

Bachelor of Social Science (BSSC) - BSocSc

QTAC code (Australian and New Zealand applicants): Toowoomba campus: 909291; External: 909295

CRICOS code (International applicants): 059206K

This program is offered only to continuing students. No new admissions will be accepted. Students who are interested in this study area should consider the [BART Bachelor of Arts](#) which will be offered from Semester 1, 2018.

	On-campus	External
Start:	No new admissions	No new admissions
Campus:	Toowoomba	-
Fees:	Commonwealth supported place Domestic full fee paying place International full fee paying place	Commonwealth supported place Domestic full fee paying place International full fee paying place
Standard duration:	3 years full-time, 6 years part-time	

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Program aims

Social scientists study people, groups of people and interactions between people. The Bachelor of Social Science program is intended for those who want to work with people - in the public sector, non-governmental organisations, etc - to deliver community welfare and social justice. This requires a blend of critical appraisal and consultative skills in tasks including community consultation and policy analysis, skills which are useful in a changing labour market and which help students to make more sense of their lives.

The program aims to produce graduates who will have:

- a broad understanding of people, society and human services within society
- a specialist interest in the characteristics and needs of a particular service area (such as education, human rights or sustainability)
- some practical experience at appraising and evaluating human services and/or introducing innovations and improvements.

Graduates should obtain job satisfaction through working with people from across society: applying their problem solving skills to produce sustainable improvements in the targeting, delivery and outcomes of human services in society.

Program objectives

On completion of the Bachelor of Social Science program, graduates will:

- have developed a sound understanding of society, people and systems within society, and methods for evaluating society
- have developed a specialist understanding of a selected aspect of society via the designated majors
- be able to apply their knowledge and skills in an interdisciplinary context to address society's problems
- have acquired communication, numeracy, and research skills appropriate to the field
- be able to demonstrate knowledge of the key theories in social science.

Program Information Set

View USQ's admission criteria, student profiles and a summary of all offers made under [Course Admission Information Set](#) via the QTAC website.

Admission requirements

To be eligible for admission, applicants must satisfy the following requirements:

- Have achieved a minimum Overall Position (OP) **16**, tertiary entrance rank **64** or equivalent qualification.[^]
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4, SA) or equivalent.
- English Language Proficiency requirements for Category 2.

All students are required to satisfy the applicable [English language requirements](#).

If students do not meet the English language requirements they may apply to study a University-approved [English language program](#). On successful completion of the English language program, students may be admitted to an award program.

[^] These are determined by the University for specific programs each Semester. The 2019 OP and tertiary entrance ranks are based on agreed QTAC schedules which assess formal study at Year 12 or [equivalent level](#), tertiary, preparatory, professional or vocational qualifications or work experience, as detailed in the QTAC Assessment of Qualifications Manual and QTAC Assessor Guidelines.

Special admissions may help you get into the program of your choice by increasing your Selection Rank. The additional points don't apply to all applicants or all programs. Please read the information about USQ's [Special Admissions](#) carefully to find out what you may be eligible for.

Program fees

Commonwealth supported place

A Commonwealth supported place is where the Australian Government makes a contribution towards the cost of a students' higher education and students pay a [student contribution amount](#), which varies depending on the courses undertaken. Students are able to calculate the fees for a particular course via the [Course Fee Finder](#).

Commonwealth Supported students may be eligible to defer their fees through a Government loan called [HECS-HELP](#).

Domestic full fee paying place

Domestic full fee paying places are funded entirely through the full fees paid by the student. Full fees vary depending on the courses that are taken. Students are able to calculate the fees for a particular course via the [Course Fee Finder](#).

Domestic full fee paying students may be eligible to defer their fees through a Government loan called [FEE-HELP](#) provided they meet the residency and citizenship requirements.

Australian citizens, Permanent Humanitarian Visa holders, Permanent Resident visa holders and New Zealand citizens who will be resident outside Australia for the duration of their program pay full tuition fees and are not eligible for [FEE-Help](#).

International full fee paying place

International students pay full fees. Full fees vary depending on the courses that are taken and whether they are studied on-campus, via distance education/online. Students are able to calculate the fees for a particular course via the [Course Fee Finder](#).

Program structure

The program comprises 24 units as follows:

- 4 units of core courses (listed below)
- Major 1 (8 units) chosen from:
 - (1) Interdisciplinary Social Science

(2) Applied Social Science

- Major 2 (8 units) chosen from:
 - (1) Anthropology
 - (2) Behavioural Science
 - (3) Communication and Media Studies
 - (4) History
 - (5) Indigenous Studies
 - (6) International Relations
 - (7) Language and Culture

and either

- 4 electives
- or**
- one 4-unit minor chosen from:
 - (1) Anthropology
 - (2) Communication and Media Studies
 - (3) Community Welfare and Development
 - (4) History
 - (5) Indigenous Studies
 - (6) International Relations
 - (7) Journalism
 - (8) Public Relations

Students may need to select courses as electives that constitute prerequisites for courses within their chosen Majors.

	First Year Level	Second Year Level	Third Year Level	Total
Core courses	CMS1000 Communication and Scholarship SOC1000 Approaches to the Social Sciences SOC1001 Conflict and Peace		SOC3000 Collaborative Community Problem Solving	4
Major 1	eight courses over first, second and third year levels, with at least two courses at third year level.			8
Major 2	eight courses over first, second and third year levels, with at least two courses at third year level.			8
Minor or Electives	four courses			4
Total				24

Required time limits

Students have a maximum of 9 years to complete this program.

Core courses

The following table sets out the core courses and the recommended enrolment pattern in the core courses by full-time on-campus students.

Year	Semester	Course
Year 1	Semester 1	CMS1000 Communication and Scholarship
Year 1	Semester 1	SOC1000 Approaches to the Social Sciences
Year 1	Semester 2	SOC1001 Conflict and Peace
Year 3	Semester 2	SOC3000 Collaborative Community Problem Solving

Major studies objectives

Major 1

Major 1 is a specified group of courses with a strongly social scientific ethos and with a value of eight units. Within the major there is a great deal of flexibility, enabling students to select courses that reflect their interests and aspirations, with the proviso that it will contain at least two courses at third level (i.e. courses whose code begins with three letters and then the number 3, e.g. [SOC3000](#), [ANT3006](#)). The following options are offered for Major 1, and more detailed information is available below:

Majors available	
Interdisciplinary Social Science	Applied Social Science

Major 2

Major 2 is a specified group of courses, normally in a discipline area which is either within or cognate to the social sciences. They also contain at least two courses at third level. The following options are offered for Major 2, and more detailed information is available below:

Majors available	
Anthropology	Indigenous Studies
Behavioural Science	International Relations
Communication and Media Studies	Language and Culture
History	

Non-Arts Majors

Students enrolled in the Bachelor of Social Science may take the Behavioural Science Major, which consists of courses offered by the Faculty of Health, Engineering and Sciences. Enrolment in this major is subject to pre-requisites, quota availability and timetabling constraints. Students wishing to pursue graduate study in Psychology should consult with the Faculty of Business, Education, Law and Arts regarding acceptable content areas in the Bachelor of Social Science. Some of the other Majors include courses from outside of Arts undergraduate programs; enrolment in these courses is also subject to pre-requisites, quota availability and timetabling constraints.

Enrolment

All students are urged to adhere to the recommended enrolment patterns as detailed in relevant sections. Completion of enrolment requirements will be necessary before a student will be permitted to enrol in more advanced courses.

