production such as news and television, and the role media plays in the formation of identity.

Graduates with a range of critical, analytical, management and production



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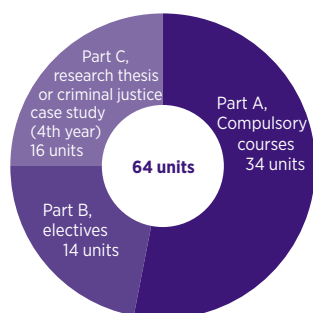
# CRIMINOLOGY AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE (HONOURS)

The Bachelor of Criminology and Criminal Justice (Honours) focuses on professional practice and criminal law, providing you with high-level, industry relevant skills to compete favourably in the growing international justice and criminology employment markets.



2017	OP	RANK	ATAR	IB
8	84	83.70	30	
<b>Duration</b> 4 years full-time				
<b>Location</b> St Lucia				
<b>Entry requirements</b> Year 12 or equivalent; Senior English				
<b>QTAC code</b> 718101				

## Bachelor of Criminology and Criminal Justice (Honours) Structure



## What is Criminology and Criminal Justice?

Criminology is the scientific study of crime and responses to crime. Criminologists study the causes and consequences of crime focusing on such areas as corrections, policing, the court systems and corporate and transnational crime.

As a criminologist, you will understand the operations and effectiveness of Australian and international criminal justice systems, the nature of crime and deviance, and have the skills and knowledge to contribute towards preventing and controlling crime problems that face contemporary society. Graduates of criminology and criminal justice are sought after in the public and private sectors, advising on evidence-based crime control policies, developing corporate risk management strategies, and working in global companies to better manage growing transnational crime problems.

## What will I study?

The Bachelor of Criminology and Criminal Justice (Honours) prepares you for a career as a criminologist. You will study criminological theory, criminal justice, criminological research methods, corporate regulation and security, criminal law and

professional practice in criminology and criminal justice. There is a strong focus on industry-relevant skills such as public policy analysis and evaluation, evidence-based policy development and implementation, crime analysis, benefit-cost analysis, forensic auditing, corporate security, compliance and regulation, and risk management. Our professional practice courses run throughout the degree rather than in just one year of study and are taught by top-level academics and industry professionals.

Your program of study culminates in a fourth year of study that brings together theory, research, case analysis and specialist skills to provide you with a sound platform for employment or further study.

Compulsory courses include:

- Evidence-Based Crime Policy and Program Evaluation
- Punishment and Society
- Transnational Crime and International Criminal Justice.

Electives include:

- Archaeology of Crime Scenes
- Crime Prevention Policy and Practice
- Crime, Race and Gender
- Forensics: The Archaeology of Death and Crime Scenes.

## Career opportunities

In a rapidly growing national and international employment market, you will be well-positioned for careers in all levels of government, local companies and global corporations, and a range of non-government treatment and social service agencies.

Areas of employment include:

**Government** – courts, public prosecutions, corrections, policing, public and community safety, housing, health regulation, crime commissions, public integrity, local government, national security and other regulatory functions of government both in Australia and in international justice agencies.

**Non-Government Organisations** – social service agencies, international aid organisations, treatment centres.

**Private Sector** – corporate security, corporate regulation, transnational crime control, urban development, risk assessment, compliance, insurance and actuarial agencies.



## JUDGE ORAZIO RINAUDO

Chief Magistrate

“As the Chief Magistrate in the State of Queensland, a Judge of the District Court and an Adjunct Professor at UQ (Criminology), I am passionate about giving students insight into the operations of our courts and criminal justice system. Queensland's Magistrates Court deals with around 285,000 defendants a year, with the highest number of criminal lodgements in Australia. Having also been the President of the Queensland Law Society, Legal Aid Commissioner, and in private practice, I bring a broad range of experience about the law and careers in the criminal justice system.



## DEPUTY COMMISSIONER PETER MARTIN

Queensland Police Service

“The Queensland Police Service works closely with staff and students at UQ to advance evidence-based policing policy and practices across our state. As a member of the Police Senior Executive Leadership group and an Adjunct Professor at UQ (Criminology), I create opportunities for staff and students to get involved in a wide range of high-priority projects. Together, UQ and QPS are working on projects to improve the use of forensic science in handling residential burglaries, enhance police-citizen engagement, and test best practice in police use of a range of different technologies.



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# EDUCATION (PRIMARY)

The Bachelor of Education (Primary) draws on the latest educational research in combining university study with practical school-based learning, ensuring graduates are well-equipped to meet the challenges of a teaching career.



**PRACTICAL  
SCHOOL-  
BASED  
LEARNING**  
to help you meet  
the challenges of a  
teaching career

## Bachelor of Education (Primary)

2017	OP	RANK	ATAR	IB
11	76	75.00	26	

**Duration** 4 years full-time

**Location** St Lucia

**Entry requirements** You must have completed four semesters at high school level (Years 11 and 12) with sound achievement (4, SA) in:

- English
- at least one of Maths A, B or C
- at least one of Agricultural Science, Biology, Chemistry, Earth Science, Marine Science, Physics or Science21

Due to AITSL/Department requirements, all students commencing Education programs in 2018 may be required to meet additional non-academic selection criteria.

**QTAC code** 742401

**Honours** High-performing students identified in Semester 1 of the third year, based on grade point average, will be invited to apply for the school's on-course Honours program: this program involves undertaking individual research and research preparation as a component of the Bachelor of Education (Primary) program

## What is Primary Education?

As a primary school teacher, you'll encourage children's curiosity and inspire their inquisitive minds. The four-year Bachelor of Education (Primary) program will provide you with the high-level academic knowledge and professional skills necessary to foster children's learning and development from Prep (the first year of school) through to Year 6. You'll cover all aspects of the Australian Curriculum, while developing vital knowledge about teaching and learning, child development, diversity and inclusion, and Indigenous education. You'll be ready to enter the classroom after 100 days of supervised professional experience across your program, along with a 15-day block internship in your final year, where you'll demonstrate your competence at the Graduate level of the Australian Professional Standards for Teachers.

## How can I study Primary Education?

The Bachelor of Education (Primary) draws on the latest educational research in combining university study with practical school-based learning. Teaching staff in the program are internationally renowned for their cutting-edge research that ensures graduates are well-equipped to meet the challenges of a teaching career. The program develops skills relating to literacy and numeracy, diversity and differentiated learning, leadership and research, and effective educational uses of information and

communication technologies. In addition, you will have the flexibility to choose a minor from across the University to further develop your content knowledge in a specific area. These include, but are not limited to, mathematics, sciences, English, history, music and languages.

School placements (practicum) commence in the first year of the program so that you can gain early experience in classrooms. School practicum experiences become progressively more extensive, with you gradually taking more responsibility for planning and implementing lessons. In the final year of the program, you will undertake an extended practicum experience culminating in a three-week internship, where you will take full responsibility for teaching a class with minimal input from your teacher or mentor. The internship enables you to gain a real perspective of teaching. You will also undertake a major project in your final year that combines theory with reflection upon practice.

Studying the Bachelor of Education (Primary) will enable you to teach students across Prep to Year 6. You will have expertise in:

- Arts (including Drama, Dance, Media Arts, Music and Visual Art)
- English
- Health and Physical Education
- Humanities and Social Sciences
- Mathematics
- Science
- Technologies (Design and Technologies; Digital Technologies).

From 2017, students are required to successfully meet the Literacy and Numeracy Test for Initial Teacher Education (LANTITE) standards prior to graduation.

## Career opportunities

Graduates are eligible to register with the Queensland College of Teachers (QCT), as well as other authorities, to teach in schools around Australia, and some worldwide. Once registered, you can work as a primary school teacher in state or independent schools in Queensland, interstate or overseas, or undertake further study to qualify as a principal, mentor, curriculum advisor, or a guidance or career officer or head of department.

## Master of Teaching (Primary)

UQ's Master of Teaching (Primary) is a teacher preparation program specifically designed for people who already have an undergraduate degree. It allows graduates to qualify as a primary school teacher after 1.5 years of full-time study. The program is the equivalent of two years (four semesters) full time offered intensively over 18 months by using a summer semester. For students who wish to spread out their study, a part-time pathway will be offered from 2018.

This program is ideal for those looking for a career change or who wish to follow their passion for teaching. The program provides the skills and knowledge necessary

for teaching to complement the current knowledge and skills gained in the first degree. You will be qualified to teach in all areas of the Primary curriculum across Prep to Year 6.

The program consists of periods of on-campus lectures, tutorials and workshops, alternated with blocks of professional placements in schools.



## VANESSA TIERNEY

Bachelor of Education (Primary) (Honours)

Vanessa is currently teaching Year 4 at Sheldon College as a Junior College Teacher.

She was awarded First Class Honours and a University Medal for outstanding academic achievement, and was also the recipient of the Australian Literacy Educators' Association (ALEA) 'Preservice Teacher University Award' – awarded to high-achieving teacher education literacy students at universities across Queensland.

"The school-based practicum placements offered from first year were excellent opportunities to learn how to create engaging individual and collaborative learning experiences that would meet the diverse needs, abilities and learning styles of all students," Vanessa said.

