

2023 Undergraduate Programs

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



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Why Humanities and Social Sciences?

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

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Capable of working across disciplines and adept at finding solutions to complex problems, HASS graduates thrive in the ever-changing world of work.



In-demand graduates

Essential for a sustainable, ethical and inclusive society, our students embrace curiosity, daring to think bigger and broader to understand the world – then make it better.

They recognise that in today's world a degree is the beginning, not the end of job readiness.



Endless choices

HASS graduates are lifelong learners with a portfolio of skills and capabilities that can be transferred across numerous disciplines, preparing them for not just one job, but many!

Through volunteering, internships and field trips you will connect with communities and explore how they can work together towards a vibrant future.



Be flexible and adaptable

Choose HASS and find fulfilment in a career that helps you shape the future you want for yourself and your world.

Turn today's passion into tomorrow's profession.



Make your mark



Connect with communities



Bachelor of Communication graduate Rico Chung.



“A good story, well told, connects with its audiences, generates empathy, and illuminates new perspectives. I want to take that a step further by combining great storytelling with novel strategy.”

Film is only one element, but it acts as a catalyst to enrich education, policy and behaviour change – all of which lead to important social change.”

Kirsten Slemint

Bachelor of Science/Bachelor of Journalism

Kirsten was accepted into the highly prestigious Master of Arts (Directing and Producing Science and Natural History) at the National Film and Television School (NFTS) in the United Kingdom – one of only 12 candidates worldwide and the first Australian ever.



Combine your interests: dual programs

Improve your employment prospects and broaden your skills and knowledge by studying two programs at the same 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. It gives you the flexibility to study two different disciplines in a much shorter time, by studying only the mandatory courses for each program with fewer or no electives.



Save time

Graduate with two bachelor's programs in as little as four years – a much shorter time than it would take to study both programs separately.

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Combinations

Arts, humanities, social sciences and education dual program combinations are available.



Strike a balance

Why compromise? Get study/life balance by combining programs that cover career aspirations and topics you're passionate about. Dual program students appreciate the diversity offered in their two different programs.

QTAC CODE	DURATION (YEARS)	MINIMUM SELECTION THRESHOLD 2022 ^c ATAR / IB	LOWEST ATAR TO RECEIVE AN OFFER 2022 ^c	
			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED
Arts / Education (Secondary)				
707202	4*	76.00 / 27	76.20	74.20
Arts / Laws (Honours)				
707401	5	98.00 / 41	98.00	93.00
Arts / Social Science				
707301	4	76.00 / 27	76.55	76.20
Arts / Tourism, Hospitality and Event Management				
707001	4	78.00 / 28	78.40	77.20
Business Management / Arts				
711501	4	78.00 / 28	79.65	79.65
Business Management / Communication				
711511	4	78.00 / 28	78.60	77.25
Business Management / Education (Secondary)				
710301	4*	78.00 / 28	81.30	80.35
Business Management / Journalism				
711101	4	80.00 / 29	87.30	87.30
Commerce / Arts				
711601	4	85.00 / 31	87.85	87.70
Communication / Arts				
741201	4	78.00 / 28	78.80	78.80
Communication / Journalism				
741301	4	80.00 / 29	80.70	80.70
Computer Science / Arts				
733501	4	86.00 / 32	86.50	86.50
Economics / Arts				
714101	4	85.00 / 31	85.60	83.90
Engineering (Honours) / Arts				
717401	5.5	86.00 / 32	87.70	83.05
Humanities / Laws (Honours)				
707402	5	98.50 / 41	98.90	95.10

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			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED
Information Technology / Arts				
733201	4	86.00 / 32	89.25	89.25
Journalism / Arts				
730101	4	80.00 / 29	80.15	80.15
Journalism / Laws (Honours)				
737102	5	98.00 / 41	98.75	95.75
Mathematics / Arts				
714501	4	93.00 / 36	93.45	91.45
Mathematics / Education (Secondary)				
714801	4*	93.00 / 36	93.30	91.30
Music (Honours) / Arts^m				
723302	5	70.00 / 24	85.05	83.05
Music (Honours) / Education (Secondary)^m				
723202	5	76.00 / 27	81.20	81.20
Music (Honours) / Science^m				
723402	5	80.00 / 29	83.15	83.15
Science / Arts				
731501	4	80.00 / 29	80.30	79.30
Science / Education (Secondary)				
731302	4*	80.00 / 29	80.85	80.85
Science / Journalism				
731602	4	80.00 / 29	96.35	94.75

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* Students may take the program on a part-time basis, but the final year must be commenced in Semester 1 and must be taken on a full-time basis.

^m Selection based on audition, interview and academic results.



Bachelor of

Advanced Humanities (Honours)

Develop high-level analytical skills and a depth of knowledge in human experience and intellectual traditions.

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			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED					
757101	2414	90.00 / 34	90.40	88.95	4 years full-time (or part-time equivalent)	1	St Lucia	Part of standard program, awarded based on grade point average of specific courses	Qld Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C)
757201 (Western Civilisation)	2414	95.85 / 38	95.85	93.80					

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"I decided on a Bachelor of Advanced Humanities when I realised that I could learn about the histories and cultures of different civilisations and peoples, go overseas in my second year, intern in my third year, and do Honours in my final year.

Collectively, all my extracurricular experiences have made me employable and taught me so many valuable skills for the workforce. But it was my curious and inquisitive mind and my openness to learning that I developed through the humanities that allowed me to do this all in the first place."

Jenny Nguyen

Bachelor of Advanced Humanities (History) (Honours)

What is Advanced Humanities?

The Bachelor of Advanced Humanities (Honours) is a stimulating and challenging program for high-achieving students with a keen interest in the humanities. As a student in the program you will engage with leading humanities researchers starting from your first year of study, and participate in the University's research culture, applying and developing your analytical skills through practice-led learning.

This program is not just about writing a good essay, it is about developing high-level analytical skills that can be applied across a range of areas and industries.

You will take part in interdisciplinary courses working with students from other areas to find solutions to world problems. You will organise and run a research symposium and apply your research skills to solving many real world problems. The honours year is your opportunity to develop research and writing techniques while focusing on a topic of interest to you.

As part of the Bachelor of Advanced Humanities (Honours) cohort, you will join a small group who will stay together throughout your four years of study. You will enjoy a number of extracurricular activities such as the orientation camp.



Bachelor of Advanced Humanities student Josie Carroll-Walden attended an immersive summer course at Accademia Vivarium Novum, Italy.

What will I study?

Humanities disciplines study society and culture in all its forms. They seek to provide answers to significant and urgent social problems.

As a student in the Bachelor of Advanced Humanities (Honours) program, you will study a core suite of interdisciplinary courses including:

- Humanities and the Big Questions
- Interdisciplinary Thinking
- Perspectives in Humanities.

These courses will expose you to contemporary thinking in the humanities, provide a forum for interdisciplinary discussion and emphasise connections across humanities disciplines.

You will also choose an area of study from:

- Ancient History
- Art History
- Drama
- English Literature
- History
- Music
- Philosophy
- Studies in Religion
- Western Civilisation.

Career opportunities

Graduating with a Bachelor of Advanced Humanities (Honours) equips you with professional research and critical thinking skills, which you can apply across a range of areas from analysing the ethics of biotechnology to policy development. Research shows that graduates today will change career at least five times during their working life, and a humanities degree gives you the transferable skills to adapt to this changing workforce. You will graduate with honours-level disciplinary qualifications in your chosen field together with the Advanced Humanities skillset of interdisciplinary, industry-based research methods.

Key features of the degree:

- Embedded honours
- Unique interdisciplinary courses
- Orientation camp
- Study Abroad options
- Small group teaching
- Student conference
- Working with international researchers
- Research collaborations
- Research management



Scholarships available – Western Civilisation

One of Australia's most generous scholarship schemes is available for high-achieving students who study Western Civilisation at UQ.

Thirty scholarships of \$30,000 per year for up to 5.5 years are on offer to eligible students with a desire to make a difference in the world.

To be eligible for a scholarship you should intend to enrol in:

- Bachelor of Advanced Humanities (Western Civilisation) (Honours) – QTAC code 757201; or
- Bachelor of Humanities/ Bachelor of Laws (Honours) – QTAC code 707402.

Both programs will equip you with the knowledge and insight applicable to many of the big problems that societies face today, and the collaborative and persuasive skills to bring about meaningful change.

More information:

scholarships.uq.edu.au/scholarship/uq-ramsay-undergraduate-scholarship

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Bachelor of Arts

Understand the world. Then make it better.

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			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED						
707001	2000	70.00 / 24	70.10	65.40	3 years full-time (or part-time equivalent)	1, 2	St Lucia	Additional year of study	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	Qld Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C)

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Embrace your curiosity

Curiosity is a powerful tool. If used in the right way, we believe it can drive incredible change – not just in your personal life, but also in your career, the lives of others and the communities you impact.

UQ's Bachelor of Arts program embraces curiosity, diving deep into the contours of human cultures and societies. And it dares you to think bigger and broader through historical inquiry, political discourse, philosophical reflection, artistic practice, literary theory, languages and other areas.

A degree as unique as your future

Our program is remarkably comprehensive, with over 45 study areas to choose from across the humanities, social sciences and languages.

Our Bachelor of Arts gives you the ability to adapt and thrive in a world that demands versatility, interdisciplinary knowledge and creative solutions to critical problems. That demands you know the value of another's perspective and embrace ambiguity with the willingness to innovate.

There's a reason BA graduates have a high level of job satisfaction. Because there's real power in learning how to think and analyse. To understand the human consequences of living in an increasingly digital age – and be valued for this by industry leaders across the world.

Here's some other great reasons to study Arts at UQ:

- **Double your opportunities** by combining your Arts degree with one of 15 other undergraduate degrees, including Education, Science, Engineering, Law and Business.
- Access a range of **enriching experiences**, including internships, work integrated learning opportunities and professional placements tailored to your career aspirations. These will allow you to hone your professional skills and build powerful industry networks to see you job ready.
- Take advantage of our **extensive global network** by spending time overseas through short-term mobility and exchange programs. You will get the chance to study overseas at one of our international partner universities and gain credit towards your degree.
- **Continue your learning** journey and complete honours or postgraduate study.

Choose UQ's Bachelor of Arts so you can build an education that helps you charge ahead, not fall behind. That not only nurtures your desire to be different – but transforms it into the ability to make a difference.

Will I get a job?

There's no one job that our Bachelor of Arts will prepare you for. There are many.

In 2020, 84 per cent of Australian Humanities, Cultures and Social Sciences graduates found employment*. The skills and capabilities you will gain in leadership, creativity, problem-solving, empathy, and communication are increasingly relevant to Australia's current and future workforce. Your ability to see the world differently through the lens of humanity means your skills will be prized by all industry sectors and make you highly employable.

We are here to support your journey towards diverse career pathways. You won't simply pursue one job in your lifetime, so we aim to set you up with a range of experiences to hone your ability to adapt to many contexts. Become part of a vibrant community of students, staff and alumni dedicated to connecting you with practical opportunities, including mentoring, internships, volunteering, career workshops and leadership programs.

*Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching (QILT)

For more information

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Bachelor of Arts

MAJORS AND MINORS *(see pages 30–52 for full descriptions)*

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Ancient Greek	31	Japanese Advanced	42
Ancient History	32	Journalism and Mass Communication	43
Ancient History / History	32	Korean	43
Anthropology	32	Latin	43
Archaeology	33	Legal Education Studies	45
Art History	34	Linguistics	45
Australian Studies	34	Mathematics	46
Chinese	34	Media and Digital Cultures	46
Chinese Translation and Interpreting	35	Music	46
Criminology	35	Music Psychology	47
Drama	36	Peace and Conflict Studies	47
Economics	37	Philosophy	48
English	37	Political Science	48
English as an International Language	37	Popular Music and Technology	48
English Literature	38	Professional Writing and Communication	49
Film and Television Studies	38	Psychology	49
French	38	Russian	50
French Advanced	39	Sociology	50
Gender Studies	39	Spanish	50
Geography	39	Sports Studies	52
German	40	Studies in Religion	52
History	40	Writing	52
Indonesian	40		
International Relations	41		
Italian	42		

Explore our Bachelor of Arts and find out how you can turn your curiosity into countless career opportunities.





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.

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			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED						
741001	2507	78.00 / 28	80.00	80.00	3 years full-time (or part-time equivalent)	1, 2	St Lucia	Additional year of study	Arts, Business Management, Journalism	Qld Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C)

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What is Communication?

In response to the dramatic changes taking place in media industries, technologies and cultures, our 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 data 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 firsthand 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 compulsory courses introduce you to the central features of contemporary communication processes, and you then specialise in either:

- Public Relations
- Digital Media.

To complement these choices, you can also choose to minor in:

- Digital Media
- Film and Television
- Interaction Design
- Journalism
- Public Relations
- Writing

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

Public Relations

Studying public relations will see you graduate well prepared for a rewarding and successful career that can take you just about anywhere in the world.

Public Relations 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.

Designed to build and develop key skill sets and knowledge bases, this area of study ensures 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.

Seize the opportunity to apply these skills to real clients, developing materials and strategic campaigns in a professional setting, giving you the practical experience employers are looking for.

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



“My degree proves to be valuable in my career in many areas – writing creatively, content research and strategy, understanding the media’s role and its impact on society, etc.

Theoretically or practically, the knowledge I’ve acquired is very much industry relevant and continues to be useful beyond my degree.”

Henry Law

Bachelor of Communication
(Public Relations)

Henry’s career has seen him work as a radio producer/presenter for Singapore’s largest content creator and national media network, Mediacorp.



Digital Media

The Digital Media area of study offers a sequence of media courses dealing with contemporary media practices and the politics of power across institutions, users and technologies. You will learn a combination of critical analytic, research, production, management and planning skills related to contemporary media industries.

Digital media 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.

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 across many levels including race, gender and class.

Engage in different workshops that refine your skills in camera use, graphic design and video editing.

You will have the opportunity to apply these skills professionally; working with industry clients, as well as take part in an internship program, guaranteeing you graduate with a packed portfolio.

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, as well as pursuing future study at the graduate level.

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Bachelor of

Criminology and Criminal Justice (Honours)

Prevent crime. Promote justice.

With a focus on professional practice and criminal law, you will graduate with industry-relevant skills ready to contribute towards reducing and controlling crime problems that face contemporary society.

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718101	2408	80.00 / 29	80.05	75.50	4 years full-time (or part-time equivalent)	1	St Lucia	Part of standard program, awarded based on GPA of specific courses	Qld Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C)

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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 areas such as corrections, policing, the court systems, corporate crime, global and transnational crime, and cyber 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, including cyber crime.

“Criminals shift and adapt depending on what technology is available to them. So how are criminologists adapting to the changing nature of crime?”

Interest in ‘true crime’ is at an all-time high. Just look at the popularity of documentaries covering all types of crime – both offline, and online.

But the problem with crime is that it changes with time. New technology is allowing criminals to commit crime in ways we haven’t seen before.”

Criminologist

Professor Lorraine Mazerolle

explains how online crime is one of the biggest problems facing society in the digital age.





“The BCCJ program has a number of courses dedicated to professional practice. In these courses we learnt a range of practical skills, including how to detect and investigate financial and cyber crime.

The program also includes interesting field-trips such as a high-security prison.”

Bronte Dargusch

Bachelor of Criminology and Criminal Justice (Honours)

Bronte currently works at the Department of Children, Youth Justice and Multicultural Affairs.

What will I study?

The Bachelor of Criminology and Criminal Justice (Honours) is the only four-year criminology program (with built-in honours) in Australia. You will be prepared for a career as a criminologist by studying criminological theory, criminal justice, criminological research methods, global 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, legal analysis, evidence-based policy development and implementation, crime analysis, benefit-cost analysis, forensic auditing, cyber security, corporate security, compliance and regulation, and risk management.

Our professional practice courses run in all four years of the degree and are taught by top-level academics and industry professionals.

Your program of study culminates in a fourth year of study that involves an industry relevant project 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:

- Criminal Law in Context
- Introduction to Criminology
- Introduction to Professional Practice in Criminology

Electives include:

- Criminal Minds
- Correctional Practice
- Global Security
- Youth and Deviance.

Career opportunities

This program 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.

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.

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This program is currently under review. Please visit future-students.uq.edu.au for up-to-date information but note, changes may not be reflected there until late 2022.



Bachelor of

Education (Primary)

Teaching is a challenging but incredibly rewarding career. The impact you can have on our future generation is second to none.

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			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED					
742401	2306	76.00 / 27	77.10	77.10	4 years full-time	1	St Lucia	Additional year of study	Qld Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C); General Mathematics, Mathematical Methods or Specialist Mathematics (Units 3 & 4, C); and one of Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Agricultural Science, Marine Science, Earth and Environmental Science, or Psychology (Units 3 & 4,C)

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What is Primary Education?

A great teacher's impact can last a lifetime.

As a primary school teacher you will encourage curiosity and inspire 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 will cover all aspects of the Australian Curriculum, while developing vital knowledge about teaching and learning, child development, diversity and inclusion, and Indigenous education. You will be confident and job-ready after completing 80 days of supervised and assessed professional experience.

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.

You will learn about ways to use student data to support each individual student's needs.

In addition, you will have the flexibility to choose an area of study from across the University to further develop your content knowledge.

You will choose from one of four options: English and Literacy, Humanities and Social Sciences, Mathematics and Numeracy, and Science.

You can use your electives to continue studying a language taught in Australian primary schools.

Supervised professional experience placement commences in the first year of the program so that you can gain early experience in classrooms. These placements 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 a professional experience placement where you will take full responsibility for teaching a class with minimal input from your teacher or mentor. 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:

- The 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).

Before graduating, students are required to successfully meet the Literacy and Numeracy Test for Initial Teacher Education (LANTITE) standards.



Career opportunities

Graduates are eligible to apply for registration 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, curriculum adviser, guidance or career officer, or head of department.

Students who already have an approved undergraduate degree and want to become a teacher can apply for the Master of Teaching (Primary) (see page 18) and qualify as a teacher after two years of full-time study.

For more information

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“For me, having the opportunity to support children to achieve their personal best and inspire their love for learning is what drives me towards being my best every day.

UQ stood out for me because of the placement opportunities that were offered throughout the degree. That was such an advantageous part of the program and really assisted me when entering the workforce. Having the ability to learn in theory and transfer that into practice was so beneficial.

There is something very special about fostering lifelong learning in our young people of today, and to be part of that is such an exciting experience.”

Kara Ilich

Bachelor of Education (Primary)
Dean of Pedagogy (Primary),
John Paul College



Why become a teacher?

Hear what our Education graduates, students and academics had to say.



Bachelor of

Education (Secondary)

Combine university study with practical school-based learning to ensure you graduate well equipped to meet the challenges of a teaching career.

At UQ this program is taken alongside a second program in your specialised teaching area.

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			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED					
Not applicable	2312	See rankings for non-education degree (check Admission requirements)	Not applicable	Not applicable	Minimum 4 years, depending on your second program	1	St Lucia	Arts, Business Management, Mathematics, Music (Honours), Science	This program is only offered as a dual program. Students must meet the entry requirements for the non-Education degree, plus Qld Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C); General Mathematics, Mathematical Methods or Specialist Mathematics (Units 3 & 4, C).

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What is Secondary Education?

Secondary 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 develop disciplinary knowledge for your two teaching areas. 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 key areas of interest in your second program. Immersive, hands-on workshops, school visits and supervised professional experience placements throughout your program will give you a strong understanding of day-to-day life in a school. Students completing a dual degree with Education are qualified to teach in 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 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 experiences required for application for teacher registration and employment. Supervised professional experience placement commences in the first year of the program so that you can gain early experience in the classroom.

The final Professional Year concentrates on teaching practice and extended professional experience placements with support from experienced practicum facilitators.

You will be confident and job-ready after completing 80 days of supervised and assessed professional experience.

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

- A sociological orientation to education
- Building inclusive secondary classrooms
- Indigenous knowledge and education
- Learning and development for educators
- Literacies within and across the curriculum
- Numeracy across the curriculum
- Teachers as educational innovators and agents of change
- Teachers as researchers.

Highlights 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
- a final Professional Year, concentrating on teaching practice and extended professional experience placements, supported by experienced practicum facilitators who visit students in schools, observe lessons and can assist students for the duration of their professional experience placement
- experiences that enhance your ability to theorise and justify your professional practice



- 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.

Before graduating, students are required to successfully meet the Literacy and Numeracy Test for Initial Teacher Education (LANTITE) standards.

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. Further study and experience can lead to roles as a head of department, principal, guidance officer, learning support teacher, or student adviser. Students interested in becoming a health and physical education teacher can enrol in UQ's Bachelor of Health, Sport and Physical Education (Honours).

Students who already have an approved undergraduate degree and want to become a teacher can apply for the Master of Teaching (Secondary) (see page 19) and qualify as a teacher after two years of full-time study.



Bachelor of Education (Secondary)



Bachelor of Arts, Business Management, Mathematics, Music (Honours) or Science

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“I think teaching is the most influential job in the world – because the children we teach today will be the leaders of communities, businesses and even countries tomorrow.

At UQ, I am learning from the best – dynamic educators who share their knowledge among small classes, where I can coordinate tomorrow’s technology into today’s lesson plans.

I also get extensive classroom experience in some of the best schools in Queensland.”

William Webster

Bachelor of Education (Secondary)



Already have a degree and want to become a teacher?

Master of

Teaching (Primary)

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			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED				
742802	5556	N/A	N/A	N/A	2 years full-time (or part-time equivalent)	1	St Lucia	An approved bachelor's degree in a different discipline, with a minimum GPA of 4.5 from an approved tertiary institution which includes the equivalent of at least one full year of study in areas relevant to one or more learning areas of the primary school curriculum in Australian schools. Students will be required to submit a statement addressing non-academic criteria including their motivation and suitability for teaching.