Major 1

Interdisciplinary Social Science

Course	Semester/Mode of Offer
Students must complete the following course:	
ANT1001 Introductory Anthropology	S1 (ONC, ONL), S3 (ONL)

Students must complete one or both of the following two courses:	
INR1000 International Relations in a Globalizing Era	S1 (ONC, ONL)
INR1001 Global Transitions and Human Security	S2 (ONC, ONL)
Students must select at least two of the following third level courses:	
ISE3000 Language, Culture, Country and Community	S1 (ONC, ONL)
POL3013 Sustainability and Politics	S1 (ONL)
PRL3012 Public Relations Research	S1 (ONL), S3 (ONL)
STA3100 Data Analysis in the Social Sciences	S2 (ONC, ONL)
Students must select further courses from the following list to make a total of eight courses for the major:	
ANT2007 Ethnographic Methods: Making Anthropology	S2 (ONC, ONL)
HMT1000 A History of Ideas	S2 (ONC, ONL)
HMT2000 Ethical Issues and Human Rights	S1 (ONC, ONL)
ISE1000 Introduction to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Island Australia	S1 (ONC, ONL)
ISE1002 Comparative and Contemporary Indigenous Cultures	S2 (ONC, ONL)
ISE2002 Human Rights and Ideologies of the Nation State	S1 (ONC, ONL)
PRL2002 Community Consultation and Development	S1 (ONC, ONL)
PRL2004	S2 (ONC, ONL)
Students may select no more than two courses from the following four courses:	
LAW1114 Law in Context	S1 (ONC, ONL)
POL1000 Government, Business and Society	S1 (ONL, ONC), S2 (ONL)
POL2000 Political and Economic Ideas	S1 (ONC, ONL)
POL2001 Politics and International Business	S2 (ONC, ONL)

Note: students who are considering Honours or postgraduate study, or a career in research, are advised to take some or all of the following courses: [ANT2007 Ethnographic Methods: Making Anthropology](#) and [STA3100 Data Analysis in the Social Sciences](#). [STA3100 Data Analysis in the Social Sciences](#) is subject to offer by the Faculty of Health, Engineering and Sciences.

Applied Social Science

Course	Semester/Mode of Offer
Students must complete these two courses	
HMT2000 Ethical Issues and Human Rights	S1 (ONC, ONL)
ISE1000 Introduction to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Island Australia	S1 (ONC, ONL)
Students must select two or more courses from the following third-level courses	
ANT3006 Indigenous Peoples in the Nation[‡]	S1 (ONC, ONL)
SOC3001 Global Conflict Communication	S2 (ONC, ONL)
INR3003 War and Terrorism: Introduction to Strategic Studies[†]	S1 (ONC, ONL)
Students must select further courses from the following list, to make a total of eight courses for the major	
ANT1001 Introductory Anthropology	S1 (ONC, ONL), S3 (ONL)
ANT2005 Culture, Religion and Belief[‡]	S1 (ONC, ONL)

CMS2022 Communication and Power	S2 (ONC, ONL)
HIS2000 Contemporary Australia [†]	S1 (ONC, ONL)
HIS2001 Race Relations in Australian History [‡]	S1 (ONC, ONL)
INR1000 International Relations in a Globalizing Era	S1 (ONC, ONL)
INR1001 Global Transitions and Human Security	S2 (ONC, ONL)
ISE2002 Human Rights and Ideologies of the Nation State	S1 (ONC, ONL)
PRL2002 Community Consultation and Development	S1 (ONC, ONL)
PRL2004	S2 (ONC, ONL)

Footnotes

[‡] This course is offered in odd-numbered years only.

[†] This course is offered in even-numbered years only.

Major 2

Anthropology major

Course	Semester/Mode of Offer
ANT1000 World Archaeology: An Introduction	S2 (ONC, ONL)
ANT1001 Introductory Anthropology	S1 (ONC, ONL), S3 (ONL)
ANT2002 Culture, Illness and Health [†]	S1 (ONC, ONL)
ANT2005 Culture, Religion and Belief [‡]	S1 (ONC, ONL)
ANT2007 Ethnographic Methods: Making Anthropology	S2 (ONC, ONL)
ANT3009 Heritage and Museum Studies [‡]	S2 (ONC, ONL)
Select two of the following courses:	
ANT3000 Archaeology of Indigenous Australia [†]	S1 (ONC, ONL)
ANT3006 Indigenous Peoples in the Nation [‡]	S1 (ONC, ONL)
ANT3010 [†]	S2 (ONC, ONL)

Footnotes

[†] This course is offered in even-numbered years only.

[‡] This course is offered in odd-numbered years only.

Behavioural Science major

The behavioural sciences provide an understanding of human behaviour in relation to individual agency within social, cultural, group, and organisational contexts. It informs the social scientist of ways to understand, evaluate and change behaviour associated with many aspects of social issues and community engagement. Graduates with a behavioural science major are employed in the public, private and community sectors where effectiveness requires particular knowledge of human behaviour and relationships factors. While this degree does not contain all of the components required for progression into a career as a psychologist, students who wish to complete an accredited major in Psychology and be eligible to progress to an Honours degree in Psychology, can apply to transfer to the Bachelor of Sciences degree.

Course	Semester/Mode of Offer
Students must complete these five courses:	
PSY1010 Foundation Psychology A	S1 (ONC, ONL), S3 (ONL)
PSY1030 Cross-Cultural and Indigenous Psychology	S2 (ONC, ONL), S3 (ONL)
PSY2010 Social Processes of Behaviour	S1 (ONC, ONL)
PSY2020 Motivation and Emotion	S1 (ONC, ONL)

PSY2100 Research Methods in Psychology A (Note: before enrolling in PSY2100, students must complete STA3100 Data Analysis in the Social Sciences as a prerequisite. STA3100 can be completed within the Interdisciplinary Social Science major. If undertaking the Social Justice major, STA3100 must be taken as an elective.	S1 (ONC, ONL)
Students must complete a further three courses from:	
PSY2030 Developmental Psychology	S2 (ONC, ONL)
PSY3030 Abnormal Psychology	S1 (ONC, ONL)
PSY3050 Counselling Psychology	S2 (ONC, ONL)
PSY3110 Clinical Health Psychology	S2 (ONC, ONL)
PSY3111 Research Methods in Psychology B	S2 (ONC, ONL)
PSY3250 Sport and Exercise Psychology	S2 (ONC, ONL)
PSY3730 Industrial and Organisational Psychology	S1 (ONC, ONL)

Communication and Media Studies major

Course	Semester/Mode of Offer
CMS1010 Introduction to Communication Studies	S1 (ONC, ONL)
CMS1012 Introduction to Media Studies	S2 (ONC, ONL)
CMS2017 Television: History, Texts and Industry	S1 (ONC, ONL)
CMS2018 Cultural Industries - Cultural Economies	S2 (ONC, ONL)
CMS2019 Global Hollywood	S1 (ONC, ONL)
CMS3013 New Media	S1 (ONL)
SOC3001 Global Conflict Communication	S2 (ONC, ONL)
CMS2022 Communication and Power	S2 (ONC, ONL)

History major

Course	Semester/Mode of offer
Complete eight of the following courses:	
HIS1000 World History to 1500 CE	S1 (ONC, ONL)
HIS1001 Australian Colonies to Federation, 1788-1901	S2 (ONC, ONL)
HIS2103 World History Since 1500 CE	S2 (ONC, ONL)
HIS2000 Contemporary Australia [†]	S1 (ONC, ONL)
HIS2001 Race Relations in Australian History [‡]	S1 (ONC, ONL)
HIS3004 Approaches to History [‡]	S1 (ONL)
HIS3002 The Twentieth Century [†]	S2 (ONC, ONL)
HIS3005 Europe: History of an Idea [†]	S1 (ONC, ONL)
HIS3006 Modern Asian History [‡]	S2 (ONC, ONL)

Footnotes

[†] This course is offered in even-numbered years only.

[‡] This course is offered in odd-numbered years only.

Note: HIS3004 Approaches to History is recommended for students considering study in history at Honours level.

