



Undergraduate Guide **2018**

– for domestic and international students



Undergraduate guide

Online/external study

If you want an international qualification but don't think it is possible for you to move to Australia, then online education is ideal for you. By studying online or externally from your own home or partner institution, you can study at a time and place that suits you.

International quality

All USQ degrees are registered with the Australian Government and meet their strict requirements, so you can be assured of the quality of education you will receive. Our degrees are industry-relevant, academically challenging and internationally recognised.

We're right there

You will have the peace of mind of studying in a safe and friendly environment with modern facilities, a low cost of living, and you will receive personalised attention and support throughout your studies.

WHY STUDY WITH USQ?

Learn from the best

Our key research areas are above world-standard and you can learn from renowned academics with industry and professional experience who are up-to-date with the latest breakthroughs in their field.

Improve your English

You have the opportunity to develop your English language skills through one of our English language programs. On successful completion, you are guaranteed entry into selected degree studies within USQ.

Learning and experience

Use USQ's online Credit Calculator to determine if you're eligible to receive recognition for study you have already completed. Your academic documents will be individually assessed to see if you are able to receive credits and therefore gain your degree faster. usq.edu.au/credit



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Where can you study?

Choose the option that fits in with your life best – from studying at any of our three campuses or mixing online and on-campus study.

USQ Toowoomba

- Approximately two hours' drive from Brisbane CBD, Toowoomba is Australia's largest inland city.
- Get the complete on-campus experience with Residential College accommodation.
- Enjoy contemporary lecture halls and learning facilities, a performing arts theatre, gym and two beautiful landscaped parks.

USQ Springfield

- A hub for digital production and performance.
- Learn in a state-of-the-art television studio, radio station and rehearsal spaces.
- Located just 35 minutes from Brisbane CBD with access to public transport.

USQ Ipswich

- USQ Ipswich's leafy campus has a graceful mix of historic heritage-listed and modern buildings, including a stunning library featuring a living rainforest.
- Home to the University's health precinct, USQ Ipswich includes custom-built paramedical training facilities and new clinical nursing laboratories.
- The campus is 55 minutes from Brisbane CBD, and is accessible via public transport.

For further information about studying in Toowoomba, Springfield, Ipswich or online, visit usq.edu.au/campus-hub



Free airport collection and transfer for international students

To assist with your arrival in Australia, we can organise a transfer from Brisbane Airport or Brisbane West Wellcamp Airport to your choice of campus. To book your transfer, please visit usq.edu.au/before-you-leave and complete the Airport Reception and Transfer Request at least seven days prior to your arrival time.



Darwin

Queensland

Sunshine Coast

Perth

Adelaide

Sydney

Melbourne

Hobart



Brisbane

USQ
Ipswich

USQ
Springfield



Gold Coast

Shape your online degree to suit you.

Just like studying on-campus, you can study the way that suits you, from a three-year full-time degree to a diploma you can study part-time. Talk to the team at USQ about what structure could suit you.

You're not on your own when you're online.

At USQ we keep you connected and motivated via your USQStudyDesk where you can discuss your course material with your lecturer and classmates online. Every USQ student has their very own Student Relationship Officer to help answer any questions.

You can still study a degree involving practical work, online.

Have your heart set on studying a degree involving practical work like nursing or engineering, but want to study from home? You can! We call this mode of study *external* study. As well as carrying out your online study, it simply requires you to attend Residential Schools, where you come to a USQ campus to participate in practical components necessary for you to graduate.

How online study could work for you

At USQ, over 70% of students choose to study online – and with good reason! Have you considered how online study could work for you?

Graduate with the same renowned degree, regardless of your mode of study.

Whether you've studied online or on-campus, it won't get a mention when graduating and you'll have received the same renowned degree as your peers.

Freedom to study when and where you like.

Studying online allows you the freedom to study whenever, wherever, is most convenient for you. Typically, students are expected to spend a minimum of 10 hours studying per subject, per week but when studying online it's up to you how you fit this in to your schedule!

We make it easier than ever for you fit online study into your life.
Get more details at usq.edu.au/online



STUDYING 1000 KILOMETRES FROM CAMPUS

'When you're studying online you have to make sure you create time to study and USQ has been great for that. We had to move to Mackay, in the north of Queensland, but with USQ I could still keep studying. I'm so thankful that I could keep doing that. For students who need to balance working and family, they are very flexible; USQ fits in with what is happening in your life.'

COURTNEY

Bachelor of Nursing

Life at USQ

If you are considering Queensland and studying on-campus at USQ as your study destination, what can you expect from your home away from home?



Population

163 232 TOOWOOMBA

10 600 SPRINGFIELD

316 254 IPSWICH

NOTE

Australian Bureau of Statistics, 2011

Climate

	SUMMER	WINTER
USQ TOOWOOMBA	28°C (82°F)	17°C (63°F)
USQ SPRINGFIELD	30°C (86°F)	21°C (70°F)
USQ IPSWICH	32°C (90°F)	22°C (72°F)

NOTE

The table displays average temperatures.



Travel guide — by car

NOTE

Travel times dependent on traffic conditions.

USQ TOOWOOMBA

TO	TIME
USQ Ipswich	1hr 20min
USQ Springfield	1hr 30min
Brisbane CBD	1hr 45min
Gold Coast	2hr 25min
Sunshine Coast	3hr

USQ SPRINGFIELD

TO	TIME
USQ Toowoomba	1hr 30min
USQ Ipswich	25min
Brisbane CBD	30min
Gold Coast	1hr 15min
Sunshine Coast	1hr 45min

USQ IPSWICH

TO	TIME
USQ Toowoomba	1hr 20min
USQ Springfield	25min
Brisbane CBD	45min
Gold Coast	1hr 25min
Sunshine Coast	2hr



Travel guide — by plane

FROM

Melbourne to Toowoomba* 2hr 25min

Sydney to Toowoomba* 1hr 35min

Cairns to Toowoomba* 2hr 25min

FROM

Melbourne to Brisbane Airport 2hr 20min

Sydney to Brisbane Airport 1hr 35min

Cairns to Brisbane Airport 2hr 25min

*Toowoomba (Brisbane West Wellcamp Airport)

Accommodation

We have accommodation options to suit any budget and living preference, from on-campus Residential Colleges with either fully catered or self-catered options, a residential village at USQ Springfield where you can enjoy self-contained apartment living, or private accommodation options in rental units or houses across all three campuses.

For more information, please visit:

usq.edu.au/housing

Why study in Queensland?

ONE OF THE BEST PLACES IN THE WORLD TO STUDY

- Queensland attracts students from more than 160 countries each year.
- Students come from over 90 countries to study with USQ.
- Australian student visas allow students to work up to 40 hours a fortnight and earn money while studying.
- Queensland offers a strong economy, a high standard of living, relaxed outdoor lifestyle and excellent work experience opportunities.

A UNIQUE TRAVEL DESTINATION

- Queensland is the second-largest state in Australia, 7 times the size of the UK.
- 300 days of sunshine a year.
- 7000 kilometres of coastline.
- 5 international airports.
- Enjoy beaches, rainforests and deserts, mountains and endless plains across the state.

EXPLORE YOUR

Are you unsure about what you might like to study at university? To help give you some ideas, we've categorised study areas by the personalities that thrive in them.

Remember, this is just a basic guide and you can align with several personality types¹.

You're a DOER

You are genuine, independent, practical and down-to-earth. You're all about action and getting things done, and prefer to be outdoors.

USQ STUDY OPTIONS

- Agricultural Science • Archaeology
- Aviation • Biomedical Science and Laboratory Medicine
- Climate Studies • Construction
- Engineering • Food Science
- Geographic Information Systems
- Physics and Physical Sciences
- Sport and Exercise • Surveying
- Visual Arts • Wine Science

You're a THINKER

You are focussed on ideas and enjoy solving problems.

You are curious about how things work and think critically. You prefer to work independently, and are self-motivating and high-achieving.

USQ STUDY OPTIONS

- Anthropology • Applied Data Science • Archaeology • Astronomy
- Aviation • Biomedical Science and Laboratory Medicine
- Business Economics • Chemistry
- Climate Studies • Computing
- Engineering • Environment and Sustainability • Food Science
- Geographic • Information Systems
- History • Human Services and Counselling • Information Systems
- Law • Mathematics and Statistics
- Mental Health • Midwifery
- Nursing • Paramedicine • Physics and Physical Sciences • Psychology
- Sustainable Business • Urban and Regional Planning • Wine Science

You're an ORGANISER

You like organising things, and are efficient and responsible. You are good at prioritising and planning.

You are a practical problem-solver with a strong attention to detail.

USQ STUDY OPTIONS

- Accounting and Commerce
- Applied Data Science • Business
- Economics • Computing
- Construction • Finance
- Information Systems
- International Business
- International Relations and Asian Studies • Legal Studies
- Management and Leadership
- Mathematics and Statistics
- Project Management • Surveying
- Tourism and Events

¹ Most people have attributes from a number of personality types and can be successful across a range of study and career areas. For personalised career advice, make a free appointment to talk with one of USQ's accredited Career Development Practitioners at usq.edu.au/career-advisor

CAREER OPTIONS

Discover which career is right for you.

Take five minutes to answer a few short questions to find study areas where your talents, interests and preferences can flourish and thrive, with our Career Explorer: usq.edu.au/career-explorer

You're a CREATOR

You are creative and spontaneous with an open mind. You are drawn to beauty, have a passion for working on ideas, and thrive on variety and stimulus.

USQ STUDY OPTIONS

- Anthropology • Applied Linguistics and TESOL • Astronomy
- Communications and Public Relations • Education
- English Literature • Film, TV and Radio • Health and Physical Education • Interactive Media
- Journalism • Language and Culture • Marketing • Music
- Theatre • Visual Arts

You're a PERSUADER

You are a confident and persuasive person, and a natural leader. You are enthusiastic, ambitious and driven with great entrepreneurial spirit, and motivated by reputation, money and status.

USQ STUDY OPTIONS

- Accounting and Commerce
- Behavioural Science
- Communication and Public Relations • English Literature
- Film, TV and Radio • Finance
- Guidance and Counselling
- Human Resource Management
- Indigenous Studies • Information Technology Management
- Interactive Media • International Business • International Relations and Asian Studies • Journalism
- Law • Legal Studies
- Management and Leadership
- Marketing • Music • Plant Agricultural Science • Project Management • Sustainable Business
- Theatre • Tourism and Events Management • Urban and Regional Planning

You're a HELPER

You're a kind, caring and empathetic soul with a big heart. You prefer to work where you can socialise, build relationships and improve society.

USQ STUDY OPTIONS

- Applied Linguistics and TESOL
- Behavioural Science • Career Development • Communication and Public Relations • Early Childhood • Education • Guidance and Counselling • Human Resource Management • Human Services and Counselling • Indigenous Studies • Language and Culture
- Mental Health • Midwifery
- Nursing • Paramedicine
- Psychology • Sport and Exercise

PATHWAYS TO USQ

There is more than one way to get into university, and USQ has several pathway programs that can get you there.

Is this program for me?

What will I study?

How long will this course take?

Are my classes on-campus or online?³

What will it cost?⁴

Will it give me entry into a USQ degree?

When can I start?

TERTIARY PREPARATION PROGRAM¹

You haven't met the admission requirements for a USQ degree or haven't studied for a while and want to prepare yourself for university study.

You will study courses that will develop your academic reading, writing, mathematical and general study skills, as well as courses that introduce you to your selected discipline area. You will also receive advice regarding your career development.

One to two semesters, consisting of four to eight units.

On-campus at USQ Toowoomba, USQ Springfield, USQ Ipswich, USQHub@ Stanthorpe and online.

Free.

As a graduate of this program, you will be eligible to apply for direct entry into selected USQ undergraduate diplomas and degrees.

February, July, November.

TERTIARY PREPARATION PROGRAM INTENSIVE PATHWAY²

You are currently in Year 12 and would like to start university in the new year but may not qualify or have the confidence to study at uni.

You will attend intensive on-campus workshops to develop your writing, computing, mathematical and general study skills. You will also receive advice regarding your career development and future study pathways.

11 weeks, consisting of three units.

On-campus at USQ Toowoomba, USQ Springfield and USQ Ipswich.

Free.

As a graduate of this program, you will be eligible to apply for direct entry into selected USQ undergraduate diplomas and degrees.

November.

INDIGENOUS HIGHER EDUCATION PATHWAYS PROGRAM²

You are an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander student looking to study at university.

You will be able to study courses with an Indigenous focus, to develop your computing, writing, mathematical and general study skills.

Six to eight months, consisting of four units.

Online (with an initial two-week residential school at USQ Toowoomba).

Free.

As a graduate of this program, you will be eligible to apply for direct entry into selected USQ undergraduate degrees.

February, July.

¹ This program is available to international students via external study only.

² This program is not available to international students.

³ Courses offered at various campuses and outreach hubs are subject to enrolments.

⁴ Find more details on university fees at usq.edu.au/fees

CERTIFICATE OF UNIVERSITY STUDIES	FOUNDATION DIPLOMA	CERTIFICATE OF ENGLISH FOR UNIVERSITY STUDIES ²	DIPLOMA OF ENGLISH FOR UNIVERSITY STUDIES	ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROGRAMS
You haven't studied for a while and want a formal qualification after just four courses. Alternatively you can fine-tune your study skills before starting your bachelor degree.	You are new to study or haven't studied for a while and would like an introduction to your chosen study area at university. Graduate with a formal qualification or continue on with a bachelor degree.	This program will give you a formal qualification in English language. If you want to study a nursing, law or research degree through USQ and are from a non-English-speaking background, this is for you.	This program will give you a formal qualification in English Language. If you want to study an education degree through USQ, and are from a non-English-speaking background, this is for you.	You are from a non-English-speaking background and wish to study at university.
You will study essential mathematics, academic English, digital literacy and learn about critical thinking and successful study strategies.	You will complete four courses from the Certificate of University Studies plus four discipline courses from one of the eight specialisations to prepare you for a bachelor degree.	You will learn to communicate confidently in spoken and written English, read and think critically at an advanced level, develop advanced speaking and listening skills, plus undertake preparation for the Pearson Test of English (PTE) Academic.	You will learn to communicate professionally in spoken and written English, read and think critically with advanced texts, develop proficient speaking and listening skills, plus undertake preparation for the Pearson Test of English (PTE) Academic.	You will study a variety of English language courses developed for undergraduate and some postgraduate degrees.
One semester, consisting of four units.	Two semesters, consisting of eight units.	One semester, consisting of four units.	One semester, consisting of four units.	On-campus: 20–36 weeks; online: 20–60 weeks.
Online.	Online.	On-campus at USQ Springfield.	On-campus at USQ Springfield.	On-campus at USQ Toowoomba, USQ Springfield as well as online.
Fees apply. ⁴	Fees apply. ⁴	Fees apply. ⁴	Fees apply. ⁴	Free for Australian citizens and permanent residents living in Australia. Fees apply for international students. ⁴
As a graduate, you will receive a USQ qualification and be eligible to apply for direct entry into USQ's foundation diplomas or selected USQ undergraduate degrees.	As a graduate of the Foundation Diploma, you will receive a USQ qualification and be eligible to apply for direct entry into selected USQ undergraduate degrees. Your studies could also count as credit toward your undergraduate degree.	You will meet the English language requirements for degrees requiring an entry level of IELTS 6.5.	You will meet the English language requirements for degrees requiring an entry level of IELTS 7.0.	You will meet the English language requirements for category 2 degree programs requiring an entry level of IELTS 6.0 or category 3 degree programs requiring an entry level of IELTS 6.5.
February, July.	February, July.	February, July.	February, July.	Throughout the year.

To find out more about our pathway options, visit usq.edu.au/pathway-programs

English language programs

Before you start your studies at USQ, you will need to meet specific English language levels. If you don't meet the level you require for your degree USQ offers English language pathway programs, starting from the elementary level, to help you achieve your goals.

English Language Intensive Courses for Overseas Students (ELICOS)

	CRICOS code	070617J
	Duration	Approximately 10 weeks per level (minimum 5 weeks, maximum 32 weeks)
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba
	Start¹	Intake 1 – February and April Intake 2 – May Intake 3 – July and August Intake 4 – September and October Intake 5 – November

Why study this program?

The English Language Intensive Courses for Overseas Students (ELICOS) is designed to improve your English language skills. You can study ELICOS to improve your written and spoken English for personal reasons, as a pathway to future study and to improve your career.

Entry requirements²

- Elementary – IELTS 3.5
- Pre-intermediate – IELTS 4
- Intermediate – IELTS 4.5





Further study pathway

ELICOS aims to prepare you for further study. When you complete the Intermediate level of ELICOS, you can choose to go on to study USQ's English for Academic Purposes to prepare you for studies in your chosen degree.

¹ Start dates may differ each year. For more information, please visit usq.edu.au/english-language-programs

² Students are required to provide evidence of their English language proficiency on an internationally recognised test of English, prior to arrival. On arrival, students will then be tested using the USQ placement test to determine allocation to either the Elementary, Pre-intermediate or Intermediate level. Students with an IELTS score below 3.5 will not be accepted to the USQ ELICOS program. Students at the Elementary level will need a minimum of 30 weeks of ELICOS followed by 20 weeks of EAP to proceed to degree studies.

English for Academic Purposes (EAP)

	CRICOS code	069700B
	Duration	On-campus: minimum 20 weeks, maximum 36 weeks. Online: minimum 20 weeks, maximum 60 weeks.
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, Springfield, online
	Start¹	Intake 1 EAP I – February EAP II – April Intake 2 EAP I – May EAP II – May Intake 3 EAP I – July EAP II – August Intake 4 EAP I – September EAP II – September Intake 5 EAP I – November EAP II – November

Why study this program?

English for Academic Purposes (EAP) will prepare you to study a degree at university.

As an EAP student, you can access great teaching and support in a friendly, caring environment and be prepared to study a degree at USQ. EAP will develop your language skills and give you the confidence you need to succeed at university.

Entry requirements

- Completion of senior secondary schooling in your home country or equivalent, *plus* EAP I – IELTS 5.0 or equivalent. EAP II – IELTS 5.5 or equivalent (undergraduate, postgraduate coursework, postgraduate research and doctorate).
- If you do not have evidence of your English language proficiency, you will need to participate in tests of reading, writing, listening and speaking, to determine your entry level.

Further study pathway

EAP aims to prepare you for entry to university. When you successfully complete Level 2 of EAP, you have the necessary language requirements to study a degree at USQ. Now is the time to start your pathway to a career you want.

EAP I

PROGRAM STRUCTURE	UNITS
2 x core courses ²	4
TOTAL	4

You will increase your skills in academic speaking, listening, reading and writing, and develop the strategies you will need to manage your university studies.

EAP II

(UNDERGRADUATE AND POSTGRADUATE COURSEWORK)

PROGRAM STRUCTURE	UNITS
3 x core courses	3
<i>plus</i> 1 x elective course	1
TOTAL	4

You will learn independent study and learning skills, develop self-motivation techniques and your ability to manage your academic lifestyle. You will gain skills in undergraduate reading, writing, listening and speaking, including essay writing and participating in online or tutorial discussions. Undergraduate students will further develop their mathematics and computing skills, whilst students entering a postgraduate degree will learn more about the skills required for masters coursework, research and higher degree studies.

¹ Start dates may differ each year. For more information, please visit usq.edu.au/english-language-programs

² Each core course is worth two units.



SKILLS FOR THE FUTURE




'I want to improve my writing skills and also hope to complete my PhD. I hope to then return to Jordan and teach law in a university there. USQ is a lovely place, I'm making friends from all different countries, and it's been a really interesting experience.'

WESAM

English for Academic Purposes

Certificate of English for University Studies

This degree is not offered to international students.

 Duration	0.5 year or part-time equivalent 4 units
 Campus/mode	Springfield
 Start	February, July

Why study this degree?

USQ's Certificate of English for University Studies will provide you with a formal undergraduate award while building your capacity to manage information, expand your knowledge, and communicate your ideas and thoughts more effectively in the English language. The courses in this program will also provide you with skills and preparation required to undertake the Pearson Test of Academic English (PTE). If you decide to take the test, it may provide certification of your English language levels that are needed for professional registration bodies in areas, such as nursing, education and accounting.

Entry requirements

- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.
- Completion of senior secondary schooling in the home country or equivalent, or Year 12 in an Australian high school, or completed 'A' levels, or mature-age entry.
- Students must be at least 18 years in the year of proposed enrolment.

Further study pathway

Diploma of English for University Studies

PROGRAM STRUCTURE	UNITS
4 x core courses	4
TOTAL	4

Diploma of English for University Studies

 CRICOS code	092322J
 Duration	1 year or part-time equivalent 8 units
 Campus/mode	Springfield
 Start	February, July

Why study this degree?

The Diploma of English for University Studies is designed to give you a formal qualification while helping build your advanced written and spoken communication skills to a level ready to meet the demands of university studies in education and other disciplines. You will learn skills to assist in your ability to undertake the Pearson Test of Academic English (PTE), an internationally recognised standardised test of academic English. Successful completion of the test can provide you with the formal English proficiency requirements for professional registration and workplace language requirements.

Entry requirements

- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.
- Students must be at least 18 years in the year of proposed enrolment.
or
- Successful completion of the Certificate of English for University Studies.

Further study pathway

Successful completion of this degree may gain you credit and entry into a number of USQ degrees. For more information, please visit usq.edu.au/english-language-programs

PROGRAM STRUCTURE	UNITS
8 x core courses	8
TOTAL	8

Want to know more?

For more information on English language programs or for full course listings, please visit usq.edu.au/english-language-programs

What do these university words mean?

At university, we sometimes use words that you may not yet be familiar with, so here is a guide which explains some common terms and phrases we use. It should help you make a better decision about choosing your future USQ degree.

Undergraduate degree

An undergraduate degree is usually the first degree you study at a university level, and normally takes about three or four years of full-time study.

Postgraduate degree

A postgraduate degree is generally for those who have already completed an undergraduate degree, and can range from a graduate certificate through to a masters, or even a doctorate.

Combined and double degrees

A combined degree allows you to combine two degrees into one so that you graduate with a single qualification. A double degree makes it possible for you to study two degrees in a shorter time, and will allow you to graduate with two separate qualifications.

Duration

Duration is the time it takes to complete the degree, and will differ depending on whether you study full-time or part-time. Full-time study generally consists of three to four courses per semester, while part-time study generally consists of one to two courses per semester.

Online/External mode

Online study gives you the convenience to study wherever you want. You will be provided with all of your study materials online, and you will have access to your lecturers and fellow classmates through forums, chat and email.

External mode has compulsory on-campus Residential School components that may be part of certain courses, even if the majority of study takes place online.

On-campus mode

Studying on-campus at one of USQ's three campuses allows you to attend lectures in person and participate in on-campus activities. Attending on-campus lectures and tutorials allows for interactive group discussions and provides the opportunity to work through examples and practical questions.

Major/specialisation

A major or specialisation is the speciality area that you choose in your degree. Your chosen major or specialisation generally consists of 8–12 units in that topic, and is noted on your certificate when you graduate.

Minor

A minor is very similar to a major or specialisation but with less units to complete. A minor is usually chosen to complement your major, and is comprised of four courses.