During her four years at UQ, Vanessa was awarded two UQ Employability Advantage Grants, the first of which allowed her to participate in a 10-day international summer research program at Tsukuba University in Japan. The second grant enabled her to attend the Social and Citizenship Education Association of Australia (SCEAA) National Conference in Canberra.



# Bachelor of EDUCATION (SECONDARY)

UQ's Bachelor of Education (Secondary) provides you with the opportunity to explore, create and develop new knowledge through practical, school-based learning.



Arts/Education (Secondary)*					
2017		OP	RANK	ATAR	IB
		11	76	75.00	26
Duration 4 years full-time					
Location St Lucia					
QTAC code 707202					

Business Management/Education (Secondary)*					
2017		OP	RANK	ATAR	IB
		9	81	80.50	29
Duration 4.25 years full-time					
Location St Lucia					
QTAC code 710301					

Mathematics/Education (Secondary)*					
2017		OP	RANK	ATAR	IB
		4	93	92.95	35
Duration 4 years full-time					
Location St Lucia					
QTAC code 714801					

Music (Honours)/Education (Secondary)*					
2017		OP	RANK	ATAR	IB
		11	76	75.00	26
Duration 5 years full-time					
Location St Lucia					
QTAC code 723202					
Selection based on audition, interview and academic results					

Science/Education (Secondary)*					
2017		OP	RANK	ATAR	IB
		9	81	80.50	29
Duration 4 years full-time					
Location St Lucia					
QTAC code 731302					

\* Entry requirements for all five programs: You must have completed four semesters at high school level (Years 11 and 12) with sound achievement (4, SA) in:  
– English  
– at least one of Maths A, B or C  
plus entry into the other program.

Due to AITSL/Department requirements, all students commencing Education programs in 2018 may be required to meet additional non-academic selection criteria.

## What is Secondary Education?

High school teachers are instrumental in shaping young adults into who they will become. In this dual program you will study a Bachelor of Education (Secondary) alongside another degree which will give you the knowledge for your teaching area. You will learn to guide students' inquisitive minds, developing high-level academic knowledge and professional skills across teaching and learning, leadership, development, diversity and communication, and gain a broad understanding of the Australian Curriculum, while also specialising in a key area of interest in your second program. Immersive, hands-on workshops, school visits and supervised practicums throughout your program will give you a strong understanding of day-to-day life in a high school.

Students completing a dual degree with Education are qualified to teach in at least two teaching areas.

## What will I study?

The Bachelor of Education (Secondary) dual program consists of two parts:

- **Part A** focuses on issues in teaching and schooling and is completed in conjunction with the requirements of the non-education degree, which provides the content knowledge for two teaching areas. Part A of the Bachelor of Education (Secondary) dual program requires completion of eight core courses and provides an opportunity to learn from researchers who are national and international leaders in their field.

- **Part B** develops the necessary skills, knowledge and practical experience required for application for teacher registration and employment. It is completed during the final Professional Year, and comprises on-campus lectures, tutorials and workshops, which are alternated with blocks of professional experience in schools.

Some of the courses you will study as a Secondary Education student include:

- Becoming a Professional Educator
- Diversity and Inclusive Education
- Identity, Youth Cultures and Education
- Indigenous Knowledge and Education
- Introduction to Education
- Learning, Mind and Education
- Teaching and Learning Tools in 21st Century Knowledge Societies.

## Features of our Bachelor of Education (Secondary) dual programs include:

- a wide range of teaching areas from which you will select two equally weighted areas
- at least three years of concentrated studies in the content knowledge for teaching areas and educational theory
- a final Professional Year, concentrating on teaching practice and extended professional placements, supported by experienced practicum facilitators who visit students in schools, observe lessons and can assist students for the duration of their practicum
- additional preparation and career enhancement programs offering further professional development prior to the final Professional Year
- a supportive environment that values the individual

- the opportunity to complete two degrees in less time than it would take to complete the two programs separately.

From 2017, students are required to successfully meet the Literacy and Numeracy Test for Initial Teacher Education (LANTITE) standards prior to graduation.

## Career opportunities

Graduates are eligible to apply for registration as a teacher in Queensland, and to work as a secondary school teacher in state and independent schools in Australia and worldwide. With further study and experience this can lead to roles as a head of department, principal, guidance officer, learning support teacher, or student advisor. If you choose to undertake a specialisation in music or a language (Chinese, French, German, Japanese, Spanish), there is also the opportunity to work in primary school education.

Students interested in becoming a health and physical education teacher can enrol in UQ's Bachelor of Health, Sport and Physical Education (Honours). For more information, visit [future-students.uq.edu.au](http://future-students.uq.edu.au)

## Master of Teaching (Secondary)

UQ's Master of Teaching (Secondary) is a new secondary teacher preparation program specifically designed for people who already have an undergraduate degree. It allows students to qualify as a secondary school teacher after two years of full-time study.

## DAVID RAWSON

Bachelor of Arts (Honours) / Bachelor of Education (Secondary)

In 2016, David was awarded the Fulbright Queensland Postgraduate Scholarship and admitted to Harvard's Graduate School of Education.

He was subsequently awarded one of only three Frank Knox Memorial Fellowships for Australians – a prestigious Harvard scholarship that provides full tuition, health insurance and a generous stipend to support his studies abroad.

"It is an enormous privilege to win an award of this magnitude and is a reflection of being pushed and challenged in my thinking while a student at UQ," David said.

"This scholarship enables me to work alongside some of the world's leading educators and offers a way for me to hone my knowledge of the educational theory that supports my work in the classroom."

David's research in the United States aims to better understand how re-conceptualising assessment might bring about broader school improvement. In particular, he wishes to develop more engrained and sustainable mechanisms for fostering effective teacher collaboration in Queensland schools.

This program is ideal for those looking for a career change or who wish to follow their passion for teaching.

At the time of publication, this program was awaiting accreditation with the Queensland College of Teachers.



# Bachelor of INTERNATIONAL STUDIES

The Bachelor of International Studies provides you with sound foundational knowledge of global issues from social science perspectives and enhanced capacity for cross-cultural understanding.



Students on a study tour in South-East Asia

2017	OP	RANK	ATAR	IB
8	84	83.70	30	
<b>Duration</b> 3 years full-time; part-time equivalent available to Australian residents and citizens				
<b>Entry Requirements</b> Year 12 English or equivalent				
<b>Location</b> St Lucia				
<b>QTAC code</b> 707111				
<b>Honours</b> Additional year of study				

## What is International Studies?

The Bachelor of International Studies is a program of study focused on developing language skills and knowledge of global issues from the perspective of relevant social science disciplines.

You will study two majors – one in a selected language and another in a field of international studies. This will be complemented with a compulsory overseas exchange semester to enhance the development of cross-cultural understanding and communication skills.

## What can I study?

The program offers you a comprehensive range of courses that provide grounding in the political, social and communicative aspects of international and global issues.

You will choose an international studies major from disciplinary and interdisciplinary perspectives within the social sciences, including history, international relations, peace and conflict studies, international inequality, and development and economics.

In addition, you will choose a language major from one of ten languages.

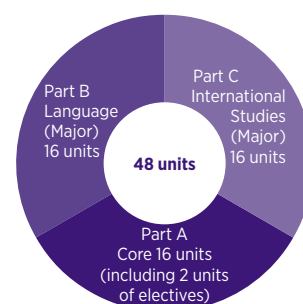
## Program structure

The program consists of three components: a core, a language major and an international studies major.

The core is comprised of two compulsory introductory courses; a course on principles of research in the social sciences; a writing course, which is a year-long course to be taken during the exchange semester and in the semester following; and two elective courses that should be taken during the exchange.

The core, the language major and the international studies major are each made up of 16 units, making a total of 48 units for the program as a whole.

## Bachelor of International Studies Structure



LANGUAGE MAJORS		
Chinese	French	Japanese
Chinese Translation and Interpreting	German	Korean
	Indonesian	Russian
	Italian	Spanish
INTERNATIONAL STUDIES MAJORS		
Economics		
History		
International Inequality and Development		
International Relations		
Peace and Conflict Studies		

## Why study International Studies?

Enjoy:

- a truly international experience, with an overseas exchange semester at one of UQ's many prestigious international partner institutions
- Queensland's largest selection of language majors
- global employment opportunities strengthened by UQ's world-class reputation
- study options that provide context to transnational issues and global understanding
- language exchange program through Mates@UQ to help you sustain and develop your second language.

## Career opportunities

Students in this program are typically interested in pursuing a career with an international agency, government or nonprofit organisation, such as UNESCO, UNICEF or the World Health Organization.

UQ has a tradition of preparing graduates for diplomatic service, and we proudly acknowledge that many of the current Australian Ambassadors, and diplomatic, consular and trade mission officials, are our faculty alumni.

Beyond a career in international relations, policy or humanitarian services, our graduates also keenly pursue careers in the global private sector, across banking and finance, legal affairs, advertising, media, journalism, market research, translation and interpretation services, and international education services.

Alternatively, you can complete an Honours year or progress to postgraduate coursework programs including International Relations, Peace and Conflict Studies, Development Practice, Governance and Public Policy, or Interpreting and Translation (Japanese or Chinese), all offered at UQ.