Indigenous Studies major

Course	Semester/Mode of Offer
ISE1002 Comparative and Contemporary Indigenous Cultures	S2 (ONC, ONL)
ISE1000 Introduction to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Island Australia	S1 (ONC, ONL)
PSY1030 Cross-Cultural and Indigenous Psychology	S2 (ONC, ONL), S3 (ONL)
ISE2002 Human Rights and Ideologies of the Nation State	S1 (ONC, ONL)
HIS2001 Race Relations in Australian History [‡]	S1 (ONC, ONL)
ISE3000 Language, Culture, Country and Community	S1 (ONC, ONL)
ANT3006 Indigenous Peoples in the Nation [‡]	S1 (ONC, ONL)
ANT3000 Archaeology of Indigenous Australia [†]	S1 (ONC, ONL)

Footnotes

[‡] This course is offered in odd-numbered years only.

[†] This course is offered in even-numbered years only.

International Relations major

Course	Semester/Mode of Offer
INR1000 International Relations in a Globalizing Era	S1 (ONC, ONL)
INR1001 Global Transitions and Human Security	S2 (ONC, ONL)
INR2000 Issues in a Globalizing World	S1 (ONC, ONL)
HIS3002 The Twentieth Century [†]	S2 (ONC, ONL)
HIS3006 Modern Asian History [‡]	S2 (ONC, ONL)
INR3003 War and Terrorism: Introduction to Strategic Studies [†]	S1 (ONC, ONL)
INR3000 [‡]	S1 (ONC, ONL)
INR3005 Migrant Worlds: Issues in Contemporary and Historical Migration	S2 (ONL)

Footnotes

[†] This course is offered in even-numbered years only.

[‡] This course is offered in odd-numbered years only.

Language and Culture major

Course	Semester/Mode of Offer
LAC1001	S1 (ONC, ONL)
LAC1002	S2 (ONC, ONL)
LAC2001	S1 (ONC, ONL)
LAC2002	S2 (ONC, ONL)
LAC3001 Language and the Contemporary World	S1 (ONL)
Select three units from the following two options: Option 1: Select LAC3002 plus two other courses from the courses below, or Option 2: Select LAC3003 (2 units) plus one other course from the course below.	
LAC3002 Language and Culture Special Project	S2 (ONL)
LAC3003 Language and Culture Special Project A (This is a two unit course.)	S2 (ONL)
LAC3004 In-Country Study/Professional Placement	S1 (ONL), S2 (ONL)
LIN5000 The Nature of Language	S1 (ONC, ONL), S2 (ONL)

Note: upon presentation of evidence of successful completion of language and cultural studies at an appropriate competency level in the relevant country (China or Germany), students may apply for course credit and/or unspecified credit towards their major. Students who wish to study LAC3004 In-Country Study/Professional Placement must contact the Faculty of Business, Education, Law and Arts to discuss to discuss their enrolment plan.

Minor Studies

Minor studies are designed to enable students to widen their knowledge and perspectives, or to complement their choice of major. Students who take one of the following Minor Studies may reduce the number of core courses in the degree to four, subject to the restrictions stated above. The recognised Minors in the Bachelor of Social Science degree are as follows:

Anthropology

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

Course	On-campus			External EXT	Online ONL	Enrolment requirements
	Toowoomba (ONC)	Springfield (ONC)	Ipswich (ONC)			
ANT1000 World Archaeology: An Introduction	S2				S2	
ANT1001 Introductory Anthropology	S1				S1, S3	
ANT2007 Ethnographic Methods: Making Anthropology	S2				S2	
Select one of the following two courses:						
ANT2002 Culture, Illness and Health[†]	S1				S1	
ANT2005 Culture, Religion and Belief[‡]						

Footnotes

[†] This course is offered in even-numbered years only.

[‡] This course is offered in odd-numbered years only.

Communication and Media Studies

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

Students should select four courses from the Communication and Media Studies major, subject to pre-requisite requirements:

Course	On-campus			External EXT	Online ONL	Enrolment requirements
	Toowoomba (ONC)	Springfield (ONC)	Ipswich (ONC)			
CMS1010 Introduction to Communication Studies	S1	S1			S1	
CMS1012 Introduction to Media Studies	S2	S2			S2	
Select any two courses from the following:						
CMS2017 Television: History, Texts and Industry					S1	
CMS2018 Cultural Industries - Cultural Economies					S2	
CMS2019 Global Hollywood	S1	S1			S1, S3	
CMS3013 New Media					S1	
SOC3001 Global Conflict Communication	S1				S1	

Community Welfare and Development

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

Students cannot study both HMT2000 and CDS2000 within the one degree.

Course	On-campus			External EXT	Online ONL	Enrolment requirements
	Toowoomba (ONC)	Springfield (ONC)	Ipswich (ONC)			
CDS1000 Community Welfare and Development	S1		S1		S3, S1	
And three of the following:						
CDS1001 Human Relations and Communications				S1		
CDS2000 Ethical Issues and Human Rights in the Human Services			S1		S1	
HSW1000 Foundations of the Human Services Disciplines			S2		S2	
PRL2002 Community Consultation and Development *	S1				S1	

Footnotes

* This course is available on-campus at Toowoomba and Springfield campuses in S1.

History

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

Course	On-campus			External EXT	Online ONL	Enrolment requirements
	Toowoomba (ONC)	Springfield (ONC)	Ipswich (ONC)			
HIS1001 Australian Colonies to Federation, 1788-1901	S2	S2			S2	
HIS2103 World History Since 1500 CE	S2	S2			S2	
Select two of:						
HIS2000 Contemporary Australia †	S1				S1	Pre-requisite: One unit of History or INR1000 or INR1001
HIS2001 Race Relations in Australian History						
HIS3005 Europe: History of an Idea †	S1				S1	Pre-requisite: Any First Year History Course

Footnotes

† This course is offered in even-numbered years only.

Indigenous Studies

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

Course	On-campus			External EXT	Online ONL	Enrolment requirements
	Toowoomba (ONC)	Springfield (ONC)	Ipswich (ONC)			
ISE1000 Introduction to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Island Australia	S1		S2		S1, S2	
Select three of the following four courses:						
ISE1001 First Nations Literature and Writings	S1				S1	
ISE1002 Comparative and Contemporary Indigenous Cultures	S2				S2	
ISE2002 Human Rights and Ideologies of the Nation State	S1				S1	
ISE3000 Language, Culture, Country and Community	S1				S1	

International Relations

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

Course	On-campus			External EXT	Online ONL	Enrolment requirements
	Toowoomba (ONC)	Springfield (ONC)	Ipswich (ONC)			
INR1000 International Relations in a Globalizing Era	S1				S1	
INR1001 Global Transitions and Human Security	S2				S2	
INR2000 Issues in a Globalizing World	S1				S1	
INR2001 Australian Foreign Relations	S2				S2	

Journalism

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

Course	On-campus			External EXT	Online ONL	Enrolment requirements
	Toowoomba (ONC)	Springfield (ONC)	Ipswich (ONC)			
JRN1020 Journalism Practice [^]	S2	S2			S2, S3	
JRN2000 News Reporting	S1	S1			S1	Pre-requisite: JRN1000 or JRN1020
JRN1010 News Literacy [#]	S1	S1			S1	
JRN2006 Media Law and Ethics ^{*†¶}					S2	

Footnotes

- [^] Formerly JRN1000: Students who have completed JRN1000 should not enrol in JRN1020.
[#] Formerly JRN2010: Students who have successfully completed JRN2010 should not enrol in JRN1010.
^{*} This course is compulsory.
^{†¶} Students who have successfully completed JRN3006 should not enrol in JRN2006

Language and Culture

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

Commencing students in the Language and Culture Major must elect to study either the German or Mandarin Chinese streams. They are advised to contact the Faculty of Business, Education, Law and Arts to arrange appropriate enrolment patterns.