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Master of Teaching (Primary)

UQ's Master of Teaching (Primary) is a teacher preparation program for people who already have an undergraduate degree. It allows students to qualify as a primary school teacher after two years of full-time study. 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 supervised professional experience placements (a total of 70 days).

Before graduating, students are required to successfully meet the Literacy and Numeracy Test for Initial Teacher Education (LANTITE) standards.

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"Since becoming a teacher I have experienced enjoyment and a sense of purpose being a positive role model for children.

I always wanted to be in a profession where I am constantly learning and being challenged, and having taught now for 1.5 years, I feel like I am making a real difference in my students' lives by showing them different ways to learn and how to be kind to each other.

If you are passionate about children and enjoy learning, then I highly recommend becoming a teacher and helping to shape our next generation of students."

Simone Hubbucks

Master of Teaching (Primary)

Simone is currently a Year 6 teacher at Corinda State School.

Master of

Teaching (Secondary)

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			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED				
742902	5685	N/A	N/A	N/A	2 years full-time (or part-time equivalent)	1	St Lucia	An approved bachelor's degree in a field other than education with a minimum GPA of 4.5 from an approved tertiary institution that meets the requirements for two teaching areas of the secondary curriculum in Australian schools. Students will be required to submit a statement addressing non-academic criteria including their motivation and suitability for teaching. Refer to the School of Education Website education.uq.edu.au for further information on entry requirements.

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Master of Teaching (Secondary)

UQ's Master of Teaching (Secondary) is a teacher preparation program 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.

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

What is secondary education?

Secondary school teachers are instrumental in shaping young adults into who they will become. In the Master of Teaching (Secondary) program 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.

Immersive, hands-on workshops, school visits and a total of 75 days of supervised professional experience placements throughout your program will give you a strong understanding of day-to-day life in a school.

Students completing this program are qualified to teach in two teaching areas.

Before graduating, students are required to successfully meet the Literacy and Numeracy Test for Initial Teacher Education (LANTITE) standards.

Sample courses

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

- Assessment for learning and teaching
- Building inclusive secondary classrooms
- Contemporary theories of development and learning
- Global issues and social justice
- Indigenous knowledge and education
- Literacy within and across the curriculum
- Numeracy across the curriculum
- Teachers as educational innovators and agents of change
- Teachers as researchers.

Professional experience

- The Professional Experience Program is designed to facilitate the transition from pre-service teacher to beginning teacher.
- Orientation to school culture and insight into the functioning of schools.
- Awareness of students' interests, their expectations and aspirations, their patterns of thinking, their ways of learning and their language use.
- Learning in the workplace with skilled practitioners.
- Experiences which enhance your ability to theorise and justify your professional practice.

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Bachelor of

International Studies

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

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			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED					
707111	2316	84.00 / 30	84.00	82.10	3 years full-time (or part-time equivalent)	1	St Lucia	Additional year of study	Qld Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C)

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What is International Studies?

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

You will partake in two areas of study – 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 specialisation within the social sciences, including international history, international relations, peace and conflict studies, international inequality and development, and economics.

In addition, you will choose a language from one of 11 options.

Program structure

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

The core includes three compulsory courses and three elective courses that should be taken during the exchange.

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



UQ offers Queensland's most comprehensive selection of languages

LANGUAGES		
Chinese	French	Japanese
Chinese Translation and Interpreting	Advanced German	Advanced Japanese
French	Indonesian	Korean
	Italian	Spanish

Why study International Studies?

- A truly international experience, with an overseas exchange semester at one of UQ's many international partner institutions.
- Queensland's largest selection of languages to choose from.
- 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 UQ Mates to help you sustain and develop your second language.

#1 in Queensland for politics and international studies (QS World University Rankings 2021)

INTERNATIONAL STUDIES SPECIALISATIONS
Economics
International History
International Inequality and Development
International Relations
Peace and Conflict Studies



Career opportunities

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 alumni.

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

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, translation and interpreting 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.

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“As a public servant during the global pandemic, I understand the critical importance of effective public policy and strong international collaboration during times of uncertainty.

I aim to address complex public policy challenges in Australia, particularly those caused by the global health crisis and regional political tensions.”

Tahlia Smith

Bachelor of International Studies and Diploma in Languages.

Tahlia was named Queensland’s 2022 Rhodes Scholar and currently works as a global engagement adviser to the Australian Trade and Investment Commission.



Journalists of the future need to be multi-skilled, adaptable, resourceful and creative



Bachelor of Journalism

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

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			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED						
737001	2040	80.00 / 29	80.00	80.00	3 years full-time (or part-time equivalent)	1, 2	St Lucia	Additional year of study	Arts, Business Management, Communication, Laws (Honours), Science	Qld Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C)

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Passionate about changing the way people with disabilities are written about in the media, Sarah Richards took out a Queensland Clarion award for 'Most Outstanding Final Year Journalism Student'.

"If I can pursue journalism, I can change it and actually write stories that have a bit more depth to them, rather than those 'inspirational' stories."

Sarah Richards

Bachelor of Journalism /
Bachelor of Communication

While studying for her degree, Ms Richards has also been working for the Australian Broadcasting Corporation.



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 use a diverse skill set 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 neighbourhood. Journalists understand their audiences and produce content that is relevant to them.

What will I study?

Using industry-standard software and equipment, you will extend your theoretical knowledge by gaining much-needed practical skills in field recording and camera work; editing of sound, vision and pictures; data analysis; publishing and entrepreneurship; and multi-platform distribution.

You will also gain valuable insights into current production values and practices through the onsite Media and Production Support team, and industry professionals drawn from leading media outlets.

The Journalism program provides you with the opportunity to pursue studies in a range of supplementary areas such as economics, film and television, digital media, political science, popular music and technology, public relations, sports studies, and writing.



UQ graduate Dave Donaghy took over the reins as CEO of the Brisbane Broncos this year.

Despite his success in professional sports, it wasn't the path he intended to take when he began an Arts/Journalism degree.

"I had a wonderful experience at The University of Queensland. It laid such a terrific foundation in terms of my career, which springboarded me all the way through."

Dave Donaghy

Bachelor of Arts (Political Science) / Bachelor of Journalism



Our journalism program is housed in state-of-the-art premises at UQ's St Lucia campus. So if you want to be a journalist, UQ is your university.

Career opportunities

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 industry. 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 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.

As a journalism student, you will have the opportunity to enhance your formal studies in a number of ways. These may include

participating in the school's extensive service and work-integrated learning activities that include internships (local, national and international) and intensive field reporting courses in regional Queensland; 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.

First year students are also invited to attend Boot Camp – an orientation program in which they get to use technology, and meet with industry experts, staff, and other students currently in their second and third years of the program.

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"The journalism program prepared me for my first job out of uni by giving me an extra frame of reference for what good reporting should look like. I'm not just thinking about how a story reads, but about how it's assembled – and why it's being written in the first place. I can still hear my tutors' advice when I'm on the job, and following it seems to be working so far!"

Sami Barnes

Bachelor of Arts (International Relations, Political Science) / Bachelor of Journalism





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.

QTAC CODE	UQ CODE	MINIMUM SELECTION THRESHOLD 2022 ATAR / IB	DURATION	START SEMESTER	CAMPUS	HONOURS	DUAL PROGRAM AVAILABLE (See page 5)	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
723002	2355	Selection is based on an audition, interview and academic results, so cut-offs do not apply	4 years full-time	1	St Lucia	Part of standard program, awarded based on grade point average of specific courses	Arts, Education (Secondary), Science	Qld Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C); and audition/interview; a pass in a test of practical ability and musicianship skills. For an audition to be at a competitive standard, the repertoire performed should be comparable to Australian Music Examinations Board (AMEB) Grade 7

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Ella enjoys learning how studying music goes beyond the performance, providing lessons in abstract and critical thinking, understanding the dynamics of human behaviour, and fostering human connection.

For her, studying music has been a lesson in breaking creative barriers.

“Sometimes, you have to create opportunities, and think critically and creatively to find solutions in an abstract, undefined space.”

Ella Kay-Butterworth

Bachelor of Music (Honours)

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 with theoretical and historical music knowledge, and culminates in advanced research training in your chosen music honours field.

Employability pathways and work integrated learning experiences are central to the ethos of the School of Music.

Learn alongside and perform with our industry networks, through internship and mentoring partnerships with major Queensland performing arts organisations.

Program structure

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

In the first three years of the degree, you complete compulsory courses in performance studies, musicianship, musicology, and music research methods, alongside your choice of a range of elective music courses in ensemble performance, music education, popular music, music technology, and the psychology of music.



“The tight-knit community at The University of Queensland provided me with the opportunity to make connections with fellow students and faculty who have now become mentors and colleagues and are forging the next generation of musicians in Australia.”

The focus on research through the Honours program at UQ opened my eyes to a rich understanding of music performance through research.”

Cassie Slater

Bachelor of Music (Honours)
(Music Performance)

Cassie is a flautist currently studying a Master of Music at the Hochschule für Musik Franz Liszt Weimar in Germany.

Your studies begin with the instrument you used in your audition (for singers, your voice). You receive weekly lessons with your teacher, many of whom are international performers. After three semesters of performance studies, composition becomes an option for those of you who are interested in honing your craft in creating original works.

The focus of the final year of the degree is the design and completion of your music research project. You can choose from a wide range of thesis formats to select the one most appropriate for your research project, including a live or recorded research performance, a folio of original compositions, or a sound installation.

Why study with us?

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

- dual degrees with Arts, Science or Education
- 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, popular music and technology, and music health and wellbeing.

Practical experience

The program 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

You will graduate well equipped to pursue a range of careers depending on your studies:

- 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.

For more information

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Enrich your music learning experience with first-class services and facilities, exciting research and international study opportunities.

Applicants must arrange an audition with the School of Music.

For more information go to music.uq.edu.au/study/bachelor-music-honours-auditions



Queensland's
only BPPE(Hons)
program

Bachelor of

Politics, Philosophy and Economics (Honours)

The 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 not-for-profit sector or academia.

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			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED					
714112	2412	94.00 / 37	94.50	92.50	4 years full-time (or part-time equivalent)	1	St Lucia	Part of standard program, awarded based on grade point average of specific courses	Qld Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C); and Mathematical Methods or Specialist Mathematics (Units 3 & 4, C)

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Why Politics, Philosophy and Economics at UQ?

UQ is part of a distinguished group of world-leading universities offering 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 broad and rigorous training in the foundations of politics, philosophy and economics.

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 is ranked second in Australia for sociology and political sciences (ShanghaiRanking Global Ranking of Academic Subjects 2021).

What you will study

You will study together as a 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.

Career opportunities

You will be sought after by employers for analytical and decision-making positions in the public, private and not-for-profit sectors, as an economic or social analyst, policymaker, public commentator, political adviser, or as a leader in international affairs or 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

From your second year, you may choose to specialise in one particular discipline, earning a major in Politics, Philosophy or Economics.

Politics

You will explore theories of governance and politics to gain a good overarching understanding of governance and politics, and use case studies of particular policies and institutions to study, in greater detail, the interactions of state and market.

Careers: Graduates enjoy careers in policy-making areas such as government, the public and not-for-profit sectors, and business.