Courses

A course is a subject you undertake as a part of your degree which usually runs for the duration of one semester.

Core courses

Core courses are the mandatory courses within your degree. You may have core courses as a part of your major/specialisation, or degree.

Elective/Approved courses

An elective is a course you can choose from a large selection of courses across all disciplines to complement your degree and interests.

Certain degrees have a fixed list of approved courses you select from in order to complete the required number of units for your degree.

Semester

The USQ teaching year is divided into three semesters, each generally containing up to 13 weeks of teaching.

IELTS (International English Language Testing System)

IELTS is an international standardised test of English language proficiency to ensure non-native-English-language speakers will have a strong enough understanding of the English language. At USQ, we offer a number of programs that will develop your English language skills.

Visit usq.edu.au/english-language to find out more.



Business and Commerce

USQ is in the business of offering degrees to give you the skills essential to thrive in a dynamic and increasingly technology-driven work environment. Position yourself as an innovative, strategic and adaptable business leader.

No. 1

USQ is number one in Queensland, Australia for Business and Management graduates in full-time work.

*Graduate Destinations Survey,
2013–2015.*

There is expected to be

50 000





job openings in Australia for accountants, between now and 2019.

Job Outlook, 2016.

USQ's Business school is ranked number 3 in Australia.

University Reviews, 2016

Associate Degree of Business and Commerce

	CRICOS code	093267C
	Duration	2 years or part-time equivalent 16 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba ¹ , Springfield ¹ , online
	Start	February, July, November ²

DEGREE STRUCTURE

	UNITS
Core courses	8
<i>plus</i> 2 x 4-unit minors	
<i>or</i> 1 x 4-unit minor	8
<i>plus</i> 4 x approved courses from the Associate Degree of Business and Commerce.	
TOTAL	16

¹ Not all courses are available at all campuses.

² Students commencing study in November must do so at Springfield campus or online.

³ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

Why study this degree?

The Associate Degree of Business and Commerce is the perfect way to start studying within the business and commerce industries, and is a pathway for further learning. Develop your understanding of foundation business and commerce, with the option to continue your studies into a bachelor degree upon completion.





Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **17**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **63**, or equivalent qualification³.
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- Assumed knowledge: Mathematics A (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Visit our **SOCIAL HUB** to
get tips on how to balance
study, work and a social life.

social.usq.edu.au

Bachelor of Aviation

	CRICOS code	TBA ¹
	Duration	3 years or part-time equivalent 24 units
	Campus/mode	Springfield ²
	Start	February

Why study this degree?

USQ's Bachelor of Aviation will prepare you for a successful career in the dynamic aviation industry. You will gain a broad understanding of the industry, and study areas in project management, airline and airport operations, flight training, international aviation law and safety management systems. Our Bachelor of Aviation also includes professional development workshops where you can build your resume and learn from airline and air force instructor pilots and managers.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **16**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **64**, or equivalent qualification³.
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- Assumed knowledge: Mathematics A (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

For Flight Operations major students, once you have completed your year of flight training with a registered training organisation flight school, you will gain professional pilot qualifications issued by the Australian Civil Aviation Safety Authority.

Career opportunities

Your aviation studies will equip you for careers as an aviation specialist in either aviation operations, scheduling, human resources, airport and airline operations, or a pilot for Flight Operations major students.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core courses	8
<i>plus</i> 1 x 16-unit major	16
TOTAL	24

Majors

AVIATION MANAGEMENT²

Specialise your business skills for a career in the aviation industry with USQ's Bachelor of Aviation (Aviation Management). Designed to develop your skills in safety management systems, international aviation law, airline and airport operations, project management and emergency response planning, you will graduate equipped for a career in aviation management and operations. In addition, you will be able to gain industry experience through research projects with aviation experts.

FLIGHT OPERATIONS²

Unlike other universities, you will start flight training by the end of your first year. Your degree will cover topics, such as aviation human factors, multi-crew cooperation, safety management systems, international aviation and aircraft operations. In addition, you will be able to gain industry experience through research projects with aviation experts.

¹ This degree is pending CRICOS registration. Offers will not be issued to international students for this degree until CRICOS endorsement is granted. Please check the USQ website usq.edu.au/study for the latest information on degree availability.

² You will have the option to study courses online after completing your first year of this degree.

³ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

INDUSTRY-RELEVANT COURSES





'The Aviation degree feels like it directly relates to the aviation industry, helping me to reach my goal of becoming a commercial pilot, flying internationally and visiting beautiful locations.'

LESLIE

Bachelor of Aviation



Bachelor of Business and Commerce

	CRICOS code	092182E
	Duration	3 years or part-time equivalent 24 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba ¹ , Springfield ¹ , online
	Start	February, July, November ²

Why study this degree?

Explore the world of business and commerce with USQ's Bachelor of Business and Commerce. Designed to give you practical skills and knowledge to identify, describe, analyse and resolve business problems, you will be able to specialise your studies to suit your career ambitions.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **16**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **64**, or equivalent qualification³.
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- Assumed knowledge: Mathematics A (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

Accounting graduates will meet the educational entrance requirements of CPA Australia and Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand (CAANZ). This will allow you to apply for Associate membership of CPA Australia, eligibility to study the CPA Australia professional exams and eligibility to study the CAANZ professional exams.

Successful completion of the **Accounting** major can also qualify students for exemptions from the Fundamental level (nine papers) of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA) exams.

The **Accounting** major is accredited by the Chartered Institute of Management Accountants (CIMA) and the Association of International Accountants (AIA).

Accounting major students who complete a Finance minor students will meet the educational entrance requirements of the Financial Services Institute of Australasia (Finsia).

Finance major graduates will meet the educational entrance requirements to become a member of the Financial Services Institute of Australasia (Finsia).

The **Human Resource Management** major is accredited by the Australian Human Resources Institute (AHRI) and satisfies the educational requirements for professional membership of AHRI.

The **Information Technology Management** major is accredited at professional level by the Australian Computer Society and is recognised in other countries through the Seoul Accord.

Career opportunities

Some career opportunities may include marketing officer, human relations officer, accountant, financial consultant, event coordinator or regional tourism coordinator.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core courses	8
<i>plus</i> 1 x 16-unit major	
<i>or</i> 1 x 8-unit major <i>plus</i> 1 x 8-unit second major	
<i>or</i> 1 x 8-unit major <i>plus</i> 2 x 4-unit minors	16
<i>or</i> 1 x 8-unit major <i>plus</i> 1 x 4-unit minor <i>plus</i> 4 x electives	
TOTAL	24

Majors

ACCOUNTING T S O

A qualification in accounting leads to exciting career options in various organisational settings. Your studies will focus on developing high-level technical accounting skills in areas, such as financial analysis and interpretation, audit and assurance, and business decision making.

AVIATION MANAGEMENT AND SAFETY S O

Specialise your degree with management skills to equip you for a career in the aviation industry. Your studies will focus on airline and airport structures, the safety management underpinning their complex operations, and the business strategies which make them successful.

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION T O

Through this major, you will develop the skills to reach goals and lead your team to success. Your skills and knowledge in administration will equip you to ensure ethical practice and business sustainability, and prepare you for work in any business environment.

BUSINESS ECONOMICS O

You will learn how businesses manage people, capital and resources, as well as deal with external forces, such as competition and government policy, in order to best achieve the business' goals. This provides you with the ability to analyse, reason and communicate results concisely.

BUSINESS LAW O

Gain an appreciation of business laws, and develop the skills needed to examine the facts, analyse statutory provisions, develop arguments based on legal principles, and communicate these effectively.

FINANCE T S O

A qualification in finance opens up career choices as a financial analyst, consultant or manager, commercial banker, or an investment banker. Your studies will focus on areas, such as financial analysis, financial markets, securities, complex financial decisions, dividends in the corporate sector, credit decisions, and the evaluation and assessment of managed investment portfolios.

GENERAL COMMERCE T S O

Our General Commerce major will give you a solid foundation in this industry. You will have the opportunity to study a variety of commerce-related topics, such as corporate finance, accounting and auditing, giving you a rounded understanding of this dynamic area.

HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT T S O

Human Resource Management offers you the potential to become a leading workplace expert on strategies and practices for guiding and partnering with employees so they continue to be motivated and provide a source of competitive advantage for the business.

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY MANAGEMENT T S O

Information Technology Management is highly focussed on information systems as a key strategic enabler of successful business. You will learn how to leverage information systems to identify and solve business problems.

INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS T O

The International Business major prepares you for a career with a unique blend of business and international relations courses. You will also have the opportunity to select a second major in Language and Culture which will enable you to learn a language (Mandarin Chinese or German).

LOGISTICS AND SUPPLY CHAINS O

You will learn how to plan, organise and control the flow of material and information within and between organisations, covering supply chain design, logistics management, distribution channels, supply chain operations and quality management.

MANAGEMENT AND LEADERSHIP O

All organisations need great leaders to empower and motivate staff, and to guide the business through the complexities of the modern economic environment. This major will focus on developing your skill and understanding to become an effective leader.

MARKETING T S O

Marketing is a career focussing on developing strategies to create value for the organisation and its customers. Marketing professionals are creative and innovative. They look for new markets, and develop and design strategies and brands to create value, persuasively communicate, and sell to and influence customers in the marketplace.

MARKETING AND HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT⁴ T S O

With hospitality being one of Australia's largest industries, the Marketing and Hospitality Management major will give you the skills you need to take on management and executive roles within this thriving sector.

SUSTAINABLE BUSINESS T S O

Sustainable business generates a huge amount of political and social interest. By expanding your knowledge with a range of business, commerce or arts courses, you can strengthen your position in the marketplace as a highly skilled and sought-after business expert.

TOURISM AND EVENTS MANAGEMENT⁴ S O

Tourism is becoming intrinsically linked with events, such as music festivals, cultural celebrations and sporting events, attracting millions of tourists each year. It is a great time to be a professional with training in both of these areas. Gain the expert knowledge and skills needed to combine both in this diverse industry.

TOURISM MANAGEMENT S O

Tourism is a diverse and dynamic industry and, with an increasing emphasis on sustainable tourism, it is the perfect time to be a part of this exciting area.

¹ Not all courses are available at all campuses.

² Students commencing in Semester 3 (November) can only study at USQ Springfield or online.

³ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

⁴ This major is only available to those students who have successfully completed a relevant diploma from a TAFE institution or equivalent accredited body. Please see usq.edu.au/study for more details.

FREEDOM TO MOVE





'I had two years studying Engineering and then decided to move to Business and Commerce. There was a lot of flexibility and help when transferring.'

JUSTIN

Bachelor of Business



Bachelor of Business and Commerce and Bachelor of Information Technology

	CRICOS code	092730D
	Duration	4 years or part-time equivalent 32 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba ¹ , Springfield ¹ , online
	Start	February, July, November ²

Why study this degree?

The double degree of Bachelor of Business and Commerce and Bachelor of Information Technology will provide you with strong business skills and knowledge of the information technology field, supplying you with the tools you need to thrive in an increasingly technology-dependent environment. Combine theoretical knowledge with practical experience to help you become successful in whichever career pathway you choose.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **16**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **64**, or equivalent qualification³.
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- Assumed knowledge: Mathematics A (4 SA) or equivalent.
- Recommended study: Mathematics A (4 SA) for Applied Computer Science, and Networking and Security majors.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

Please see Bachelor of Business and Commerce on page 20 and the Bachelor of Information Technology on page 72.

Career opportunities

As a graduate with a double degree, your career opportunities are extensive and vary widely, depending on your chosen majors. Careers can include administrative manager, personnel officer, supply and materials manager, event coordinator, product/brand manager and IT manager.

Some of the biggest employers of ICT graduates in Australia are international IT vendors, including Microsoft and IBM, and ICT end-users, such as banks and government departments.

Majors

BUSINESS AND COMMERCE

Accounting, Aviation Management and Safety, Business Administration, Business Economics, Business Law, Finance, General Commerce, Human Resource Management, Information Technology Management, International Business, Logistics and Supply Chains, Management and Leadership, Marketing, Sustainable Business, and Tourism Management.

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY





Applied Computer Science, Information Systems Development, Information Technology Management, and Networking and Security.

¹ Not all majors in this degree are available on-campus.

² Students commencing in Semester 3 (November) can only study at USQ Springfield or online.

³ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

Bachelor of Business and Commerce and Bachelor of Laws

	CRICOS code	092731C
	Duration	5 years or part-time equivalent 40 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba ¹ , Springfield ¹ , online
	Start	February, July, November ²

Why study this degree?

The Bachelor of Business and Commerce and Bachelor of Laws double degree provides you with multiple skill areas and employment opportunities in both the disciplines of Business and Commerce, and Law. You will have the choice to study a range of courses, including Economics, Marketing, Data Analysis, Company Law and Criminal Law, and gain both theoretical knowledge and practical experience. This combination will ensure you are skilled for whichever career pathway you choose.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **11**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **76**, or equivalent qualification³.
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- Assumed knowledge: Mathematics A (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.5** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

Please see Bachelor of Business and Commerce on page 20 and the Bachelor of Laws on page 76.

Career opportunities

As a graduate with a double degree, your career opportunities are extensive and vary widely, depending on your chosen majors. Careers can include private practice solicitor or barrister, corporate legal counsel, tax manager, forensic investigator, chartered accountant, financial institutional lawyer, government sector employee at state or federal level, or in-house positions with businesses or community organisations requiring specialist in-house legal skills.

Majors

BUSINESS AND COMMERCE

Accounting, Aviation Management and Safety, Business Administration, Business Economics, Business Law, Finance, General Commerce, Human Resource Management, Information Technology Management, International Business, Logistics and Supply Chains, Management and Leadership, Marketing, Sustainable Business, and Tourism Management.

¹ Not all majors in this degree are available on-campus.

² Students commencing in Semester 3 (November) can only study at USQ Springfield or online.

³ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.







STEPPING STONE

'I am very passionate about corporate and business law, and I would like to become a practising legal professional in this area. With the help of USQ, I am one step closer to pursuing my goals.'

CHRISTINA

Bachelor of Business and Bachelor of Laws

Bachelor of Business and Commerce and Bachelor of Science

	CRICOS code	093873C
	Duration	4 years or part-time equivalent; 32 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba ¹ , external
	Start	February, July, November ²

Why study this degree?

As a graduate with a double degree in a Bachelor of Business and Commerce and Bachelor of Science, you will be a scientist with a professional level of business and commerce skills. The skills developed in the Bachelor of Business and Commerce will complement the expertise gained in the Bachelor of Science, and will allow you to become capable of making sound decisions while practising in your chosen scientific field.

This degree focuses on sciences in a business and commerce context, and allows you to major in one area of Science and one area of Business and Commerce.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **15**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **66**, or equivalent qualification³.
- Subject pre-requisites: English (4 SA), Mathematics A (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

NOTE

Different pre-requisites may apply for each major. Please see the Bachelor of Science on page 81 for further information.

Professional recognition

Please see Bachelor of Business and Commerce on page 20 and the Bachelor of Science on pages 54, 73 and 81.

Career opportunities

Graduates could take a career opportunity as an investment banker, economic analyst, data scientist, environment consultant or a chartered accountant.

Majors

BUSINESS AND COMMERCE

Accounting, Aviation Management and Safety, Business Administration, Business Economics, Business Law, Finance, General Commerce, Human Resource Management, Information Technology Management, International Business, Logistics and Supply Chains, Management and Leadership, Marketing, Sustainable Business, and Tourism Management.

SCIENCE

Biology, Computing, Counselling, Environment and Sustainability, Food Science, Human Physiology, Information Technology, Mathematics, Mathematics and Statistics, Physical Sciences, Plant Agricultural Science, Psychology, and Wine Science.

¹ Not all majors in this degree are available on-campus.

² Students commencing in Semester 3 (November) can only study online.

³ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

Want to know more?

For more information on Business and Commerce or for full course listings, please visit usq.edu.au/business

INTERESTED IN A DIFFERENT COMBINED OR DOUBLE DEGREE?

Business and Commerce is also available in:

- Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Business and Commerce, see page 68.
- Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) and Bachelor of Business and Commerce, see page 44.



Creative Arts and Media

At USQ, we enable emerging artists to develop their own unique artistic 'voice' during their studies in order to position themselves within relevant artistic trends and industry standards.

USQ is

No. 1 in Queensland, Australia





for Creative Arts graduates
in full-time work.

Graduate Destinations Survey, 2013–2015

USQ graduate Jake Stormoen is
pursuing an acting **career in
Hollywood** and recently landed a lead
role in a new television series.

Our Film, Television
and Radio students
will be working with
the outside broadcast
team, NEP, at the **2018
Commonwealth Games.**

Bachelor of Creative Arts

	CRICOS code	085003E
	Duration	3 years or part-time equivalent 24 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, Springfield, external, online
	Start	February

Why study this degree?

USQ's Bachelor of Creative Arts allows you to work independently and collaboratively throughout your studies to gain the vital professional knowledge associated with the performance, exhibition, broadcast and film industries. The balance between intensive periods of studio practice, theory studies and personal reflection will prepare you for an exciting career as a professional artist, and give you the tools for continuing your artistic development over a lifetime.

Entry requirements

- All students, studying any of the majors in this degree, are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

FILM, TELEVISION AND RADIO

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **16**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **64**, or equivalent qualification¹. No audition or interview is required.

MUSIC

- Instrumental and Vocal applicants must attend an audition and interview and present two contrasting items (applicants will need to provide their own accompanying tracks on MP3 or an iPod).
- Prepare a statement (approximately 500 words) addressing the following: a musical experience which has inspired, motivated or moved you. It might be a performance or concert you attended, or participated in, or it might be music of a particular artist or work. The submission should be typed and signed by you, with a statement which certifies that the work is your own. Please present your submission at interview.

THEATRE

- Attend an audition and interview. Please note: as no individual interview times are allotted, applicants must be prepared to wait until they are called.
- Attend an on-campus workshop on the day, specific to their ability in taking direction.
- Prepare a statement (approximately 500 words) addressing the most influential theatre experience that inspired you to study at USQ. The submission should be typed and signed by you, with a statement which certifies that the work is your own. Please present your submission at interview.

THEATRE – ACTING OPTION

- In addition to the above requirements, Acting applicants must prepare a monologue (minimum of 60 seconds) from a published theatre play. The interview will take place after the audition.

VISUAL ARTS

- Present a folio of recent or current works. This will not be retained by USQ after the interview.
- Present photographs of your artworks that are too large to bring to the interview. The photographs must provide an indication of the scale of your work.
- Provide a statement (approximately 500 words) addressing the following: interest, enthusiasm and purpose in studying visual arts; career aspirations; knowledge of visual arts processes and theory; demonstrated perceptual ability and hand skills; critical abilities; and evidence of self-motivation, initiative and commitment. The submission should be typed and signed by you, with a statement which certifies that the work is your own. Please present your submission at interview.
- Students who will be completing the Visual Arts major by external mode can have an interview by telephone at their request. The student's folio and 500-word statement will need to be submitted prior to the telephone interview.

AUDITIONS

For the latest information about auditions and audition workshops, please visit usq.edu.au/audition

Career opportunities

You can explore careers in television, radio, film, games, advertising agencies, or production companies; become a performer, songwriter, composer, or arranger; enjoy a rewarding career as an actor, collaborative artist, technical theatre officer, scenographer, dramaturge, events manager, or screenwriter; or be equipped to work as a practising artist, art critic, librarian, curator, in the areas of arts administration and gallery management. With additional study, you can pursue careers in education.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core course	1
<i>plus</i> discipline foundation courses	7
<i>plus</i> 1 x 16-unit discipline extension	
<i>or</i> 1 x 8-unit discipline extension	
<i>plus</i> 1 x 8-unit second major	
<i>or</i> 1 x 8-unit discipline extension	16
<i>plus</i> 2 x 4-unit minors	
<i>or</i> 1 x 8-unit discipline extension	
<i>plus</i> 1 x 4-unit minor	
<i>plus</i> 4 x electives	
TOTAL	24

Majors

FILM, TELEVISION AND RADIO T S

This major has a focus on conceptualising, designing and applying self-generated projects based upon a firm technological base and professional application. Our students are in strong demand in the industry because of the unique combination of courses in digital sound, image and visual technologies, design, creative writing and multimedia. After completing your first year, you can then take the opportunity to specialise in either TV/radio broadcast, film/documentary, or animation in your degree, or combine disciplines within creative arts or other areas of study.

MUSIC T

Our music major is increasingly recognised as one of the most innovative in Australia. We understand that 21st-century musicians must be flexible, resilient, creative, collaborative and adaptable. You will undertake a holistic course of learning, which values musical diversity and integrated theory with practice and music technology. You will learn within an exciting and collaborative environment alongside industry professionals. Our Music students have the opportunity to specialise in contemporary singing, guitar and/or song writing combined with other areas of study.

THEATRE T

You will master your choice of theatre performance, theory or stage management at one of Australia's oldest actor-training institutions whilst being supported by our expert staff. The Theatre major offers a mix of studio practice and theory. You can also choose to pursue specialised training in acting and stage management, or combine creative arts with other areas of study.

VISUAL ARTS T O





Offering practical and theory streams, the Visual Arts major lets you explore a variety of media whilst fostering your individual abilities and talents. You will be able to undertake studies in one or a combination of studios, including ceramics, spatial construction (sculpture and textiles), painting, printmaking, drawing, and gallery studies. Specialise in one studio or combine your Visual Arts study with other disciplines.

¹ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

Visit our **SOCIAL HUB** and get tips from students on why it's important to chase work experience and internships.

social.usq.edu.au

Bachelor of Creative Arts (Honours)

	CRICOS code	077427C
	Duration	1 year or part-time equivalent 8 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, online
	Start	February

Why study this degree?

The Bachelor of Creative Arts (Honours) allows you to enhance and expand your passion for creative arts by applying practical and theoretical knowledge to independent research. You will be given the opportunity to demonstrate your skills and experience through a thesis project in your specialist area of interest: Film, Television and Radio, Music, Theatre or Visual Arts. This degree also provides a pathway to doctoral studies.

Entry requirements

- A USQ Bachelor of Creative Arts degree with a credit average, or equivalent degree from another institution.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Career opportunities

This degree is a primary pathway to doctoral studies. You can graduate with specialised and advanced training in the areas of film, television and radio, music, theatre and visual arts. Become a soloist or collaborative artist, events manager, play and screenwriter, jazz performer, music or art critic, librarian, concert promoter, art researcher and practitioner, studio teacher or secondary school teacher (with further study: animator, post-production editor or film producer).

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
4 x major courses	4
plus 2 x 2-unit thesis project courses	4
TOTAL	8

Majors

FILM, TELEVISION AND RADIO T O

The Film, Television and Radio major enables you to undertake both traditional and hybrid pathways with emphasis placed on practice-led and theoretical debates that will enhance your honours degree, leading into postgraduate study and professional outcomes.

MUSIC T O

Through specialised and advanced training in the area of music performance, you will have the edge you need to succeed in the industry. You will gain independent research skills, learn to apply theory, and develop academic expertise whilst expanding your passion for creative arts and enhancing your musical abilities.