Course	On-campus			External EXT	Online ONL	Enrolment requirements
	Toowoomba (ONC)	Springfield (ONC)	Ipswich (ONC)			
LAC1001						
LAC1002						
LAC2001						
LAC2002						

Public Relations

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

Course	On-campus			External EXT	Online ONL	Enrolment requirements
	Toowoomba (ONC)	Springfield (ONC)	Ipswich (ONC)			
PRL1002 Principles and Practice of Public Relations	S1	S1			S3, S1	
PRL1005 Social Media Engagement	S2	S2			S2	
PRL2003 Writing for Public Relations	S1				S1	

Course	On-campus			External EXT	Online ONL	Enrolment requirements
	Toowoomba (ONC)	Springfield (ONC)	Ipswich (ONC)			
PRL2001 Issues and Crisis Management					S2	

Electives/Approved courses

Elective courses are designed to enable students to further increase their knowledge and widen their perspectives. Choice of an elective will depend on the availability of the course(s), time tabling constraints, quotas, and other restrictions such as prerequisites and entrance requirements. Where students select to take elective courses, they are encouraged to select the following courses:

Courses
ANT1001 Introductory Anthropology
HMT1000 A History of Ideas
HMT2000 Ethical Issues and Human Rights

Students may already be doing some of these courses within their program, and the others are particularly relevant to a social science degree. However, electives can be freely chosen from across the university.

IT requirements

Access to an up-to-date computer is necessary. On-campus students can access appropriately equipped laboratories, but should consider acquisition of their own computer. External students should be able to access a computer with the following [minimum standards](#). All students should have access to email and the Internet via a computer running the latest versions of Internet web browsers such as Internet Explorer or Firefox. The University has a wireless network for on-campus students' computers. In order to take advantage of this facility and further enhance their on-campus learning environment, students should consider purchasing a notebook/laptop computer with wireless connectivity. A notebook/laptop may be required for some courses.

Residential schools

The attendance requirement of residential schools within this degree is indicated by the following letters: V = Voluntary; O = Optional; C = Compulsory; R = Recommended; HR = Highly Recommended; M = Mandatory. To find out more about [residential schools](#), visit the [Residential School Schedule](#) to view specific dates for your degree, or visit the [Policy and Procedure Library](#).

Some courses in this program will have compulsory [residential schools](#). Please consult course specifications for details.

Credit

Although not all students are full-time, the degree is split into a first year, a second year and a third year (as per the recommended enrolment plans). Students who transfer into the degree may be able to enter the second or third year directly, depending on their prior qualifications. Students who, in the past ten years, have already passed the equivalent of 8 course units of social science or 12 course units from other disciplines may enter the second year of the degree, and students who have passed the equivalent of 16 units of social science or 24 course units from other disciplines may enter the third year of the degree. Where such block credit is given, the courses to be taken shall be determined by the Faculty of Business, Education, Law and Arts, and students may be permitted to graduate with one major rather than the usual two. Alternatively, credit transfer may be given on a course-by-course basis, enabling students to be exempt from specific courses in the Bachelor of Social Science as long as they have passed other courses in the past ten years that are comparable in content and level.

No course may be counted towards more than one part of the degree under any circumstances, the parts of the degree being defined as the Core, Major 1, Major 2, a recognised Minor, and Elective courses.

Other information

Please note that all recommended enrolment patterns are subject to approval.

Major 1: Interdisciplinary Social Science / Major 2: Anthropology

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

Course	Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied						Enrolment requirements
	On-campus (ONC)		External (EXT)		Online (ONL)		
	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	
Year 1							
CMS1000 Communication and Scholarship	1	1,2			1	1,2,3	Enrolment is not permitted in CMS1000 if MGT1200 has been previously completed.
SOC1000 Approaches to the Social Sciences	1	1			1	1	
Major 1 course or elective	1	1			1	1	
ANT1001 Introductory Anthropology	1	1			1	1,3	
SOC1001 Conflict and Peace	1	2			1	2	
ANT1000 World Archaeology: An Introduction	1	2			1	2	
ANT2007 Ethnographic Methods: Making Anthropology	1	2			1	2	
Either							
INR1001 Global Transitions and Human Security	1	2			1	2	
Or							
Major 1 course or elective	1	1			1	1	
Year 2							
Either							
ANT2002 Culture, Illness and Health[†]	2	1			2	1	
Or							
ANT2005 Culture, Religion and Belief[‡]	2	1			2	1	
Either							
ANT3000 Archaeology of Indigenous Australia[†]	2	1			2	1	Pre-requisite: ANT1000
Or							
Major 1 course or elective	2	1			2	1	
Either							
INR1000 International Relations in a Globalizing Era	2	1			2	1	
Or							
Major 1 course or elective	2	1			2	1	
Major 1 course or elective	2	1			2	1	
ANT3006 Indigenous Peoples in the Nation[†]	2	1			2	1	
Major 1 course or elective	2	2			2	2	
Either							
STA3100 Data Analysis in the Social Sciences	2	2			2	2	
Or							
Major 1 course or elective	2	2			2	2	
Major 1 course or elective	2	2			2	2	

Course	Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied						Enrolment requirements
	On-campus (ONC)		External (EXT)		Online (ONL)		
	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	
Year 3							
Either							
ANT2002 Culture, Illness and Health [#]	3	1			3	1	
Or							
ANT2005 Culture, Religion and Belief [*]	3	1			3	1	
Either							
ANT3000 Archaeology of Indigenous Australia [#]	3	1			3	1	Pre-requisite: ANT1000
Or							
Major 1 course or elective	3	1			3	1	
Select two of the following four courses:							
ISE3000 Language, Culture, Country and Community	3	1			3	1	
POL3013 Sustainability and Politics					3	1	
PRL3012 Public Relations Research					3	1,3	
Major 1 course or elective	3	1			3	1	
SOC3000 Collaborative Community Problem Solving					3	2	Pre-requisite: 12 course units (though 16 course units is recommended)
ANT3006 Indigenous Peoples in the Nation [‡]	3	1			3	1	
Major 1 course or elective	3	2			3	2	
Major 1 course or elective	3	2			3	2	

Footnotes

[†] This course is offered in even-numbered years only.

[‡] This course is offered in odd-numbered years only.

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Major 1: Interdisciplinary Social Science / Major 2: Behavioural Science - recommended enrolment pattern

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

Course	Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied						Enrolment requirements
	On-campus (ONC)		External (EXT)		Online (ONL)		
	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	
Year 1							
CMS1000 Communication and Scholarship	1	1,2	1	1,2,3			Enrolment is not permitted in CMS1000 if MGT1200 has been previously completed.
SOC1000 Approaches to the Social Sciences	1	1			1	1	
ANT1001 Introductory Anthropology	1	1			1	1, 3	
PSY1010 Foundation Psychology A	1	1	1	1,3			
PSY1030 Cross-Cultural and Indigenous Psychology	1	2	1	2,3			
Either							
INR1001 Global Transitions and Human Security	1	2	1	2			
Or							
Major 1 course or elective	1	2	1	2			

Course	Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied						Enrolment requirements
	On-campus (ONC)		External (EXT)		Online (ONL)		
	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	
Major 1 course or elective	1	2	1	2			
SOC1001 Conflict and Peace	1	2			1	2	
Year 2							
Major 1 course or elective	2	1	2	1			
PSY2020 Motivation and Emotion	2	1	2	1			Pre-requisite: PSY1010
PSY2010 Social Processes of Behaviour	2	1	2	1			Pre-requisite: PSY1010
Either							
INR1000 International Relations in a Globalizing Era	2	1	2	1			
Or							
Major 1 course or elective	2	1	2	1			
STA3100 Data Analysis in the Social Sciences	2	2	2	2			
Major 1 course or elective	2	2	2	2			
Major 1 course or elective	2	2	2	2			
Major 1 course or elective	2	2	2	2			
Year 3							
PSY2100 Research Methods in Psychology A *	3	1	3	1			Pre-requisite: PSY1010 and STA2300 . For students enrolled in Program BSSC with a major in BES: PSY1010 and STA3100
Select one course from the following three courses:							
ISE3000 Language, Culture, Country and Community	3	1			3	1	
POL3013 Sustainability and Politics			3	1			
PRL3012 Public Relations Research					3	1,3	
Major 1 or Elective	3	1	3	1			
Major 1 or Elective	3	1	3	1			
SOC3000 Collaborative Community Problem Solving					3	2	Pre-requisite: 12 course units (though 16 course units is recommended)
Major 1 or Elective	3	2	3	2			
Major 1 or Elective	3	2	3	2			
Major 1 or Elective	3	2	3	2			

Footnotes

* Students who wish to take [PSY3730 Industrial and Organisational Psychology](#) should instead take [PSY2100 Research Methods in Psychology A](#) in their second year and [STA3100 Data Analysis in the Social Sciences](#) in their first year.