Philosophy

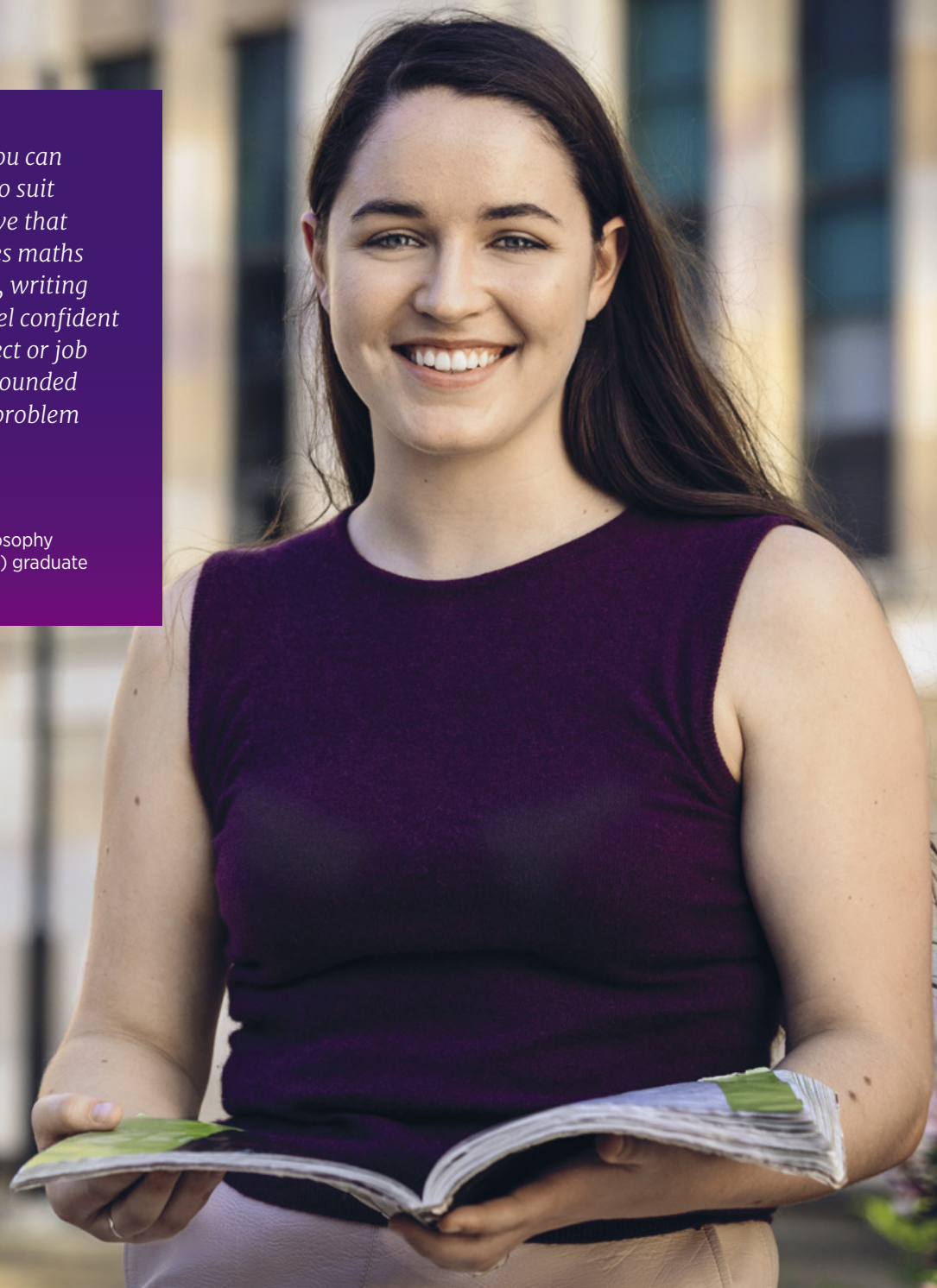
The study of philosophy will introduce you to key ideas in a range of areas of inquiry including epistemology, ethics, logic, metaphysics, the history of philosophy, and the philosophy of disciplines such as art, science, education and politics. You will receive intellectual training in the critical 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.

“As a PPE student, you can shape your studies to suit your ambitions. I love that this degree combines maths analysis, economics, writing and philosophy. I feel confident going into any project or job knowing I’m well-rounded and can tackle any problem thrown at me.”

Greer Clarke

Bachelor of Politics, Philosophy and Economics (Honours) graduate



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 coursework in microeconomics and macroeconomics, including relevant study of econometrics.

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

Professional memberships

As a graduate, you may be eligible for memberships with a diverse range of professional bodies:



For more information

Visit future-students.uq.edu.au or scan the QR code



This program is currently under review. Please visit future-students.uq.edu.au for up-to-date information but note, changes may not be reflected there until late 2022.



Bachelor of

Social Science

Join an internationally competitive program training future social change makers and leaders to address major global and local social challenges with multidisciplinary social science skills and a strong ethical compass.

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* Minimum (adjusted) selection threshold 2022 is the minimum score that was considered for an offer of a place to all applicants.

> Lowest ATAR to receive an offer refers to all recent secondary students who were offered a place for Semester 1, 2022. The lowest ATAR (Adjusted) refers to the ATAR plus any adjustment factors. The Lowest ATAR (Unadjusted) refers to the lowest ATAR excluding any adjustment factors.

Why study Social Science?

Social science is the scientific study of society. It's about studying those patterns, relations and cultures between people that shape communities.

Learn to address pressing social issues like poverty and inequality, Indigenous peoples and injustice, health and illness, and the social impacts of climate change.

If you are interested in how the social world works and want to make it a better place, then this program will see you develop a strong grounding in social justice, policy research and links to industry.

What will I study?

A number of different disciplines make up the social sciences – from sociology

and policy studies, through to geography, political science, international relations and anthropology.

Engage in courses that propel you to address the major social challenges of our time with a strong ethical compass, and develop transferable analytic skills that will continue to be in high demand with employers around the globe.



“What I think Social Science set me up for was a really sound foundation in understanding the policy system and the frameworks we operate through.

Another really strong thing about this degree is that it can open so many different pathways and so many different sectors that can really speak to how you view yourself contributing for your own sake, for your own self-actualisation, but also to support the community.”

Scott Roetman

Bachelor of Arts (Honours) (Public Policy) / Bachelor of Social Science

After being accepted in Queensland Government's Policy Futures Graduate Program, Scott now works as a senior project officer for Queensland Health.



“The Bachelor of Social Science gave me exciting opportunities to put learning into practice, with internships with Queensland Ambulance Service and Friends of the Earth, which helped me build invaluable skills for further study, work and research.”

Amy MacMahon

Bachelor of Arts / Bachelor of Social Science (Honours) (Development)

Amy was elected as the Member for South Brisbane in the 2020 State Election. She is the Queensland Greens' spokesperson for treasury, essential services, housing, health and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander partnerships.

Watch a video about the Bachelor of Social Science at UQ.



Practical workforce skills include public policy design and evaluation, social impact assessment, public advocacy and social research.

Third-year students gain experience in the real world of social research by undertaking a supervised, year-long research project linked with a community or industry partner. You will specialise in a particular area of interest:

Development emphasises understanding international, community and sustainable development issues from a social science perspective. This major focuses on strategies to alleviate poverty, racial and gendered inequality and to develop just societies, communities and environments. Students learn to problematize the notion of development, who benefits and the consequences – for peoples and the planet.

Graduate career destinations in government, private consultancy and non-government organisations (NGOs) are common. Roles typically analyse the social impacts of development, evaluate international aid and community development projects, contribute to the rebuilding of communities in post-conflict or crisis situations, as well as involving refugee support.

Environment and Society focuses on how environmental crises such as climate change, waste and biodiversity loss are tied to social, political, economic and cultural processes. In this major, you will learn to connect your advanced understanding of environmental issues with social science skills to co-design socially and environmentally just and sustainable futures.

Graduate career destinations range from working with environmental community organisations, to government, consultancy and the private sector. Example opportunities include climate smart design within local government, environmental impact assessment with multinational corporations, local through to international environmental policymaking, and ensuring national and international climate and human rights responsibilities are upheld.

Health and Social Policy focuses on policy and social factors shaping health outcomes. Combining a strong foundation in policy with social justice principles, students learn to analyse local and global health systems, the layered social, cultural and environmental determinants of health, and craft policies to achieve socially just health outcomes.

Graduate career destinations in government and non-government organisations (NGOs) are common. Roles include policy and research officers in international health organisations, Indigenous community health organisations, local area health networks as well as state and federal government.

Career opportunities

With UQ ranked number 1 in Queensland for social sciences and management, and number 1 in Australia for social sciences and humanities, you can be confident that you will be learning from the very best. Indeed, our world-class social scientists will equip you with the analytical and research skills needed to have an impact in the world.

In order to increase your employability UQ also offers internships for third year students.

For more information

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Bachelor of Arts

Majors and minors

Discover how you could turn your curiosity into countless career opportunities with a Bachelor of Arts.

With over 45 study areas to choose from, you're sure to find your path and shape the future you want for yourself and your world.





ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER STUDIES

Are you curious about the oldest continuous culture on the planet? This area of study introduces you to the societies of Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples from an interdisciplinary perspective.

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

Our dynamic courses and interdisciplinary team offer a unique learning experience that ranges from the practical aspects of working with Indigenous peoples to the contemporary debates in Indigenous perspectives and knowledges.

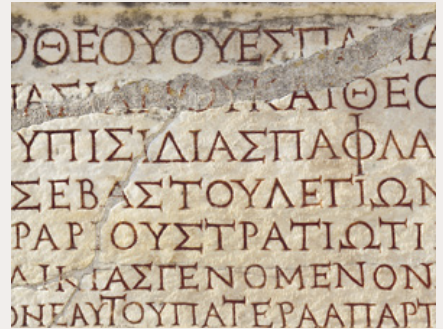
For an even richer experience, combine courses in fields as diverse as anthropology, archaeology, gender studies, comparative languages and cultures, sociology, criminology, music, law, architecture, development studies, environmental management, health, planning or resource management.

“The understanding I’ve gained about storying and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander knowledge will empower me throughout my career.

I am excited about the prospects of what graduates with this knowledge can bring to the world and the future.”

Sylvia Stuen-Parker

Bachelor of Arts /
Bachelor of Laws (Honours)



ANCIENT GREEK

One fascinating way to explore the depths of another culture is to familiarise yourself with the languages in which those ideas were originally presented.

By studying Ancient Greek you will develop your reading and writing skills in one of the oldest languages in the world.

The language and literature of Greece continue to have a profound impact on western culture.

The study of ancient language is immensely valuable for appreciating the culture and sophistication of Graeco-Roman antiquity and its lasting influence on the modern world.

This major is ideal for students studying a dual program, as it will enhance studies in law, science or languages.





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 methods to a range of significant questions in Greek and Roman history, and to analyse in critical fashion 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 Ancient History, students can take courses that make extensive use of the University's antiquities collection.

- *Also available in the Bachelor of Advanced Humanities (Honours)*

ANCIENT HISTORY/ HISTORY

This offers a 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, early modern and modern Europe, USA, Asia, the Middle East and Australia.