THEATRE T O

The Theatre major will allow you to master your choice of theatre performance, theory or stage management. An equal mix of studio practice and theory-led learning will enable you to create your own performance material and acquire the skills necessary to sustain a career in theatre. You will also develop an advanced understanding of the nature and impact of drama and theatre in human society.

VISUAL ARTS T O

The Bachelor of Creative Arts (Honours) (Visual Arts) major will advance your understanding of visual arts' theory and practice. You will critically analyse a range of historical and contemporary issues and explore their impact on the arts and society.

Want to know more?

For more information on Creative Arts and Media or for full course listings, please visit usq.edu.au/arts

PROFESSIONAL COLLABORATION

'Lecturers provide opportunities to collaborate with other music students and with visiting professional musicians in workshops.'

SARAH

Bachelor of Creative Arts (Music)



Education

Experiencing one great teacher can often make the difference. Study Education at USQ to make your mark. You can opt for a professional placement in rural, remote or overseas locations to increase your career options.

Education students
ranked USQ

No. 1

in Queensland, Australia

for student support.

*Graduate Destinations Survey,
2013–2015*

Qualified Special Education
teachers are in **high demand**
across Queensland, Australia.





Department of Employment, 2016

The median salary in Australia
for a primary school teacher is

\$72 800 p.a.

Job Outlook, 2016

Bachelor of Early Childhood

	CRICOS code	056707B
	Duration	3 years or part-time equivalent 24 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, Springfield, online
	Start	February, July

Why study this degree?

USQ's Bachelor of Early Childhood equips you with the skills and knowledge to give children the best possible start in life. You will graduate with expertise for a range of learning environments, including early education and care centres, and family day care programs, all with a focus on child-centred learning. You will gain extensive experience in targeted professional experience placements and unique additional engagement activities. You will engage and network with current educators and industry specialists – a strong advantage when it comes to applying for jobs.

NOTE

This degree is not accredited with the Queensland College of Teachers and does not lead to teacher registration. For those wishing to gain teacher registration, explore the Bachelor of Education with an Early Childhood specialisation.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **16**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **64**, or equivalent qualification¹.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 7.5** or equivalent.

EASE OF ONLINE STUDY

'The flexibility of online study means I can work full-time, be with my family and study for a much-wanted degree. USQ has an outstanding reputation and I am proud to soon be graduating with them.'

SHARON

Bachelor of Education (Special Education)

Professional recognition

The Bachelor of Early Childhood is approved with the Australian Children's Education and Care Quality Authority (ACECQA) and the Office of Early Childhood Education and Care (Queensland). For those wishing to gain teacher registration, explore the Bachelor of Education (Early Childhood).

Practical experience

You will gain valuable experience in early childhood services and classrooms by completing 65 days of professional experience placements.

Career opportunities





As a graduate, you will have the skills, knowledge and experience required to work in a range of prior-to-school learning environments, including early education and care centres, and family day care programs, as a director, educator, supervisor or as a group leader.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core courses	24
<i>plus</i> 65 days of professional experience (0 units value)	
TOTAL	24

¹ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.



Bachelor of Education

	CRICOS code	0650488
	Duration	4 years or part-time equivalent 32 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, Springfield, online
	Start	February, July, November

Why study this degree?

USQ's Bachelor of Education will give you the skills, knowledge and experience for a stimulating and rewarding career as a teacher. With regular opportunities to engage with current educators and industry, such as the Department of Education and Training, Queensland College of Teachers and Catholic Education, you will be able to cross the gap between theory and the classroom. This is why our graduates are highly sought after and employable.

NOTE

This program is currently being re-accredited and is, as a consequence, likely to undergo some changes.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **15**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **66**, or equivalent qualification¹.
- Subject pre-requisites: English (4 SA), Mathematics (4 SA) or equivalent.
 - For Early Childhood and Primary specialisations only: any science subject (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 7.5** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

Graduates are eligible to apply for teacher registration through the Queensland College of Teachers. To be eligible for registration in Queensland, both domestic and international students must complete a minimum of 100 days (110 days for **Early Childhood** specialisation) of supervised professional experience in Australian schools. The **Early Childhood** specialisation is recognised by the Australian Children's Education and Care Quality Authority (ACECQA) and the Office of Early Childhood Education and Care (Queensland).

Practical experience

You will gain valuable classroom experience by completing 100–110 days of professional experience placements, depending on your specialisation (the majority must be done in Australian schools) at a range of different locations. Completing one of your professional experience placements in a rural and remote area or overseas may also be an option.

Career opportunities

Depending on your chosen specialisation, this degree can enable you to work as a teacher in child care centres, kindergarten, primary school or high school. Teaching skills are in demand in other areas, including roles with human services and community-based government organisations, in the field of communication, educational management, personal training, and leadership.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core courses	10
<i>plus</i> 5–10 x shared courses ²	5–10
<i>plus</i> 2–13 x specialisation courses	2–13
<i>plus</i> 0–6 x electives	0–6
<i>plus</i> 0–14 x teaching area courses	0–14
<i>plus</i> 100–110 days of professional experience (0 units value)	
TOTAL	32

Specialisations

EARLY CHILDHOOD T S O

Assist in giving the best possible start to life for children from birth to 12 years, within child care centres, kindergartens, pre-schools and Prep to Year 3 in primary schools. You will learn theories, fundamental teaching principles and practices for planning and implementing effective learning environments for young children and their families.

PRIMARY T S O

If you enjoy working with children to help them develop their interests, knowledge and abilities, the Primary specialisation is the study area for you. As a primary school teacher (from Prep to Year 6) you will educate young school children, by planning and conducting an education program to develop literacy, numeracy and the physical, intellectual and social growth of the students.

SECONDARY T S O

Secondary school teachers perform one of society's most responsible roles in guiding, mentoring and educating adolescents at a crucial stage of their learning lives. This specialisation will prepare you to teach in two teaching areas, from Year 7 to Year 12, as well as non-school settings catering for alternative pathways in senior years. There are over 30 teaching areas to choose from (see page 32).

Teaching areas³

Select from the following teaching areas:

- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies
- Accounting
- Agricultural Science
- Ancient History
- Biology⁴
- Business Communication and Technology
- Business Management
- Chemistry⁴
- Chinese Language
- Design and Technology Studies^{5,6}
- Drama
- Early Childhood Studies VET
- Earth Science
- Economics
- Engineering Technology
- English
- Film, Television and New Media
- French Language (cross-institutional study through UNE)
- Geography (cross-institutional study through UNE)
- German Language
- Graphics
- Health and Physical Education
- Home Economics (cross-institutional study through CQU)
- Hospitality Studies (cross-institutional study through CQU)⁶
- Indonesian Language (cross-institutional study through UNE)
- Information Processing and Technology
- Information Technology Systems
- Japanese Language (cross-institutional study through UNE)
- Junior English
- Junior Health and Physical Education (HPE)
- Junior History
- Junior Mathematics
- Junior Science

- Legal Studies
- Mathematics
- Modern History
- Music
- Physics⁴
- Religious Education (cross-institutional study through ACU)
- Special Education
- Studies of Religion (external via cross-institutional study)
- Tourism
- Visual Art

1 Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

2 Shared courses refer to courses which are also undertaken across several focus areas, such as Primary, Special Education etc. Please see usq.edu.au/study for a detailed course list.

3 The range of teaching areas are subject to change. For the latest details, see usq.edu.au/study. If you wish to undertake a teaching area not listed, please contact USQ.

4 Residential school attendance at USQ Toowoomba may be required.

5 Previously known as Industrial Design Technology or Manual Arts. Students considering this Teaching Area should have a recognised trade qualification in metalwork or woodwork, and have 5 years' professional experience in this trade.

6 Students who have existing qualifications and industry experience in areas, such as Hospitality or Design and Technology, may wish to include this teaching area as a teaching specialisation.

Want to know more?

For more information on Education or for full course listings, please visit usq.edu.au/education

WANT TO BE A TEACHER AND ALREADY HAVE A BACHELOR DEGREE IN ANOTHER DISCIPLINE?

USQ's Master of Learning and Teaching enables those with a bachelor degree in a field other than education to become a teacher, providing they meet all other entry requirements.

Professional experience placements will enable you to connect your studies with the practical side of teaching. Visit usq.edu.au/education for more information.



Engineering and Built Environment

Engineer, construct, survey, and plan your future career with USQ.
Be part of the solution to real-world problems and get hands-on practical work experience you will need for the global workplace.

The **median salary** for full-time USQ engineering graduates in Australia is

\$75 100 p.a.

*Graduate Destinations Survey, 2013–2015
and Graduate Outcomes Survey, 2016*

USQ has
3500+ engineering students
with
87% studying externally
from
20+ countries.

No. 1

We are Australia's number one online provider of engineering and surveying degrees, and provide off-site access to practical and laboratory experiments.

Department of Education and Training, 2016

Associate Degree of Construction



CRICOS code 089495C



Duration 2 years or part-time equivalent
16 units



Campus/mode Toowoomba, Springfield, external



Start February, July

Why study this degree?

The Associate Degree of Construction will give you the freedom of choice to start your career in the construction profession or set a stepping-stone for further study. Through relevant and practical courses, you will acquire specialised skills in built environment, quantity surveying and building services design, as well as develop foundation skills in problem-solving, analysis, engineering design and construction, and management.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **16**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **64**, or equivalent qualification¹.
- Subject pre-requisites: English (4 SA), Mathematics A (4 SA) or equivalent.
- Recommended study: Mathematics B (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

Graduates will meet the Queensland Building and Construction Commission's technical qualification requirements to hold a Builder Open Class licence and a Builder Project Management Services licence, subject to demonstrating the required level of industry experience.

Residential school

If you choose to study externally, please note this degree has compulsory on-campus residential schools for some courses.

Career opportunities

This degree will equip you with the skills to work as a building and construction supervisor, site manager, facilities manager, building services designer, quantity surveyor, cost estimator, property developer, or work in the areas of general management, government or consultancy.

DEGREE STRUCTURE

	UNITS
Construction Management major courses	12
<i>plus</i> 1 x minor	4
<i>plus</i> 3 x practice and work experience courses (0 units value)	
TOTAL	16

Major

CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT T S E

Learn through real-world projects and knowledge, and gain the qualifications for higher salaries and job prospects in the building and construction industries. Get hands-on with practical course material, work with professional equipment and learn about the management of construction of some of the world's biggest projects.

Minors

BUILDING T S E

Explore structural and building technology and design. This includes concrete, structural steel and timber design, and construction detailing. You also have the option to study sustainable urban and regional development and town planning, as well as project management fundamentals.

CIVIL T S E

Learn how to commence a construction job by studying foundation and soil stabilisation techniques, common construction materials and elements associated with major infrastructure facilities. You will examine road design and gain an understanding of safe and efficient road networks, environmental issues and traffic profiles.

TRANSDISCIPLINARY T S E

This minor lets you combine courses from the Civil and Building minors to create a unique degree that will be tailored to suit your career pathway.

¹ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.





INTERACTIVE CLASSES

'The smaller class sizes means I can have more interaction with the lecturers. They're very helpful and I feel I can ask them questions at any time.'

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Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)

Associate Degree of Engineering

	CRICOS code	054271G
	Duration	2 years or part-time equivalent 16 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, Springfield, external
	Start	February, July, November ¹

Why study this degree?

Speed up your career opportunities with the Associate Degree of Engineering. Get hands-on with the practical courses, have access to first-class laboratories and learn the highly sought-after skills you will need for great opportunities in the workforce. The Associate Degree of Engineering will give you the freedom of choice to start your career or as a stepping-stone for further study.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **16**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **64**, or equivalent qualification².
- Subject pre-requisites: English (4 SA), Mathematics A (4 SA) or equivalent.
- Recommended study: Mathematics B (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

When you graduate with your Associate Degree, you will be eligible for accreditation with Engineers Australia. Apply for membership after you graduate to become an engineering associate (officer), and with the experience you will gain from working in the field, you can apply for chartered status as an engineering officer.

NOTE

Only provisional accreditation has been granted for the Agricultural, Instrumentation Control and Automation, and Mining Engineering majors.

Practical experience

Apply your knowledge in a potential workplace through at least 30 days of practical work experience.

Residential school

If you choose to study externally, please note this degree has compulsory on-campus residential schools for some courses.

Career opportunities

Depending on what major you choose, you could land a great position as an engineering technician or engineering support officer in some of Australia's biggest and most important industries. Apply your graduate expertise in areas, including automation, computer-aided systems and programming, agriculture, infrastructure, planning of mining developments, telecommunications, landscape rehabilitation and river hydrology.

DEGREE STRUCTURE		UNITS
1 x major		16
plus 5–6 x practice and work experience courses (0 units value)		
TOTAL		16

Majors

AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING T E

With highly practical, relevant and rigorous coursework, you'll be prepared to work with machinery, soil and water management in areas, including sustainable agricultural production and hydraulics, which will allow you to apply engineering solutions to agricultural problems.

CIVIL ENGINEERING T S E

With relevant courses, you will gain the knowledge and skills to apply practical analysis and technical principles to all areas of civil engineering, including the design, testing, inspection, plant operation and manufacturing processes involved.

COMPUTER SYSTEMS ENGINEERING T E

This major will allow you to immerse yourself in the design and development of practical software and hardware systems, while creating connections with fellow students and professionals working in the industry.

ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONIC ENGINEERING T S E

You will get hands-on experience with modern electrical plant and electronic technology, working with civic-communication equipment, digital signal processors, power electronic converters, rotating machines, and network simulators. You will acquire the practical knowledge needed for a great career in fields, such as circuit and network design, telecommunications, electric vehicles, electricity supply systems, or renewable technologies.

ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING T E

You will study specialist topics, including water and wastewater treatment, mine site rehabilitation and salinisation. With emphasis on the application of engineering solutions to environmental issues, you will be prepared with the skills of impact assessment and management, as well as the core scientific elements of environmental engineering.

INSTRUMENTATION CONTROL AND AUTOMATION ENGINEERING³ E

With a focus on the various aspects of mechanical and fluid engineering in the heavy industries, you will study the control and monitoring of industrial processes through computer networks and experience practical, hands-on study.

MECHANICAL ENGINEERING T S E

Design the newest in modern mechanical innovations in the automotive, aeronautical, building, power, manufacturing and public utility industries. Learn to develop and design efficient, reliable and economical products that could make an impact on modern engineering mechanics for domestic, public and industrial services.

MINING ENGINEERING T E

You will learn to apply practical analysis and technical principles to the areas of planning, design, testing, and operation of open-cut and underground mines. Courses in this major cover topics, such as geology, geomechanics, drilling, blasting, construction and surveying, to name a few.

POWER ENGINEERING T E





Be at the forefront of sustainable electricity generation, transmission and utilisation, and prepare yourself for the challenges of modern power engineering. This major allows you to gain the knowledge and experience necessary to work in power plants, and analyse the use of transformers, transmission lines and rotating machines.

¹ Semester 3 (November) intake is only available via external study.

² Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

³ The Instrumentation Control and Automation Engineering major is only available part-time.

Associate Degree of Spatial Science

	CRICOS code	053510F
	Duration	2 years or part-time equivalent 16 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, Springfield, external
	Start	February, July

Why study this degree?

Our Associate Degree of Spatial Science will arm you with the technical, analytical and leadership skills needed to prepare yourself for a career in one of Australia's most rapidly changing industries. This degree can be a stepping-stone into further study, or be a great start to your career.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **16**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **64**, or equivalent qualification¹.
- Subject pre-requisites: English (4 SA), Mathematics A (4 SA) or equivalent.
- Recommended study: Mathematics B (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

When you graduate with your Associate Degree of Spatial Science (**Surveying**), you are eligible for associate registration with the Board of Surveyors. **Geographic Information Systems** and **Surveying** majors may apply for membership with the Surveying and Spatial Sciences Institute.

Residential school

If you choose to study externally, please note this degree has compulsory on-campus residential schools for some courses.

Career opportunities

Careers are available in local and state government agencies in areas, including transport, primary industries and environment, assisting decision-making processes within planning, land development and environmental assessment.

DEGREE STRUCTURE

	UNITS
1 x major	16
<i>plus</i> 2–3 x practice courses (0 units value)	
TOTAL	16

Majors

GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS T E

Arm yourself with the technical, analytical and leadership skills needed to succeed. Gain practical experience with GIS technologies and work with sophisticated technology and tools, including satellite imagery and laser measurement systems for 3D mapping, and visualisation of the natural and built environment.

SURVEYING T S E

If you enjoy the outdoors, then surveying might be just what you are looking for. You will be equipped with the knowledge to apply new technologies, such as satellite-based Global Positioning Systems (GPS) and geographic information, to a broad range of surveying projects, including land development and mining.

URBAN AND REGIONAL PLANNING T E

Learn how to design communities and prepare plans for residential, retail and industrial areas and transport links. You will also learn how to assess the environmental impact of developments. Graduates will work closely with other professionals in architecture, environment and conservation, engineering, community services and property development.

¹ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.



LOOKING TO THE FUTURE

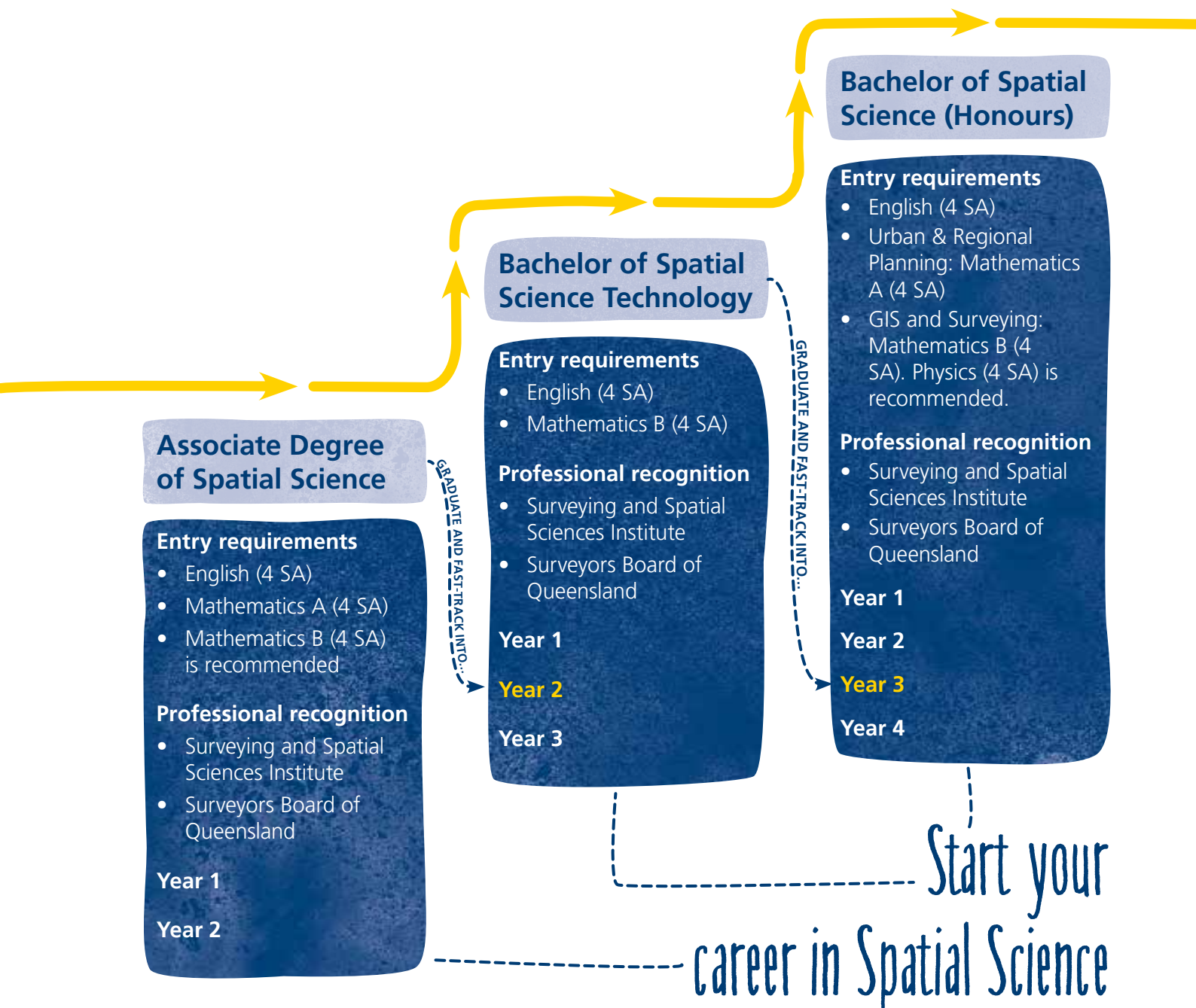
'I want to start my own business after I graduate, so it's important that I stay motivated and work hard now so that I can set myself up for the future.'

DAVID





Bachelor of Spatial Science (Honours)

Advance from one Spatial Science degree to another

Want to explore a career in the outdoors as a surveyor, urban and regional town planner or geographic information systems specialist? At USQ you can use your Spatial Science degree to progress to the next level of study by adding to the success you've already achieved, or start your career in Spatial Science straight away. You can start your Spatial Science studies at any degree level, provided you meet the entry requirements. Each degree you graduate from will enable you to fast-track into your next degree, should you wish to undertake further study.



Bachelor of Engineering Science

	CRICOS code	079333D
	Duration	3 years or part-time equivalent 24 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, Springfield, external
	Start	February, July, November

Why study this degree?

The Bachelor of Engineering Science will equip you with highly sought-after technical skills, as well as academic and professional knowledge to practise as a graduate engineering technologist.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **13**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **71**, or equivalent qualification¹.
- Subject pre-requisites: English (4 SA), Mathematics B (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

As a graduate of the Bachelor of Engineering Science, you will be eligible to apply for membership with Engineers Australia as an engineering technologist. After gaining some experience from working in the field, you can apply for chartered status as an engineering technologist.

Practical experience

Get hands-on with the practical courses, work with professional equipment and learn the highly sought-after skills you will need for the workforce through at least 45 days of suitable practical experience.

Residential school

If you choose to study externally, please note this degree has compulsory on-campus residential schools for some courses.

Career opportunities

As a graduate, you will have the opportunity to work as a professional engineering technician to develop projects in areas, including transportation, irrigation, environmental conservation and rehabilitation, construction, and metal manufacturing, with the opportunity to research new applications of technology or production machinery.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
1 x major	24
<i>plus</i> 4–7 x practice and work experience courses (0 units value)	
TOTAL	24

Majors

AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING T E

Make an impact in the future of agriculture with this highly practical, relevant and rigorous major, linked to USQ's world-class research centre in agricultural engineering. You will study sustainable agricultural production, precision agriculture, agricultural machinery, hydraulics, hydrology and post-harvest technology to prepare you for a career in the industry.

CIVIL ENGINEERING T S E

Learn the fundamentals of engineering design, engineering mathematics, and problem-solving and analysis in your first year of study. You will also be introduced to engineering materials, engineering statics and spatial science concepts.

COMPUTER SYSTEMS ENGINEERING T E

This major will allow you to work in one of the world's most important industries as a technology professional immersing yourself in the design and development of practical software and hardware systems. You can also take the step to higher qualifications.

ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONIC ENGINEERING² T S E

Get hands-on experience with modern electrical plant and electronic technology. With practical studies, you will work with communications equipment, digital signal processors, power electronic converters, robots, and rotating machines to prepare yourself for employment. Electrical engineers design, build and operate electrical plant and systems, from small-scale transmitters to major projects, in diverse fields ranging from bio-medical instruments to electricity supply systems.

ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING T E

You will be equipped to tackle environmental issues head-on with a strong rural soil and water focus, and emphasis on specialist topics, such as water and wastewater treatment, mine site rehabilitation and salinisation, irrigation structures, environmental studies and research.

INFRASTRUCTURE MANAGEMENT T S E

As the only degree in Queensland that combines construction and management, this major focuses upon the study of management skills, construction technology, problem-solving, law, health and safety, finance, engineering sciences, and the principles and practice of modern construction project management.

MECHANICAL ENGINEERING² T S E

Design the newest in modern mechanical innovations in the automotive, aeronautical, building, power, manufacturing and public utility industries, and learn the practical skills to develop and manufacture efficient, economical and reliable machinery.

POWER ENGINEERING T E

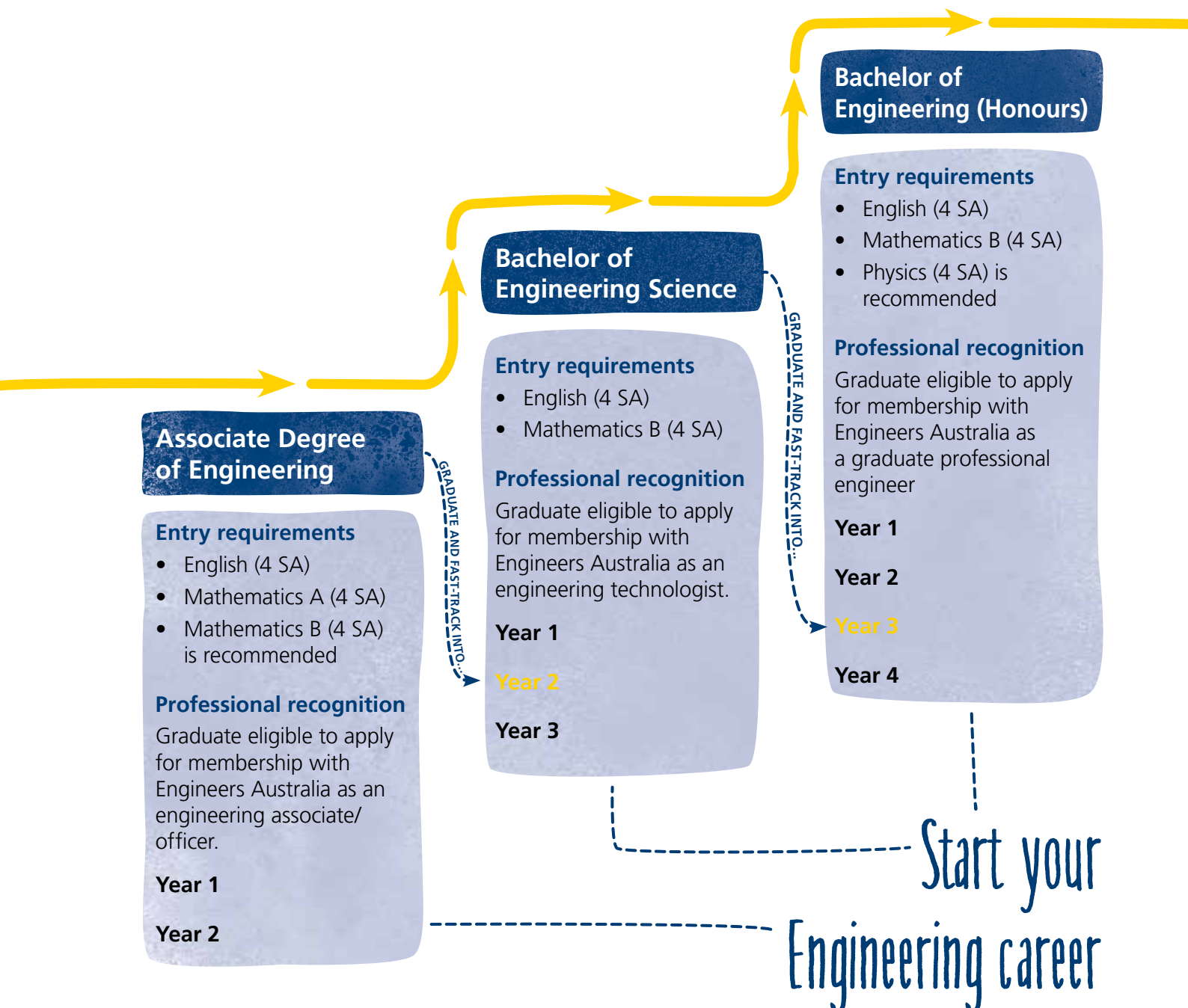
Be at the forefront of sustainable electricity generation, transmission and utilisation, and prepare for the future of power in Australia. This degree will allow you to work in power plants and analyse the use of expert equipment to apply your practical knowledge in the industry.

¹ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.





² Only first and second-year courses are offered at USQ Springfield, with third-year courses to be introduced in 2019. Third-year courses can be undertaken at USQ Toowoomba and externally.

Progress from one Engineering degree to another

At USQ you can use your Engineering degree to progress to the next level of study by building on the success you've already achieved, or start your career in Engineering straight away. You can choose to start your Engineering studies at any degree level, provided you meet the entry requirements. Want to undertake further study? Each degree you graduate from will enable you to fast-track into your next degree. Graduates of all USQ Engineering degrees are eligible to apply for professional membership with Engineers Australia and start their career.



Bachelor of Spatial Science Technology

	CRICOS code	053512D
	Duration	3 years or part-time equivalent 24 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, Springfield, external
	Start	February, July

Why study this degree?

USQ is one of Australia's leading providers of spatial science courses. Our combined practical and knowledge-based degree will allow you to gain valuable industry experience and learn more about geographic information systems and the surveying profession. It is the only three-year degree that is fully accredited and enables you for registration and/or licensing as a professional mining surveyor with the Surveyors Board of Queensland and New South Wales.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **13**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **71**, or equivalent qualification¹.
- Subject pre-requisites: English (4 SA), Mathematics B (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

When you graduate with your Bachelor of Spatial Science Technology (**Geographic Information Systems or Surveying**), you will be eligible to apply for membership with the Surveying and Spatial Sciences Institute. The Bachelor of Spatial Science Technology (**Surveying**) is accredited by the Surveyors Board of Queensland.

Residential school

If you choose to study externally, please note that this degree has compulsory on-campus residential schools for some courses.

Career opportunities

Most USQ Spatial Science students secure professional employment before they graduate. Pursue a career as a surveying technologist, mine surveyor, engineering surveyor, or work as a professional geographic information systems manager or spatial information analyst.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
1 x major	24
<i>plus</i> 3–4 x practice courses (0 units value)	
TOTAL	24

Majors

GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS T E

Work with sophisticated technology and tools, including satellite imagery and laser measurement systems, for 3D mapping and visualisation of the natural and built environment, and develop practical experience, as well as technical, analytical and leadership skills.

SURVEYING² T S E

If a boring desk job is not the thing for you, then the outdoors nature of surveying may be a better fit. You'll be equipped with up-to-date knowledge of new technologies, including satellite-based global positioning systems and computer mapping technologies, and have the practical skills to work in a range of surveying projects, including land development and mining.

1 Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

2 Only first and second-year courses in the Surveying major are offered at USQ Springfield. Third-year courses can be undertaken at USQ Toowoomba or externally, with the same courses being introduced at USQ Springfield in 2019.







FLEXIBILITY TO LEARN

'If you can't attend a class, you can make it up online – the flexibility means you can finish work in your own time and not fall behind.'

MADISON

Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)

Bachelor of Construction (Honours)

	CRICOS code	089494D
	Duration	4 years or part-time equivalent 32 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, Springfield, external
	Start	February, July

Why study this degree?

With the knowledge and practical skills you'll acquire through USQ's hands-on Bachelor of Construction (Honours) courses, you will graduate ready to make an impact in one of Australia's fastest-growing industries. Large infrastructure projects cost millions of dollars and take years to complete, so the need for construction managers to handle project time frames and budget is critical.

Over the course of the degree, you will develop proficiency in problem-solving analysis, engineering design and construction management, as well as expertise in built environment, quantity surveying and building services design.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **12**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **74**, or equivalent qualification¹.
- Subject pre-requisites: English (4 SA), Mathematics A (4 SA) or equivalent.
- Recommended study: Mathematics B (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

USQ is in the process of seeking professional accreditation from the Australian Institute of Building and the Royal Institute of Chartered Surveyors.

Practical experience

Students must complete at least 60 days of suitable practical experience during their degree. This experience may be in an architectural, engineering or building project management office.

Residential school

If you choose to study externally, please note this degree has compulsory on-campus residential schools for some courses.

Career opportunities

With a shortage of qualified graduates in the field of construction, you will have a better opportunity to earn a high salary as a building and construction manager, site manager, facilities manager, quantity surveyor or property developer, and work for large client organisations, specialised areas, commercial, industrial and residential construction projects.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Construction Management major courses	28
<i>plus</i> 1 x minor	4
<i>plus</i> 6 x practice and work experience courses (0 units value)	
TOTAL	32

Major

CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT T S E

Discover the planning, monitoring, logistical, financial, technical and legal aspects associated with building and construction projects. You will be able to develop your leadership and problem-solving skills, and apply your expertise of engineering solutions to construction problems in some of the world's most influential industries.

Minors

BUILDING T S E

Explore structural and building technology and design. This includes concrete, structural steel and timber design, and construction detailing. You also have the option to study sustainable urban and regional development and town planning, as well as project management fundamentals.

CIVIL T S E





Learn how to commence a construction job by studying foundation and soil stabilisation techniques, common construction materials and elements associated with major infrastructure facilities. You will examine road design and gain an understanding of safe and efficient road networks, environmental issues and traffic profiles.

TRANSDISCIPLINARY T S E

This minor lets you combine courses from the Building and Civil minors to create a unique degree that will be tailored to suit your career pathway.

¹ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)

	CRICOS code	079519E
	Duration	4 years or part-time equivalent 32 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, Springfield, external
	Start	February, July

Why study this degree?

USQ's Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) will allow you to apply your knowledge through practical work experience, access to professional facilities and an exciting final-year research project allowing you to become industry-ready. This degree provides skills necessary to commence practice as a professional engineer and to undertake further advanced-level studies in engineering.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **10**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **79**, or equivalent qualification¹.
- Subject pre-requisites: English (4 SA), Mathematics B (4 SA) or equivalent.
- Recommended study: Physics (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

Graduates will be eligible to apply for membership with Engineers Australia as a graduate professional engineer. With the experience you will gain from working in the field, you may apply for chartered status as a professional engineer. Your accreditation is also recognised in the United Kingdom, the United States of America, Canada, Ireland, Hong Kong, New Zealand and South Africa.

Practical experience

During this course, you will complete at least 60 days of suitable practical experience.

Residential school

If you choose to study externally, please note this degree has compulsory on-campus residential schools for some courses.

Career opportunities

Depending on your choice of major, you can become a professional engineer and make a difference in the world of medical technology, communications, or even spacecraft and satellites.

Career paths also exist in the areas of design, development, research and management in agriculture, irrigation, coal seam gas and electronic industries, mining, transport and infrastructure, forestry, soil conservation, robotics, water supply and conservation, both in Australia and overseas.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core courses	11
<i>plus</i> 21 x major courses	
<i>or</i> 17 x major courses <i>plus</i> 1 x 4-unit minor ²	21
<i>plus</i> 8–9 x practice and work experience courses (0 units value)	
TOTAL	32

Majors

AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING T E

With emphasis on modern and sustainable engineering concepts, you will develop the skills and knowledge to tackle complex agricultural problems and apply engineering solutions. This major has links to the Darling Downs' agriculture and farming industries and USQ's research centre in Agricultural Engineering.

CIVIL ENGINEERING T S E

You will focus on the areas of infrastructure design, planning, development, construction and maintenance. Previous students have produced final-year projects in the fields of material testing and properties of earth-friendly concrete, the analysis of high-speed rural traffic incidents, and the effects of improved vehicle technology on road design.

COMPUTER SYSTEMS ENGINEERING T E

This major will allow you to immerse yourself in the design and development of practical software and hardware systems, while creating connections with fellow students and professionals working in the industry.

ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONIC ENGINEERING³ T S E

Study the areas of analogue electronics, and digital signal processing, work with rotating machines and communications equipment, and apply your acquired knowledge and practical skills to an exciting final-year research project that will give you hands-on, industry-relevant experience.

ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING T E

USQ's lecturers will provide you with the first-class knowledge and skills needed to study and change the effects of major environmental issues, and work in influential environmental sectors. Plan, design and implement change in the infrastructure of land development and rehabilitation, water and soil management, and create innovative solutions to complex problems.

INSTRUMENTATION CONTROL AND AUTOMATION ENGINEERING⁴ E

With a focus on the various aspects of mechanical and fluid engineering, you will study the control and monitoring of industrial processes using computer networks, and perform industry-relevant practical work.

MECHANICAL ENGINEERING³ T S E

You will learn the fundamental skills of design, innovation and systems improvement, and gain experience working with USQ's Heat Engines and High Speed Gas Dynamics laboratories. Previous students have produced final projects, including the redesign of an FSAE race car, the use of the vibration signature in structural health monitoring, and obstacle-detecting robotics, to name a few.

MECHATRONIC ENGINEERING³ T S E





Mechatronics covers a vast range of manufactured products as microcontroller chips find their way into almost everything. With the combination of electrical and mechanical engineering, Mechatronic students have a first-hand opportunity to put their skills to practice within USQ's National Centre for Engineering in Agriculture, as well as produce innovative research in a final-year course.

POWER ENGINEERING T E

You will be prepared to take on the challenges of modern power engineering with practical experience working with transformers, transmission lines and rotating machines. Previous students have produced final-year projects in the fields of a smart grid for future electricity distribution, the development of test equipment for the capture of generator-transient data, and the impact of power electronics converters on distribution networks.

- 1 Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.
- 2 Minors are only able to be studied with select majors. See usq.edu.au/study
- 3 Only first and second-year courses are offered at USQ Springfield. Third and fourth-year courses can be undertaken at USQ Toowoomba with the same courses being introduced at USQ Springfield in 2019 and 2020 respectively.
- 4 The Instrumentation Control and Automation Engineering major is only available part-time.

Bachelor of Spatial Science (Honours)

	CRICOS code	079520A
	Duration	4 years or part-time equivalent 32 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, Springfield, external
	Start	February, July

Why study this degree?

As the leading provider of spatial science courses in Australia, we offer a unique practical, skill and knowledge-based course that can also be studied externally to allow you to adapt your study to your life. Our Bachelor of Spatial Science (Honours) will prepare you for a career in one of Australia's most rapidly changing industries. In your final year, apply the practical skills and knowledge you have acquired on your final-year research project.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **11**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **76**, or equivalent qualification¹.
- Subject pre-requisites:
 - English (4 SA) or equivalent.
 - Geographic Information Systems major and Surveying major: Mathematics B (4 SA) or equivalent.
 - Urban and Regional Planning major: Mathematics A (4 SA) or equivalent.
- Recommended study: Physics (4 SA) or equivalent (Surveying and Geographic Information Systems majors only).
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

When you graduate with your Bachelor of Spatial Science (Honours) in **Surveying** or **Geographic Information Systems**, you will become eligible for registration with the Surveying and Spatial Sciences Institute. The **Surveying** major is accredited by the Surveyors Board of Queensland. **Urban and Regional Planning** professional recognition is being sought from the Planning Institute of Australia.

Residential school

If you choose to study externally, please note that this degree has compulsory on-campus residential schools for some courses.

Career opportunities

As a professional surveyor, you will work in the great outdoors within property, mine or construction surveying. As a geographic information systems officer or spatial scientist, you can find work in areas, including transport, environment, land development, and spatial data management. Career possibilities for a professional planner include: commercial and retail developments, urban renewal projects, transport planning, environmental protection, and regional and residential planning.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core courses	32
<i>plus</i> 5–6 x practice courses (0 units value)	
TOTAL	32

Majors**GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS** T E

Explore sophisticated technology and tools, including satellite imagery and laser measurement systems, for 3D mapping and visualisation of the natural and built environment, and develop practical experience with the technical, analytical and leadership skills you will need to succeed.

SURVEYING² T S E





Throughout the major, you will work with modern satellite-based Global Positioning Systems (GPS) and geographic information technologies, and get practical with surveying projects in land development and mining.

URBAN AND REGIONAL PLANNING T E

Your studies will equip you to be an urban planner and designer of the future for cities, transport hubs and industrial infrastructure. You will develop skills in environmental assessment, community consultation, planning structures, law and project management.

- 1 Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.
- 2 Only first, second and third-year courses are offered at USQ Springfield, with final-year courses being introduced in 2019. Fourth-year courses can be undertaken at USQ Toowoomba or externally.

Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) and Bachelor of Business and Commerce

	CRICOS code	093152C
	Duration	5 years or part-time equivalent 40 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba ¹ , Springfield ¹ , external ²
	Start	February, July

Why study this degree?

A combined degree of a Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) and Bachelor of Business and Commerce offers graduates the skills they need to become a successful engineer in the workforce, combined with a strong background in business principles and practice.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **10**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **79**, or equivalent qualification³.
- Subject pre-requisites: English (4 SA), Mathematics B (4 SA) or equivalent.
- Recommended study: Physics (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Career opportunities

With this combined degree, there are a large number of different combinations of Engineering and Business majors available, creating many career opportunities, including professional engineer and management positions within the public or private sectors specialising in an engineering discipline.

Residential school

If you choose to study externally, please note this degree has compulsory on-campus residential schools for some courses.

Majors

ENGINEERING

Agricultural Engineering, Civil Engineering, Computer Systems Engineering, Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Environmental Engineering, Instrumentation Control and Automation Engineering, and Power Engineering.

BUSINESS AND COMMERCE

Accounting, Aviation Management and Safety, Business Administration, Business Economics, Business Law, Finance, General Commerce, Human Resource Management, Information Technology Management, International Business, Logistics and Supply Chains, Management and Leadership, Marketing and Sustainable Business.

NOTE





Students may select an alternative major from the Bachelor of Business and Commerce. For more details, please visit usq.edu.au/study

¹ Not all majors in this degree are available on-campus.

² Please note that this degree can only be undertaken via external mode if the student is granted 16 units of exemption upon admission. If unable to do so, the student will not be able to complete the degree within the maximum allocated time.

³ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) and Bachelor of Information Technology

	CRICOS code	079517G
	Duration	5 years or part-time equivalent 40 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba ¹ , Springfield ¹ , external ²
	Start	February, July

Why study this degree?

A combined degree with a Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) and Bachelor of Information Technology will provide the knowledge and skills required to design, develop and implement both the hardware and software components of computer systems in today's technological world. You will explore both engineering and information technology, and graduate with a wealth of knowledge to help you progress through your professional career. Your degree will focus on Computer Systems Engineering and Applied Computer Science studies.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **10**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **79**, or equivalent qualification³.
- Subject pre-requisites: English (4 SA), Mathematics B (4 SA) or equivalent.
- Recommended study: Physics (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Career opportunities

As a graduate, you can expect a career as a computer programmer, software/hardware engineer, computer scientist, systems designer and computer systems officer. Some of the biggest employers of ICT graduates in Australia are international IT vendors, including Microsoft and IBM, and ICT end-users, such as banks and government departments.

Residential school





If you choose to study externally, please note that this degree has compulsory on-campus residential schools for some courses.

¹ Not all majors in this degree are available on-campus.

² Please note that this degree can only be undertaken via external mode if the student is granted 16 units of exemption upon admission. If unable to do so, the student will not be able to complete the degree within the maximum allocated time.

³ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) and Bachelor of Science

	CRICOS code	079518F
	Duration	5 years or part-time equivalent 40 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba ¹ , Springfield ¹ , external ²
	Start	February, July

Why study this degree?

A combined degree with a Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) and Bachelor of Science is the ideal pathway if you are interested in a career incorporating both engineering and science. Enjoy the flexibility in choosing different engineering and science majors.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **10**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **79**, or equivalent qualification³.
- Subject pre-requisites: English (4 SA), Mathematics B (4 SA) or equivalent.
- Recommended study: Physics (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Career opportunities

The high flexibility of this degree allows you to create whichever Engineering and Science combination you desire, resulting in a multitude of career opportunities as a professional engineer, with expertise in a science discipline.

Residential school

If you choose to study externally, please note that this degree has compulsory on-campus residential schools for some courses.

Majors

ENGINEERING

Agricultural Engineering, Civil Engineering, Computer Systems Engineering, Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Environmental Engineering, Instrumentation Control and Automation Engineering, Mechanical Engineering and Power Engineering.

SCIENCE

Biology, Computing, Environment and Sustainability, Food Science, Human Physiology, Mathematics, Physical Sciences, Plant Agricultural Science and Wine Science.

1 Not all majors in this degree are available on-campus.

2 Please note that this degree can only be undertaken via external mode if the student is granted 16 units of exemption upon admission. If unable to do so, the student will not be able to complete the degree within the maximum allocated time.

3 Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

Want to know more?

For more information on Engineering and Built Environment or for full course listings, please visit usq.edu.au/engineering

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learn the dos and don'ts of
applying for graduate work.

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A COMMUNITY BEYOND THE BOOKS

'I've really enjoyed participating in USQ events and Uni Games – getting involved in everything that is available to me outside the classroom.'

JARRED

Bachelor of Construction (Honours)



Health and Community

The demand for qualified health care professionals has never been greater. Be ready to tackle the health and community needs of the future by studying a Health and Community degree at USQ.

USQ is researching online and computer-based interventions for youth anxiety.

Australia is experiencing a shortage of

professional midwives
in regional locations across most states.

Department of Employment, 2016





Nursing students ranked

USQ No. 2

in Queensland, Australia for overall quality-of-education experience.

Graduate Destinations Survey, 2013–2015

Diploma of Human Services and Development

	CRICOS code	093266D
	Duration	1 year or part-time equivalent 8 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, Ipswich ¹ , external
	Start	February, July, November ²

Why study this degree?

This diploma opens the gateway to a wide range of professionally challenging and rewarding jobs in the social and community services industry. This qualification will give you access to knowledge and skills that will enable you to influence the welfare of communities, as well as teach you how to analyse the social, economic, cultural and political life of communities in order to make informed and effective decisions.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **17**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **63**, or equivalent qualification³.
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Career opportunities

Your studies in human services and development will equip you for community development and welfare positions within community organisations or local governments.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core courses	3
<i>plus</i> 4 x discipline area courses	4
<i>plus</i> 1 x elective	1
TOTAL	8




¹ International students studying on-campus must attend USQ Ipswich.

² November entry is only available part-time.

³ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

Associate Degree of Health

This degree is not available to international students.

	Duration	2 years or part-time equivalent 16 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba ¹ , external ¹
	Start	February

Why study this degree?