Major 1: Interdisciplinary Social Science / Major 2: Communication and Media Studies enrolment pattern

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

Course	Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied						Enrolment requirements
	On-campus (ONC)		External (EXT)		Online (ONL)		
	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	
Year 1							
CMS1000 Communication and Scholarship	1	1,2	1	1,2,3			Enrolment is not permitted in CMS1000 if MGT1200 has been previously completed.
SOC1000 Approaches to the Social Sciences	1	1			1	1	
ANT1001 Introductory Anthropology	1	1			1	1,3	
CMS1010 Introduction to Communication Studies	1	1	1	1			

Course	Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied						Enrolment requirements
	On-campus (ONC)		External (EXT)		Online (ONL)		
	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	
SOC1001 Conflict and Peace	1	2			1	2	
CMS1012 Introduction to Media Studies	1	2	1	2			
Either							
INR1001 Global Transitions and Human Security	1	2	2	2			
Or							
Major 1 course or elective	1	2	1	2			
Major 1 course or elective	1	2	1	2			
Year 2							
CMS2017 Television: History, Texts and Industry	2	1	2	1			
CMS2019 Global Hollywood	2	1	2	1			
Either							
INR1000 International Relations in a Globalizing Era	2	1	2	1			
Or							
Major 1 course or elective	2	1	2	1			
Major 1 course or elective	2	1	2	1			
CMS2018 Cultural Industries - Cultural Economies	2	2	2	2			
CMS2022 Communication and Power	2	2	2	2			
Either							
STA3100 Data Analysis in the Social Sciences	2	2	2	2			
Or							
Major 1 course or elective							
Major 1 course or elective							
Year 3							
SOC3001 Global Conflict Communication	3	2	3	2			
Select two of the following four courses:							
ISE3000 Language, Culture, Country and Community	3	1			3	1	
POL3013 Sustainability and Politics			3	1			
PRL3012 Public Relations Research					3	1,3	
Major 1 course or elective	3	1	3	1			
Major 1 course or elective	3	1	3	1			
SOC3000 Collaborative Community Problem Solving					3	2	Pre-requisite: 12 course units (though 16 course units is recommended)
CMS3013 New Media			3	1	3	2	
Major 1 course or elective	3	2	3	2			
Major 1 course or elective	3	2	3	2			

Major 1: Interdisciplinary Social Science / Major 2: History recommended enrolment pattern

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

Course	Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied						Enrolment requirements
	On-campus (ONC)		External (EXT)		Online (ONL)		
	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	
Year 1							
CMS1000 Communication and Scholarship	1	1, 2	1	1, 2, 3			Enrolment is not permitted in CMS1000 if MGT1200 has been previously completed.
SOC1000 Approaches to the Social Sciences	1	1			1	1	
HIS1000 World History to 1500 CE	1	1			1	1	
HIS1001 Australian Colonies to Federation, 1788-1901	1	2	1	2			
SOC1001 Conflict and Peace	1	2			1	2	
HIS2103 World History Since 1500 CE	1	2	1	2			
Either							
INR1001 Global Transitions and Human Security	1	2	1	2	1	2	
Or							
Major 1 course or elective	1	2	1	2			
Major 1 course or elective	1	2	1	2			
Year 2							
HIS2001 Race Relations in Australian History[†]	2	1	2	1			
HIS3005 Europe: History of an Idea[†]	3	1			2	1	Pre-requisite: Any First Year History Course
ANT1001 Introductory Anthropology	2	1	2		2	1, 3	
Major 1 course or elective	2	1	2	1			
HIS2000 Contemporary Australia[†]	2	1			2	1	Pre-requisite: One unit of History or INR1000 or INR1001
Either							
STA3100 Data Analysis in the Social Sciences	2	2	2	2	2	2	
Or							
Major 1 course or elective	2	2	2	2			
Major 1 course or elective	2	2	2	2			
Major 1 course or elective	2	2	2	2			
Year 3							
HIS3004 Approaches to History[†]-					3	1	
Select two of the following four courses:							
ISE3000 Language, Culture, Country and Community	3	1			3	1	
POL3013 Sustainability and Politics			3	1			
PRL3012 Public Relations Research					3	1,3	
Major 1 course or elective	3	1	3	1			
Either							
INR1000 International Relations in a Globalizing Era	3	1	3	1	3	2	
Or							
Major 1 course or elective	3	1	3	1			

Course	Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied						Enrolment requirements
	On-campus (ONC)		External (EXT)		Online (ONL)		
	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	
SOC3000 Collaborative Community Problem Solving					3	2	Pre-requisite: 12 course units (though 16 course units is recommended)
Either							
HIS3002 The Twentieth Century [†]	3	2			3	2	Pre-requisite: Any two courses of History or International Relations
Or							
HIS3006 Modern Asian History [‡]	3	2			3	2	
Major 1 course or elective	3	2	3	2			
Major 1 course or elective	3	2	3	2			

Footnotes

[‡] This course is offered in odd-numbered years only.

[†] This course is offered in even-numbered years only.

~ Students considering Honours in History are advised to study this course.

Major 1: Interdisciplinary Social Science / Major 2: Indigenous Studies recommended enrolment pattern

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

Course	Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied						Enrolment requirements
	On-campus (ONC)		External (EXT)		Online (ONL)		
	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	
Year 1							
CMS1000 Communication and Scholarship	1	1, 2	1	1, 2, 3			Enrolment is not permitted in CMS1000 if MGT1200 has been previously completed.
SOC1000 Approaches to the Social Sciences	1	1			1	1	
ANT1001 Introductory Anthropology	1	1			1	1, 3	
ISE1000 Introduction to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Island Australia	1	1			1	1	
ISE1002 Comparative and Contemporary Indigenous Cultures	1	2			1	2	
PSY1030 Cross-Cultural and Indigenous Psychology	1	2	1	2,3			
Either							
INR1001 Global Transitions and Human Security	1	2	1	2			
Or							
SOC1001 Conflict and Peace	1	2			1	2	
ANT1000 World Archaeology: An Introduction	1	2	1	2			
Year 2							
HIS2001 Race Relations in Australian History [‡]	2	1	2	1			
Either							
INR1000 International Relations in a Globalizing Era	2	1	2	1			
Or							
Major 1 course or elective	2	1	2	1			

Course	Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied						Enrolment requirements
	On-campus (ONC)		External (EXT)		Online (ONL)		
	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	
Either							
ANT3000 Archaeology of Indigenous Australia [†]	2	1	2	1			Pre-requisite: ANT1000
Or							
Major 1 course or elective	2	1	2	1			
ISE2002 Human Rights and Ideologies of the Nation State	2	1			2	1	
Either							
INR1001 Global Transitions and Human Security	2	2			2	2	
Or							
SOC1001 Conflict and Peace	1	2			1	2	
Either							
STA3100 Data Analysis in the Social Sciences	2	2	2	2			
Or							
Major 1 course or elective	2	2	2	2			
Either							
ANT3006 Indigenous Peoples in the Nation [‡]	2	1	3	1			
Or							
Major 1 course or elective	2	2	2	2			
Major 1 course or elective	2	2	2	2			
Year 3							
ISE3000 Language, Culture, Country and Community	3	1			3	1	
Either							
ANT3000 Archaeology of Indigenous Australia [†]	3	1	3	1			Pre-requisite: ANT1000
Or							
Major 1 course or elective	3	1	3	1			
Select two of the following three courses:							
POL3013 Sustainability and Politics			3	1			
PRL3012 Public Relations Research					3	1,3	
Major 1 course or elective	3	1	3	1			
SOC3000 Collaborative Community Problem Solving					3	2	Pre-requisite: 12 course units (though 16 course units is recommended)
Either							
ANT3006 Indigenous Peoples in the Nation [‡]	3	1	3	1			
Or							
Major 1 course or elective	3	2	3	2			
Major 1 course or elective	3	2	3	2			
Major 1 course or elective	3	2	3	2			

Footnotes

[‡] This course is offered in odd-numbered years only.