You will analyse evidence in critical fashion and develop a well-founded knowledge of selected historical periods, topics, research methods and forms of historical communication.

Given the lasting influence of ancient ideas and institutions, studying ancient history provides 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.

ANTHROPOLOGY

Anthropology, simply put, is the study of humankind, from its beginnings millions of years ago to the present day.

It is the study of what makes us human and how we interact with others in groups, communities, and with the environment.

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

You will research the diversity of cultures in all their complexity and richness, and get hands-on experience to discover how and why human diversity matters.

Using case studies from around the world you'll investigate cultural continuity and change – understanding peoples' history, customs, how they adapt to different environments and the way they communicate and socialise with one another.

Enrich your experience with practical fieldwork opportunities and access to world-class facilities, including UQ's Anthropology Museum, which is home to the largest university collection of ethnographic material culture in Australia.



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 Sri Lanka.

“Archaeology work gives opportunities to discover artefacts left by past people, and that moment of uncovering a long-lost artefact is incomparable to other jobs I have experienced.”

Nick Hadnutt

Bachelor of Arts (Archaeology)

Curator, Archaeology, at
Queensland Museum



Chloe joined the UQ Art Museum as an intern while completing her degree. This experience allowed her to work on a variety of projects ranging from exhibition installation, handling artworks, archival work, registrations and agreements.

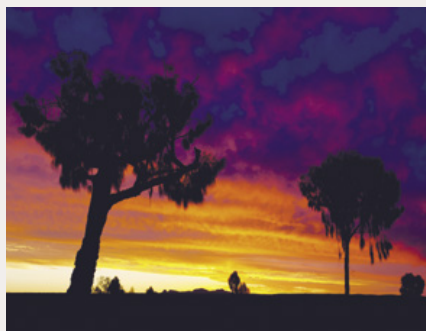
“Every day I am exposed to something new, whether it is an artwork arriving or leaving, discussing international shipping, or working in the storerooms.

“As well as being surrounded by art, I love the hands-on aspects of the role that I know I will apply well into the future.”

Chloe Marston

Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
(Art History, Ancient History/History)





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 Art History at UQ will enrich your understanding of the changing values of visual cultures across a range 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.

- Also available in the Bachelor of Advanced Humanities (Honours)

AUSTRALIAN STUDIES

Discover more about the influences that have shaped Australia from the past to present day.

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

You'll learn about the iconic images and identities, the major challenges and issues that make Australian culture and society unique – the visual arts, including Australian Indigenous art, literature, history, drama, cinema, television and other forms of popular culture.

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

When you graduate, you will be able to apply your knowledge in areas including tourism and hospitality, business and enterprise, politics, diplomacy, culture and the arts.

CHINESE

Our Chinese program is one of the largest Chinese programs in Australia. We offer courses from beginner to advanced levels. Our language courses are designed to help develop your communication skills in various contexts.

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.

At UQ, you will not only study the four language skills of Chinese (listening, speaking, reading and writing), but also cross-cultural communication, history, translation and interpreting.

A Chinese major at UQ consists of 8 courses, which equates to 16 credit units. A Chinese minor consists of 4 courses, which equates to 8 credit units.

- Also available in the Bachelor of International Studies



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 and people with Chinese/English translation skills are in demand.

Designed for students who are native-level Chinese speakers, this area of study provides you with knowledge of the key issues in Chinese/English translation and Mandarin/English interpreting, in line with the Australian National Accreditation Authority's (NAATI) 'Certified Provisional' standard, i.e. rendering everyday, non-specialised source texts into the target language in a way that accurately reflects the source text meaning.

The area of study 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.

- Also available in the Bachelor of International Studies



CRIMINOLOGY

Criminology explores who is committing crimes, what crimes are causing most harm, why people commit crimes, where and when people are likely to offend, and how to control and prevent crime.

Criminologists need to be adaptable, and ready to respond to a range of new and emerging crime problems such as cyber crime, terrorism, human trafficking and drug dealing.

By studying criminology at UQ, you will learn about the workings of the criminal justice system, including police, courts and corrections, and build the skills needed to develop and implement evidence-based crime prevention policies.

You will obtain an excellent understanding of the processes of criminal decision-making, and why some places and communities are more crime-prone than others.



“The amazing staff at UQ go above and beyond to expose you to practical, real-world opportunities in this degree.

In my year we went to the Brisbane Women’s Correctional Centre for the day. We toured the facility and spoke to the educational officers there which was an amazing opportunity.

After that I chased them down and secured some volunteering. I ended up being a tutor there for the women for almost two years, which was the highlight of my study.”

Sasha Zuniga

Bachelor of Arts (Criminology)

Sasha currently works in the complaints department for the Department of Housing.

It was his aspiration to be an actor that first brought Silvan Rus to The University of Queensland.

An apprentice, and then a core artist with the Queensland Shakespeare Ensemble, he used to come to UQ's St Lucia campus for group rehearsals of Hamlet and other iconic tragedies of the stage.

He graduated in 2020 with first class honours in philosophy, and said his studies enhanced his acting skills.

"Digging philosophically helped me answer both personal and professional questions.

"UQ has left me with many gifts – friends, a confidence in my capability to do more things and a greater ability to make sense of the world."

Silvan Rus

Bachelor of Arts
(Chinese / Philosophy)



DRAMA

UQ Drama encourages students to examine, experience, and create theatre in a program that offers one of the most comprehensive canonical curriculums in Australia. By studying theatre history, theory and practice, you 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 in our specialised studio facilities, which house the New Theatre Writing Laboratory and the Queensland Shakespeare Ensemble.

- *Also available in the Bachelor of Advanced Humanities (Honours)*



Bachelor of Arts majors and minors



ECONOMICS

Economics is the science that studies how people choose to use the limited resources available to them, and it provides tools to help individuals, firms, communities and governments avoid wasting their scarce resources or using resources today in ways that will cause problems for them in the future.

Economics embraces topics as diverse as the problem of choosing a mobile phone plan, whether firms should be allowed to merge, how to reduce rates of unemployment, how to limit climate change, and the challenges posed by an ageing population or newly developed economies.

Studying economics provides ways of developing your ability to understand resource allocation issues such as these, and to develop the kinds of analytical and critical thinking capabilities that are necessary for policy-related roles in governments and other organisations, or for covering politics and business in the media.

As well as providing opportunities to study diverse areas with policy significance, courses in this area of study cover a variety of ways of doing economics, along with economic history.

- Also available in the Bachelor of International Studies

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.

ENGLISH AS AN INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGE

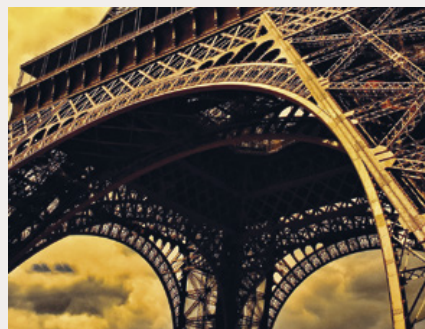
English as an International Language is designed for students from all language backgrounds wishing to deepen their understanding of the ways in which English is used in intercultural settings and increasingly globalised workplaces.

You will gain a specialisation in English that enables you to demonstrate advanced knowledge of different Englishes in the world, a nuanced understanding of the complex relationship between language, culture and identity, as well as advanced cultural and linguistic knowledge critical to success in today's globalised workforce.

You will develop your capacity to use English across a range of intercultural and multilingual settings, and to work effectively in workplaces that are multilingual, multicultural and globally interconnected.

Graduates who specialise in English as an International Language will have advanced understanding and specialist skills that enable them to navigate international professional and intercultural settings.

Bachelor of Arts majors and minors



ENGLISH LITERATURE

Studying English Literature 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 revolutions, literary classics and recent prize-winners. And in doing all this, you'll learn a range of skills – 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.

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

- Also available in the Bachelor of Advanced Humanities (Honours)

FILM AND TELEVISION STUDIES

Film and television are not just two of the most powerful forms of artistic, popular, and cultural expression of the past century. They are the aesthetic, industrial, and historic foundations of the wider contemporary moving image culture through which we perceive, communicate, and understand the world and each other.

With the increasing centrality of the moving image to entertainment, communication, politics, education, and the exponential growth of video sharing and streaming platforms, skills in audiovisual content interpretation and evaluation are essential for many careers within and beyond the screen media and arts sectors.

Studying Film and Television Studies at UQ, you will examine world and arthouse cinema, blockbuster movies, classic Hollywood, silent film, Australian film and TV, documentary, reality television, quality drama, recent Netflix shows, and the emergence of digital deepfakes.

You will deepen your understanding of how the screen has been used to tell stories, make arguments about the world, explore complex ideas and perspectives, and evoke intense emotional and physical experiences.

You will explore the technological, aesthetic, and industrial evolution of film and television, their status as art, their complex relationships to reality, other artforms, cultural and political change, and assess how these are shifting in the digital age.

With the guidance of UQ's world-leading film and television scholars, you will hone your skills in screen interpretation and analysis, as well as argumentation, writing, video essays, and online archive research.

Film and Television Studies at UQ will equip you with transferable visual literacy, critical thinking, research, and communication skills essential for a flexible career path in an increasingly media-rich world.

FRENCH

Immerse yourself in French language and culture and communicate in French from your very first class.

As well as language skills, courses in this major offer knowledge about some of the major historical, social, literary and philosophical movements in the Francophone world.

The French language is one of the most widely spoken and fastest growing languages in the world today.

Many graduates use their language competency to enhance employability in fields such as business, education, tourism and politics.

The French major is designed for students who have no previous knowledge of French. If you have completed substantial French study, then the French Advanced major is for you.

- Also available in the Bachelor of International Studies



FRENCH ADVANCED

Advance your understanding of one of the most widely spoken and fastest growing languages in the world today.

The French language has 76 million native speakers and 235 million who use it daily.

By studying French Advanced you will have a degree of fluency in French, allowing you to communicate in detail on a broad range of subjects, express opinions and debate choices.

Courses in this major cover detailed knowledge of French-speaking culture, translation and interpreting skills, and French cinema and literature.

Many graduates use their language competency to enhance employability in fields such as business, education, tourism and politics.

The French Advanced major is for students who have completed substantial French study. If you have no previous knowledge of French, then the French major is for you.

- Also available in the Bachelor of International Studies



GENDER STUDIES

Gender Studies at UQ is a lively space that promotes scholarly, collegial and community-connected explorations of questions linked to the significance of sex, gender, sexuality and other categories of difference in contemporary and historical cultures locally and globally.

Gender Studies teaches students knowledge and skills aimed at developing capacity to critically think and analyse the major challenges and changes in gender relations today, as well as strategies for enacting gender activism.

Gender Studies at UQ encourages a reflexive and questioning approach to knowledge to locate and deconstruct the gendered nature of social processes. We draw upon the disciplines of History, Sociology, Political Science, Literary and Cultural Studies, Education and Philosophy to explore conceptual and methodological frameworks relevant to Gender Studies such as feminist theory, queer theory, critical race theory, disability studies, post/anti/ decolonial theories, and post-structuralism.