The Associate Degree of Health majoring in Laboratory Medicine will provide you with the education and training necessary for a career as a medical technician or technical officer in the private and public pathology laboratory sectors. It will also provide you with training for a career as a biomedical scientist with research skills or in a biomedical science support role. Gain practical experience through placements in a pathology laboratory and through attending residential schools.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **16**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **64**, or equivalent qualification².
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- Recommended study: one of Biology, Chemistry, Science21 or equivalent.
- Assumed knowledge: Mathematics A (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

As a part of your clinical experience, you will also need to provide:

- evidence of immunity to notifiable and contagious diseases
- a signed QLD Health Student Orientation Checklist, QLD Health Placement Deed and a QLD Health Placement Privacy and Consent Deed, or a signed SA Health Student Orientation Checklist, SA Health Placement Deed and a SA Health Privacy and Consent Deed
- a signed USQ Student Clinical Placement Policy Declaration.

Career opportunities





You will be equipped for a position as a medical technician or technical officer in the medical pathology, university, health or biotechnology sectors, or health, medical and scientific product marketers.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core courses	16
<i>plus</i> 39 days of clinical practice (0 units value)	
TOTAL	16

¹ A number of courses are offered in dual mode, i.e. on-campus and externally.

² Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

Bachelor of Health

	CRICOS code	075197F
	Duration	3 years or part-time equivalent 24 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba ¹ , external ²
	Start	February

Why study this degree?

The Bachelor of Health is the perfect launch pad for careers in a medical laboratory or as a research scientist, and a great path towards entry into graduate medicine degrees. A sophisticated understanding of the human body in health and disease is also beneficial for those of you wishing to study pharmacy, veterinary science, dentistry, optometry, physiotherapy and occupational therapy, and education.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **15**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **66**, or equivalent qualification³.
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- Recommended study: in one of Biological Science, Chemistry or Science21 (4 SA), or equivalent.
- Assumed knowledge: Mathematics A (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

As a part of your clinical experience, you will also need to provide:

- evidence of immunity to notifiable and contagious diseases
- a signed QLD Health Student Orientation Checklist, QLD Health Placement Deed and a QLD Health Placement Privacy and Consent Deed, or a signed SA Health Student Orientation Checklist, SA Health Placement Deed and a SA Health Privacy and Consent Deed
- a signed USQ Student Clinical Placement Policy Declaration.

Practical experience

During this degree, students enrolled in the Laboratory Medicine major need to undertake and satisfactorily complete 52 days of clinical experience.

Residential school

If you choose to study externally, please note that this degree has compulsory on-campus residential schools for some courses.

Career opportunities

A Bachelor of Health will equip you for careers in pathology, medical research science and diagnostics.

Biomedical Science

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
1 x Biomedical Science major	24
TOTAL	24

Laboratory Medicine

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
1 x Laboratory Medicine major	24
<i>plus</i> 52 days of clinical experience ² (0 units value)	
TOTAL	24

Majors

BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE

The Biomedical Science major is a great pathway into allied health or for students wanting to prepare for the Graduate Australian Medical Schools Admissions Test (GAMSAT).

LABORATORY MEDICINE²





Are you looking for pathways into medicine or a career in allied health? The Laboratory Medicine major is the perfect stepping-stone for students wanting to work as medical laboratory scientists or undertake training for careers as research scientists.

¹ Not all courses in the majors are available on-campus.

² International students studying externally from home must be able to attend residential schools at a USQ campus and undertake block clinical placement in Australia. As there is no guarantee that clinical placement can be done in block placements, the Laboratory Medicine major is unsuitable for international students studying externally.

³ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

Bachelor of Human Services

	CRICOS code	070616K
	Duration	3 years or part-time equivalent 24 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba ¹ , Ipswich ¹ , external
	Start	February, July, November

Why study this degree?

The Bachelor of Human Services prepares you for professional careers in the social and community services industry. The degree focuses on the protection of human rights, promotion of social justice and improvement of people's quality of life. Our enviable record in graduate employment will make you highly competitive in securing permanent positions in a range of both government and non-government human service organisations.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **15**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **66**, or equivalent qualification².
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

The Bachelor of Human Services is undergoing accreditation with the Australian Community Workers Association (ACWA).

Students who successfully complete 400 hours of professional placement will be eligible for ACWA accreditation. Students not wishing to undertake the three professional placement courses and students not located in Australia should apply to the Program Coordinator to undertake three approved courses in place of the three professional placement course.

Career opportunities

You can explore careers in social work, counselling, human resources support or welfare advocacy.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core courses	8
<i>plus</i> 8-unit major	8
<i>plus</i> 1 x second 8-unit major	
<i>or</i> 1 x 4-unit minor <i>plus</i> 4 x electives	8
<i>or</i> 8 electives	
TOTAL	24

Majors

CHILD AND FAMILY STUDIES I E

Combining a range of courses in psychology, education and counselling, you will examine the issues impacting families and children within our society. This major involves theory and field practicum, as well as work experience in a human services agency of your choice, providing you with the broad knowledge-base and skill set needed to work in this field.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND INDIGENOUS STUDIES T E

Are you passionate about issues impacting the community? Interested in learning about Australian Indigenous perspective and ways of thinking? Within this major, you will be challenged to critically analyse and debate contemporary issues affecting Indigenous communities, such as ethics and social welfare, environment, gender and racial equality, social justice, and the law.

COUNSELLING³ I E

You will be taught by experienced counsellors with a practical focus, providing you with a solid foundation to work in community organisations and equip you with the skills necessary to manage the demands of a modern counsellor and human services practitioner.

HEALTH AND SOCIAL WELLBEING I E

You will acquire knowledge and skills to organise services and case manage people with a disability, or the healthy older person. Your studies will look at assessment and support strategies to assist people to maintain independence and quality of life.

HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT T E

Gain an understanding of community development and welfare from a wide range of perspectives from within Australia and globally. You will combine this learning with courses exploring the foundations of human resource management, while gaining research skills appropriate for working in human services.




¹ Not all majors are available at all campuses.

² Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

³ The Counselling major is not available to international students studying on-campus.

Bachelor of Midwifery (Graduate Entry)

This degree is not available to international students.

	Duration	2 years or part-time equivalent 16 units
	Campus/mode	External ¹
	Start	February

Why study this degree?

Our Bachelor of Midwifery (Graduate Entry) is designed to meet the industry demands for highly qualified midwives. This degree is taught for registered nurses seeking to become midwives. Your studies will include 50 percent clinical practice and an emphasis on Indigenous health and human rights to enable you to work in post-natal, neo-natal and midwifery units within hospitals, family planning clinics and community health.

Entry requirements

- Be a registered nurse (Division 1) with a bachelor degree in nursing or equivalent, with current AHPRA registration.
- Students from non-English-speaking backgrounds are required to satisfy English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.5** or equivalent.

NOTE

Additional entry requirements apply for placements. Students will not be allocated a placement if any of the below documents are not current:

- Blue Card
- Australian Federal Police Certificate
- Hepatitis B Immunisation
- Measles, Mumps, Rubella and Pertussis (Whooping Cough) Immunisation
- CPR Certificate
- Queensland Health Student Orientation Requirements
- QHealth-Occupational Health and Safety Certificates (4)
- Clinical Placement Student Declaration – all other placements must meet the Professional Experience Placement Office (PEPO), state and facility-specific requirements.

Professional recognition

This degree is accredited with the Australian Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia (NMBA).

Career opportunities

Your midwifery studies will equip you to become a midwife in hospitals, family planning clinics, neo-natal and post-natal units, as well as community health.





DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core courses	16
TOTAL	16

¹ This degree includes mandatory on-campus residential schools at USQ Ipswich.

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from students on how to prepare
for your prac or placement.

social.usq.edu.au

Bachelor of Nursing

	CRICOS code	093153B
	Duration	3 years or part-time equivalent 24 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, Ipswich, external
	Start	February, July

Why study this degree?

This degree prepares you for the nursing profession as a registered nurse through a combination of online learning, clinical simulation in well-resourced on-campus nursing laboratories, and quality clinical experience in a wide variety of health care settings. As a student in the Bachelor of Nursing, you may undertake clinical placement in clinical environments, such as major metropolitan and regional hospitals, mental health services, regional health services, aged care settings, community health services, speciality clinics and rehabilitation centres.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **15**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **66**, or equivalent qualification¹.
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- Recommended study: Mathematics A (4 SA) or equivalent and one of Biology, Chemistry or Science²¹, or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.5** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

The Bachelor of Nursing at USQ is accredited by the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia (NMBA) and is listed as an approved degree with the Australian Health Practitioners Regulating Authority (AHPRA).

Residential school

If you choose to study externally, please note that this degree has compulsory on-campus residential schools for some courses.

Practical experience

As an integral component of the nursing degree, you are required to undertake and satisfactorily complete 840 hours of clinical experience.

Undertaking clinical experience within a health service is a mandatory requirement of students enrolled in the Bachelor of Nursing degree. In order to ensure this requirement can be met, successful applicants must provide a range of information supporting their Fitness for Practice, including:

- evidence of immunisation against Hepatitis B, Measles, Mumps, Rubella, Pertussis and Varicella
- TB test and Influenza immunisation (highly recommended)
- a current Australian Federal Police Criminal History Check Certificate
- a current Blue Card from the Queensland Government Commission for Children and Young People and Young Guardian
- a current CPR certificate
- a signed QHealth Student Orientation Checklist
- a signed Student Deed Poll
- a current certificate for completion of QHealth and Safety Orientation
- a signed USQ Clinical Placement Declaration Guide.

NOTE

There are costs associated with clinical placements and students may be expected to undertake clinical experience at venues away from their Australian home residence.


Career opportunities

Our Nursing degree creates a range of opportunities across health service areas, such as acute hospital care, rehabilitation, mental health, aged care, community care, and rural and remote services. It also provides a strong platform for further education and practice in a wide range of specialist nursing areas across a broad variety of health service settings.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core courses	24
<i>plus</i> 840 hours of clinical experience (0 units value)	
TOTAL	24

¹ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

Bachelor of Paramedicine

	CRICOS code	089149K
	Duration	3 years or part-time equivalent 24 units
	Campus/mode	Ipswich
	Start	February

Why study this degree?

Our Bachelor of Paramedicine has been designed by leading medical and paramedic staff who understand the real world of pre-hospital emergency care. As a paramedic student, you'll have the chance to hone your skills in our simulated ambulance and emergency training labs.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **15**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **66**, or equivalent qualification¹.
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- Recommended study: one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics (4 SA), or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.5** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

Provisional accreditation has been awarded from The Council of Ambulance Authorities (CAA). Graduates will be eligible to apply for membership of Paramedics Australasia.

Practical experience

You will be required to complete 676 hours of clinical placements throughout the degree. Clinical placement requirements will incur some additional costs, including assessments, uniform and equipment, transport to and from venues and, in some instances, living expenses, particularly for placements in different locations.

You must comply with all Queensland Ambulance Service (QAS) or other placement organisation requirements before and during placements, including undertaking a medical assessment with a QAS-approved medical provider. For more detailed information on what this entails, please see usq.edu.au/study

Career opportunities

You will graduate prepared for a career in emergency care as a paramedic throughout Queensland and the world.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core courses	24
<i>plus</i> 676 hours of clinical placement (0 units value)	
TOTAL	24

NOTE

The Bachelor of Paramedicine consists of 24 compulsory courses studied over three years. Note that one course, consisting of four weeks of full-time placement, must be taken in Semester 3 of the first year of study.

¹ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

I'M A PART OF THE COMMUNITY





'I enjoy meeting staff and students from different backgrounds; it's great to see the support services available for students to help settle in to the university system, too.'

TAYO

Bachelor of Nursing



Bachelor of Science

	CRICOS code	042230E
	Duration	3 years or part-time equivalent 24 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, Ipswich, external
	Start	February, July, November

Why study this degree?

In the Bachelor of Science, you will undertake foundation courses in statistics, communication, computing and mathematics, and will also be able to choose between a wide range of majors to give you a strong grounding for a range of science-related careers or for more specialised postgraduate study.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **15**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **66**, or equivalent qualification¹.
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- Recommended study: Human Physiology major: Mathematics B, and one of Biology, Chemistry, Physics or Science 21, or equivalent.
- Assumed knowledge: Mathematics A (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

The **Psychology** major is accredited by the Australian Psychology Accreditation Council (APAC) as providing the first three years of the necessary requirements for full membership of the Australian Psychological Society (APS) and the first three years of the necessary requirements for full registration as a psychologist in Queensland. The **Psychology Extended** major will automatically meet full accreditation with APAC as a three-year sequence of study.

NOTE

Full registration as a psychologist requires an honours year plus two years of supervised practice, or an honours year plus a masters or doctorate degree.

Residential school

If you choose to study externally, please note that this degree has compulsory on-campus residential schools for some courses.

Career opportunities

Bring a scientific approach to a career in psychology, counselling or human physiology when you graduate from a Bachelor of Science at USQ.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core courses	4
<i>plus</i> 1 x 16-unit major <i>plus</i> 1 x 4-unit minor <i>or</i> 4 electives	
<i>or</i> 1 x 12-unit major <i>plus</i> 8 x electives	
<i>or</i> 1 x 12-unit major <i>plus</i> 1 x 8-unit major	
<i>or</i> 1 x 12-unit major <i>plus</i> 1 x 4-unit minor <i>plus</i> 4 x electives	20
<i>or</i> 1 x first 8-unit major <i>plus</i> 1 x second 8-unit major <i>plus</i> 4 x electives	
<i>or</i> 1 x 8-unit major <i>plus</i> 12 x elective courses approved by the Program Coordinator.	
TOTAL	24

Majors

COUNSELLING²

With a practical focus, the Counselling major will equip you with the skills necessary to manage the demands of a human services practitioner, and provide a solid foundation to work in community organisations.

HUMAN PHYSIOLOGY

Human physiology is the science of the mechanical, physical and biochemical functions of humans in good health, their organs, and the cells of which they are composed. Anatomy and physiology are closely related fields of study, with anatomy being the study of form, and physiology the study of function.

PSYCHOLOGY

Are you interested in how people think, hear, feel, learn and remember? A USQ Psychology degree enables you to combine your passion for human behaviour with electives in Human Resource Management, Law, and Human Physiology, making it a good option for a double major across other disciplines.

PSYCHOLOGY EXTENDED

You will expand your understanding of the human mind and its functions which affect our behaviour, with advanced study in the theory and practice in psychological sciences. Two capstone courses at the end of your degree will give you the opportunity to apply knowledge and theory to practise with a research project, case study analysis, professional placements or internship.





OTHER MAJORS

Additional majors available for the Bachelor of Science include: Biology (p.81), Computing (p.73), Environment and Sustainability (p.81), Food Science (p.81), Information Technology (p.73), Mathematics (p.81), Mathematics and Statistics (p.81), Physical Sciences (p.81), Plant Agricultural Science (p.81), and Wine Science (p.81).

¹ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

² The Counselling major is not available to international students studying on-campus.

Bachelor of Sport and Exercise

	CRICOS code	084354A
	Duration	3 years or part-time equivalent 24 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, Ipswich, external ¹
	Start	February, July

Why study this degree?

USQ's Bachelor of Sport and Exercise allows you to gain the skills and knowledge you will need for a career in fitness and sport performance. This degree has a focus on developing health and fitness programs for a variety of people, including the elderly, those with chronic diseases and children.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **15**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **66**, or equivalent qualification².
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- Recommended study: Mathematics (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

Graduates of the Bachelor of Sport and Exercise (Sport and Exercise Science) will be eligible to gain membership as an exercise scientist through Exercise & Sports Science Australia.

Residential school

If you choose to study externally, please note that this degree has compulsory on-campus residential schools for some courses.

CREATING A CAREER TO HELP PEOPLE

'I really resonated with the benefits of health and physical activity. I want to be able to make positive changes in people's lives and set a great example for my kids in how we should live our lives.'

JANE

Bachelor of Sport and Exercise (Honours)

Career opportunities

Explore careers in sports and exercise science, sport marketing, tourism or management.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core courses	8
<i>plus</i> 1 x 8-unit Applied Sport and Exercise major <i>plus</i> 8 x electives	16
<i>or</i> 1 x 16-unit Sport and Exercise major	
TOTAL	24

Majors

APPLIED SPORT AND EXERCISE **T I E**

USQ's Applied Sport and Exercise major allows you to combine your studies with electives in business, management, law, marketing or tourism, giving you the competitive edge to diversify your career options.

SPORT AND EXERCISE SCIENCE **T I E**





USQ's Sport and Exercise Science will prepare you for a career in the exercise, fitness and sports industry. Your studies will focus on developing the health and fitness of people across their whole lifespan, including the elderly, pregnant women, children and those with chronic disease and disability.

1 This degree is available to international off-campus students in Australia only, but not available to international students overseas.

2 Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.



Bachelor of Science (Honours)

	CRICOS code	043510M
	Duration	1 year or part-time equivalent 8 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, Ipswich, external
	Start	February, July

Why study this degree?

The Bachelor of Science (Honours) (Psychology) gives you the opportunity to extend your knowledge and skills in professional areas of psychology, such as counselling, ethics, assessment, and intervention, as well as your research skills. As such, this degree involves both coursework and a research project conducted under the supervision of a staff member. The skills you will learn will help you gain the competencies necessary to be an effective scientist practitioner.

Entry requirements

- 3-year of Bachelor of Science degree or equivalent from a recognised institution with a minimum Grade Point Average of 5.0 (Credit) completed a maximum of 3 years prior to application.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

The Bachelor of Science (Honours) (Psychology) is fully accredited by the Australian Psychology Accreditation Council (APAC) as a fourth-year degree in psychology. You will be eligible to apply for provisional registration as a psychologist with the Psychology Board of Australia. However, there is a requirement to complete a further two years of supervised practice or an approved masters after initial registration. You would also be eligible to apply to the Australian Psychological Society for Associate membership.

Residential school

If you choose to study externally, please note that this degree has compulsory on-campus residential schools for some courses.

Career opportunities

Your Bachelor of Science (Honours) (Psychology) will allow you to work towards becoming a clinical or professional psychologist.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
1 x Psychology major	8
TOTAL	8

Major

PSYCHOLOGY T I E

Discover a number of issues involved in the professional practice of psychology, such as working with challenging populations, learning, knowing and applying ethical guidelines and evaluating various ethical dilemmas. You will also develop your skills in research by exploring a range of research techniques.

OTHER MAJORS

Additional majors available for the Bachelor of Science (Honours) include Computing (p.73) and Applied Mathematics/Statistics, Biology, Chemistry, Environment and Sustainability or Physics (p.82).







BALANCING LIFE, WORK AND STUDY

'It can be challenging to work, study and look after two children, but the Learning Centre has been a wonderful support. Having somebody to bounce ideas off has given me a great sense of "I can do this".'

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Bachelor of Human Services

Bachelor of Human Services (Honours)

	CRICOS code	090789A
	Duration	4 years or part-time equivalent 32 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba ¹ , Ipswich ¹ , external
	Start	February, July

Why study this degree?

USQ's Bachelor of Human Services (Honours) is designed to prepare you for a career in government, community or health and social care organisations. You will select from a range of majors to develop skills in areas, such as case management, social justice, counselling, diversity, resource management, policy, program development and advocacy.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **13**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **71**, or equivalent qualification².
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

The Bachelor of Human Services (Honours) is accredited with Australian Community Workers Association (ACWA).

Practical experience

You will experience 400 hours of practical and relevant professional placement associated with the major you're studying.

Career opportunities

With developed skills and knowledge in health and social wellbeing, you will be prepared for careers in a range of human services careers, from case management to organising welfare services.

DEGREE STRUCTURE

	UNITS
Core courses	28
<i>plus</i> 4 x electives	4
TOTAL	32

Majors

CHILD AND FAMILY STUDIES I E

You will study psychology, education, emotional and behavioural health and counselling, and examine the issues impacting families and children within our society. Explore human development through the entire life span, and learn about the changing nature of the structure and function of the family in contemporary society.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND INDIGENOUS STUDIES T E

You will be challenged to critically analyse and debate contemporary issues that affect communities, such as ethics and social welfare, environment, gender and racial equality, social justice, and the Law. Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander staff at USQ will enable you to develop the ability to work with and within Indigenous communities in culturally appropriate and effective ways.

COUNSELLING I E

Learn specific communication and counselling skills, understand the theory and issues involved in counselling and explore various strategies provided to address common issues and mental wellbeing. The Honours component of this degree involves completing a research project on a topic of choice under the supervision of a staff member.

HEALTH AND SOCIAL WELLBEING I E

Gain a comprehensive understanding of social wellbeing, disability care, healthy ageing, assessment and management of individuals and families, counselling and provision of services, gaining valuable experience by completing 400 hours of professional experience placements.





HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT T E

Learn about staffing and remuneration, workplace health and safety, employment relations, management and performance, organisational structure, people development and leading organisational change, ready to make an impact in the human services industry.

¹ Not all majors are available at all campuses.

² Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

Bachelor of Psychology (Honours)

	CRICOS code	062647C
	Duration	4 years or part-time equivalent 32 units
	Campus/mode	Ipswich
	Start	February, July, November ¹

Why study this degree?

USQ's Bachelor of Psychology (Honours) places a heavy emphasis on developing both research and professional skills, including a deep understanding of the ethical principles that inform psychological practice. In each semester, you will be involved in research projects and in activities that foster psychological professional skills. By the end of your degree, you will have had exposure to treatment regimens and experience in the administration of psychological tests.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **14**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **69**, or equivalent qualification².
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

NOTE

Entry into the fourth or honours-year of the degree is only available to students who have completed the first three years of the degree and, in the Psychology courses, maintained a GPA of 5.0 or above.

Professional recognition

Graduates are eligible to apply for probationary registration as a psychologist with the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency. Those who complete the four-year honours course are also eligible to go on to complete further studies at the masters level with the aim of gaining specialist registration (e.g. clinical psychologist).

Career opportunities

Professional psychologists often find careers in occupational health and safety, change management, professional development, community consultation and advocacy.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core courses	30
2 x Psychology electives	2
TOTAL	32

¹ Semester 3 (November) intake is only available via external study.

² Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

INTERESTED IN A COMBINED OR DOUBLE DEGREE?

Health and Community is also available in the following combined/double degrees:

- Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science, see page 70.
- Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) and Bachelor of Science, see page 45.





A CAREER IN PSYCHOLOGY, COUNSELLING OR HUMAN SERVICES?

If you are interested in helping people improve their mental health, and social wellbeing, perhaps a career in psychology, counselling or the human services might suit you. You can find the degree to reach your career ambitions at USQ.