## GRACE CASLEY

Bachelor of International Studies (Korean/International Relations)

The Bachelor of International Studies requires you to study a language, and also undertake an exchange, which is why Grace was initially attracted to the program.

These requisites offered her great opportunities to expand her language skills in Korean, as well as the chance to further these skills in a Korean University during her exchange.

"The political aspect of my degree was equally as appealing, as it has given me a chance to broaden my knowledge and gain an international perspective," she said.

Grace has plans to work in the area of conflict and resolution.

"The opportunities and pathways that I can take are endless," she said.



# Bachelor of JOURNALISM

A Bachelor of Journalism allows you to become a global communicator and influence what the world reads, watches and understands.



UQ in India students in the New Delhi Kathpulli colony

## UQ in India

"UQ in India" is an exciting and innovative Work Integrated Learning project giving 20 journalism students the opportunity to visit India for 10 days to report on political, social and tourism stories.

This is a unique experience which allows the students to experience a very different culture and country while at the same time, developing their skills as radio, television, print and photo journalists.

Visit [jaccdigital.com.au](http://jaccdigital.com.au) (and click on UQ in Mumbai) to see the stories, videos and photography produced by the students during their time.

The trip is funded by the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade under the New Colombo Plan.

Journalism					
2017		OP 8	RANK 84	ATAR 83.70	IB 30
Duration 3 full-time					
Location St Lucia					
QTAC code 737001					
Honours Additional year of study					

Journalism/Laws (Honours)					
2017		OP 1	RANK 99	ATAR 99.00	IB 42
Duration 5.5 years full-time					
Location St Lucia					
QTAC code 737102					

## What is Journalism?

Journalism has never been as exciting or challenging. New frontiers in information gathering and dissemination are opening up, providing previously unforeseen opportunities for journalists.

Journalists today are utilising a diverse skillset to tell important and impactful stories. They take photographs, compose audio and video, develop interactive websites and much more. Stories can range from international issues, to those affecting a local neighborhood. Journalists understand their audiences and produce content that is relevant to them.

## What will I study?

Using industry-standard software and equipment, UQ Journalism students extend their theoretical knowledge by gaining sought-after skills in field recording and camerawork; editing of sound, vision and pictures; data analysis; publishing; and multi-platform distribution.

Students also gain valuable insights into current production values and practices through the on-site Media and Production Support team, and industry professionals drawn from leading media outlets.

The Journalism program provides students the opportunity to pursue studies in a range of minors: economics, film and television, interaction design, political science, popular music and technology, public relations, sports studies, and writing. Students can choose to take two of these minors.

Housed in state-of-the-art premises, UQ has invested in journalism for the future. So if you want to be a journalist, UQ is your university.

## Career opportunities

Journalism graduates have career opportunities as freelancers in the main generalist media – newspapers, television and radio, but increasingly also in areas of digital content production in Australia and overseas.

A developed interest beyond journalism can help in securing work in these areas and the more specialist media, particularly the large and diverse magazine sector.

Journalists are versatile and adaptable. The knowledge and skills they develop are widely valued and can be used in a variety of careers in media, online content development, TV, publishing and marketing. Many large corporations employ journalists in a range of communications and public relations positions.

Despite the highly competitive nature of journalism, UQ graduates have high success rates in securing jobs across the media. UQ graduates are employed in metropolitan and national newspapers, commercial and public radio and television, news agencies and

magazines both in Australia and around the world. Many hold senior positions.

Journalism students have the opportunity to enhance their formal studies in a number of ways. These may include participating in the school's extensive service and Work Integrated Learning activities that includes internships (local, national and international) and intensive overseas field reporting courses; special projects; membership of the Journalism and Communication Student Association (JACS), an independent body run by students for students; and by participating in workshops, seminars, and discussions involving leading journalists and media figures.

Journalism/Arts					
2017		OP 8	RANK 84	ATAR 83.70	IB 30
Duration 4 years full-time					
Location St Lucia					
QTAC code 730101					

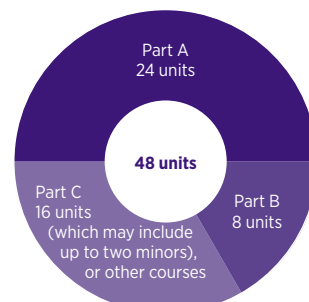
Business Management/Journalism					
2017		OP 8	RANK 84	ATAR 83.70	IB 30
Duration 4.25 years full-time					
Location St Lucia					
QTAC code 711101					

Journalism/Communication					
2017		OP 8	RANK 84	ATAR 83.70	IB 30
Duration 4 years full-time					
Location St Lucia					
QTAC code 741301					

Science/Journalism					
2017		OP 8	RANK 84	ATAR 83.70	IB 30
Duration 4 years full-time					
Location St Lucia					
QTAC code 731602					

DUAL PROGRAMS	
Bachelor of Journalism	+
Arts	
Business Management	
Communication	
Laws (Honours)	
Science	

## Bachelor of Journalism Structure



## AIMEE HOURIGAN

Bachelor of Journalism / Bachelor of Communication

So many different and unexpected opportunities presented themselves to Aimee throughout her time at UQ. She was able to be part of a reporting team working in Vietnam; official US Embassy Approved media at President Barak Obama's speech at UQ during the G20; and made three short documentary films for The Wesley Hospital and Uniting Care.

As a producer at local Brisbane moving image studio, TheStoryBoxes, Aimee believes one of the biggest assets to UQ's School of Communication and Arts is the Media and Production Support team, who run a series of workshops that teach students how to use different camera and media equipment.

"Having these skills has been invaluable for me to be able to create and tell unique visual stories about amazing individuals from all over the world," she said.

Aimee said studying a dual degree at UQ opened up her career options – double the skill-set meant she could potentially work in a number of different fields.

"My involvement in several news-related projects had swayed me towards becoming a foreign correspondent. I loved the idea of travelling around the world to document people's experiences in different countries and in different cultures."



Bachelor of

# MUSIC (HONOURS)

The Bachelor of Music (Honours) is taught by one of Australia's leading music institutions and many of our teachers are international performers.

Pursue a  
**PROFESSIONAL  
CAREER**  
in music

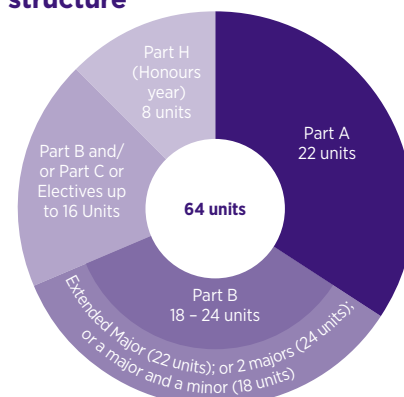


Composition graduate John Rotar

Music (Honours)					
2017		OP	RANK	ATAR	IB
		n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
<b>Duration</b> 4 years full-time					
<b>Location</b> St Lucia					
<b>Entry requirements</b> Audition, interview, Senior English, a pass in a test of practical ability and musicianship skills, selection is based on audition, interview and academic results					
<b>QTAC code</b> 723002					

Music (Honours)/Arts					
2017		OP	RANK	ATAR	IB
		11	76	75.00	26
<b>Duration</b> 5 years full-time					
<b>Location</b> St Lucia					
<b>QTAC code</b> 723302					

## Bachelor of Music (Honours) structure



Music (Honours)/Education (Secondary)					
2017		OP	RANK	ATAR	IB
		11	76	75.00	26
<b>Duration</b> 5 years full-time					
<b>Location</b> St Lucia					
<b>Entry requirements</b> Queensland Year 12 English, Maths B, Chemistry or Physics and audition/interview, a pass in a test of practical ability and musicianship skills					
<b>QTAC code</b> 723202					

Music (Honours)/Science					
2017		OP	RANK	ATAR	IB
		9	81	80.50	29
<b>Duration</b> 5 years full-time					
<b>Location</b> St Lucia					
<b>Entry requirements</b> Queensland Year 12 English, Maths B, Chemistry or Physics and audition/interview, a pass in a test of practical ability and musicianship skills					
<b>QTAC code</b> 723402					

## DUAL PROGRAMS

**Bachelor of Music +**  
Arts  
Education (Secondary)  
Science

## What will I study?

The Bachelor of Music (Honours) is intended for students wishing to pursue a professional career in music. It integrates the development of practical skills, musical repertoire and historical and theoretical knowledge.

All students share common courses in Years 1 and 2, covering practical study, music history, techniques and aural training. There is also a selection of popular music and non-music electives. For the final two years, you select either an extended major, two majors, or a major plus a minor from the following list. In your fourth year, you will also complete an honours research project on your chosen major.

The majors and minors you can study in your degree are:

### Composition (major only)

Receive weekly individual tuition, with the opportunity to compose for practical class and ensemble concerts. Hone your skills with access to the school's electronic studio.

### Music Learning (major or minor)

Explore the principles of music pedagogy across conducting, musicology, world and Indigenous Australian music.

### Music Psychology (minor only)

Develop an understanding of music from various psychological perspectives, including perception, cognition, emotion, behaviour, health and development.