GEOGRAPHY

Geography is a multifaceted social science focusing on the intersection of human and environmental systems. Geographers focus on today's big issues, including climate change, population growth, and urbanisation.

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.

Studying geography 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, environmental systems, and geographical information science.

Bachelor of Arts majors and minors



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 secondary 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, and equip you to read the works of great thinkers and writers in the language they were written in.

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.

- Also available in the *Bachelor of International Studies*

HISTORY

UQ's world-class historians offer a geographically comprehensive program including courses on the history of Australia (including the history of Indigenous Australians), Britain, Europe, Japan, China and Southeast Asia.

We cover a broad historical timeframe from the Medieval and Early Modern periods, the Enlightenment and Age of Revolutions right up until the present. World History is a feature of first-year teaching, and can be taken if you have never studied History before. There are also introductory courses in Australian and European history, with more specialised topics following in your second and third years of study.

Our courses are thematically diverse at the advanced levels, with topics such as gender and sexuality, genocide and religious intolerance in modern history, Fascism and other political ideologies, science, medicine, and the origins of racial concepts. Courses examine aspects of imperialism and colonialism, witchcraft, urban history, and world conflicts such as medieval crusades and the Cold War. In second year, students study the history of history-writing, and complete their studies at the 3000-level with a major independent historical project.

- Also available in the *Bachelor of Advanced Humanities (Honours)*

INDONESIAN

There are careers in just about anything that you can imagine awaiting you if you study Indonesian.

With over 270 million inhabitants, Indonesia is the world's fourth most populous nation and the world's third largest democracy. Its population is one of the youngest in the world, and most speak Indonesian as their second language, making it one of the most widely spoken languages in the world.

Indonesia's economy is booming and continues to grow at over five per cent per year, spending 20 per cent of its national income on education each year. It is predicted to be the world's fourth or fifth largest economy in the next couple of decades.

While Indonesia's territorial footprint is just one per cent of the world's landmass, it has over 10 per cent of the world's biodiversity. Its massive biodiversity, population, economic growth, increasing international profile, and its increasingly educated population all mean it will play a significant role in climate change debates into the future. More generally, Indonesia is also grounded in its concern for community, having been voted number one on the CAF's 2021 World Giving Index.

Much of this philosophy of the importance of community stems from Islamic traditions of giving to the poor at the end of the fasting month. While Indonesia looks to the future, its future is informed by the past and by the hundreds of ethnic traditions that have been undergoing sustained revival since the early 2000s. If you want to be part of the next China, then enrol in Indonesian.

- Also available in the *Bachelor of International Studies*



INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

This major will equip you with the theoretical and practical tools to analyse and evaluate events and issues in world politics.

International relations provides an in-depth understanding of the nature and exercise of power in world politics.

It covers the origins, constitution and development of the international system; how ideas shape order, justice and security; Australia's role in global affairs; and the interplay between domestic, international and transnational politics.

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

Graduates of this major will be global citizens, intellectually open and flexible, aware of and sensitive to cultural difference, and motivated to make positive change through global engagement.

Choose from courses on foreign policy, terrorism, gender, political economy, security studies and more.

- *Also available in the Bachelor of International Studies*



“I love my program because it allows me to broaden my knowledge on a really wide range of subjects that are complementary to each other, and I know this will benefit me in my career as well.”

Matisse Reid

Bachelor of Arts
(International Relations, History) / Bachelor of Laws (Honours)

Bachelor of Arts majors and minors



ITALIAN

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

Italian is the world's fourth most studied language.

You can study Italian cross-institutionally with Griffith University at the South Bank, Nathan and Gold Coast campuses.

You can start at beginner or intermediate level and study Italian up to advanced levels. The courses will take you on a journey through contemporary Italian culture and society and explore the language of Italian literature, media, cinema, music, politics, popular culture and food. You will also have the opportunity to undertake a language immersion and work-integrated learning experience in Italy.

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.

- Also available in the Bachelor of International Studies

JAPANESE

Broaden the scope of your personal, social and professional networks when you learn about Japanese language and culture.

Learn how Japanese is a key world language used to facilitate economic pursuits, research and government interaction. Discover the different levels of politeness and contextually appropriate expressions used in Japan.

Many students study Japanese alongside courses like business, education and tourism to expand their career opportunities in these fields.

The Japanese major is designed for students who have no previous knowledge of Japanese. If you have completed substantial Japanese study, then the Japanese Advanced major is for you.

- Also available in the Bachelor of International Studies

JAPANESE ADVANCED

Study a key world language used in social, cultural and economic pursuits, research, and diplomacy in the world. Graduates with Japanese linguistic skills and cultural knowledge have been engaged in diverse sectors, including business, international relations, law, education, media, engineering and interpreting/translation.

The Japanese Advanced major is for students who have completed substantial Japanese study. If you have no previous knowledge of Japanese, then the Japanese major is for you.

- Also available in the Bachelor of International Studies



JOURNALISM AND MASS COMMUNICATION

This 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 on 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 10–11 and 22–23 of this study guide).



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, and its 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, K-drama, 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.

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, K-pop, and K-beauty.

- Also available in the Bachelor of International Studies



LATIN

Further your reading and writing skills in one of the oldest languages in the world.

Classical Latin has traditionally held a central position in Western education, and remains important for the study not only of the Graeco-Roman world, but also of the languages, ideas and literatures (including English) of societies that grew out of the classical world.

Latin language and literature lasted into the 19th and 20th centuries for treatises of fundamental importance in science, medicine, diplomacy and law.

This major is ideal for students studying a dual program, as it will enhance studies in law, science or languages.



Discover the secrets of the past

Criss-cross the horizons of time and discover the secrets of the past by visiting our two premier museums housed in the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences:

- Anthropology Museum
- RD Milns Antiquities Museum.

Both offer opportunities for students to engage with their premier collections in a variety of activities.

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



Bachelor of Arts majors and minors



LEGAL EDUCATION STUDIES

Legal Education Studies prepares students to teach Legal Studies in secondary schools.

This senior syllabus area examines the interface of law and society, providing an understanding of the legal system and its protection of individual rights in line with obligations and responsibilities.

This area of study includes a variety of courses dealing with legal foundations – Criminal, Civil and Business Law, International Law and Human Rights Law.

This course will prepare students for the practical application of the senior Legal Studies syllabus. This includes developing teaching strategies and resources, preparing lessons, unit planning and designing assessment, to match Legal Studies syllabus standards and requirements in secondary schooling.



LINGUISTICS

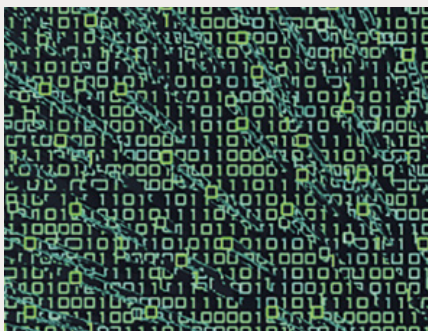
Linguistics – the scientific study of language – explores how humans communicate by examining the relationships between structure, meaning and context.

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.

Bachelor of Arts majors and minors



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 augment their studies by studying mathematics as part of a dual degree or alongside another area of study in the BA to augment their other fields of study.

In your first year, you will study essential topics in calculus, linear algebra 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 algebra, logic and mathematical analysis as well as mathematical planning, statistics and optimisation.



MEDIA AND DIGITAL CULTURES

Media and Digital Cultures provides an opportunity to explore contemporary digital cultures across the world by analysing the multifaceted role of digital technologies, commercial platforms and social media in shaping everyday life.

You will learn a combination of critical analysis, research collection, project planning and applied media skills as part of a comprehensive approach to the social and cultural aspects of digital technologies.

Courses focus on the look and feel of digital, the interaction between social media and identity, new forms of media consumption and cultural practice, interactions between media professionals and everyday users, and the significance of cultural difference for understanding digital culture at the global scale.



MUSIC

Music is a powerful and evocative art form that is central to the human experience.

Studying music at UQ will create musical pathways for you by expanding your understanding of musicianship, music history, music pedagogy, and practical music making.

Understanding how sonic materials are organised, developing literacy in music notations, composing and improvising, exploring different genres, and improving critical appreciation and historical knowledge will build your knowledge, confidence, and proficiency in music.

Musical knowledge equips you with creativity, empathy and a capacity for teamwork. These attributes will serve you well in any number of music or music-related employment opportunities.

Studying music in combination with the Bachelor of Education (Secondary) qualifies you to teach classroom music, as well as choral and instrumental music if you choose to specialise.

- *Also available in the Bachelor of Advanced Humanities (Honours)*



MUSIC PSYCHOLOGY

Music psychology examines how people think, feel and behave in relation to music. It helps you to understand music from diverse perspectives, including the scientific study of the human mind, brain and behaviour, emotion, learning and development, and social interaction, through to the everyday uses and practices of music to promote wellbeing.

You will learn how music and related psychological processes operate in larger sociocultural contexts, and experience connections with the world beyond UQ.

You will develop critical thinking, problem-solving, teamwork, and communication skills through the courses that transfer usefully to other domains and contexts.

Pathways for graduates include practical application of knowledge and skills in music practice, educational, allied health and organisational contexts, and postgraduate study in related music psychology fields.



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.

Studying conflict analysis will provide you with insights into how and why disputes arise and can escalate into violence. Working on peace processes will engage you in a wide repertoire of possible responses to conflict, and in managing and resolving disputes in ways that prevent 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.

- Also available in the Bachelor of International Studies



Giaan Robinson and award-winning teaching academic Dr Sebastian Kaempf discuss how arts students are making a positive change in our globalised world.

“We are preparing for a world of unknowns that link conflict, climate change and crisis, and I have the potential to make an impact.”

Giaan Robinson

Bachelor of Arts (Peace and Conflict Studies) /
Bachelor of Laws (Honours)





PHILOSOPHY

The Philosophy major at UQ is the largest in Queensland, with staff maintaining 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.

- Also available in the Bachelor of Advanced Humanities (Honours)

POLITICAL SCIENCE

Political Science studies power – who gets to do what to whom, and under what 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.

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.

POPULAR MUSIC AND TECHNOLOGY

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 you live in, allowing you to experience the power and wonders of music and encouraging your own self-expression in writing and production.



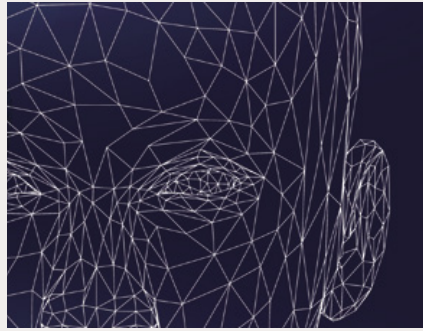
PROFESSIONAL WRITING AND COMMUNICATION

Professional writers design and implement innovative communication strategies in a wide range of industries, including government, non-profit, commercial and technical sectors.

In this applied field of study, you will learn principles and practices for compelling, persuasive and ethical communication with diverse audiences.

You will develop skills including multimedia production and storytelling, writing for print and digital environments, and editing.