	Clinical psychologist	Professional psychologist	Counsellor	Human services professional
What does this career involve?	A clinical psychologist has advanced training in diagnosis and assessment of mental health and a focus on the long-term health of individuals.	Professional psychologists often find careers in occupational health and safety, change management, professional development, community consultation and advocacy.	Counsellors provide talking therapies to assist people to make life-enhancing changes. Counsellors often work in social service agencies or private practices.	Human services professionals develop and use specialist skills in child abuse intervention, rehabilitation, aged and disability care, and Indigenous advocacy.
Which degree suits your ambitions?	Bachelor of Science (Psychology)/Bachelor of Science (Psychology Extended) + Bachelor of Science (Honours) (Psychology) <i>or</i> Bachelor of Psychology (Honours) Leading to registration as a provisional psychologist <i>plus</i> Master of Clinical Psychology <i>or</i> Master of Clinical Psychology/PhD (Clinical Psychology) Leading to general registration	Bachelor of Science (Psychology)/Bachelor of Science (Psychology Extended) + Bachelor of Science (Honours) (Psychology) <i>or</i> Bachelor of Psychology (Honours) Leading to registration as a provisional psychologist <i>plus</i> Master of Professional Psychology <i>plus</i> One-year internship and completion of a national exam	Bachelor of Human Services (Counselling) <i>or</i> Bachelor of Science (Counselling) <i>plus</i> Graduate Diploma of Counselling <i>or</i> Master of Counselling	Bachelor of Human Services/Bachelor of Human Services (Honours) Majors to choose from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Child and Family Studies • Community Development and Indigenous Studies • Counselling • Health and Social Wellbeing • Human Resource Management
Professional associations that recognise these degrees	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Psychology Board of Australia (apply for general registration) • Australian Psychological Society (apply for membership) After a period of supervised practice: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Psychology Board of Australia (apply for Clinical Psychology endorsement) • Australian Psychological Society (apply for admission to the College of Clinical Psychology). 	Following two years of supervised practice: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Psychology Board of Australia (apply for general registration) • Australian Psychological Society (apply for membership). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Psychotherapy and Counselling Association of Australia (PACFA) • Australian Counselling Association (ACA) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Bachelor of Human Services is undergoing accreditation with the Australian Community Workers Association (ACWA). • Bachelor of Human Services (Honours) is accredited with the ACWA.

Find out more about Psychology, Counselling and the Human Services at usq.edu.au/health

Bachelor of Sport and Exercise (Honours)

	CRICOS code	093264F
	Duration	4 years or part-time equivalent 32 units
	Campus/mode	Ipswich, external ¹
	Start	February, July

Why study this degree?

The Bachelor of Sport and Exercise (Honours) with a major in Clinical Exercise Physiology is your opportunity to develop your expertise and skills ready for a career in the health, sports and fitness industry – a sector expanding rapidly as healthy living remains a focus in our social conscience. Put your theoretical skills into practice with 500 hours of professional clinical placement over four years.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **12**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **74**, or equivalent qualification².
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.5** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

The Bachelor of Sport and Exercise (Honours) with a major in Clinical Exercise Physiology is designed to meet Exercise & Sports Science Australia (ESSA) accreditation requirements. USQ is seeking accreditation from ESSA with an expected completion of 2018.

Practical experience

You will gain valuable experience in the health, sports and fitness industry with 500 hours of professional placement over four years in clinical relevant/specific areas.

Before undertaking professional placement, successful applicants must provide evidence of:

- a current cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) certificate
- First Aid certificate
- Hepatitis B seroconversion
- up-to-date vaccinations as required by Queensland Health.

Residential school

If you choose to study externally, please note that this degree has compulsory on-campus residential schools for some courses.

Career opportunities

Graduates will be prepared for careers as an exercise physiologist within the health, exercise, sports and fitness industry. Other careers include sports coach, personal trainer, sports development officer, and sports performance director.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core courses	8
<i>plus</i> 14 x sport and exercise courses	14
<i>plus</i> 10 x clinical exercise physiology courses	10
TOTAL	32

Major

CLINICAL EXERCISE PHYSIOLOGY

Explore the benefits of exercise and how it can assist in improving overall health or with rehabilitation. Graduates will have the opportunity to qualify as an ESSA-accredited exercise physiologist (pending external accreditation). Once qualified, you will be able to apply for a Medicare provider number and be recognised by private health funds for exercise physiology sessions. This will enable you to work with general practitioners to assist with patient care under the general practice management plan (which is part of the Medicare rebate scheme).

1 This degree is available to international on-campus and external students studying in Australia only, due to on-campus and practical attendance requirements for some courses. It is not available to international students studying overseas.

2 Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

Want to know more?

For more information on Health and Community or for full course listings, please visit usq.edu.au/health-and-community



Humanities and Communication

Are you interested in communication, the stories of past and present cultures, or the creation and appreciation of literature? With Humanities and Communication studies at USQ you can explore what you're passionate about and choose a degree to meet your career aspirations.





3D

Archaeology students studying online are able to watch filmed classes and examine 3D-printed bones and other specimens.

USQ offers close **networking opportunities** within the PR industry as a result of staff contacts and industry involvement.

Television and Radio students work with **major broadcasters**, Nine News, covering news on the ground, as it happens.

Diploma of Arts

	CRICOS code	045302C
	Duration	1 year or part-time equivalent 8 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, external
	Start	February, July, November

Why study this degree?

Do you want to try-out university study but not sure where to start? USQ's Diploma of Arts provides the opportunity to get started with an eight-unit degree with courses that interest you, perhaps in Journalism, Anthropology, Biology, History, Marketing, Tourism Management, Visual Arts or Engineering. The diploma can then provide a stepping-stone into many USQ bachelor degrees helping you to gain necessary subject knowledge to meet different entry requirements.

NOTE

Nursing and Teaching practice courses are not available in this degree.





Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **17**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **63**, or equivalent qualification¹.
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 5.5** or equivalent.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core course	1
<i>plus</i> 2 x units from first discipline	
<i>plus</i> 2 x units from second discipline	
<i>plus</i> 2 x units from third discipline	7
<i>plus</i> 1 x elective	
TOTAL	8

¹ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

Bachelor of Arts

	CRICOS code	009258A
	Duration	3 years or part-time equivalent 24 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, Springfield ¹ , external
	Start	February, July, November

Why study this degree?

USQ's Bachelor of Arts is a dynamic degree that allows you to think inside and outside the box and prepares you for more than one career. You can choose from a wide range of majors and explore anthropology, languages, creative writing, literature, history, journalism, legal studies and public relations, to name a few areas. You will access in-depth knowledge through our lecturers and gain experience in critical thinking and real-world applications.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **16**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **64**, or equivalent qualification².
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Career opportunities

Depending on your chosen major studies, some career opportunities include: public relations officer, journalist, archaeologist, editor, translator, foreign affairs officer or librarian, and many other choices.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core courses	4
<i>plus</i> 1 x 8-unit Bachelor of Arts major	
<i>plus</i> 1 x second 8-unit major	
<i>plus</i> 1 x 4-unit minor	
<i>or</i> 4 x electives	
<i>or</i> 1 x 12-unit Bachelor of Arts extended major	
<i>plus</i> 1 x 8-unit major	20
<i>or</i> 2 x 4-unit minors	
<i>or</i> 1 x 4-unit minor plus 4 x electives	
<i>or</i> 1 x 8-unit Bachelor of Arts major	
<i>plus</i> 3 x 4-unit minors	
<i>or</i> 2 x 4-unit minors plus 4 x electives	
TOTAL	24

NOTE

As your second major, minor or electives, you have the choice of a wide range of courses from other degrees across the University (subject to approval). Typically, students tend to consider a second major, minor or elective courses from the Bachelor of Business and Commerce, Bachelor of Communication and Media, Bachelor of Information Technology, or Bachelor of Science.

Majors (8 units)

ANTHROPOLOGY T E

Anthropology is used to address compelling questions on war, gender, discrimination, racism and other divisions of power. Studying Anthropology goes beyond the traditional idea of studying remote societies and cultures, to look at the social and cultural experiences of our own lives. We delve deeper into the questions asked about the world, and you are given the academic skills needed to make a difference.

ARCHAEOLOGY T E

If opening a window to the past under the direction of some of Australia's most respected archaeologists appeals to you, then get ready to discover our Bachelor of Arts (Archaeology). There are plenty of opportunities for hands-on experience within this major, with practical archaeological training, including field methods and laboratory analysis.

CONTEMPORARY MEDIA STUDIES T E

How people engage with their society is closely related to our use of media technologies. Uncover knowledge around the areas of film, social media, television and popular culture which dynamically shape people's lives in a media-driven world.

CREATIVE AND CRITICAL WRITING T E

In this major, you will build skills in expressing yourself creatively and professionally as a writer. You will explore a number of writing genres and consider the world of editing and publishing.

ENGLISH LITERATURE T S E

The English Literature major will develop your skills in forming critical arguments, conducting research, and communicating your opinions with clarity and style. You will encounter the great texts, and innovative and contemporary works of poetry, prose, drama, film, new media and critical essays.

HISTORY T S E

Through critical thinking and real-world application, you will be able to analyse information from the past and apply it to current events and issues. You will examine many areas of history, including world civilisations, historic and contemporary Australia, race relations in Australian history, European history and the 20th century.

INDIGENOUS STUDIES T E

The Indigenous Studies major will give you an understanding of Australian Indigenous perspectives and ways of thinking. You will learn about Indigenous issues and elements that have shaped and influenced Indigenous communities in Australia.

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS T E

Interesting and ever-changing, the global political climate is a combination of relationships between nations, political systems and ideologies, economies, security regimes, policy frameworks and institutional structures. You will learn how countries and regions interact, and also gain a strong understanding of Australian domestic and international affairs.

JOURNALISM STUDIES T S E

Learn about the history and development of the free press, practices of today's news institutions, and the theories and principles that govern them. Bachelor of Arts students who wish to become industry-practising journalists should take the Journalism 12-unit extended major.

LANGUAGE AND CULTURE (GERMAN OR MANDARIN CHINESE)

T E

A language opens the door to cross-cultural communication in a wide range of careers, whether you're studying arts, business, sciences, engineering or education. In this major, you will gain competency in both communication and cultural knowledge in one of the major Asian or European languages.

LEGAL STUDIES T S E

The Legal Studies major enables you to analyse case studies, debate key legal concepts, begin basic legal research, and study possible methods of resolving conflicts.

PUBLIC RELATIONS STUDIES T E

As a public relations professional, you will be the voice of organisations and corporations. They communicate between media, customers, suppliers, community, government, industry, employees and other groups that interact with the organisation they work for.

SOCIAL JUSTICE STUDIES T E

This major is well-suited to you if you're interested in working with people – in the public sector, non-governmental organisations, and more – to deliver community welfare and social justice. You will develop analytical and consultative skills in tasks, including community consultation and policy analysis.

Extended majors (12 units)

ANTHROPOLOGY AND ARCHAEOLOGY EXTENDED T E

By combining the studies of Anthropology and Archaeology, you will gain a thorough understanding of the close connections between the study of the material traces of past peoples, and our knowledge of people and cultures in the present.

CONTEMPORARY INTERNATIONAL STUDIES EXTENDED T E

In this major, you will experience a range of subjects, including history, international relations, languages, cultural studies and politics, giving perspective on current issues in the world and how these impact on Australia and its international relations.

ENGLISH LITERATURE EXTENDED T S E

Delve deeper into the world of English literature with the Bachelor of Arts (English Literature Extended). Study the dynamic interactions between literary forms and film in the modern evolution of English Literature.

HISTORY EXTENDED T S E

You will engage with world-systems theory, international relations, and globalisation, and study specific events with a focus on their global significance. Through critical thinking and real-world application, you will learn to piece together information from the past and apply it to current events and issues.





JOURNALISM EXTENDED T S E

The Journalism Extended major builds on the principles and concepts taught in the Journalism Studies major to prepare you for work in the industry. Through the Journalism Extended major you will develop a broad interdisciplinary knowledge-base in addition to skills in reporting, writing, editing, design and production of content for a range of media, including radio, television, online, newspaper and magazines.

¹ Not all majors are available on-campus at Springfield.

² Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

Bachelor of Communication and Media

	CRICOS code	093872D
	Duration	3 years or part-time equivalent 24 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, online
	Start	February, July, November

Why study this degree?

USQ's Bachelor of Communication and Media will complement your passion for effective communication and help you build a versatile portfolio of work in preparation to enter the workplace, ready to hit the ground running.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **15**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **66**, or equivalent qualification¹.
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

The Public Relations major within the Bachelor of Communication is accredited with the Public Relations Institute of Australia (PRIA).

Career opportunities

You will graduate equipped for a job in public relations, journalism, communication, advocacy, writing or marketing.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core courses	8
<i>plus</i> 1 x 8-unit Bachelor of Communication and Media major	
<i>plus</i> 1 x second 8-unit major ²	
<i>or</i> 2 x 4-unit minors from Bachelor of Communication and Media	16
<i>or</i> 1 x 4-unit minor plus 4 x electives	
<i>or</i> 1 x 12-unit extended major	
<i>plus</i> 1 x 4-unit minor	
<i>or</i> 4 x electives	
TOTAL	24

Majors (8 units)

ADVERTISING

Explore the world of advertising – a key marketing tool used to grow businesses and communicate important information to target audiences. Learn how to plan, pitch and implement advertising audio and visual campaigns across a multitude of platforms, including traditional and digital media.

COMMUNICATION AND MEDIA STUDIES

This major combines the study of communication theory with the development of communications skills. You will analyse the areas of language, film, television and culture, while learning about interpersonal, group and mass communication, and communication in multicultural societies.

INTERACTIVE MEDIA

Explore various production elements of film, television, social media, digital and print. Develop skills in editing, graphic design, 3D modelling and animation. This major will equip you with the skills required for a digital profession via production-focussed learning environments and practical application.

JOURNALISM

Bachelor of Communication (Journalism) students report, write, edit, design and produce content for a range of media, including radio, television, online, newspaper and magazines. There is an emphasis on practical learning that will prepare you for a diverse range of career options. You'll work to deadline and graduate with a portfolio of work.

MARKETING

Marketing is an integral tool in the growth and development of any business operation. While studying the Bachelor of Communication and Media (Marketing), you will learn relevant marketing theories and principles through the combination of theoretical study and practical application.

PUBLIC RELATIONS

Want a dynamic career in a field that is paramount to every business and organisation? Working in the field of public relations, you will combine skills in writing, speaking, research and relationship-building, and use them in a fast-paced environment.

TELEVISION AND RADIO

Want to produce television/radio programs, create animation, develop a documentary or understand the ins and outs of video and sound production? Access USQ's remote access newsroom, and radio and television studios, and learn about the intriguing world of television and radio.

Extended majors (12 units)

JOURNALISM EXTENDED

Journalists play an integral role in informing our community. Within this major you will explore and uncover, in more depth and analytical detail, the components of journalistic practice across a range of media, including radio, television, digital and print.

PUBLIC RELATIONS EXTENDED

You will explore in more detail the dynamic and intriguing world of public relations. You will gain a deeper understanding of the role involved as a public relations professional, acting as the voice of organisations and corporations.





TELEVISION AND RADIO EXTENDED

In this major, you will uncover a deeper understanding of television and radio practice, and maximise on USQ's creative environment for students interested in the artistic and professional use of media broadcast technologies.

¹ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

² The second 8-unit major can be selected from the Bachelor of Communication and Media, Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Business and Commerce, Bachelor of Information Technology, or Bachelor of Science.

Bachelor of General Studies

	CRICOS code	030303C
	Duration	3 years or part-time equivalent 24 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, Springfield, external
	Start	February, July, November

DEGREE STRUCTURE

	UNITS
Core courses	3
<i>plus</i> 6–8 x units from first major	6–8
<i>plus</i> 3 x units from second major	3
<i>plus</i> 3 x units from third major	3
<i>plus</i> 3 x units from fourth major	3
<i>plus</i> 4–6 x electives	4–6
TOTAL	24

¹ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

Why study this degree?

Our Bachelor of General Studies is for anyone wanting to benefit from a wide choice of study areas. This degree is ideal for those who may have left school, and want to sample a range of university subjects before starting a more specialised degree. It is also ideal for students who wish to do a bridging degree to help them achieve their goals.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **18**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **61**, or equivalent qualification¹.
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

GLOBAL EXPERIENCE





'I studied a language-intensive program abroad in Germany which enabled me to greatly improve my German knowledge and connect with people from all over the world.'

EMMA

Bachelor of Arts (Graduate)



Bachelor of Social Science

	CRICOS code	059206K
	Duration	3 years or part-time equivalent 24 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, external
	Start	February, July, November

Why study this degree?

In USQ's Bachelor of Social Science, you will gain a deep understanding of people, society and human services within society. This degree will equip you with the skills needed to work within the public sector and non-government organisations to deliver community welfare and social justice outcomes.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **16**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **64**, or equivalent qualification¹.
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Career opportunities

You will graduate with career prospects in human services, welfare and health promotion, including health promotion officer, Indigenous advocate, communication officer, or behaviour specialist.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core courses	4
<i>plus</i> 1 x Interdisciplinary Social Science major or 1 x Social Justice major	8
<i>plus</i> 1 x second major	8
<i>plus</i> 4 x electives or 1 x 4-unit minor	4
TOTAL	24

Majors

INTERDISCIPLINARY SOCIAL SCIENCE T E

You will learn skills in theorising, critical appraisal and consultation to equip you to undertake tasks, such as community consultation and policy analysis – skills which are highly valued in a fast-changing workforce.

SOCIAL JUSTICE T E

This major develops skills in theorising and critical appraisal to help people make more sense of their lives – skills which are useful in a rapidly changing labour market – and provides a broad interdisciplinary understanding of people, society and human services within society.

Second majors

ANTHROPOLOGY T E

In the Anthropology major, you will cover a wide range of topics, including the nature of human behaviour, and how people live and work together in various kinds of social groups. Your studies can be used to address some of society's most compelling questions on war, gender, discrimination, racism and other equal divisions of power.

ASIAN STUDIES T E

You will combine Asian language and culture with theoretical perspectives and apply it to Asian institutional structures, policy frameworks, political systems and ideologies, economies and security regimes. You will also study the complexities and issues of cross-cultural interaction. Asian language skills are offered alongside your courses.

BEHAVIOURAL SCIENCE T E

You will explore memory, perception, learning and consciousness, and combine them with the study of broader society. Through a combination of Arts and Science courses, this degree will encourage you to consider the political, psychological, cultural and environmental factors impacting human behaviour, and will develop your research skills across a diverse range of social and cultural issues.

COMMUNICATION AND MEDIA STUDIES T E

You will examine the way we communicate, and explore the effect the media has on our world. It combines the study of communication theory with the development of communication skills. You will analyse the areas of language, film, television and culture, while learning about interpersonal, group and mass communication, and communication in multicultural societies.

HISTORY T E

Piece together information from the past and apply it to current events and issues through critical thinking and real-world application. You will discover the stories behind some of the greatest and most significant events the world has seen. You will be encouraged to examine the political, psychological, cultural and environmental issues that affected society in the past, and how they can influence the choices we now make for modern society.

INDIGENOUS STUDIES T E

This major will give you an understanding of Australian Indigenous perspectives and ways of thinking. You will be encouraged to consider the political, psychological, cultural and environmental issues that shape the perspectives of Australian Indigenous people.

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS T E





Learn how countries and regions interact on a global scale and the issues these relationships can face. You will gain a strong understanding of Australian domestic and international affairs while looking at the multitude of relationships and issues that affect nations, regions and global politics on a wider international level.

LANGUAGE AND CULTURE (MANDARIN CHINESE OR GERMAN) T E

Use the experience of language learning in either Mandarin Chinese or German as a gateway to the broader study of history, politics, culture, traditions, customs and national identities. You'll gain competency in both language and cultural knowledge, and will be encouraged to acquire cross-cultural awareness, preparing you for the possibility of life or study abroad.

¹ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

Bachelor of Arts (Honours)

	CRICOS code	030289G
	Duration	1 year or part-time equivalent 8 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, external
	Start	February, July

Why study this degree?

The Bachelor of Arts (Honours) at USQ will extend your capacity for specialised study and research at a higher academic level. You will build on knowledge and skills developed in earlier study and specialise within your field by preparing a supervised dissertation. The Bachelor of Arts (Honours) will provide you with opportunity to further your study in Anthropology, English Literature, History, or International Relations. This degree provides a pathway to doctoral studies for graduates who achieve First Class or Second Class Division A Honours.

Entry requirements

- A 3-year Bachelor of Arts degree or equivalent from a recognised institution, with a GPA 5.0 or minimum credit across all levels in the proposed major study.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Career opportunities

Depending on your area of interest, there are opportunities to become a museum consultant, social planner, community developer, librarian, anthropologist, sociologist or teacher (with further study). You could also find a career in publishing, archiving, foreign affairs, diplomacy, defence, international trade, or human rights.

PASSIONATE ABOUT MY STUDIES

'I had a large gap between high school and university and had to rediscover how to apply myself to my studies. Being able to choose a major that I was invested in made this process a lot easier.'

JEREMY

Bachelor of Social Science (Graduate)

DEGREE STRUCTURE

	UNITS
1 x major (including 4 units of supervised dissertation)	8
TOTAL	8

Majors

ANTHROPOLOGY T E

This major goes beyond the traditional idea of studying remote societies and cultures, to look at the social and cultural experiences of our own lives. You will also have access to our anthropology research laboratory through project work, and have opportunities to work as a volunteer assistant.

ENGLISH LITERATURE T E

Focussing on critical and cultural theory, classical literature and film, this degree will allow you to explore the nature and operation of cultural institutions, and the cultural production of meaning. You will examine both the great texts, and innovative and contemporary works of poetry, prose, drama, film, new media and critical essays, while enhancing your skills in analysis, critical thinking and developing communication skills.

HISTORY T E





Extend upon your skills and knowledge in history, and develop your capacity for specialised study, research and scholarship at a higher academic level. The degree includes courses in research design and method, as well as history-specific topics.

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS T E

Through this degree, you will extend your skills and knowledge within international relations, and develop your capacity for specialised study and research at a higher academic level.



Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Business and Commerce

	CRICOS code	TBA ¹
	Duration	4 years or part-time equivalent 32 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, Springfield ² , external
	Start	February, July, November

Why study this degree?

Can't decide whether to study a Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Business and Commerce? Why not study both. Studying a USQ double degree gives you the flexibility to combine your passions in business with those in the arts, preparing you for a unique career. A double degree takes far less time than studying both degrees separately, so you save time and money and put yourself in a competitive position for promotion or career change. You will graduate with two testamurs (official certificates) for each of your degrees.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **16**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **64**, or equivalent qualification³.
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Career opportunities

This double degree allows you to combine areas of expertise to give you a wide range of knowledge in different areas to enhance your appeal to future employers, for example, marketing and public relations, international business, and language and culture, marketing or communication and media studies.

Majors

ARTS

Anthropology, Anthropology and Archaeology Extended, Archaeology, Contemporary International Studies, Contemporary Media Studies, Creative and Critical Writing, English Literature, English Literature Extended, History, History Extended, Indigenous Studies, International Relations, Journalism Studies, Journalism Extended, Language and Culture, Legal Studies, Public Relations Studies, Social Justice Studies.

BUSINESS AND COMMERCE

Accounting, Aviation Management and Safety, Business Administration, Business Economics, Business Law, Finance, General Commerce, Human Resource Management, Information Technology Management, International Business, Logistics and Supply Chains, Management and Leadership, Marketing, Sustainable Business, and Tourism Management.

¹ This degree is pending CRICOS registration. Offers will not be issued to international students for this degree until CRICOS endorsement is granted. Please check the USQ website usq.edu.au/study for the latest information on degree availability.

² Not all majors in this degree are available on-campus at Springfield.

³ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.