### Music Technology (minor only)

Explore the role technology plays in creative music-making. From composing video games soundtracks, to performing with laptops and loop pedals, or instructing classes with iPads, music technologies are encouraging the growth of new careers and skills which are essential for working in today's creative industries.

## Musicology (major or minor)

Obtain high-level training in the scholarship of music, covering music history, theory, performance practice and related topics.

## Music Performance (major and extended major)

Focus on studies on your voice and instrument, and benefit from various learning approaches including master classes, performance practice, chamber music, conducting and entrepreneurial skills, and advanced aural studies.

## Popular Music (minor only)

Explore and reflect on the role of popular music, including its use in film and television.

## Popular Music and Technology (major only)

Explore and reflect on the role of popular music, including its use in film and television, and develop practical musical making skills and technical knowledge.

## Program structure

The BMus(Hons) enables you to explore your specific musical interests while gaining a broad understanding of music history, practical skills and theory.

The specialist major that you select for your final two years has a distinct set of courses from which to choose.

## Why choose a BMus(Hons)?

The School of Music at UQ is one of Australia's leading music institutions and you can enjoy:

- working with staff members and alumni who are acclaimed nationally and internationally as performers, teachers, composers and researchers
- learning from visiting ensembles and musicians in residence

- meeting the requirements for professional registration in music education (through the BMus(Hons)/BEd(Secondary) program)
- excellent postgraduate study opportunities in performance, composition, music education, musicology, and music health and wellbeing.

## Practical experience

The BMus(Hons) gives you the opportunity to enhance your practical skills through master classes, student performances and QPAC concerts. Activities in the program may also encompass solo performances, choral performances, chamber music, world music, early music and contemporary ensembles.

## Career opportunities

Upon graduation, you are well-equipped to pursue a range of careers depending on your major:

- arts administration
- broadcasting
- chamber music
- composition or arrangement
- concert planning and management
- conducting
- festival planning and management
- orchestral and vocal performance
- music education
- music journalism
- music librarianship
- promotions
- recording/sound engineering
- research and criticism.

You may also consider undertaking postgraduate study, through either the coursework Master of Music (MMus) or the research Master of Philosophy (MPhil) or Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Music.



## CONNOR D'NETTO

Bachelor of Music (Honours)

Graduating with a major in composition has allowed Connor to be completely self-employed, composing music for ensembles all over Australia and even abroad. During his studies he founded a new business venture, Argo, a concert series which presents contemporary classical music in innovative events.

"Completing my program at UQ gave me the skills I needed to be able to take my passion and make a career from it," Connor said. "Not only have I been able to study my craft, but I've gained the tools to bring my art to the world."

Connor's next big step it is to head overseas, as he has been offered a place studying a Masters of Music at the Royal College of Music in London.

"Take every opportunity you get, but not only that, create opportunities for yourself," he said.

"Get yourself out there, meet people and network, and take risks. It'll be hard at first, but as your networks grow bigger and better, opportunities will start to come your way."



Bachelor of

# POLITICS, PHILOSOPHY AND ECONOMICS (HONOURS)

The new Bachelor of Politics, Philosophy and Economics (Honours) (BPPE(Hons)) program combines rigorous cross-disciplinary training and explores global policy challenges to help you pursue a leadership career in business, politics, the non-government organisation sector or academia.



UQ offers  
Queensland's  
**ONLY**  
BPPE (Hons)  
program

2017	OP	RANK	ATAR	IB
	4	93	92.95	35
<b>Duration</b> 4 years full-time; part-time equivalent available to Australian residents and citizens				
<b>Location</b> St Lucia				
<b>Entry requirements</b> # Year 12 or equivalent; Senior English; Mathematics B or C				
<b>QTAC code</b> 714112				
<b>Honours</b> Honours will be awarded to all graduates of this program				
# Prerequisites are expressed in terms of Queensland Year 12 subjects				

## Why Politics, Philosophy and Economics at UQ?

UQ has joined with the distinguished group of world-leading universities to offer a Bachelor of Politics, Philosophy and Economics (Honours). We are the only university in Queensland to offer the program, and one of only a handful in Australia.

This cross-disciplinary program combines courses from the Faculty of Business, Economics and Law and the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, both of which are ranked 30th in the world\* by faculty area.

Our schools are home to internationally renowned scholars. School of Economics academics claim a disproportionate share of Australia's economics honours, competitive research grants and fellowships. The School of Political Science and International Studies is one of the world's leading centres for the study of national and global politics, and received the maximum score of 5 in the 2015 Excellence in Research for Australia (ERA) assessment.

\*2015 QS World University Rankings

## What will I study?

You will study together as a small cohort of highly motivated and high-achieving PPE specialists, drawing on a historical, social, political and economic knowledge base to

examine current and future global challenges and the world's most pressing problems.

## Career opportunities

With your finely tuned research, analytical, critical reasoning and problem-solving abilities, you will be extremely employable in analytical and decision-making positions in the public, private and not-for-profit sectors as an economic or social analyst, policy-maker, public commentator, political advisor, or as a leader in international affairs or the diplomatic services.

You will also be well-prepared for postgraduate study. You may choose to further your research ambitions by enrolling in a Master of Philosophy or PhD program, where you will continue to develop your skills and make significant contributions to knowledge.

## Honours

Honours is awarded to all graduates of this program in the following classes (based on GPA):

- Class I
- Class IIA
- Class IIB
- Class IIIA
- Class IIIB

## Majors

You can develop greater depth of knowledge by undertaking a major in an area that is relevant to your desired career. In your fourth year, you may choose to specialise in one particular discipline, earning a major in either politics, philosophy or economics.

### Politics

As a student in this major, you will study the interactions of state and market in great detail through case studies of particular policies and institutions, and at a more general level through theories of governance and politics.

**Careers:** Graduates enjoy careers in policy-making areas, such as government, the public and NGO sectors, and business.

### Philosophy

The study of philosophy will introduce you to key ideas in a range of areas of inquiry including epistemology, ethics, logic, metaphysics, the history of philosophy, and the philosophy of disciplines such as art, science, education and politics. You will receive intellectual training in the critical evaluation of theories and arguments, and learn how to construct arguments and communicate ideas in a clear and powerful way. You will also acquire advanced analytical reasoning skills and general problem-solving abilities. In addition,

philosophy will help you develop sound methods of research and analysis that can be applied in your other courses.

**Careers:** Graduates enjoy careers in fields including diplomatic and foreign affairs, the arts, financial services, business, law, public policy, social science, teaching and academia.

### Economics

The study of economics is central to the understanding of business, markets, trade, government policies, international issues, globalisation, health, development and the environment. You will undertake advanced-level coursework in microeconomics or macroeconomics, including relevant study of econometrics.

**Careers:** Graduates enjoy careers as analysts, advisors or economists in the public and private sectors in fields including business, finance, international development, management or research.

Bachelor of Politics,  
Philosophy and Economics  
(Honours)

## COURSE LIST

### CHOOSE FROM A RANGE OF COURSES INCLUDING:

- Advanced Topics in Moral and Political Philosophy
- Critical Reasoning
- Landmarks of Political Science
- Introduction to Strategic Thinking
- Philosophy Today
- Political Philosophy
- Politics and the Economy
- Power, Politics and Society
- Professional Work Placement
- Social and Economic Justice
- Tools of Economic Analysis



# Bachelor of SOCIAL SCIENCE

Learn to address major social challenges of our time. Third-year students undertake a supervised research project that is linked with an industry partner, and gain experience in the real world of social research.

Learn to  
**DEVELOP  
STRATEGIES**  
to address major  
social challenges



Social Science					
2017		OP 11	RANK 76	ATAR 75.00	IB 26
<b>Duration</b> 3 years full-time					
<b>Location</b> St Lucia					
<b>Entry Requirements</b> Year 12 or equivalent; Senior English					
<b>QTAC code</b> 747001					
<b>Honours</b> Additional year of study					

Arts/Social Science					
2017		OP 11	RANK 76	ATAR 75.00	IB 26
<b>Duration</b> 4 years full-time					
<b>Location</b> St Lucia					
<b>Entry Requirements</b> Year 12 or equivalent; Senior English					
<b>QTAC code</b> 707301					

## DUAL PROGRAMS

**Bachelor of Social Science** +  
Arts

## What is Social Science?

In UQ's Bachelor of Social Science you will learn how to develop strategies to address major social challenges facing society in an increasingly globalised world. Social Science covers a number of fields, and you will have the opportunity to specialise in Development, Health and Society, or Social and Public Policy.

## What will I study?

The Bachelor of Social Science at UQ is a unique and innovative program that will give you expertise in social science research design and implementation, and detailed knowledge of a specialised field of practice. You will undertake a set of core courses to equip you with theoretical knowledge and research skills.

Third-year students gain experience in the real world of social research by undertaking a supervised research project related to their specialised field of study and linked with an industry partner.

