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OF QUEENSLAND
AUSTRALIA

CREATE CHANGE

Arts is not what you think it is...

Change your mind, change your future, change the world.



What jobs can you get with an **Arts degree**?

...the short answer: lots!

The humanities and social sciences supply two thirds of Australia's workforce.

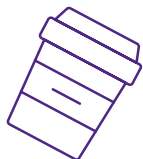


ARTS IN BUSINESS

What do Apple, Starbucks and American Express have in common?

Their CEOs all have a humanities degree.

Two in three CEOs of ASX200 listed companies have a degree in the humanities.



"It's in Apple's DNA that technology alone is not enough. It's technology married with liberal arts, married with the humanities, that yields the results that make our hearts sing."

Steve Jobs



ARTS IN POLITICS

How educated are our political leaders?

Enough to land a job in the highest office of all.

10 of Australia's former Prime Ministers hold a Bachelor of Arts.

Did you know 62 per cent of government senior executives and 66 per cent of federal parliamentarians have a degree in the humanities?



ARTS IN TECHNOLOGY

Who can report a net worth of US\$480 million and earn the title of the most powerful woman on the internet?

History and Literature graduate Susan Wojcicki
- CEO of YouTube

What did Larry Sanger do with his philosophy degree?

Co-founded Wikipedia – the biggest online encyclopedia in the world.



ARTS IN ENTERTAINMENT

- English food writer and television cook, **Nigella Lawson** (Medieval and Modern Languages)
- Cartoonist and creator of award-winning animated sitcom The Simpsons, **Matt Groening** (Philosophy)
- Media mogul **Oprah Winfrey** (Communications)
- British-American documentary filmmaker, journalist, broadcaster and author, **Louis Theroux** (History)
- Actor, director and wrestler **Dwayne Johnson**, aka 'The Rock' (Criminology)





The future of humanities at UQ is exciting!

More than 50,000 students have graduated from The University of Queensland with a Bachelor of Arts, and now work in a wide range of industries across the globe. According to LinkedIn, the top five sectors are:



HIGHER EDUCATION



GOVERNMENT



HEALTH CARE



EDUCATION



BUSINESS AND FINANCE



Sylvia Jeffreys

Co-host of Today Extra, Channel 9

**UQ Bachelor of Journalism/Bachelor of Arts
(Political Science, Spanish)**



Nick Hadnutt

Curator, Archaeology at Queensland Museum

UQ Bachelor of Arts (Archaeology)



Nick Smith

Director, N.Smith Gallery, Sydney NSW

UQ Bachelor of Arts (Art History) (Honours)



Julia Clyne

Head of Media Sales and The Trust,
Asia Pacific at Dow Jones

UQ Bachelor of Arts (French, Studies in Religion)



Lucas Costi

Technical Writer at GitHub, the largest and most
advanced development platform in the world.

**UQ Bachelor of Arts (History, Peace and Conflict
Studies)/Bachelor of Information Technology
(Information Systems)**



Justice Anthe Philippides

Former Queensland Court
of Appeal Judge

**UQ Bachelor of Arts/
Bachelor of Laws (Honours)**

“ *Arts are absolutely vital for
humanity – they bring us joy,
they make us think, and they
can help us understand the
views of others in ways we may
never otherwise consider.* ”

Arts graduates are essential for a sustainable, ethical and inclusive society

Did you know Arts graduates are more likely to get jobs than maths and science graduates?

83.4% of Australian Humanities, Cultures and Social Sciences graduates found employment in 2020.*



Curiosity is a powerful tool. If used in the right way it can drive incredible change.

Arts graduates embrace curiosity, daring to think bigger and broader to understand the world – then make it better.



With over 45 study areas to choose from across the humanities, social sciences and languages, a Bachelor of Arts degree is as unique as your future.



Build an education that not only nurtures your desire to be different, but transforms it into the ability to make a difference.



* Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching (QILT)

Double your opportunities

Combine your Arts degree with one of 15 others.

Access a range of enriching experiences

Develop your professional skills and build industry networks by incorporating internships, work experience, field work, study tours and more into your program.

Be prepared for not just one job, but many!

BA graduates are the graduates of the future – lifelong learners with a portfolio of skills and capabilities that can be transferred across numerous disciplines.

Graduate job-ready

UQ is ranked #1 in Queensland for graduate employability. Our top priority is to help prepare you for a wide range of jobs across many industry sectors.

The HASS Student Futures team will get you involved in career events, mentoring, leadership programs, and internships to ensure you leave us with a packed portfolio to show your future employer.

Scholarships up for grabs

With more than 200 scholarships available UQ wide, there are a number of generous schemes on offer for students passionate about the arts, humanities and social sciences.

Arts is...

As an Arts student you will develop your own innate sense of curiosity, resilience and entrepreneurial spirit, and graduate ready to tackle an uncertain future in an uncertain world.



“ *A humanities degree makes you more resilient. History gives you perspective. Philosophy allows you to think. The pleasures of literature, art and music makes life worth living.* ”

**Professor
Alastair Blanshard**

Paul Eliadis Chair of Classics
and Ancient History

Turn today's passion into tomorrow's profession.

One degree, endless opportunities.

Bachelor of Arts

AREAS OF STUDY

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies

Ancient Greek

Ancient History

Ancient History / History

Anthropology

Archaeology

Art History

Australian Studies

Chinese

Chinese Translation and Interpreting

Criminology

Drama

Economics

English

English as an International Language

English Literature

Film and Television Studies

French

French Advanced

Gender Studies

Geography

German

History

Indonesian

International Relations

Italian

Japanese

Japanese Advanced

Journalism and Mass Communication

Korean

Latin

Legal Education Studies

Linguistics

Mathematics

Media and Digital Cultures

Music

Music Psychology

Peace and Conflict Studies

Philosophy

Political Science

Popular Music and Technology

Professional Writing and Communication

Psychology

Russian

Sociology

Spanish

Sports Studies

Studies in Religion

Writing

Bachelor of Arts

DURATION

3 years full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS*

Queensland Year 12 or equivalent; General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C)

* For the complete list of entry requirements please refer to future-students.uq.edu.au

DUAL DEGREES AVAILABLE

Business Management
Commerce
Communication
Computer Science
Economics
Education (Secondary)

Engineering (Honours)
Information Technology
Journalism
Laws (Honours)
Mathematics
Music (Honours)

Science
Social Science
Tourism, Hospitality and
Event Management

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