[†] This course is offered in even-numbered years only.

Major 1: Interdisciplinary Social Science / Major 2: International Relations recommended enrolment pattern

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

Course	Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied						Enrolment requirements
	On-campus (ONC)		External (EXT)		Online (ONL)		
	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	
Year 1							
CMS1000 Communication and Scholarship	1	1, 2	1	1, 2, 3			Enrolment is not permitted in CMS1000 if MGT1200 has been previously completed.
SOC1000 Approaches to the Social Sciences	1	1			1	1	
INR1000 International Relations in a Globalizing Era	1	1	1	1			
ANT1001 Introductory Anthropology	1	1			1	1, 3	
SOC1001 Conflict and Peace	1	2			1	2	
INR1001 Global Transitions and Human Security	1	2	1	2			
Major 1 course or elective	1	2	1	2			
Major 1 course or elective	1	2	1	2			
Year 2							
INR2000 Issues in a Globalizing World	2	1	2	1			
Major 1 course or elective	2	1	2	1			
Major 1 course or elective	2	1	2	1			
Major 1 course or elective	2	1	2	1			
Either							
STA3100 Data Analysis in the Social Sciences	2	2	2	2			
Or							
Major 1 course or Major 2 course or elective	2	2	2	2			
Major 1 course or Major 2 course or elective	2	2	2	2			
HIS3002 The Twentieth Century [†]	2	2			2	2	Pre-requisite: Any two courses of History or International Relations
HIS3006 Modern Asian History [†]	2	2			2	2	
Year 3							
INR3003 War and Terrorism: Introduction to Strategic Studies [†]	3	1	3	1			
Select two of the following four courses:							
ISE3000 Language, Culture, Country and Community	3	1			3	1	
POL3013 Sustainability and Politics			3	1	3	2	
PRL3012 Public Relations Research					3	1,3	
Major 1 course or Major 2 course or elective	3	1	3	1			
Major 1 course or Major 2 course or elective	3	1	3	1			
Major 1 course or Major 2 course or elective	3	1	3	1			
SOC3000 Collaborative Community Problem Solving					3	2	Pre-requisite: 12 course units (though 16 course units is recommended)
INR3000 [‡]	3	2	3	2			
Major 1 course or Major 2 course or elective	3	2	3	2			
Major 1 course or Major 2 course or elective	3	2	3	2			

Footnotes

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[‡] This course is offered in odd-numbered years only.

Major 1: Interdisciplinary Social Science / Major 2: Language and Culture enrolment pattern

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

Course	Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied						Enrolment requirements	Comments
	On-campus (ONC)		External (EXT)		Online (ONL)			
	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	Year	Sem		
Year 1								
CMS1000 Communication and Scholarship	1	1, 2	1	1, 2, 3			Enrolment is not permitted in CMS1000 if MGT1200 has been previously completed.	
SOC1000 Approaches to the Social Sciences	1	1			1	1		
ANT1001 Introductory Anthropology	1	1			1	1, 3		
LAC1001	1	1			1	1		
LAC1002	1	2			1	2		
INR1001 Global Transitions and Human Security	1	2	1	2				
SOC1001 Conflict and Peace	1	2			1	2		
Major 1 course or elective	1	2	1	2				
Year 2								
LAC2001	2	1			2	1		
INR1000 International Relations in a Globalizing Era	2	1	2	1				
Major 1 course or elective	2	1	2	1				
Major 1 course or elective	2	1	2	1				
LAC2002	2	2			2	2		
Either								
STA3100 Data Analysis in the Social Sciences	2	2	2	2				
Or								
Major 1 course or elective	2	2	2	2				
Major 1 course or elective	2	2	2	2				
Major 1 course or elective	2	2	2	2				
Year 3								
LAC3001 Language and the Contemporary World					3	1	Pre-requisite: LAC2002	
LIN5000 The Nature of Language					3	1,2		
Select two of the following four courses:								
ISE3000 Language, Culture, Country and Community	3	1			3	1		
POL3013 Sustainability and Politics			3	1	3	2		
PRL3012 Public Relations Research					3	1,3		
LAC3004 In-Country Study/Professional Placement					3	1,2		
SOC3000 Collaborative Community Problem Solving					3	2	Pre-requisite: 12 course units (though 16 course units is recommended)	

Course	Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied						Enrolment requirements	Comments
	On-campus (ONC)		External (EXT)		Online (ONL)			
	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	Year	Sem		
Either								
LAC3003 Language and Culture Special Project A					2	2	Pre-requisite: LAC3001 or for GERMAN language competency levels of B1 or above	two units
Or								
LAC3004 In-Country Study/Professional Placement					3	1,2		
Major 1 course or elective	3	2	3	2				
Major 1 course or elective	3	2	3	2				

Major 1: Applied Social Science / Major 2: Anthropology recommended enrolment pattern

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

Course	Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied						Enrolment requirements
	On-campus (ONC)		External (EXT)		Online (ONL)		
	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	
Year 1							
CMS1000 Communication and Scholarship	1	1, 2	1	1, 2, 3			Enrolment is not permitted in CMS1000 if MGT1200 has been previously completed.
SOC1000 Approaches to the Social Sciences	1	1	1	1			
ANT1001 Introductory Anthropology	1	1			1	1, 3	
Major 1 course or elective	1	2	1	2			
SOC1001 Conflict and Peace	1	2			1	2	
HMT1000 A History of Ideas	1	2	1	2	1	2	
ANT1000 World Archaeology: An Introduction	1	2	1	2			
ANT2007 Ethnographic Methods: Making Anthropology	1	2	1	2			
Year 2							
HMT2000 Ethical Issues and Human Rights [^]	2	1	2	1			Pre-requisite: HMT1000
Either							
ANT2002 Culture, Illness and Health [†]	2	1	2	1			
Or							
ANT2005 Culture, Religion and Belief [‡]	2	1	2	1			
Either							
ANT3000 Archaeology of Indigenous Australia [†]	2	1	2	1			Pre-requisite: ANT1000
Or							
Major 1 course or elective	2	1	2	1			
Major 1 course or elective	2	1	2	1			
ISE2002 Human Rights and Ideologies of the Nation State	2	2			2	2	
Either							
ANT3010 Food and Culture [†]	2	2	2	2			

Course	Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied						Enrolment requirements
	On-campus (ONC)		External (EXT)		Online (ONL)		
	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	
Or							
ANT3006 Indigenous Peoples in the Nation [†]	2	1	2	1			
Either							
ANT2007 Ethnographic Methods: Making Anthropology	2	2	2	2			
Or							
Major 1 course or elective	2	2	2	2			
Year 3							
Either							
ANT2002 Culture, Illness and Health [†]	3	1	3	1			
ANT2005 Culture, Religion and Belief [‡]	3	1	3	1			
Either							
ANT3000 Archaeology of Indigenous Australia [†]	3	1	3	1			Pre-requisite: ANT1000
Or							
Major 1 course or elective	3	1	3	1			
Select two of the following three courses:							
SOC3001 Global Conflict Communication	3	2	3	2			
INR3003 War and Terrorism: Introduction to Strategic Studies [†]	3	1	3	1			
ISE3000 Language, Culture, Country and Community SOC3000 Collaborative Community Problem Solving	3	1			3	1	Pre-requisite: 12 course units (though 16 course units is recommended)
					3	2	
ANT3006 Indigenous Peoples in the Nation [†]	3	1	3	1	3	2	
Major 1 course or elective	3	2	3	2			
Major 1 course or elective	3	2	3	2			

Footnotes

[^] students cannot study both HMT2000 and CDS2000 within the one degree

[†] This course is offered in even-numbered years only.