In addition to the set of core courses, as a Bachelor of Social Science student you will have an opportunity to specialise in a particular area of interest:

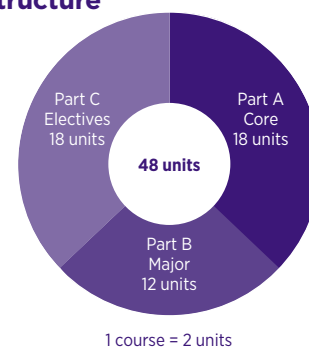
- **Development** offers a social science perspective on international and community development issues. You will focus on strategies to alleviate poverty and inequality, and to develop sustainable societies, communities and environments.

- **Health and Society** provides you with an understanding of the social, cultural, economic and ethical factors influencing health and illness. Courses focus on the way the health system works, and on the skills relevant to becoming a social science worker in the health sector.
- **Social and Public Policy** provides you with the ability to gain the technical skills required to analyse social and economic issues and develop, implement and evaluate policy solutions. Studies in this major will connect the social sciences to the world of practical politics.

Some of the courses you may study in these areas of specialisation include:

- Australian Social Policy
- Introduction to International Inequality and Development
- Medicine, Markets and Health.

## Bachelor of Social Science Structure



## Career opportunities

You will be equipped with relevant and marketable skills including problem-solving, effective written and oral communication, information processing,

creative and critical thinking, cross-cultural awareness, social research skills, and computer literacy.

These skills will enable graduates to seek future employment with organisations

such as government departments, law enforcement and correctional agencies, community service agencies, healthcare providers, non-governmental organisations (NGOs), and in the business/private sector.



## RHIAN STACK

Bachelor of Social Science (Honours)  
Bachelor of Social Science (Criminal Justice)/Bachelor of Arts (Anthropology)

Rhian is currently working as a Senior Advisor (Evaluation) for the Queensland Family and Child Commission.

After leaving UQ, she found herself with a wealth of skills that enabled her to work in her field of interest.

"I am highly passionate about matters in domestic and family violence and child protection, particularly regarding system responses to these issues," Rhian said.

"My studies not only developed my theoretical knowledge, but also provided the environment for me to put this knowledge into practice, engage with industry professionals, participate in skill-building courses, develop my professional networks and learn from lecturers who constantly challenged me to better myself," she said.

In her current position, Rhian is able to utilise the research and evaluation skills she developed during her studies to evaluate the incredibly significant issue of child protection reforms.

"In addition, I still maintain close contact with UQ, acting as a research assistant, and hope to one day return to complete my PhD," she said.



# YOUR SCHOLARSHIP OPTIONS

Make your university experience easier and more affordable with the support of a scholarship.

**You may not think you're eligible for a scholarship, but with many, many different opportunities available, you should definitely take some time to explore your options and apply.**

When you're reading this, you're probably completely preoccupied thinking about exams, the formal, graduation, and schoolies; however, spare a few moments as early as possible in 2017 to plan your application for a UQ scholarship, and make your university experience even more enriching.

You might be surprised at how many scholarships you are eligible to apply for!

**Undergraduate Scholarships and Prizes Office**  
**W:** [scholarships.uq.edu.au](http://scholarships.uq.edu.au)  
**E:** [ugscholarships@uq.edu.au](mailto:ugscholarships@uq.edu.au)  
**T:** +61 7 3365 7113

## Some of our many scholarships include:

### ACADEMIC

UQ's Academic Scholarship Program supports the continued achievements of outstanding school leavers.

If you are a high-achieving student and are completing Year 12 in 2017 (or you completed Year 12 in 2016 and are on a gap year), you are encouraged to apply.

Several scholarships also provide financial assistance for specific areas of study.

For detailed and up-to-date information about academic scholarships, visit [scholarships.uq.edu.au](http://scholarships.uq.edu.au)

### EQUITY

UQ strongly supports equitable access to education for students who might not otherwise be able to attend university. We offer many scholarships to provide opportunities for such students, including but not limited to:

#### UQ Link Scholarships

Awarded to applicants who apply to study at UQ and have experienced educational disadvantage due to financial hardship.

**Award value:** \$9000 over three years.

#### Indigenous Commonwealth Scholarships

The federal government provides financial support to Indigenous students to help with the costs of going to university. For detailed and up-to-date information about these scholarships, visit [scholarships.uq.edu.au](http://scholarships.uq.edu.au)

#### Centrelink Student Income Support

The federal government provides financial assistance to students who receive student income support payments through Centrelink (Youth Allowance, ABSTUDY, Austudy).

**Award value:** Variable and determined by Centrelink.

### SPORTING

UQ Sporting Scholarships are awarded to outstanding new and continuing students who are both academically gifted and have demonstrated exceptional ability in their chosen sport. Though there are several sporting scholarships, the two main options UQ offers in partnership with UQ Sport are:

#### UQ Sports Achievement Scholarship

Awarded to outstanding new and continuing students who have demonstrated exceptional ability in their chosen sport.

**Award value:** Up to \$9000 for one year.

#### The Clem Jones Sporting Scholarship

A scholarship awarded to students with academic ability, and who have the potential to perform at a high level in their chosen sport. Preference will be given to applicants with demonstrated financial need.

**Award value:** Up to \$18,000 over three years.

#### Apply for a UQ Sporting Scholarship

**W:** [uqsport.com.au/uq-sporting-scholarships](http://uqsport.com.au/uq-sporting-scholarships)

**T:** +61 7 3365 6612

## 100+ more to choose from

UQ's generous industry partners and private donors also contribute to bring you a range of scholarships for many and varied criteria. Visit [scholarships.uq.edu.au](http://scholarships.uq.edu.au) to explore the scholarships on offer.

Please note: All figures were correct at time of printing but are subject to changes; see [scholarships.uq.edu.au](http://scholarships.uq.edu.au) prior to applying to confirm correct values.

# CONCURRENT DIPLOMAS

A concurrent diploma can be studied alongside your bachelor degree, allowing you to pursue studies in other areas of interest.

## Diploma in Languages (DipLang)

Languages are a passion for many UQ students. All languages are offered with streams for beginners and those who are more advanced.

As such, the concurrent diploma will suit you if you've studied a language at high school and want to increase your proficiency, or if it's your first time learning a second language. Proficiency in a second language will open up both professional and personal opportunities for you.

Whether you are studying architecture, speech pathology, pharmacy or engineering, you can also study any of the languages offered at UQ to enhance your international employability. If you are studying ancient history or archaeology, you may find the classical languages, Latin and Greek, to be beneficial to your program.

### Languages available

You can study:

- Chinese
- Chinese Translation and Interpreting
- Classical Languages
- French
- German
- Indonesian
- Japanese
- Korean
- Russian
- Spanish.

### Language Advantage

The School of Languages and Cultures at UQ is recognised as one of Australia's leading language institutions. Promoting intercultural communication and understanding, the school provides outstanding teaching and research of major world languages and cultures.

UQ is also home to a number of language clubs and events, including film festivals, which encourage you to meet and practise your language skills with native speakers.

## Diploma in Music Performance (DipMusPerf)

If music plays a big part in your life, this diploma is an excellent opportunity to sharpen your skills and knowledge through music ensemble training. With encouraged participation in rehearsals and performances, you'll gain a better understanding of rhythmic accuracy and pitch discrimination, and develop a variety of musical techniques used by ensemble directors.

The School of Music has four ensembles: the UQ Chorale, the UQ Chamber Singers, the UQ Winds and the UQ Symphony Orchestra. There are regular vacancies for singers, strings and brass in these ensembles.

### Music Advantage

The School of Music at UQ is one of Australia's leading music institutions, with world-class teachers and mentors to enhance your practical skills and deepen your musical knowledge. The school runs several concert series, providing opportunities to obtain valuable experience performing in music ensembles at a variety of venues including the Queensland Performing Arts Complex (QPAC). Other areas of specialisation include musicology and practical studies.

Staff members and alumni of the school are acclaimed nationally and internationally as performers, teachers, composers and researchers – including a triple GRAMMY®-award winning musician.

## GRADUATE-ENTRY DIPLOMA

### Diploma in Arts (DipArts)

Available to graduates of a bachelor program in any field of study, the Diploma in Arts enables you to undertake a selection of undergraduate courses in either one or two fields of study – one major or two minors.

You may want to acquire greater specialisation in a chosen field, or follow a study area you are passionate about.

The Diploma in Arts cannot be studied as a Concurrent Diploma and is for graduate entry only. In some cases it will not be possible to complete the requirements for the Diploma in one year of full-time study, and part-time enrolment may be required. This is because some majors (for example, languages) require sequential study.





# YOUR GLOBAL ADVENTURE

See the world differently with a global experience while studying at UQ.

## Why study overseas?

- ✓ Improve your foreign language skills
- ✓ Broaden your work and study options
- ✓ Enhance your employability
- ✓ Establish a global network of friends
- ✓ Gain credit towards your UQ program
- ✓ Choose from 200 exchange partners in 41 countries

UQ Abroad offers a wide range of overseas experiences, including semester-based student exchange, short-term study, internships and volunteering.

[uq.edu.au/uqabroad](http://uq.edu.au/uqabroad)



For a full list of partner universities, please visit [uq.edu.au/uqabroad](http://uq.edu.au/uqabroad)

## Student exchange program

**Study overseas for up to one year while gaining credit towards your UQ degree.**

Choose from over 200 exchange partners in 41 countries, combine study and travel, and have the adventure of a lifetime.