DOUBLE DEGREE FOR A DYNAMIC CAREER

'I hope to be involved in the design of feature films. A double degree allows me to pursue creative media but also prepare for working in a corporate environment.'

AMY

Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Business

Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Laws

	CRICOS code	075196G
	Duration	5 years or part-time equivalent 40 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, Springfield ¹ , external
	Start	February, July, November

Why study this degree?

The Bachelor of Arts degree allows you to study across several skills and knowledge bases in many different fields of study with plenty of flexibility. By combining this with a Bachelor of Laws, your opportunities for diverse employment areas will expand.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **11**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **76**, or equivalent qualification².
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.5** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

The Bachelor of Laws has been accredited by the Legal Practitioners Admissions Board, Queensland, and the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Queensland as an approved academic qualification under the *Supreme Court Admission Rules 2004 (QLD)*. This will partially satisfy the requirements to practise as a solicitor or barrister in Queensland, or as a legal practitioner elsewhere in Australia. Intending solicitors and barristers must also complete an approved practical legal training course in order to become admitted to practise law.

NOTE

USQ does not offer practical legal training, but you can receive advice on practical legal training programs by contacting study@usq.edu.au

Career opportunities

Career opportunities may include private-practice solicitor or barrister, government departments, non-government agencies, legal organisations, journalist, public relations practitioner, media companies or as a communications consultant.

Majors

ARTS

Anthropology, Anthropology and Archaeology Extended, Archaeology, Contemporary International Studies, Contemporary Media Studies, Creative and Critical Writing, English Literature, English Literature Extended, History, History Extended, Indigenous Studies, International Relations, Journalism Studies, Journalism Extended, Language and Culture, Legal Studies, Public Relations Studies, Social Justice Studies.





¹ Not all majors in this degree are available on-campus at Springfield.

² Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

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get seven reasons to brave a
semester of study abroad.

social.usq.edu.au

Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science

	CRICOS code	078597K
	Duration	4 years or part-time equivalent 32 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, external
	Start	February, July, November

Why study this degree?

A Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science double degree allows you to combine your chosen Arts degree with a range of science skills to enhance your employability. The Bachelor of Arts degree allows you to study across several skill and knowledge-bases in many different fields of study with plenty of flexibility. Combining this with your chosen major within the Bachelor of Science will give options of many different careers and let you do it in less time than if you were completing two separate degrees.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **15**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **66**, or equivalent qualification¹.
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

The **Information Technology** major within the Bachelor of Science is accredited at professional level by the Australian Computer Society and, through the Seoul Accord, are recognised in other countries.

The Bachelor of Science (**Psychology**) major is fully accredited by the Australian Psychology Accreditation Council as a three-year sequence of study.

Career opportunities

As a graduate with a double degree, your career opportunities are extensive and vary widely, depending on your chosen majors, and can include employment in many fields of the arts and sciences industries.

Majors

ARTS

Anthropology, Anthropology and Archaeology Extended, Archaeology, Contemporary International Studies, Contemporary Media Studies, Creative and Critical Writing, English Literature, English Literature Extended, History, History Extended, Indigenous Studies, International Relations, Journalism Studies, Journalism Extended, Language and Culture, Legal Studies, Public Relations Studies, Social Justice Studies.

SCIENCE

Biology, Computing, Counselling, Environment and Sustainability, Food Science, Human Physiology, Information Technology, Mathematics, Mathematics and Statistics, Physical Sciences, Plant Agricultural Science, Psychology, Psychology Extended, and Wine Science.

¹ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

Want to know more?

For more information on Humanities and Communication or for full course listings, please visit usq.edu.au/humanities-and-communication



Information Technology

IT is a significant sector in the world's economy. USQ will empower you to drive technology further, whether it's developing a life-changing app, or providing innovative solutions to everyday problems.

In 2015, **53%**

of the Information Technology workforce, in Australia, was employed outside of IT-related industries. Have you considered how IT knowledge may be needed in your future career?

Australia's Digital Pulse, 2016

The average salary of a computing and information systems employee in Australia is





\$86 300

*Graduation Destinations Survey, 2014–2015
and Graduate Outcomes Survey, 2016*

The contribution of digital technologies to the Australian economy is **expected to grow by 75% by 2020**. The demand for employees with ICT-related skills will only increase.

Australia's Digital Pulse, 2016

Bachelor of Information Technology

	CRICOS code	007490J
	Duration	3 years or part-time equivalent 24 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, Springfield ¹ , online
	Start	February, July, November ²

Why study this degree?

Studying a Bachelor of Information Technology at USQ will enable you to gain relevant knowledge and up-to-date techniques required to meet industry standards. You will develop your analytical and problem-solving skills, learn about project management principles and tools, as well as explore ethical standards and socially responsible information technology practices to get job-ready for a competitive IT market.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **16**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **64**, or equivalent qualification³.
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- Recommended study: Mathematics A (4 SA) or equivalent (Applied Computer Science, and Network and Security majors only).
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

Our Bachelor of Information Technology degree is accredited at professional level by the Australian Computer Society and, through the Seoul Accord, is recognised in other countries.

Career opportunities

You can explore a career in large corporations, government institutions, the communication sector, health care, private companies and businesses, and IT firms with your skills gained at USQ.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core courses	8
<i>plus</i> 1 x 8-unit major	8
<i>plus</i> second 8-unit major	
<i>or</i> 2 x 4-unit minor	8
<i>or</i> 1 x 4-unit minor <i>plus</i> 4 x electives	
TOTAL	24

Majors

APPLIED COMPUTER SCIENCE **T O**

Our Applied Computer Science major is all about giving you the skills to solve computer-related problems. With focus on both technological and business principles and practices, you will study modern web applications, software systems, interfaces and database structures.

INFORMATION SYSTEMS DEVELOPMENT **T O**

If you know you want a career in IT but don't want to narrow your focus too early, the Information Systems Development major is ideal. You will gain a broad range of skills with the aim of helping you become a versatile and adaptable employee, equally adept at addressing both technical and business issues.

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY MANAGEMENT **T S O**

The emphasis of this major will give you the skills and knowledge to solve business problems using information technology. You will be the person who runs projects, manages staff, and uses your IT knowledge to improve the success of the business. Through your studies, you will acquire skills to seek industry certification, such as ITIL (ISO 20000), Oracle and SAP.

NETWORKING AND SECURITY **T S O**

The Networking and Security major will equip you with skills in network design, management, security and systems development, and administration. You will become familiar with problem-solving in computer networks, video conferencing, network services administration, and gain the professional skills.

¹ Not all majors are offered on-campus at Springfield.





² Semester 3 (November) courses are only available via online study.

³ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

YOU MAY ALSO BE INTERESTED IN ...

- Bachelor of Business and Commerce (Information Technology Management), see page 20.
- Associate Degree of Engineering (Computer Systems Engineering), see page 35.
- Bachelor of Engineering Science (Computer Systems Engineering), see page 38.
- Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Computer Systems Engineering), see page 42.
- Bachelor of Business and Commerce and Bachelor of Information Technology, see page 22.
- Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) and Bachelor of Information Technology, see page 44.
- Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) and Bachelor of Science, see page 45.
- Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) and Bachelor of Business and Commerce, see page 44.

Bachelor of Science

	CRICOS code	042230E
	Duration	3 years or part-time equivalent 24 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, external
	Start	February, July, November

Why study this degree?

In the Bachelor of Science, you will undertake foundation courses in statistics, communication, computing and mathematics, and will also be able to choose between a wide range of majors that will give you a strong grounding for a range of science-related careers or for more specialised postgraduate study.

NOTE

The Information Technology and Computing majors cannot be combined with the Mathematics and the Mathematics and Statistics majors towards a double major in the degree.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **15**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **66**, or equivalent qualification¹.
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- Recommended study: Mathematics B (4 SA) or equivalent.
- Assumed knowledge: Mathematics A (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

The Information Technology major is accredited at professional level by the Australian Computer Society. It is also recognised in other countries through the Seoul Accord.

Career opportunities

Use your scientific background to gain careers in software development, systems architecture or computer science.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core courses	4
<i>plus</i> 1 x 12-unit major <i>plus</i> 8 x electives	
<i>or</i> 1 x 12-unit Information Technology major <i>plus</i> 1 x 8-unit major <i>or</i> 1 x 4-unit minor plus 4 x electives	20
<i>or</i> 1 x 8-unit Computing major <i>plus</i> 1 x 8-unit major plus 4 x electives <i>or</i> 12 x electives	
TOTAL	24

Majors

COMPUTING T E

USQ's Computing degrees are flexible and relevant to a workforce that thrives on science and technology. As a graduate, you will become a better problem-solver and innovative thinker.

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY T E

The IT major allows you to explore in software development, programming languages, networking, and the design and implementation of computer systems and information systems.

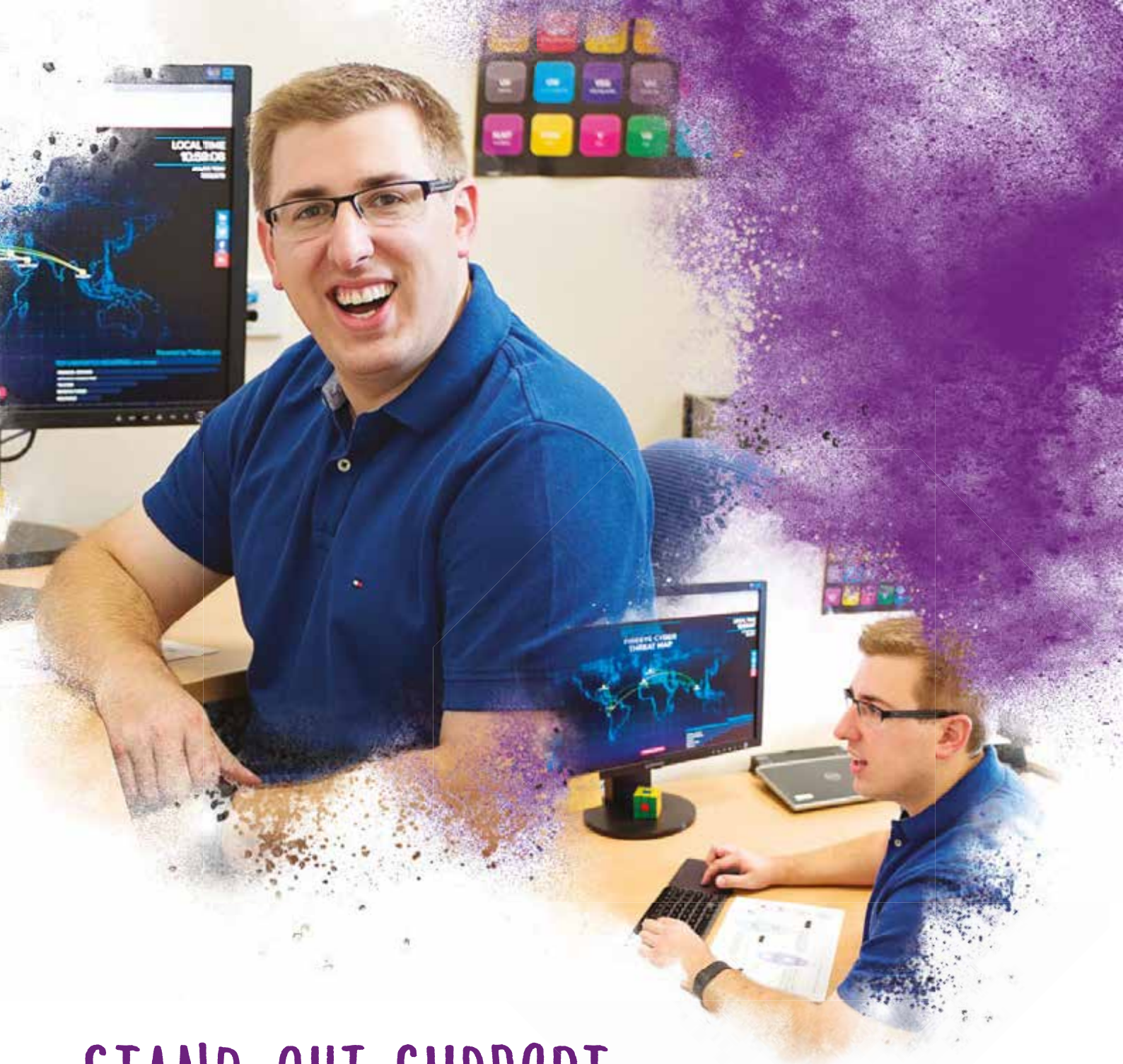
OTHER MAJORS

Additional majors available for the Bachelor of Science include: Biology (p.81), Counselling (p.54), Environment and Sustainability (p.81), Food Science (p.81), Human Physiology (p.54), Mathematics (p.81), Mathematics and Statistics (p.81), Physical Sciences (p.81), Plant Agricultural Science (p.81), Psychology (p.54), Psychology Extended (p.54) and Wine Science (p.81).

¹ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

Want to know more?

For more information on Information Technology or for full course listings, please visit usq.edu.au/it



STAND-OUT SUPPORT

'The people and the USQ spirit really do stand out. Someone is always there willing to lend a hand – from the library staff helping with books and journal articles, to the Student Support team with enrolment.'

NATHAN

Bachelor of Information Technology (Graduate)



Law and Justice

Whether your dream is to become a solicitor, or to use your law skills in human rights, advocacy or international relations, by studying Law and Justice at USQ, you can pursue a career to make a difference.

Gain **practical experience** and take part in simulated court proceedings in our on-campus moot courts.

USQ's Law and Justice degrees have been developed in conjunction with an advisory committee of senior judges and lawyers who have given them their





ENTHUSIASTIC ENDORSEMENT.

The average wage of a solicitor in Australia is

\$104 000 p.a.

Job Outlook, 2016

Bachelor of Laws

	CRICOS code	081714F
	Duration	3 years or part-time equivalent 24 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, Springfield, external
	Start	February, July

Why study this degree?

If you are seeking a career in law, USQ's Bachelor of Laws degree will get you there sooner. Accredited by the Legal Practitioners Admissions Board as an academic qualification for admission as a lawyer in Queensland, USQ's Bachelor of Laws is one of only a few law degrees which can be completed in three years.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **11**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **76**, or equivalent qualification¹.
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.5** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

The Bachelor of Laws has been accredited by the Legal Practitioners Admissions Board, Queensland, and the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Queensland as an approved academic qualification under the *Supreme Court Admission Rules 2004 (Qld)*. This will partially satisfy the requirements to practise as a solicitor or barrister in Queensland, or as a legal practitioner elsewhere in Australia. Intending solicitors and barristers must also complete an approved practical legal training course in order to become admitted to practise law.

NOTE

USQ does not offer practical legal training, but you can receive advice on practical legal training programs by contacting study@usq.edu.au

Career opportunities

Your studies will prepare you for practice as a solicitor or barrister in Queensland or a legal practitioner elsewhere in Australia, but a law degree also prepares you for many other careers in business, commerce and government.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core courses	19
<i>plus</i> 5 x electives	5
TOTAL	24

¹ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.





REACHING FOR THE TOP

'I am proud to be a part of such an amazing university and I want to one day become a judge after finishing my law degree.'

RACHEAL

Bachelor of Laws

Bachelor of Laws (Honours)

	CRICOS code	081715E
	Duration	1 year or part-time equivalent 8 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, Springfield, external
	Start	February, July

Why study this degree?

If you would like to enhance your employment opportunities, advance your knowledge and skills in a specialist area of law and build valuable research skills, USQ's Bachelor of Laws (Honours) is the only graduate honours law degree in Australia. You will study legal research methods and complete two major research projects in areas of law you are passionate about, to make a difference to society in a meaningful way.

If you have already completed your practical legal training course (at another institution), you may receive credit from that to halve your honours degree.

Entry requirements

- A Bachelor of Laws degree from the University of Southern Queensland or other recognised bachelor degree in law from a recognised university with a pass at either:
 - a credit level (grade point average of 5.0/7 (that is 71.4 percent) in the entire degree and permission of the relevant Program Coordinator
 - or
 - a grade point average of 5.2/7 (75 percent) in the third level of the Bachelor of Laws degree, including an 'A' or better level pass in at least 1 course.
- For a candidate with equivalent qualifications, special permission of the Executive Dean on the advice of the relevant Program Coordinator is required.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.5** or equivalent.

Professional recognition

The Bachelor of Laws (Honours) articulates from the Bachelor of Laws. The Bachelor of Laws has been accredited by the Legal Practitioners Admissions Board, Queensland, and the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Queensland as an approved academic qualification under the *Supreme Court Admission Rules 2004 (Qld)*. This will partially satisfy the requirements to practise as a solicitor or barrister in Queensland, or as a legal practitioner elsewhere in Australia. Intending solicitors and barristers must also complete an approved practical legal training course in order to become admitted to practise law.

Career opportunities

As a graduate, your advanced legal knowledge enhances your career opportunities in the legal profession (as a barrister or solicitor), the public service, government, politics, non-government organisations and businesses. It provides you with the skills to be a highly effective legal practitioner.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core courses	4
<i>plus</i> 4 x honours electives ¹	4
TOTAL	8

¹ You may be eligible for credit of 4 units within the Bachelor of Laws (Honours) degree upon completion of an approved Practical Legal Training (PLT) program.

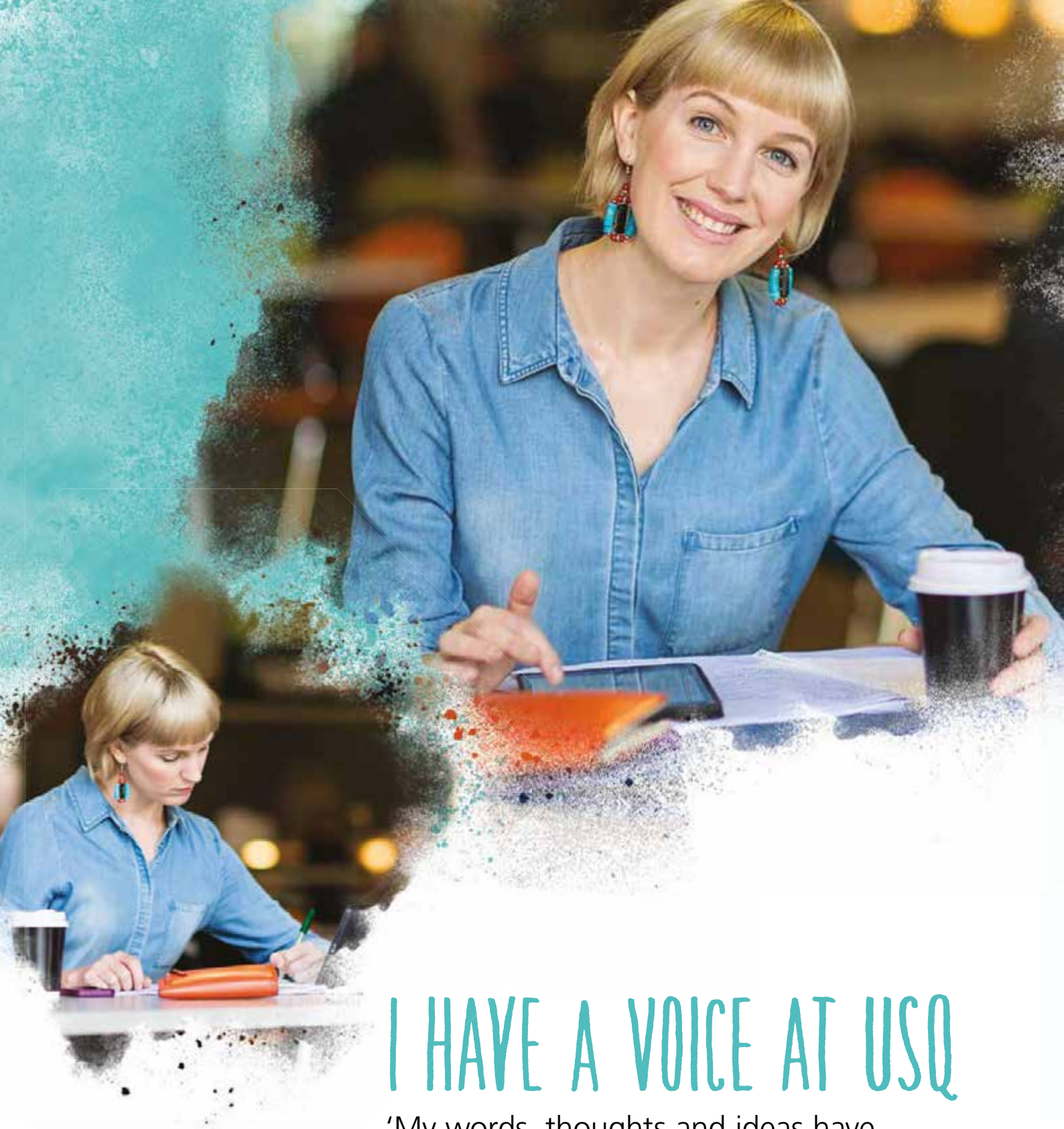
Want to know more?

For more information on Law and Justice or for full course listings, please visit usq.edu.au/law

INTERESTED IN A DOUBLE DEGREE?

Law and Justice is also available in the following double degrees:

- Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Laws, see page 69.
- Bachelor of Business and Commerce and Bachelor of Laws, see page 23.



I HAVE A VOICE AT USQ

'My words, thoughts and ideas have always been taken into consideration here. Being heard is such an important part of learning and growing as an individual and I feel like USQ has played a big role in my development as a person.'

ANNI

Bachelor of Laws (Graduate)



Sciences

The study of science is critical to the development of the modern world. Whether it's the night sky that captures your interest, the study of food production or environmental sustainability, USQ will take you on a journey of discovery.

#1

USQ is the No.1-ranked regional university for our research in Numerical and Computational Mathematics.

ERA National Report, 2015

USQ is a world leader in researching 'functional food', such as purple carrots and Queen Garnet plums.

ERA National Report, 2015

There will be up to


25 000 job openings


in Australia for environmental scientists leading up to 2019.


Job Outlook, 2016

Diploma of Science

This degree is not offered to international students.

 **Duration** 1 year or part-time equivalent
8 units

 **Campus/mode** Toowoomba, external

 **Start** February, July

Why study this degree?

The Diploma of Science is perfect if you are unsure about studying at university and would like to start with a bite-sized chunk. The diploma is a qualification in its own right, and you can stop there if you want to. But it is also a pathway to a bachelor degree, which means the eight courses you have studied can count towards your degree.

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **15**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **66**, or equivalent qualification¹.
- Subject pre-requisite: English (4 SA) or equivalent.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Career opportunities

Kick-start your career in science with job opportunities in environment conservation and physics.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Major courses	8
TOTAL	8

Majors

ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY

You will complete eight courses to establish knowledge of fundamental environmental concepts that can be applied in the workplace to assist in the management of natural resources in a sustainable manner.

PHYSICAL SCIENCES

This major introduces you to the fundamental concepts of physics and astronomy, and provides you with the opportunity to acquire complementary mathematical and communication skills. This degree is highly recommended if you are seeking physics experience before enrolling in a bachelor degree.

¹ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.