[‡] This course is offered in odd-numbered years only.

Major 1: Applied Social Science / Major 2: Behavioural Science recommended enrolment pattern

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

Course	Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied						Enrolment requirements	Comments
	On-campus (ONC)		External (EXT)		Online (ONL)			
	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	Year	Sem		
Year 1								
CMS1000 Communication and Scholarship	1	1, 2	1	1, 2, 3			Enrolment is not permitted in CMS1000 if MGT1200 has been previously completed.	
SOC1000 Approaches to the Social Sciences	1	1			1	1		

Course	Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied						Enrolment requirements	Comments
	On-campus (ONC)		External (EXT)		Online (ONL)			
	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	Year	Sem		
PSY1010 Foundation Psychology A	1	1	2	1, 3				
Major 1 course or elective	1	1			1	1		
SOC1001 Conflict and Peace	1	2			1	2		
PSY1030 Cross-Cultural and Indigenous Psychology	1	2	1	2,3				
Major 1 course or elective	1	2	1	2				
Major 1 course or elective	1	2	1	2				
Year 2								
HMT2000 Ethical Issues and Human Rights[^]	2	1	2	1			Pre-requisite: HMT1000	
PSY2010 Social Processes of Behaviour	2	1	2	1			Pre-requisite: PSY1010	
PSY2020 Motivation and Emotion	2	1	2	1			Pre-requisite: PSY1010	
Major 1 course or elective	2	1	2	1				
ISE2002 Human Rights and Ideologies of the Nation State	2	2			2	2		
STA3100 Data Analysis in the Social Sciences[*]	2	2	2	2				
Major 1 course or Major 2 course or elective	2	2	2	2				
Major 1 course or Major 2 course or elective	2	2	2	2				
Year 3								
PSY2100 Research Methods in Psychology A	3	1	3	1			Pre-requisite: PSY1010 and STA2300 . For students enrolled in Program BSSC with a major in BES: PSY1010 and STA3100	
Select two courses from the following four courses:								
ANT3006 Indigenous Peoples in the Nation[‡]	3	1	3	1			Select INR1000 if not studied in Year 1	
SOC3001 Global Conflict Communication	3	2	3	2				
INR3003 War and Terrorism: Introduction to Strategic Studies[†]	3	1	3	1				
ISE3000 Language, Culture, Country and Community	3	1			3	1		
Major 1 course or Major 2 course or elective	3	1	3	1				
SOC3000 Collaborative Community Problem Solving					3	2	Pre-requisite: 12 course units (though 16 course units is recommended)	
Major 1 course or Major 2 course or elective	3	2	3	2				
Major 1 course or Major 2 course or elective	3	2	3	2				
Major 1 course or Major 2 course or elective	3	2	3	2				

Footnotes

[^] students cannot study both HMT2000 and CDS2000 within the one degree

^{*} Students who wish to take [PSY3730 Industrial and Organisational Psychology](#) should instead take [PSY2100 Research Methods in Psychology A](#) in their second year and [STA3100 Data Analysis in the Social Sciences](#) in their first year.

[‡] This course is offered in odd-numbered years only.

[†] This course is offered in even-numbered years only.

Major 1: Applied Social Science / Major 2: Communication and Media Studies enrolment pattern

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

Course	Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied						Enrolment requirements
	On-campus (ONC)		External (EXT)		Online (ONL)		
	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	
Year 1							
CMS1000 Communication and Scholarship	1	1,2	1	1,2,3			Enrolment is not permitted in CMS1000 if MGT1200 has been previously completed.
SOC1000 Approaches to the Social Sciences	1	1	1	1			
CMS1010 Introduction to Communication Studies	1	1	1	1			
Major 1 course or elective	1	1			1	1	
SOC1001 Conflict and Peace	1	2			1	2	
CMS1012 Introduction to Media Studies	1	2	1	2			
Major 1 course or elective	1	2	1	2			
Major 1 course or elective	1	2	1	2			
Year 2							
HMT2000 Ethical Issues and Human Rights [^]	2	1	2	1			Pre-requisite: HMT1000
CMS2017 Television: History, Texts and Industry	2	1	2	1			
CMS2019 Global Hollywood	2	1	2	1			
Major 1 course or elective	2	1	2	1			
CMS2018 Cultural Industries - Cultural Economies	2	2	2	2			
CMS2022 Communication and Power	2	2	2	2			
ISE2002 Human Rights and Ideologies of the Nation State	2	2			2	2	
Major 1 course or elective	2	2	2	2			
Year 3							
SOC3001 Global Conflict Communication	3	2	3	2	3	2	
Select one course from the following three courses:							
ANT3006 Indigenous Peoples in the Nation [‡]	3	1	3	1			
INR3003 War and Terrorism: Introduction to Strategic Studies [†]	3	1	3	1			
ISE3000 Language, Culture, Country and Community	3	1			3	1	
Major 1 course or elective	3	1	3	1			
Major 1 course or elective	3	1	3	1			
SOC3000 Collaborative Community Problem Solving					3	2	Pre-requisite: 12 course units (though 16 course units is recommended)
CMS3013 New Media					3	2	
Major 1 course or elective	3	2	3	2			
Major 1 course or elective	3	2	3	2			

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[†] This course is offered in even-numbered years only.

Major 1: Applied Social Science / Major 2: History recommended enrolment pattern

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

Course	Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied						Enrolment requirements
	On-campus (ONC)		External (EXT)		Online (ONL)		
	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	
Year 1							
CMS1000 Communication and Scholarship	1	1, 2	1	1, 2, 3			Enrolment is not permitted in CMS1000 if MGT1200 has been previously completed.
SOC1000 Approaches to the Social Sciences	1	1			1	1	
HIS1000 World History to 1500 CE	1	1			1	1	
HIS1001 Australian Colonies to Federation, 1788-1901	1	2	1	2			
HIS2103 World History Since 1500 CE	1	2	1	2			
SOC1001 Conflict and Peace	1	2			1	2	
Major 1 course or elective	1	2	1	2			
Major 1 course or elective	1	2	1	2			
Year 2							
HMT2000 Ethical Issues and Human Rights [^]	2	1	2	1			Pre-requisite: HMT1000
HIS2001 Race Relations in Australian History [‡]	2	1	2	1			
HIS3005 Europe: History of an Idea [†]	3	1			2	1	Pre-requisite: Any First Year History Course
Major 1 course or elective	2	1			2	1	
HIS2000 Contemporary Australia [†]	2	1			2	1	Pre-requisite: One unit of History or INR1000 or INR1001
ISE2002 Human Rights and Ideologies of the Nation State	2	1			2	1	
Major 1 course or elective	2	2	2	2			
Major 1 course or elective	2	2	2	2			
Year 3							
HIS3004 Approaches to History ^{†-}					3	1	
Select two courses from the following four courses:							
ANT3006 Indigenous Peoples in the Nation [‡]	3	1	3	1			
SOC3001 Global Conflict Communication	3	2	3	2	3	2	
INR3003 War and Terrorism: Introduction to Strategic Studies [†]	3	1	3	1			
ISE3000 Language, Culture, Country and Community	3	1			3	1	
Major 1 course or elective	3	1	3	1			
SOC3000 Collaborative Community Problem Solving					3	2	Pre-requisite: 12 course units (though 16 course units is recommended)
Either							
HIS3002 The Twentieth Century [†]	3	2			3	2	Pre-requisite: Any two courses of History or International Relations
Or							
HIS3006 Modern Asian History [‡]	3	2			3	2	
Major 1 course or elective	3	2	3	2			
Major 1 course or elective	3	2	3	2			

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~ Students considering Honours in History are advised to study this course.