While on exchange, tuition fees at the host university are waived and you continue to pay fees and be enrolled at UQ.

You can even apply for student exchange scholarships and may be eligible for an OS-HELP loan to assist with airfares, accommodation, health insurance and living costs.

## Short-term global experiences

**Want to study, work or live overseas for only a short time?**

With UQ Abroad's international short-term programs, you can have an amazing global experience during your semester breaks.

Some experiences are eligible for academic credit transfer towards your UQ program, so you can fast-track your studies by completing courses at an approved host university in Asia, Europe, the USA or Latin America.

## Universitas 21 student experiences

UQ is a member of Universitas 21 (U21), an international network of leading research intensive universities. U21 encourages students to have a global perspective and be prepared for life and work across cultures by facilitating student mobility opportunities.

You can apply to participate in U21 student experiences such as the annual Undergraduate Research Conference, Social Entrepreneur Corps program and Summer School.



### DAN TANG

Participated in a student exchange with the University of California at Irvine, USA

“Going on exchange was an experience of a lifetime! It has broadened my global perspective to live in another country, understand another culture, and meet a diverse range of people. Overall, I developed my independence, confidence and initiative from living and travelling independently in another country.”

Photo left: Robert Matthews, Stockholm University, Sweden (student exchange program), travelled to other countries in Europe during his time on exchange, including Norway. This photo was taken at Flydalsjuvet Lookout, overlooking Geirangerfjord.





Gain a  
**COMPETITIVE  
EDGE**  
with  
employers

# YOUR ADVANTAGE

## Enhance your employability through experiences

The UQ Employability Advantage Award is a free program designed specifically to bring out the best in you during your undergraduate studies.

Participants can access a range of extra-curricular activities and professional development seminars, including a unique symposium series.

By participating in the program, you will enjoy experiences that will help you realise your aspirations, become a leader in your chosen field, make a positive impact on society, and enhance your employability.

After completing all program requirements, you will reflect on your experiences and be able to effectively communicate your enhanced employability in the recruitment process.

You can apply for a formal certificate when you graduate that recognises the enhanced experience and skill set you have developed during your time at UQ.

**UQ Employability Advantage Award**  
**W:** [employability.uq.edu.au/advantage-award](http://employability.uq.edu.au/advantage-award)

Above: Kevin Plasencia, a UQ Bachelor of Engineering student, participated in the Engineers Without Borders (EWB) Humanitarian Design Summit in Cambodia as part of the UQ Employability Advantage Award program

### COCO BU

Bachelor of Arts, Award Graduate 2016

“The UQ Employability Advantage Award has allowed me to be involved in many interesting and valuable activities. My global experiences broadened my horizons and opened my mind to allow me to think more critically when facing challenges in this fast-changing world. Experiences like the Student Exchange Program, the Student Leader Program, and volunteering activities have enriched not only my knowledge, but also my skills in communication, team work, leadership and social networking, which are incredibly important when it comes to my employability and personal development.



## Financial support

**A UQ Employability Advantage Grant could help you realise your dreams.**

Grants worth up to \$1000 are awarded for co-curricular activities such as internships, volunteering, research, leadership programs and conference participation.

Find out more by visiting  
[employability.uq.edu.au/financial-support/  
uq-advantage-employability-grant](http://employability.uq.edu.au/financial-support/uq-advantage-employability-grant)

# ARE YOU AN INTERNATIONAL STUDENT?

While a lot of information in this guide is relevant to you, certain key information may be different for international students.

## You are an international student if you are:

- intending to study on a student visa, or
- not a citizen of Australia or New Zealand, or
- not an Australian permanent resident, or
- a temporary resident (visa status) of Australia.

## Eligibility for UQ study

For admission into undergraduate programs at UQ, you must have:

- completed recognised upper secondary or equivalent Year 12 studies to the required standard
- satisfied individual program requirements (e.g. specific subject prerequisites, auditions or interviews)
- satisfied English language requirements.

If you do not meet these criteria, you might consider taking the Foundation Year bridging course offered by International Education Services (IES) or English language training offered by the Institute of Continuing and TESOL Education (ICTE-UQ).

## More information

**W:** [future-students.uq.edu.au/  
foundationyear.com](http://future-students.uq.edu.au/foundationyear.com)  
[icte.uq.edu.au](http://icte.uq.edu.au)

## Tuition fees

UQ has program-based fees for coursework award programs, meaning that all courses within a program are charged at the same tuition fee rate per unit for a given academic year.

## Fee information

**W:** [future-students.uq.edu.au/apply/  
international/tuition-fees](http://future-students.uq.edu.au/apply/international/tuition-fees)

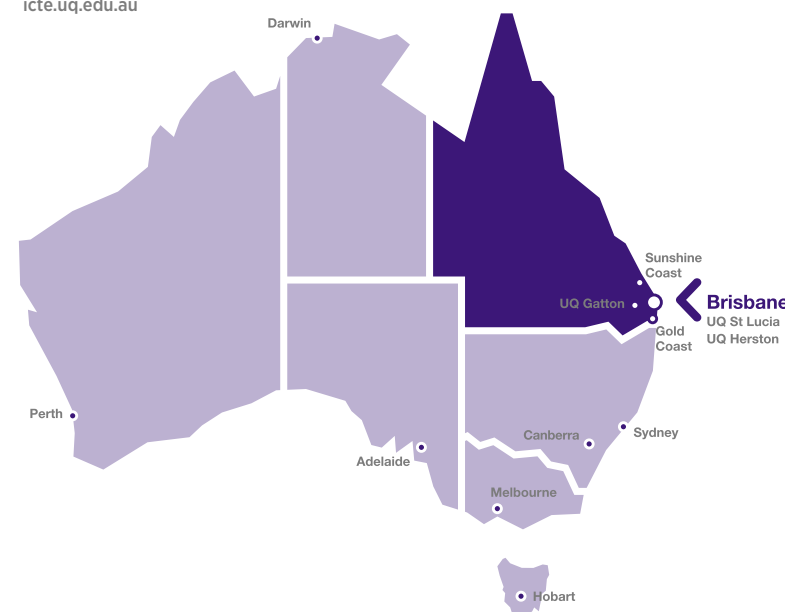
## Other expenses

All international students applying to study in Australia must have a student visa and study full-time, on campus. Please consider expenses such as visa and medical (pre-departure) fees, tuition fees, general living expenses, return airfares, and Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC) when you plan your budget.

## Applying to UQ

## How to apply

**W:** [future-students.uq.edu.au/apply](http://future-students.uq.edu.au/apply)



UQ has more than  
**13,300**  
international  
students  
from 141 countries



### NABILA HUSNA SHAMHANI

Bachelor of Arts (Economics and International Relations)

“UQ is well known for its excellence in academic performance and it's a great place to study. Grab the chance to broaden your network by joining clubs and associations and if you have any concerns the staff and lecturers are very helpful.

## Want more information?

If you would like to know more about your study options at UQ, feel free to ask a question through our enquire online form and one of our UQ advisors will respond to you. Feel free to register for an advisory session, and if you are in Brisbane, why not sign up for a campus tour to see our beautiful campuses?

We also have a range of publications, including the international undergraduate and postgraduate student guides to help you.

## Ask UQ

**W:** [future-students.uq.edu.au/ask](http://future-students.uq.edu.au/ask)

## Advisory sessions

**W:** [uq.edu.au/international-students/  
advisory-sessions](http://uq.edu.au/international-students/advisory-sessions)

## Campus tours

**W:** [future-students.uq.edu.au/  
campus-tours](http://future-students.uq.edu.au/campus-tours)

## Program guides

**W:** [future-students.uq.edu.au/publications-and-  
forms](http://future-students.uq.edu.au/publications-and-forms)



# YOUR FINANCES

Understanding the costs involved will help you be better prepared for university life.



## Fee calculator

To help you estimate your course fees for a study period, UQ has an online Fee Calculator.

Fees for 2018 are expected to be available from December 2017.

Before you enrol, faculty academic advisors can help you develop a study plan.

**Fee calculator**  
**W:** [feecalculator.app.uq.edu.au](http://feecalculator.app.uq.edu.au)

## Fees and costs

### Course fees and student contributions

When you study at university, at the start of each semester or teaching period you are charged a fee for each course you enrol in.

Most undergraduate places at UQ are Commonwealth supported, i.e. funded partly by the Australian Government (Commonwealth support) and partly by you (student contribution).

You qualify for Commonwealth support if you are an Australian or New Zealand citizen, or an Australian permanent resident and have a Commonwealth-supported place (CSP). International students pay full tuition fees.

If you have a CSP, the amount you pay for a course (your student contribution amount) depends on the fee band level of the course (see table below).

It is not possible to publish a fixed fee for a program, because fees are charged according to the courses you choose, not the program you are enrolled in, and most students can choose different electives during their program.

Indicative annual fees (based on average first-year enrolment patterns) are listed on our Future Students website to help you plan your budget.