The critical and practical communication expertise you develop will equip you to excel in a variety of disciplines and careers.



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 Psychology 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.



“Studying Psychology through the Bachelor of Arts degree helped establish a good foundation for my understanding of the human spirit and human behaviour.

I then honed those skills through the Master of Counselling program and now I work in a role where I can help empower and inform vulnerable people every day.”

Daisy Thomas

Bachelor of Arts
Psychology

Daisy currently works as a Domestic Violence Prevention Worker at Legal Aid Queensland.

Bachelor of Arts majors and minors



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.



SOCIOLOGY

Sociology is the study of society, but it also provides a lens for seeing society in a particular manner and studying it through rigorous analysis.

'Society' is a very broad term that covers personal experiences of things such as poverty, migration and health, as well as national and global trends on these issues that indicate change over time. Sociology explores how these issues are shaped by factors such as income or gender so that different groups experience life in sometimes very different ways.

Thinking sociologically involves drawing connections between individual human experiences and broader social processes. Sociology seeks social rather than individual explanations for social problems, and asks critical questions about why society is organised in particular ways, who benefits, who is disadvantaged, and how to work towards a better world.

Sociology relies on rigorous research to explain how and why society works the way it does. The skills of a sociologist – problem solving, and the ability to understand different perspectives, synthesise information and communicate ideas clearly – are highly sought after by employers in the public, private and voluntary sectors.



SPANISH

With over 570 million speakers, Spanish is one of the most widely spoken languages in the world. The official language of more than 20 countries in Europe, Latin America and Africa, its presence is rapidly increasing elsewhere in the world, with over 41 million speakers in the USA.

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 at UQ from introductory to advanced level, taking courses in Spanish language, literature, film and cultural studies, applied linguistics and translation studies.

- Also available in the *Bachelor of International Studies*

Advocate for social justice and UQ graduate Sophie Ryan was named an Australia-at-large Rhodes Scholar in 2020.

In her degree she focused on peacebuilding, conflict resolution and the interplay of religion and peace, and will progress her studies in international conflict and dispute resolution at Oxford University.

I've always wanted to help people however I can, and after seeing firsthand the impact of conflict, I feel my education at UQ gave me the tools to do this.

I want to make a difference and will use my voice to help others where I can.”

Sophie Ryan

Bachelor of Arts
(Peace and Conflict Studies /
Studies in Religion) /
Bachelor of Laws (Honours)



Bachelor of Arts majors and minors



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, coaching, and psychology.

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

You will undertake courses in social sciences and humanities areas of the study of sport, including courses relating to the history and sociology of sport, as well as biophysical understandings of bodies, health and nutrition.

STUDIES IN RELIGION

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

Studies in Religion at UQ 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.

- *Also available in the Bachelor of Advanced Humanities (Honours)*

WRITING

The craft of writing develops from a desire to connect with a readership, and that's what this major will help you to achieve.

You will work with world-renowned creative practitioners to hone your technique and develop the skills you need to build a portfolio career in the changing publishing landscape.

You will master a range of commercial and literary genres including poetry, screen-writing and fiction, while building your networks and knowledge of the industry.

This major will train you to research effectively and edit judiciously to create compelling, marketable stories that connect with global audiences.



“I loved the flexibility of my program. My Bachelor of Arts allowed me to test the waters in different disciplines and realise my areas of interest. Meanwhile, my Bachelor of Social Science had the perfect balance between structure and flexibility, thus helping me discover disciplines I otherwise would not have considered.”

Chara Scroope

Bachelor of Arts
(Philosophy, Studies in Religion) /
Bachelor of Social Science (Development)

Apply for a scholarship

Make your UQ experience more affordable with the support of a scholarship. You may not think you're eligible for a scholarship, but you might be surprised!

University-wide scholarships

UQ has a range of scholarships designed to attract, reward and support outstanding students from all walks of life. Our scholarships develop and encourage tomorrow's leaders and offer support to students who might not otherwise be able to attend university

UQ Academic Scholarships

The UQ Academic Scholarships scheme offers two flagship undergraduate scholarships: UQ Vice-Chancellor's Scholarships and UQ Excellence Scholarships.

If you're completing Year 12 in 2022, or you completed Year 12 in 2021 and are on a gap year, you may be eligible to apply for a scholarship.



Get in early

Scholarship applications close at different times throughout 2022 – plan your applications and apply early so you don't miss out!

scholarships.uq.edu.au

Equity scholarships

UQ strongly believes all students deserve equal access to education. Equity scholarships are designed to support students from low socio-economic, disadvantaged or under-represented backgrounds.

Study area scholarships

UQ has a diverse range of scholarships that support and encourage commencing and continuing students in particular study areas.

scholarships.uq.edu.au

Employability

UQ offers a variety of grants and loans to participate in a range of enriching international and domestic experiences that will enhance your employability.

employability.uq.edu.au/financial-support

Sporting

Elite athlete support

UQ is an elite athlete-friendly university, which supports over 200 elite-level student-athletes to manage their sport and studies. Dedicated UQ Sport staff, in partnership with UQ, provide academic liaison support to negotiate flexible options for enrolment, assessment and course-related needs.

uqsport.com.au/scholarships

UQ Ramsay Undergraduate Scholarship – Western Civilisation

Intended for academic high-achievers who desire to make a difference in the world, these scholarships support students undertaking an extended major in Western Civilisation either through the Bachelor of Advanced Humanities (Honours) program (see page 6) or the dual Bachelor of Humanities/Bachelor of Laws (Honours) program (see page 5).

Award value: \$30,000 per year for the length of the program (up to 5.5 years).

For more information, visit:

scholarships.uq.edu.au/scholarship/uq-ramsay-undergraduate-scholarship

Please note: All figures were correct at time of printing but are subject to change. See scholarships.uq.edu.au before applying to confirm correct values.

Laura Anderson

Bachelor of Arts / Bachelor of Commerce student and Frank Finn Scholarship recipient



Diplomas



You can study a concurrent diploma alongside your bachelor's degree, or a graduate-entry diploma after you've graduated, allowing you to pursue studies in other areas of interest.

Diploma in Languages

Add a Diploma in Languages to your degree and open up a world of opportunities.

The Diploma in Languages is a way of adding value to any bachelor's degree.

This program enables you to benefit from the advantages that knowledge of another language can bring in a global economy, as well as earning you an additional academic qualification.

Languages are a passion for many UQ students, and the concurrent diploma will suit you if you've studied a language at secondary 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 Latin and Ancient Greek beneficial to your program.

Languages available

You can study:

- Ancient Greek
- Chinese
- Chinese Translation and Interpreting
- French
- German
- Indonesian
- Italian
- Japanese
- Korean
- Latin
- Spanish.

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.

For more information

Visit future-students.uq.edu.au or scan the QR code



Graduate-entry Diploma

Diploma in Arts

Available to graduates of a bachelor's program in any field of study, the Diploma in Arts enables you to acquire greater specialisation in your chosen field or follow a study area you are passionate about.

A flexible program, the Diploma in Arts allows you to gain additional qualifications and build knowledge by spending a year (or part-time equivalent)* pursuing your area of interest.

You may choose to undertake a selection of undergraduate courses in either one or two fields of study, or alternatively, choose 16 units of electives from the Diploma in Arts course list without undertaking a specified major or minor plan.

The Diploma in Arts cannot be studied as a Concurrent Diploma and is for graduate entry only. Upon completion and subject to satisfactory performance and entry requirements, this program may enable students' eligibility for entry into Honours, to postgraduate coursework and, via Honours, entry to research postgraduate study.

The Diploma in Arts is a Commonwealth supported (HECS-Help) program.

**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.*

For more information

Visit future-students.uq.edu.au or scan the QR code





A truly global network

You know the importance of thinking and acting globally. So do we.

Our worldwide partner and alumni networks give you the international opportunities and connections to enhance your learning, life skills and employment prospects from the start of your degree to long after you graduate.

Grow your global network

As a UQ student, St Lucia, Herston or Gatton is just the first stop on your university adventure. Grow your global network through our student exchange program by studying up to two semesters of your degree at one of our 141 partner institutions in 34 countries.

You'll gain credit while expanding your world perspective, enhancing your employability, developing your network, and maybe even learning a new language. While on exchange, tuition fees at the host university are waived as you remain enrolled at and pay fees to UQ.

employability.uq.edu.au/get-experiences

Unlock new languages

In a global economy, the ability to communicate with a wide range of people is invaluable. Want to brush up on your language skills? Current undergraduate students can study a Diploma in Languages alongside any UQ program. Language classes are also offered to students and the public at our Institute of Modern Languages where you can choose from more than 25 different languages.

School of Languages and Cultures
languages-cultures.uq.edu.au

Institute of Modern Languages
iml.uq.edu.au

Take a short-term experience

While studying, you can participate in short-term global and virtual study experiences scheduled during the semester breaks, where you can immerse yourself in a new culture for two to eight weeks to enhance your academic learning and employability. If you're looking at expanding your practical skillset through short-term work experiences, opportunities for domestic, virtual and global internships are available.

employability.uq.edu.au/get-experiences

Make global business connections

At UQ, you'll join a global network of more than 307,000 graduates, many of whom are leaders in their fields, including more than 15,800 PhDs in 170 countries. You'll benefit from an extensive graduate network, strong industry partnerships and many notable alumni.

alumni.uq.edu.au

Global Startup AdVentures

Learn alongside a startup in some of the world's most vibrant startup hot spots – including San Francisco, Shanghai, Shenzhen, Tel Aviv and Singapore.

ventures.uq.edu.au/startup-adventures

Partner for change

Global connectivity is at the heart of our vision to create knowledge leadership for a better world. From renewable energy technologies and sustainable mining practices, to disease control and child psychology, our international collaborations are working towards a cleaner, healthier and happier future. Explore our impact around the world.

global-engagement.uq.edu.au



We are a member of the prestigious Group of Eight coalition in Australia and the leading global network of research universities, Universitas 21.



UQ has more than 20,000 international students from 142 countries

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:

- 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 secondary studies equivalent to Queensland Year 12 with a score comparable to the ATAR or Queensland Year 12 Rank (prior to 2020) specified for your program
- satisfied individual program requirements (e.g. specific subject prerequisites, auditions or interviews)
- satisfied UQ's English language proficiency requirements.

If you do not meet these criteria, you might consider taking a foundation program bridging course or English language pathway offered by UQ College.

Pathway options

future-students.uq.edu.au/admissions/undergraduate/consider-your-pathway-options

Applying to UQ

A UQ degree is a qualification the world will recognise. If you've got the ability, commitment and ambition to make the most of UQ, then we want to hear from you.

future-students.uq.edu.au/admissions

Study options at UQ

If you would like to know more about your study options at UQ, enquire through our online form, and one of our UQ advisers will respond. You can also register for an advisory call with one of our student advisers. If you are in Brisbane, sign up for a campus tour.

We also have a range of publications, including the international undergraduate and postgraduate student guides, to help you.