Major 1: Applied Social Science / Major 2: Indigenous Studies recommended enrolment pattern

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

Course	Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied						Enrolment requirements
	On-campus (ONC)		External (EXT)		Online (ONL)		
	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	
Year 1							
CMS1000 Communication and Scholarship	1	1, 2	1	1, 2, 3			Enrolment is not permitted in CMS1000 if MGT1200 has been previously completed.
SOC1000 Approaches to the Social Sciences	1	1	1	1			
ISE1002 Comparative and Contemporary Indigenous Cultures	1	1			1	1	
Major 1 course or elective	1	1			1	1	
ANT1000 World Archaeology: An Introduction **	1	2	1	2			
SOC1001 Conflict and Peace	1	2			1	2	
ISE1002 Comparative and Contemporary Indigenous Cultures	1	2	1	2			
PSY1030 Cross-Cultural and Indigenous Psychology	1	2	1	2,3			
Year 2							
HMT2000 Ethical Issues and Human Rights ^	2	1	2	1			Pre-requisite: HMT1000
HIS2001 Race Relations in Australian History †	2	1	2	1			
Either							
ANT3000 Archaeology of Indigenous Australia †	2	1	2	1			Pre-requisite: ANT1000
Or							
Major 1 course or elective	2	1	2	1			
Major 1 course or elective	2	1	2	1			
ISE2002 Human Rights and Ideologies of the Nation State	2	1	2	1			
Either							
ANT3006 Indigenous Peoples in the Nation †	3	1	3	1			
Or							
Major 1 course or elective	2	2	2	2			
Major 1 course or elective	2	2	2	2			
Major 1 course or elective	2	2	2	2			
Year 3							
ISE3000 Language, Culture, Country and Community	3	1			3	1	
Either							
ANT3000 Archaeology of Indigenous Australia †	3	1	3	1			Pre-requisite: ANT1000
Or							
Major 1 course or elective	3	1	3	1			
SOC3001 Global Conflict Communication	3	2	3	2	3	2	
INR3003 War and Terrorism: Introduction to Strategic Studies †	3	1	3	1			

Course	Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied						Enrolment requirements
	On-campus (ONC)		External (EXT)		Online (ONL)		
	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	
SOC3000 Collaborative Community Problem Solving					2	2	Pre-requisite: 12 course units (though 16 course units is recommended)
Either							
ANT3006 Indigenous Peoples in the Nation[‡]	3	1	3	1			
Or							
Major 1 course or elective	3	2	3	2			
Major 1 course or elective	3	2	3	2			
Major 1 course or elective	3	2	3	2			

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- ** Students are advised to take this course as an elective
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Major 1: Applied Social Science / Major 2: International Relations recommended enrolment pattern

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

Course	Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied						Enrolment requirements
	On-campus (ONC)		External (EXT)		Online (ONL)		
	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	
Year 1							
CMS1000 Communication and Scholarship	1	1,2	1	1,2,3			Enrolment is not permitted in CMS1000 if MGT1200 has been previously completed.
SOC1000 Approaches to the Social Sciences	1	1			1	1	
INR1000 International Relations in a Globalizing Era	1	1	1	1			
Major 1 course or elective	1	1			1	1	
SOC1001 Conflict and Peace	1	2			1	2	
INR1001 Global Transitions and Human Security	1	2	1	2			
Major 1 course or elective	1	2	1	2			
Major 1 course or elective	1	2	1	2			
Year 2							
HMT2000 Ethical Issues and Human Rights[^]	2	1	2	1			Pre-requisite: HMT1000
INR2000 Issues in a Globalizing World	2	1	2	1			
Major 1 course or elective	2	1	2	1			
Major 1 course or elective	2	1	2	1			
ISE2002 Human Rights and Ideologies of the Nation State	2	1	2	1			
HIS3002 The Twentieth Century[†]	2	2			2	2	Pre-requisite: Any two courses of History or International Relations
HIS3006 Modern Asian History[‡]	2	2			2	2	
Year 3							
Either							
INR3002 Nationalism and Revolution in Southeast Asia[‡]	3	1	3	1			

Course	Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied						Enrolment requirements
	On-campus (ONC)		External (EXT)		Online (ONL)		
	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	
Or							
INR3003 War and Terrorism: Introduction to Strategic Studies [†]	3	1	3	1			
Select two courses from the following three courses:							
ANT3006 Indigenous Peoples in the Nation [‡]	3	1	3	1			
SOC3001 Global Conflict Communication	3	2	3	2	3	2	
ISE3000 Language, Culture, Country and Community	3	1			3	1	
Major 1 course or Major 2 course or elective	3	1	3	1			
SOC3000 Collaborative Community Problem Solving					3	2	Pre-requisite: 12 course units (though 16 course units is recommended)
INR3000 [‡]	3	1			3	1	
Major 1 course or Major 2 course or elective	3	2	3	2			
Major 1 course or Major 2 course or elective	3	2	3	2			

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Major 1: Applied Social Science / Major 2: Language and Culture enrolment pattern

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

Note: Students who wish to study LAC3004 In-Country Study/Professional placement must discuss this with the Faculty of Business, Education, Law and Arts in the context of their enrolment plan.

Course	Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied						Enrolment requirements	Comments
	On-campus (ONC)		External (EXT)		Online (ONL)			
	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	Year	Sem		
Year 1								
CMS1000 Communication and Scholarship	1	1, 2	1	1, 2, 3			Enrolment is not permitted in CMS1000 if MGT1200 has been previously completed.	
SOC1000 Approaches to the Social Sciences	1	1			1	1		
LAC1001	1	1			1	1		
Major 1 course or elective	1	1			1	1		
SOC1001 Conflict and Peace	1	2			1	2		
LAC1002	1	2			1	2		
Major 1 course or elective	1	2	1	2				
Major 1 course or elective	1	2	1	2				
Year 2								
HMT2000 Ethical Issues and Human Rights [^]	2	1	2	1			Pre-requisite: HMT1000	
LAC2001	2	1			2	1		
Major 1 course or elective	2	1	2	1				
Major 1 course or elective	2	1	2	1				
LAC2002	2	2			2	2		

Course	Year of program and semester in which course is normally studied						Enrolment requirements	Comments
	On-campus (ONC)		External (EXT)		Online (ONL)			
	Year	Sem	Year	Sem	Year	Sem		
ISE2002 Human Rights and Ideologies of the Nation State	2	1			2	1		
Major 1 course or elective	2	2	2	2				
Major 1 course or elective	2	2	2	2				
Year 3								
LAC3001 Language and the Contemporary World					3	1	Pre-requisite: LAC2002	
LIN5000 The Nature of Language					3	1,2		
Select two courses from the following four courses:								
ANT3006 Indigenous Peoples in the Nation[‡]	3	1	3	1				
SOC3001 Global Conflict Communication	3	2	3	2	3	2		
INR3003 War and Terrorism: Introduction to Strategic Studies[#]	3	1	3	1				two units
ISE3000 Language, Culture, Country and Community	3	1			3	1		
SOC3000 Collaborative Community Problem Solving					3	2	Pre-requisite: 12 course units (though 16 course units is recommended)	
LAC3003 Language and Culture Special Project A					3	2	Pre-requisite: LAC3001 or for GERMAN language competency levels of B1 or above	two units
Major 1 course or Elective	3	2	3	2				

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