**Future Students**  
**W:** [future-students.uq.edu.au/study/find-a-program](http://future-students.uq.edu.au/study/find-a-program)

### INDICATIVE STUDENT CONTRIBUTION BANDS AND AMOUNTS\*

BAND	AREA OF STUDY	ANNUAL* STUDENT CONTRIBUTION
3	Law, accounting, administration, economics, commerce, dentistry, medicine, veterinary science	\$10,596
2	Mathematics, statistics, computing, built environment, health, science, engineering, surveying, agriculture	\$9050
1	Humanities, behavioural science, social studies, education, foreign languages, visual and performing arts, nursing	\$6349

\* 2017 figures only, based on full-time (16-unit) workload: figures indexed annually

### Student Services and Amenities Fee (SSAF)

In 2011, the Australian Parliament passed legislation allowing universities to charge a fee for non-academic services such as sporting and recreation activities, employment and career advice, child care, financial advice, and food services. UQ levies the SSAF – which is capped at a maximum of \$294 for 2017 – according to whether you are an internal or external student, full-time or part-time. The fee is indexed annually.

**SSAF**  
**W:** [uq.edu.au/myadvisor/student-services-and-amenities-fee](http://uq.edu.au/myadvisor/student-services-and-amenities-fee)

### Proposed higher education reforms

The Australian Government intends to finalise revised higher education reforms for 2018 by mid-2017.

Visit the Study Assist website to view 2018 updates as they become available.

**StudyAssist**  
**W:** [studyassist.gov.au](http://studyassist.gov.au)

**International students: Refer to page 67 for fee information.**

## Keeping your costs down



- Investigate the financial support and fee payment options offered by the Australian Government
- Apply now for a tax file number, which you will need to obtain a HELP loan (see [ato.gov.au](http://ato.gov.au))
- Explore the scholarships on offer (see [scholarships.uq.edu.au](http://scholarships.uq.edu.au))
- Enjoy UQU's low-cost entertainment and activities, and visit their secondhand bookshop (see [uqu.com.au](http://uqu.com.au))
- Ask UQ's Student Services about finding accommodation (see [accommodation.uq.edu.au](http://accommodation.uq.edu.au))

UQ St Lucia's Global Change Institute

## Centrelink Student Services

The Australian Government provides three income-support payments for Australian tertiary students: Youth Allowance, Austudy, and ABSTUDY.

You can apply for these payments at any Centrelink Customer Service Centre. Other schemes include:

- Student Start-up Scholarship or Loan
- Relocation Scholarship
- Interest-free advance loan where part of the allowance is paid as a lump-sum advance
- Pensioner Education Supplement (PES)
- Low Income Health Care Card
- Fares Allowance
- Child Care Benefit (CCB) or Rebate, or Jobs, Education and Training (JET) Child Care Fee Assistance.

**Centrelink**  
**W:** [humanservices.gov.au](http://humanservices.gov.au)

## Other government assistance

### HECS-HELP

If you are a domestic student in a Commonwealth-supported place, you may be eligible to receive HECS-HELP.

HECS-HELP is an Australian Government loan scheme. Eligible students may access a HECS-HELP loan to pay their student contribution amounts. You do not have to start repaying your HECS-HELP debt until you earn above a certain income level (\$54,869 for the 2016-17 income year). Loan repayments are then taken out of your pay as additional tax. You need to supply your tax file number to apply.

### SA-HELP

SA-HELP is a loan scheme that helps you pay for the SSAF. If you use SA-HELP, the amount will be added to your accumulated HELP debt. You can take out a SA-HELP loan even if you do not wish to take out any other HELP loan. You require a tax file number to obtain SA-HELP.

**HECS-HELP and SA-HELP information**  
**W:** [studyassist.gov.au](http://studyassist.gov.au)



# ADMISSION INFORMATION

You must satisfy prerequisites and have a sufficient entry score (OP or entry rank) to study undergraduate programs at UQ, but there are alternative pathways for entry if you do not meet these requirements.

## How to apply

**Apply for UQ undergraduate program admission through the Queensland Tertiary Admissions Centre (QTAC).**

Check the QTAC Guide or the QTAC website for details on how to apply and what entry requirements you need. Free print copies are given to all current Queensland Year 12

students and some interstate students, or you can buy a copy from QTAC directly.

You may list up to six program preferences, but you will only receive one offer – for your highest preference that you are eligible for. When applying, make sure you place programs in order of personal preference, putting the one you

most want to study first, and the one you least desire last.

See the QTAC website for 2017 application deadlines.

**QTAC Admissions**  
**W:** [qtac.edu.au](http://qtac.edu.au)  
**E:** [admissions@uq.edu.au](mailto:admissions@uq.edu.au)  
**T:** 1300 467 822  
**T:** +61 7 3365 2203

## The step-by-step process



### Search for your program

- Search in this guide on pages 10-61
- Visit [future-students.uq.edu.au](http://future-students.uq.edu.au)

**TIP:** Check that you have met all academic and other entry requirements and have met any specific program deadlines.

There are a range of UQ publications and study area guides available to help you choose the right program for you.

To order a specific publication or guide, visit [bit.ly/orderUQguide](http://bit.ly/orderUQguide)

### Prospective students

- Apply by visiting [qtac.edu.au](http://qtac.edu.au)

### Current students at other universities

- Apply by visiting [future-students.uq.edu.au/apply](http://future-students.uq.edu.au/apply)

**TIP:** Prior to applying, check that your home institution will give you credit.

### How to accept your offer

1. Log in by clicking 'Applicant login' at [qtac.edu.au](http://qtac.edu.au)
2. Select **Login** and enter your details
3. Select the **Accept offer** option
4. Accept your offer
5. Go to [uq.edu.au/startingatuq](http://uq.edu.au/startingatuq) and follow the instructions

## Prerequisites

Subject prerequisites are the Queensland Year 12 subjects (or interstate/overseas/tertiary/bridging course equivalents) required for individual programs.

Some programs have additional prerequisites (e.g. auditions or the Undergraduate Medicine and Health Sciences Admission Test (UMAT)).

## Entry scores

Entry scores include Overall Positions (OP) and entry ranks. Eligible applicants are selected for admission to a program in order of merit: those with the highest entry score are selected first, and so on until the program quota is filled.

The minimum OP or rank required for entry varies from year to year and is determined once applications have been processed and places allocated. While it is difficult to predict exactly what OP or rank will be needed for entry to a program, you can use the previous year's cut-offs as a guide.

## Special entry programs

If you identify on your QTAC application as being of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander descent you will be invited to apply via the ATSI alternative entry scheme for a place at UQ. This option takes into account more than just your OP score: it also considers your work history, personal references and life experience.

If you have experienced financial hardship or other difficult circumstances that have negatively impacted your studies, you may be eligible for special entry to UQ. Contact UQ Admissions for more information.

UQ's Bonus Rank Scheme gives current Year 12 high school students bonus points towards their entry score for completing certain approved subjects or courses. Contact UQ Admissions for more information.

## English language requirements

If you are from a non-English speaking background, you will need to provide evidence of English proficiency. You can do this by passing Queensland Year 12 English (or interstate/international equivalent), or by other means. Visit [bit.ly/UQ-eng-prof](http://bit.ly/UQ-eng-prof) for more information.

## Programs for high school students

UQ's Enhanced Studies Program (ESP) lets you complete a university course at either St Lucia or Gatton campus during Semester 1 of Year 12. The program is offered free of charge, boosts your tertiary ranking by one point, and you may even receive credit for the course you completed if you subsequently go on to study at UQ: see [uq.edu.au/esp](http://uq.edu.au/esp)

The Young Scholars Program is another opportunity to discover, learn and engage with UQ's academic community and like-minded students from across Queensland: see [uq.edu.au/youngscholars](http://uq.edu.au/youngscholars)

Other opportunities include the Institute of Modern Languages (IML) summer intensive sessions: see [iml.uq.edu.au/highschool.html](http://iml.uq.edu.au/highschool.html) and a range of faculty workshops and seminars: see [uq.edu.au/schools/activities-for-schools](http://uq.edu.au/schools/activities-for-schools)

## Alternative entry

If you did not complete Year 12, did not achieve a high enough entry score for your preferred program, or are a mature-aged applicant, there are alternative entry pathways to UQ. Contact UQ Admissions for advice.

## Improving an entry score (upgrading)

If you are not offered a place in your preferred program and want to improve your entry score or meet subject prerequisites, you can accept an offer in a less competitive program with fewer prerequisites and try to improve your entry score. This is called upgrading.

We recommend you complete one full-time year of bachelor degree study to upgrade to higher demand programs because the entry ranks allocated to study totalling less than one full-time year are capped. Depending on your academic performance your new entry rank could be higher than your previous rank.

For more information on how to improve your entry score, contact UQ Admissions.

**UQ Admissions**  
**W:** [uq.edu.au/study/admissions](http://uq.edu.au/study/admissions)  
**E:** [admissions@uq.edu.au](mailto:admissions@uq.edu.au)  
**T:** +61 7 3365 2203

### Preparing for Week 1

- Research your course resources
- Come along to Orientation Week for fun activities and information about your courses
- Get your student ID card
- Attend faculty or school information and welcome sessions
- Get any remaining questions answered before classes start (visit [future-students.uq.edu.au/ask](http://future-students.uq.edu.au/ask))

### How to enrol

1. Access your first year planner available at [uq.edu.au/startingatuq](http://uq.edu.au/startingatuq) to find out what you must study
2. Choose your courses (visit myAdvisor at [uq.edu.au/myadvisor](http://uq.edu.au/myadvisor) for help)
3. Enrol online via mySI-net at [sinet.uq.edu.au](http://sinet.uq.edu.au)
4. Plan your timetable and sign-on to classes
5. Pay fees



# YOUR FUTURE OPTIONS

When your undergraduate program is complete, you may want to pursue further study, and you will find a range of postgraduate study options to choose from at UQ.