Contact us

future-students.uq.edu.au/contact-us

Advisory calls

future-students.uq.edu.au/contact-us/book-call-back

Campus tours

future-students.uq.edu.au/university-life/campus-tours

Program guides

future-students.uq.edu.au/teachers-guidance-counsellors

Fees

As an international student, you will pay tuition fees, and potentially other non-tuition fees. UQ has program-based tuition 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. Some programs also have additional costs.

Non-tuition fees paid to the University may include the student services and amenities fee, books and equipment, health insurance, administration, accommodation, and assistance to apply for or hold a student visa.

future-students.uq.edu.au/admissions/undergraduate/review-fees-and-financial-support



“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.”

Nabila Husna Shamhani

Bachelor of Arts (Economics, International Relations)

Other expenses

International students applying to study in Australia must have a student visa or an alternative visa that enables them to study full-time on campus. Please consider expenses such as visa and medical (pre-departure) fees, general living expenses, establishment costs such as buying furniture, paying a rental bond and setting up electricity, gas and mobile phone accounts, as well as return airfares, and Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC) when you plan your budget.

future-students.uq.edu.au/university-life/living-in-brisbane/cost-living

Applying to UQ

Follow the steps to apply to UQ and start on the path to your future.



STEP 1

Choose

Choose your program

- Read your program options (see pages 6–29)
- Visit future-students.uq.edu.au.

TIP: Check that you meet eligibility, merit and other entry requirements and meet any specific program deadlines.

A range of study area guides and other UQ publications can help you choose the right program.

future-students.uq.edu.au/teachers-guidance-counsellors

STEP 2

Apply

Apply via QTAC

Apply for admission to UQ undergraduate programs through the Queensland Tertiary Admissions Centre (QTAC). The QTAC website explains how to apply and the entry requirements you need.

List up to six program preferences – but you will only receive one offer – for your highest preference that you are eligible for. Place programs in order of preference, placing your dream program first and your back-up options next.

STEP 3

Accept

Accept your offer

1. Log in by clicking 'Applications' and then 'Apply or Log In' at qtac.edu.au.
2. Select 'Log In' and enter your details.
3. Select the Accept offer option.
4. Accept your offer.
5. Activate your student account.
6. Go to my.uq.edu.au/starting-at-uq and follow the instructions.
7. Get excited about starting at UQ.

STEP 4

Enrol

Enrol in courses

1. Access your program rules, course list and other helpful information by logging in to my.uq.edu.au/starting-at-uq.
2. Choose your courses at my.uq.edu.au/programs-courses.
3. Enrol online at sinet.uq.edu.au.
4. Select preferred class times via My Timetable (in my.UQ portal)
5. Pay fees (see page 59).

STEP 5

Prepare

Prepare for Week 1

- Complete the steps on the Starting at UQ website. my.uq.edu.au/starting-at-uq.
- Attend a Getting Started session.
- Check if you need to attend any program sessions before Orientation Week.
- Pick up your student ID card after you have enrolled.
- Get answers to any remaining questions before classes start by emailing starting@uq.edu.au.

STEP 6

Let's go!

Get ready for the ultimate university experience

- Prep Week – jump-start your university journey.
- Orientation Week – experience a taste of #uqlife
- Connect Week – join the social scene, make new friends and link in with your academic circle.
- Culture Week – experience UQ's diverse culture and global networks.
- Success Week – learn about the resources available to help you succeed at UQ.
- Instagram (@uniofqlld) or Snapchat (uniofqlld) your UQ experience to your friends.



Fees

Fees for 2023 are expected to be available from November 2022.

my.uq.edu.au/fee-schedules



It all adds up!

Insider Guides provides a helpful online Cost of Living Calculator to estimate your weekly, monthly and yearly living costs.

insiderguides.com.au/cost-of-living-calculator

Plan your finances

University is a valuable investment in your future. Knowing what it costs will help you manage your money.

Fees and costs

Course fees and student contributions

Most undergraduate places for domestic students at UQ are funded partly by the Australian Government (Commonwealth support) and partly by you (student contribution). You need a Unique Student Identifier (USI) to obtain a Commonwealth supported place.

usi.gov.au

Fees are charged according to the courses you choose, not the program you're enrolled in, so it's not possible to publish a fixed fee for a program. Because most students can choose different electives during their program, costs will vary.

However, indicative annual fees are listed with each program on our Future Students website to help you plan your budget.

If you're an Australian or New Zealand citizen, or an Australian permanent humanitarian visa holder and have a Commonwealth-supported place, you may also qualify for the Higher Education Loan Program (HELP) to defer payment of your student contribution and Student Services and Amenities Fee (SSAF). You will need to apply for a tax file number, if you don't already have one, in order to obtain a HELP loan.

ato.gov.au

International students pay full tuition fees.

If you have a Commonwealth-supported place, your student contribution amount depends on the fee band level of the courses you choose (see table at above right).

future-students.uq.edu.au/study/programs

Commonwealth-supported fee bands

BAND	AREA OF STUDY	ANNUAL STUDENT CONTRIBUTION*
4	Law, accounting, administration, economics, commerce, communications, society and culture	\$14,630
3	Dentistry, medicine, veterinary science	\$11,401
2	Other health, allied health, built environment, computing, engineering, surveying, science, environmental studies, pathology, visual and performing arts, professional pathway psychology, professional pathway social work	\$8,021
1	Agriculture, English, mathematics, education, clinical psychology, Indigenous and foreign languages, nursing, statistics	\$3,985

*2022 figures only, based on a full-time (16 unit) workload; figures indexed annually

Monthly cost of living

	STUDENT LIVING IN ON-CAMPUS COLLEGE	STUDENT LIVING OFF-CAMPUS / STUDENT ACCOMMODATION
Rent	\$2,000–\$2,800	\$480–\$1,760
Utilities (gas, electricity, water)	included in rent	\$150–\$175
Food	included in rent	\$320–\$600
Mobile phone / internet	\$80–\$120	\$80–\$120
Public transport	\$40	\$50–\$100
TOTAL	\$2,120–\$2,960	\$1,080–\$2,755

*This table should be taken as a guide only. For the most accurate costs of living, visit my.uq.edu.au/starting-at-uq/student-finances/budgeting

Student Services and Amenities Fee

The Student Services and Amenities Fee (SSAF) is a compulsory fee that is used to subsidise, support or fund non-academic services for students, such as support services, advocacy, study skills, career development and employability.

UQ levies the SSAF – which is capped at a maximum of \$313 for 2021 – according to whether you're an internal or external student, and full-time or part-time.

The fee is indexed annually.

bit.ly/uq_ssaf

Keeping your costs down

- Investigate the financial support and fee payment options offered by Centrelink. servicesaustralia.gov.au
- Explore the scholarships on offer (see page 54).
- Enjoy UQ Union's free and low-cost entertainment and activities, such as Morning Marmalade and Kampus Kitchen. uq.com.au
- Get concessions and student discounts at participating retailers and institutions with your UQ student card.

Program table explained

QTAC CODE	UQ CODE	MINIMUM SELECTION THRESHOLD 2022 ATAR / IB	LOWEST ATAR TO RECEIVE AN OFFER 2022		DURATION	START SEMESTER	CAMPUS	HONOURS	DUAL PROGRAM AVAILABLE	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED						

QTAC CODE

A unique code number assigned by QTAC to each individual undergraduate university program. You will need to use this number on your QTAC application.

UQ CODE

A unique identifying number assigned by UQ for each academic program.

MINIMUM SELECTION THRESHOLD 2022

ATAR / IB

The minimum (adjusted) selection threshold is the minimum score that was considered for an offer of a place to all applicants.

IB – International Baccalaureate points.

ATAR – The Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR) is the standard measure of overall school achievement used in all Australian states and territories. It is a rank indicating a student's position overall relative to other students. The ATAR is expressed on a 2000-point scale from 99.95 (highest) down to 0, in increments of 0.05. The ATAR replaced the Overall Position (OP) as the standard pathway to tertiary study for Queensland Year 12s in 2021.

ADJUSTMENT FACTORS

Previously referred to as 'bonus points', these are a numerical value added to or used in combination with an ATAR. Common adjustment factors may include subject adjustments, enrichment studies, or educational disadvantage.

Adjusted

The lowest ATAR to which an offer was made to recent school leavers including any adjustment factors that may have been applied.

Unadjusted

The lowest 'raw' ATAR to which an offer was made to recent school leavers, excluding any adjustment factors.

DURATION

The time it takes to complete a program when it is studied full-time.

Full time. The standard study load is eight units per semester. Full-time study is 75 per cent or more of the standard study load (i.e. six units per semester for most programs).

Part time. Part-time study load is less than 75 per cent of the standard study load (i.e. less than six units per semester for most programs).

START SEMESTER

The academic year at UQ is divided into two main semesters. Semester 1 starts at the end of February and Semester 2 starts at the end of July.

CAMPUS

One of three UQ teaching sites where the majority of lectures are held.

HONOURS

At UQ, honours may be awarded as a one-year bachelor's honours degree after you have completed a bachelor's degree, or as a single bachelor's honours degree typically taking four years of study. Some undergraduate programs allow eligible students to transfer to a bachelor's honours degree at a defined point in the bachelor's degree. This box shows whether honours is available with a program.

DUAL PROGRAM

Two UQ degree programs undertaken at the same time (sometimes known as dual / parallel / combined / double degree). This box lists dual programs you can choose to study with a program.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Some programs require you to have completed specific subjects (or their equivalent) at school. Some also have additional requirements.



Study options

UQ offers more than 140 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



Arts, Humanities, Social Sciences and Education

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



Health, Behavioural Sciences and Medicine

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



Business, Economics and Law

Advanced Business (Honours)
Advanced Finance and Economics (Honours)
Business Management
Commerce
Economics
Laws (Honours)
Politics, Philosophy and Economics (Honours)
Tourism, Hospitality and Event Management



Science, Mathematics, Agriculture and Environment

Advanced Science
Agribusiness
Agricultural Science
Biomedical Science
Biotechnology
Environmental Management
Environmental Science
Equine Science
Mathematics
Occupational Health and Safety Science
Science
Veterinary Science
Veterinary Technology
Wildlife Science



Engineering, Design, Computing, Architecture and Planning

Architectural Design
Computer Science
Design
Engineering (Honours)
Information Technology
Regional and Town Planning



Central guides

- Australian Undergraduate (pictured left)
- International Undergraduate and Postgraduate (international students can visit future-students.uq.edu.au/teachers-guidance-counsellors to access the latest international student guides)

Have a question about programs in this Guide?

Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences

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Have a question about living and studying at UQ?

Contact the Future Students Contact Centre

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future-students.uq.edu.au

Have a question about entry requirements and admission to UQ?

Contact UQ Admissions

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future-students.uq.edu.au/admissions

Key dates

Tertiary Studies Expo (TSXPO)

RNA Showgrounds
Saturday and Sunday 16–17 July 2022

UQ Open Day 2022

St Lucia campus Sunday 7 August 2022
Gatton campus Sunday 21 August 2022

Semester 1, 2023

Classes commence
Monday 20 February 2023

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The information in this Guide is accurate as at January 2022. However, the University has many programs and courses, and refreshes and updates its programs and course offerings from time to time and without notice. It is your responsibility to visit future-students.uq.edu.au for up-to-date information.

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