### Postgraduate study

UQ offers both coursework programs and research higher degrees (RHD) at postgraduate level.

Both will give you specialised knowledge, provide a significant advantage in the employment market, upgrade your qualifications, enhance your promotion potential, or pave the way for a career in academia.

Postgraduate study  
W: [future-students.uq.edu.au](http://future-students.uq.edu.au)

### Coursework programs

Postgraduate coursework programs include graduate certificates, graduate diplomas, coursework masters, extended masters and professional doctorates, and require that you complete prescribed courses and assessment. Some programs include a research component, but mostly they comprise lectures, laboratories, tutorials, assignments and examinations.

Graduate certificates, graduate diplomas

and masters (by coursework) programs may be studied across a wide range of disciplines either individually or within a suite of programs. Depending on your academic background, you may enter a masters program directly, or be asked to apply for a graduate certificate, before progressing to a graduate diploma or a coursework masters.

### Research higher degrees (RHDs)

An RHD involves undertaking a significant research project and producing a thesis. You may also have to undertake some coursework.

RHDs include the Master of Philosophy (MPhil), which takes one-and-a-half to two years to complete; the Doctor of Philosophy (PhD), which takes three-and-a-half to four years; and the Doctor of Biotechnology (DBiotech), which takes three years to complete. To be awarded these degrees you must produce either a 40,000-, 50,000- or 80,000-word thesis of original research.

Graduate School  
W: [uq.edu.au/grad-school](http://uq.edu.au/grad-school)

### MicroMasters

UQ has joined forces with other leading international universities to offer MicroMasters, a series of courses designed to advance your career and offer a path to an accelerated masters program.

Recognised by industries for real job relevancy, MicroMasters are delivered via the edX platform, a non-profit online learning destination founded by Harvard and MIT.

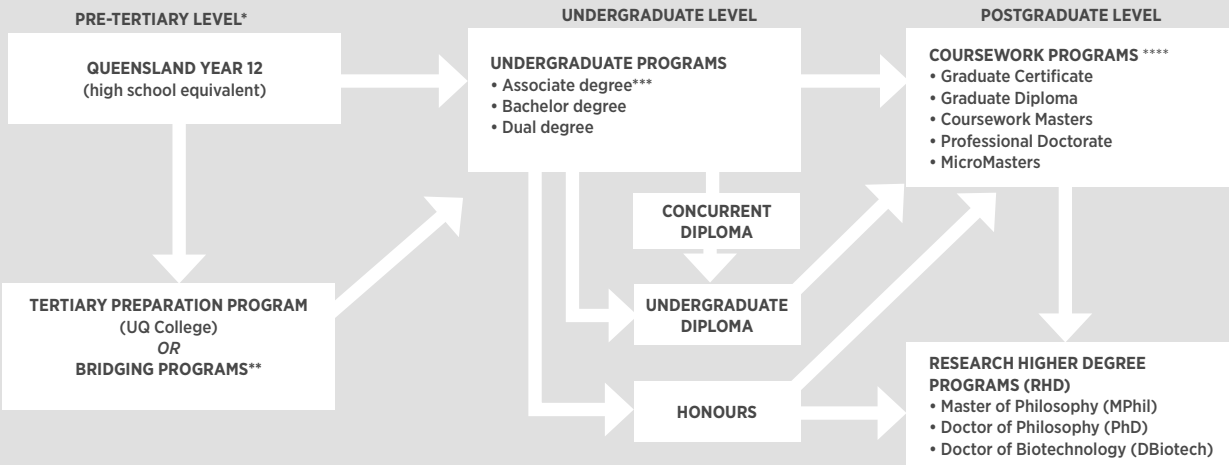
UQ's Leadership in Global Development MicroMasters is the first MicroMasters course to be offered by UQ, with more in the pipeline. The MicroMasters is a prerequisite for UQ's new Master of Leadership in Global Development, commencing in 2018.

Students can also gain credit towards their UQ Master of Business by completing the MITx MicroMasters Credential in Supply Chain Management.

To find out more, visit the edX website.

edX MicroMasters  
W: [edx.org/micromasters](http://edx.org/micromasters)

## STANDARD PATHWAYS TO AND THROUGH UQ



\* Other entry methods may be possible: contact UQ Admissions or see [uq.edu.au/study/docs/domestic/entry-options.pdf](http://uq.edu.au/study/docs/domestic/entry-options.pdf)  
\*\* For more information about approved bridging programs, please access the Bridging Programs Domestic Admissions Information Sheet at [uq.edu.au/study/docs/domestic/bridging.pdf](http://uq.edu.au/study/docs/domestic/bridging.pdf)  
\*\*\* The Associate Degree in Business is designed as either a UQ-accredited standalone qualification, or as a pathway to the Bachelor of Business Management.  
\*\*\*\* Although postgraduate coursework degrees can lead to an RHD, applicants also require relevant experience or research experience. View the full list of entry requirements here: [graduate-school.uq.edu.au/uq-research-degrees](http://graduate-school.uq.edu.au/uq-research-degrees)

# MORE STUDY OPTIONS

UQ offers more than 60 exciting undergraduate programs to help build your dream career. For more details, check out our range of publications, or go to [future-students.uq.edu.au](http://future-students.uq.edu.au)



### Arts, Communication, Education and Society

- Advanced Humanities (Honours)
- Arts
- Communication
- Criminology and Criminal Justice (Honours)
- Education (Primary)
- Education (Secondary)
- International Studies
- Journalism
- Music (Honours)
- Politics, Philosophy and Economics (Honours)
- Social Science



### Business, Economics and Law

- Advanced Finance and Economics (Honours)
- Business Management
- Commerce
- Economics
- International Hotel and Tourism Management
- Law (Honours)
- Politics, Philosophy and Economics (Honours)



### Engineering, Architecture and Information Technology

- Architectural Design
- Engineering
- Information Technology



### Health

- Biomedical Science
- Clinical Exercise Physiology
- Dental Science
- Exercise and Nutrition Sciences
- Exercise and Sport Sciences
- Health Sciences
- Health, Sport and Physical Education
- Medicine
- Midwifery
- Nursing
- Occupational Therapy
- Pharmacy
- Physiotherapy
- Psychological Science
- Social Work
- Speech Pathology



### Science

- Advanced Science
- Agribusiness
- Agricultural Science
- Biomedical Science
- Biotechnology
- Environmental Management
- Environmental Science
- Equine Science
- Food Technology
- Mathematics
- Occupational Health and Safety Science
- Regional and Town Planning
- Science
- Sustainable Agriculture
- Veterinary Science
- Veterinary Technology
- Wildlife Science

### Disclaimer

The inclusion in this publication of details of a program or a course creates no obligation on the part of the University to teach it as or when described. The University may discontinue or vary programs and courses at any time without notice. Information in this guide is accurate as at January 2017.

While care has been taken to provide accurate information in this prospectus, it is the responsibility of students to check and confirm the specific details of programs, courses and enrolment.

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Visit [future-students.uq.edu.au](http://future-students.uq.edu.au) for up-to-date program information.

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[australia.gov.au](http://australia.gov.au)



### Central guides

- Australian Undergraduate (pictured left)
- International Undergraduate and Postgraduate (International students can visit [future-students.uq.edu.au/publications-and-forms/international](http://future-students.uq.edu.au/publications-and-forms/international) to access the latest international student guides)

Copies of these publications are available through UQ Admissions.

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## HAVE A QUESTION ABOUT PROGRAMS IN THIS GUIDE?

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W [hass.uq.edu.au](http://hass.uq.edu.au)

## HAVE A QUESTION ABOUT LIVING AND STUDYING AT UQ?

### Contact the Future Students Contact Centre

T +61 7 3346 9872

E [ask@uq.edu.au](mailto:ask@uq.edu.au)

W [future-students.uq.edu.au](http://future-students.uq.edu.au)

## HAVE A QUESTION ABOUT ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND ADMISSION TO UQ?

### Contact UQ Admissions

T +61 7 3365 2203

E [admissions@uq.edu.au](mailto:admissions@uq.edu.au)

W [asd.uq.edu.au/admissions](http://asd.uq.edu.au/admissions)

## KEY DATES

### Tertiary Studies Expo (TSXPO)

RNA Showgrounds

Saturday and Sunday, 15-16 July 2017

### UQ Open Day 2017

*St Lucia campus* Sunday, 6 August 2017

*Gatton campus* Sunday, 20 August 2017

### QTAC closing date

For on-time applications

Thursday, 28 September 2017

(check [qtac.edu.au](http://qtac.edu.au) for details)

### Semester 1, 2018

Classes commence

Monday, 19 February 2018

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