THE START OF SOMETHING BIG

'After I complete my degree, I want to continue with postgraduate studies and focus on astrophysics. I would love to be involved in some of the large telescopes currently being constructed.'

ALEX

Bachelor of Science (Physical Sciences)

Bachelor of Science

	CRICOS code	042230E
	Duration	3 years or part-time equivalent 24 units
	Campus/mode	Toowoomba, external
	Start	February, July, November

Why study this degree?

In the Bachelor of Science, you will undertake foundation courses in statistics, communication, computing and mathematics. You will also be able to choose from a wide variety of majors that will give you a strong grounding for a range of science-related careers or for more specialised postgraduate study. Why not strengthen your degree by studying multiple majors? The opportunities await!

Entry requirements

- Minimum Overall Position (OP) of **15**, Tertiary Entrance Rank of **66**, or equivalent qualification¹.
- Subject pre-requisites: English (4 SA), Mathematics A (4 SA) or equivalent (Food Science, Plant Agricultural Science and Wine Science majors), Mathematics B or equivalent (4 SA) (Mathematics, and Mathematics and Statistics majors).
- Recommended study: Mathematics B (4 SA) or equivalent and one of Biology, Chemistry, Physics or Science21, or equivalent (Biology, Environment and Sustainability, Food Science and Plant Agricultural Science majors).
- Assumed knowledge: Mathematics A (4 SA) or equivalent (Biology, Environment and Sustainability, and Physical Sciences majors).
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

Career opportunities

Depending on your chosen major, a Bachelor of Science can direct you in many career pathways, including a microbiologist, food product developer, systems analyst/programmer, welfare officer or market researcher. The career opportunities are dynamic and this degree also provides an ideal platform for further study.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
Core courses	4
<i>plus</i> 1 x 12-unit major <i>plus</i> 8 x electives	
<i>or</i> 1 x 12-unit major <i>plus</i> 1 x 8-unit major <i>or</i> 1 x 4-unit minor <i>plus</i> 4 x electives	20
<i>or</i> 2 x 8-unit majors <i>plus</i> 4 x electives	
<i>or</i> 1 x 8-unit major <i>plus</i> 12 x electives	
TOTAL	24

Majors

BIOLOGY T E

You will gain a broad knowledge in biology, chemistry and communications, as well as the option of more detailed knowledge in disciplines, such as biochemistry, genetics, microbiology and physiology.

ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY T E

With a focus on climatology, ecology and conservation, this major is designed for those wanting to explore environmental science, biodiversity conservation, practical aspects of climate change mitigation and adaptation, and natural resource management for a more sustainable future.

FOOD SCIENCE T E

Be part of Australia's largest manufacturing industry and discover the science behind the development of new food products. You will learn about food chemistry and analysis, food processing and food safety, as well as develop an understanding of the effects of food components on human nutrition and health.

MATHEMATICS T E

Combining the rigour and logic of a scientific approach with the specifics of a professional area, the Mathematics major is designed for those interested in finding patterns in numbers, space and abstractions. It offers courses in algebra and calculus, high-performance numerical computing and foundation mathematics.

MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS T E

You will examine the fundamentals of pure and applied mathematics, theoretical and applied statistics, mathematical modelling and operations research. This is the only major of its kind offered via external mode in Queensland.

PHYSICAL SCIENCES E

The Physical Sciences major combines physics and astronomy, and can include studies in chemistry, as well as Earth, planetary and space sciences, and other fields. The major is offered externally, and is supported by a range of remote-access facilities, including an astronomical observatory, and by staff researchers in astrophysics, solar studies and astrobiology.

PLANT AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE T E

Delve into the science behind plant production and explore topics in plant physiology, agronomy, plant microbe interactions, soil science, genetics, and post-harvest technologies. You will also examine the impacts of agricultural practices on soil and water to be able to contribute to the sustainability of the environment.

WINE SCIENCE² T E

Utilising a purpose-built \$8.5-million education and training facility at the Queensland College of Wine Tourism, this major offers onsite training in commercial vineyards, wineries, winery laboratories, and sensory analysis in association with regional wine shows. Highly applied and analytical, the course is suitable for school leavers, international students, wine producers and those of you looking for a career change.

OTHER MAJORS

Additional majors available for the Bachelor of Science include: Computing (p.73), Counselling (p.54), Human Physiology (p.54), Information Technology (p.73), Psychology (p.54) and Psychology Extended (p.54).

¹ Find your country's level of qualification and minimum entry requirements on page 87.

² The Wine Science major is only available to international students via external study.

Bachelor of Science (Honours)



CRICOS code 043510M



Duration 1 year or part-time equivalent
8 units



Campus/mode Toowoomba, external¹



Start February, July

Why study this degree?

The Bachelor of Science (Honours) gives you the opportunity to extend your knowledge and skills in the specific discipline area that interests you. Building on your Bachelor of Science degree, you will have the opportunity to increase your knowledge through research. You will conduct, and report on, a research project under the supervision of an academic staff member with the appropriate expertise.

Entry requirements

- 3-year Bachelor of Science degree or equivalent from a recognised institution with a minimum GPA of 5.0 (credit) completed a maximum of 3 years prior to application.
- Biology major: candidates must have also submitted, and had approved, a project proposal for which an appropriate supervisor is available before commencing studies.
- All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements. This degree requires a minimum of **IELTS 6.0** or equivalent.

DEGREE STRUCTURE	UNITS
1 x major	8
TOTAL	8

Majors

APPLIED MATHEMATICS/STATISTICS, BIOLOGY, CHEMISTRY, ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY, PHYSICS¹ **T E**

The Honours degree will give you an appreciation of the professional standards required of the practising scientist, and the ethical challenges presented by modern science and technology. You will also participate in research teams, be introduced to advanced experimental and literature research methods, and have opportunities to make contact with the wider scientific community in the local region, elsewhere in Australia and overseas.

NOTE

The availability of these majors is subject to the availability of a suitable supervisor for an appropriate project.

OTHER MAJORS

A major in Psychology and Computing is also available for the Bachelor of Science (Honours). Please see page 56 and 73 respectively, for more details.

¹ Not all majors are offered via external study. International students should check with USQ prior to choosing their major.

Want to know more?

For more information on Sciences or for full course listings, please visit usq.edu.au/sciences

INTERESTED IN A COMBINED OR DOUBLE DEGREE?

Sciences is also available in the following combined/double degrees:

- Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science, see page 70.
- Bachelor of Business and Commerce and Bachelor of Science, see page 24.
- Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) and Bachelor of Science, see page 45.



PURSUING MY PASSION

'My passion for the environment started during my childhood as a result of my Indigenous heritage. I was always told that we do not own the land, that the land owns us and we need to replenish the resources we use.'

ASHLEIGH

Bachelor of Science (Environment and Sustainability)
(Graduate)

Get a head start while you're at school

Are you a motivated, high-achieving Year 11 or 12 domestic student?

As a USQ Head Start student, you can study one uni subject a semester, on-campus or online, allowing you to start university during your final years at high school. Select from a variety of courses in our nine study areas and study alongside other USQ students. Find out more at usq.edu.au/head-start

1 GUARANTEED ENTRY

Complete a course and be eligible for guaranteed entry into a related USQ degree! (Remember, you need to meet the degree pre-requisites as well.)

2 SAVE MONEY

The first course is free! Want to study more? Additional courses are offered at a discount.

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GAIN EXPERIENCE

Learn about a potential career while discovering uni life at USQ on-campus or online.

5 REASONS TO STUDY USQ'S HEAD START

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SAVE TIME

Have fewer courses to study when you get to uni, gaining credit for the courses you pass.

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BONUS POINTS

Receive two points towards your Queensland Certificate of Education (QCE) for each USQ course.

Explore the world and study abroad

If you're a domestic student, you can spend a semester or a year studying overseas with our Study Abroad and Exchange Program, anytime between your second year and your final semester. Gain a new perspective and a competitive edge in your career whilst you travel, experience new cultures and make friends from all over the world.



USQ has many partner universities across the world, including

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| — France | — Ireland | — USA | — Denmark |
| — Russia | — Malaysia | — UK | — The Netherlands |
| — Canada | — Germany | — China | — and many more! |

What's your dream destination?

Find out more about Study Abroad and Exchange Programs at USQ, including eligibility requirements, at usq.edu.au/study-abroad

STUDENT SERVICES

Whether you are studying on-campus or online, Student Services provides a range of support, such as medical consultations, psychological support and help with healthy living, disability resources, career development, accommodation, welfare and financial support. USQ also has a support network for the lesbian, gay, transgender, bisexual or intersex (LGBTI) community.

LEARNING SUPPORT

The Learning Centre can help you to develop your academic learning, and language and mathematics skills to increase your academic success at university, whether you are studying on-campus or online.

Meet-Up is a student-led program that brings students together who are doing the same course. The sessions can help you understand course content, prepare for assignments and exams, develop learning skills, and are a way to use your study time effectively.

STUDENT RELATIONSHIP OFFICERS

Whether you're studying online, on-campus or a combination of both, from the moment you enrol, through to the day you graduate, you will have a dedicated Student Relationship Officer (SRO) to call on whenever you need assistance. Your SRO can assist with your enrolment, exam enquires or just about anything.

6 ways USQ can support you

MULTI-FAITH SERVICES

To support and foster the ongoing spiritual development for staff and students, USQ has a multi-faith service at each campus.

The chaplains appointed provide spiritual support and pastoral care to students and staff and work to encourage unity within the diverse USQ community.

USQ STUDENT ADVICE LINE

Your safety and wellbeing is very important to us – that is why all USQ students have access to a 24/7 Student Advice Line. This advice line can answer personal or USQ-related enquiries, relating to university, health, wellbeing or safety matters. Call **1300 932 483** for free from landlines in Australia (standard call rates apply from mobile phones).

We are here to help you achieve your goals, support you through any challenges, and celebrate your successes. Want to know more about what support we can offer?

Check out
usq.edu.au/support

STUDENT LIFE

University isn't just about studying. Make the most of your time at USQ with Phoenix Central! Phoenix Central can find something for every student to get involved with, including a variety of clubs and societies, leadership opportunities, transitional support programs, as well as social, sporting and cultural activities.

Undergraduate entry requirements by country

Previous academic qualifications are recognised for standard entry. You should note that most degrees have additional entry requirements, such as a level of pre-requisite knowledge in a particular course area.

COUNTRY	MINIMUM ENTRY REQUIREMENTS
Australia (Domestic students)	The specified minimum entry requirement, as determined by Overall Position (OP), tertiary entrance rank or equivalent qualification. ¹ Please see information on additional entry requirements for individual degrees within this guide or at usq.edu.au/study

¹ These are determined by the University for specific degrees each semester. 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.
Bonus points may help you get into the degree of your choice by increasing your OP/Rank. The bonus points don't apply to all applicants or all degree. To find out what you may be eligible for, please visit usq.edu.au/bonus-points

COUNTRY	QUALIFICATION	MINIMUM ENTRY REQUIREMENTS
Bahrain	Successful completion of a recognized 1-year pre-university program	
	or successful completion of 1 year of study at a recognised tertiary institution in addition to completion of High School studies	
Bangladesh	Higher Secondary Certificate	60% overall grade in best 4 academic subjects
	or Intermediate Certificate	
Botswana	GCE A Levels	2 x D levels or equivalent
Brunei	GCE A Levels	2 x D levels or equivalent
Canada	Provincial High School Diploma	Above average pass = 60%
	or Ontario Secondary School Diploma	Successful completion of 6 OACs with 60% average
China	Senior High School Certificate	70% or equivalent
Denmark	Senior High School (Studentereksamen)	Average grade of 8.0 on 11-point scale
Ethiopia	GCE A levels	2 x D or equivalent
Fiji	NCEA (42 points)	
	Credit /pass/level 3 with aggregate 75 in best 5 subjects	
	or NZ Uni Bursaries Exam	
	or Fiji Form 6 and Form 7	Aggregate 270 in best 4 subjects and aggregate 250 – maximum of 4 subjects
France	Baccalaureate de l'enseignement du second degre	Successful completion – 10/20

COUNTRY	QUALIFICATION	MINIMUM ENTRY REQUIREMENTS
Germany	GCE A levels	2 x D levels or equivalent with aggregate of 25 in best 6 subjects
	or West African Senior School Certificate	
Hong Kong	HKDSE	Minimum level 3 in all 4 core courses + 2 electives
	or GCE A levels	2 x D levels or equivalent
	or HKLAE A levels	
India	Higher Secondary Certificate	60% overall grade in best 4 academic subjects
	or Indian School Certificate	60% overall grade in best 4 academic subjects
	or All India Senior School Certificate	60% overall grade in best 4 academic subjects
Indonesia	Completion of SMA/3 levels	GPA of 7.5 for 5 academic subjects
	or GCE A levels	2 x D or equivalent
	or Secondary School Certificate of Graduation (SKHUN/STK)	Average score of 6 plus a minimum score of 5 in each subject
	or Secondary School Certificate of Completion (Ijazah formerly STTB)	
International Baccalaureate – all countries	IB Diploma	Successful completion with minimum score 24
Iran	Successful completion of the Iranian Higher Diploma	
	or successful completion of a recognised 1-year pre-university program	
	or successful completion of 1 year of study at a recognised tertiary institution in addition to completion of High School studies	
Iraq	Successful completion of a recognised 1-year pre-university program	
	or successful completion of 1 year of study at a recognised tertiary institution in addition to completion of High School studies	
Japan	Upper Secondary School Certificate (Kotogakko)	GPA 3.0 (5-point scale) – overall grade
Jordan	The General Secondary Education Certificate	Overall average of 80% with passes in 3 academic subjects
Kenya	GCE A levels	2 x D levels or equivalent
Korea	Senior High School	80% (B average)
	or Upper Secondary School	80% (B average)
Kuwait	Middle Eastern Secondary Certificate	80% or higher
Libya	Successful completion of a recognised 1-year pre-university program	
	or successful completion of 1 year of study at a recognised tertiary institution in addition to completion of High School studies	
Malaysia	GCE A levels	2 x D levels or equivalent
	or UEC	or at least 6 subjects with a score of B5 or better in at least 5 of these subjects (cannot include more than 1 of Chinese Language or Bahasa Malaysia)
	or STPM	or GPA 2.0 or better for best 4 principal subjects, including Bahasa Malaysia and General Knowledge Paper
Mauritius	GCE A levels	Mauritius GCE A levels; 2 x D levels or equivalent
Myanmar	Intermediate Certificate	'A' List (overall grade average 60%)
Nepal	Higher Secondary Certificate	65%
	Proficiency Certificate	73%

COUNTRY	QUALIFICATION	MINIMUM ENTRY REQUIREMENTS
Netherlands	Diploma of Pre-university	Grade average of 6.0
	or Voorbereidend Wetenschappelijk Onderwijs (V WO Diploma)	
New Zealand	Completion of Form 7 and successful completion of the National Certificate of Education Achievement (NCEA)	
Nigeria	GCE A levels	2 x D levels
	or WACE	2 x D levels or equivalent with aggregate 22 or less in best 6 subjects
Norway	Senior High School	GPA 3.5 (6-point scale)
Oman	Successful completion of a recognised 1-year pre-university program studies	
	or successful completion of 1 year of study at a recognised tertiary institution in addition to completion of High School	
Pakistan	GCE A levels	2 x D levels or equivalent
	or Higher Secondary School Intermediate Certificate	60% overall grade in best 4 academic subjects
Papua New Guinea	Satisfactory completion of PNG HSC from Port Moresby International School (POMIS) (ACT Curriculum) or equivalent	
Philippines	Year 12 equivalent + SAT	Composite minimum score of 1250
	or successful completion of a recognised 1-year pre-university program	
	or successful completion of 1 year of study at a recognised tertiary institution in addition to completion of High School studies	
Russia	Certificate of Secondary Education (Svidetel'stvo Srednem Obrazovanii)	
	or Attestat ob okonchanií olnoj srednej shkoly or Attestat Zrelosti	
	or Certificate of Secondary (Complete) Education (Attestat o Srednem (polnom) Obschem Obrazovanii) awarded on completion of general secondary schooling	
Saudi Arabia	The General Secondary Education Certificate awarded by the Ministry of Education in any stream after 3 years of full-time study	
	or successful completion of a recognised 1-year pre-university program	
	or successful completion of 1 year of study at a recognised tertiary institution in addition to completion of High School studies	
Singapore	GCE A levels	2 x D levels or equivalent
South Africa	GCE A Levels	2 x D levels or equivalent
Sri Lanka	Sri Lankan GCE A levels	Passing in 3 academic subjects with 3 'S' passes
Sweden	Student Examen	Pass Grade
	or Avgangsbetyg (Leaving Certificate)	
Taiwan	Senior High School Diploma	B average (70%)
Tanzania	GCE A levels	2 x D levels or equivalent
Thailand	Matayom 6	GPA of 3.0 (4-point scale)
Turkey	High School Diploma	B – Good
UAE	Tawjihiyya	73%
	Thanawiya Aamah (General Secondary School Certificate)	73%
	Thanawiya Faniah (Technical Secondary School Certificate)	73%
	Thanawiya Tijaria (Commercial Secondary School Certificate)	73%
	Thanawiya from an Agricultural Institute	73%
UK	GCE A levels	2 x D levels or equivalent
USA	High School Diploma + SAT	SAT Composite Score 1250
Vietnam	Satisfactory completion of Senior Secondary School	
Zambia	GCE A levels	2 x D levels or equivalent
Zimbabwe	GCE A levels	2 x D levels or equivalent

Study costs: Domestic students

There are three main costs incurred from university study:

- degree fees
- Student Services and Amenities Fee
- textbooks.

STUDENT SERVICES AND AMENITIES FEE

We want you to have a great university experience, and the Student Services and Amenities Fee (SA Fee) aims to provide you with access to a range of non-academic services, such as learning support, sporting and recreational activities, as well as employment and career counselling services, both online and on-campus.

You may be eligible to defer your Student Services and Amenities Fee.

For more information, visit usq.edu.au/sa-fee

TEXTBOOKS

You will most likely need a prescribed textbook for each course (subject) you study at university. Textbooks can cost between \$30 and \$200. Additional costs may apply for some degrees and courses, e.g. uniforms and special equipment required for Nursing. You can find out more about textbook expenses at bookshop.usq.edu.au

DEGREE FEES

Tuition fees can vary, depending on the degree or courses you are enrolled in but don't worry, financial support is available. Eligible students can access student loans to help cover costs.

HECS HELP

HECS-HELP is a loan that helps eligible Commonwealth-supported students to pay their tuition fees. Students can choose to pay some or all of their fees up front. HECS-HELP enables students to make repayments via the tax system when their income reaches a certain level.

OS-HELP

OS-HELP is a loan that assists eligible Commonwealth-supported students study a semester overseas. The OS-HELP loan can help you with airfares and accommodation.

Fee assistance is only available to Australian citizens and students holding permanent humanitarian visas. For more information about program fees at USQ, please visit usq.edu.au/fees or visit the Study Assistance website studyassist.gov.au

SCHOLARSHIPS AND BURSARIES

Scholarships and bursaries are available in all study areas at USQ and are offered to students who have demonstrated academic excellence, leadership, participation in the wider community, and to students whose ability to attend university and achieve their full academic potential is affected by financial hardship.

What kind of scholarships and bursaries are there?

Each scholarship and bursary has different eligibility and selection criteria, and varies in value and payment arrangements. So, there is a high chance that there will be a scholarship suitable to you.

Check out the USQ Scholarships website, where you can find application forms, closing dates and FAQs. Please visit **usq.edu.au/scholarships**

Key dates for scholarship and bursary applications

Early round applications close	8 September 2017
Main round applications close	27 October 2017
Notification of outcomes	End of January 2018

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Financial assistance for eligible students is available through Youth Allowance (for students under the age of 25), Austudy and ABSTUDY. Further information is available from the government-run Centrelink on **13 24 90**, or visit **centrelink.gov.au**

USQ also maintains interest-free loan schemes to assist students in the short-term whose overall welfare and academic progress are at risk through financial pressures. For more information, please visit **usq.edu.au/financial-support**

How to apply: Domestic students

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Before you apply — research your degree and career choices

- Consider your future career goals. Use the Career Explorer at **usq.edu.au/career-explorer** to help you discover the study areas that best suit your talents and interests, or make an appointment with one of our career counsellors — it's free and you don't need to come on-campus.
- Check the entry requirements for your degree, e.g. OP/Rank, subject pre-requisites and English language requirements, or if you will need anything to undertake professional placements as part of your degree (e.g. a Blue Card, immunisations).
- Check if you need any supporting documentation for your application (e.g. official academic transcripts, resumes).
- Explore USQ's pathway programs (on pages 10–11) as an alternate entry option into uni.
- Find out if you can get credit from previous study towards your USQ degree.¹

Apply through QTAC

- Have your top 3 preferences ready (e.g. 1 – Bachelor of Engineering (Honours), 2 – Associate Degree of Engineering, 3 – Bachelor of Arts).
- Apply at **qtac.edu.au** if you:
 - have never studied with USQ before
 - are a Year 12 student.
- Alternatively, you may be able to apply directly to USQ if you:
 - have a completed Certificate III or higher from TAFE Queensland, South Australia or New South Wales (excluding Year 12 students)
 - are a current or previous USQ student returning to study (excluding Year 12 students)
 - want to brush up on your study skills through USQ's Tertiary Preparation Program
 - need to improve your English language skills through USQ's English for Academic Purposes program
 - want to study professional development or cross-institutional courses with USQ.

¹ If you are a domestic student applying for credit from previous study, you will require certified copies of any documents relating to your previous study.

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While you're waiting to hear from us ...

- Apply for a scholarship or bursary (or two, or three!) at **usq.edu.au/scholarships**
- If you want tips on how to write your scholarship or bursary application from our current students and scholarship/bursary recipients, check out **social.usq.edu.au**
- Apply for credit through USQ at **usq.edu.au/credit**
- Check the status of your application online (either via QTAC or USQ).

Accepting is no harder than clicking the link in your offer email! Your email may come via QTAC or from USQ.

Congratulations!

You're ready to start your study journey with us!

Didn't get an offer?

- Applied through QTAC and didn't get an offer? Perhaps you need to change your preferences. Remember you get three free preference changes.
- Applied directly to USQ and didn't get an offer? Consider some of the pathway options which will allow you to work your way toward your preferred degree.

More details on these steps are available at **usq.edu.au/apply**
Or contact us on **study@usq.edu.au** or phone **1800 269 500**

Before applying to study:

International students

CREDIT FOR PAST STUDY

USQ will consider your relevant studies, work experience and job training deemed equivalent in objectives, standard and/or content which has been completed in the past five years. Credit is subject to any existing agreements with Education Partners, or on an individual case-by-case basis. Approved credit will be documented in your offer letter.

To find out what credit that may be available towards your degree, visit **creditcalculator.usq.edu.au**

ENGLISH LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

To be admitted into academic degrees at USQ, you must demonstrate your proficiency in the use of English language.

Approved English language tests must have been completed within the previous two years, and the most recent demonstration of English proficiency will be used. For more information, please visit **usq.edu.au/english-requirements**

NOTE

English language requirements are subject to constant change – always visit the website above for the most up-to-date information.

Visit our **SOCIAL HUB** and view current students' top tips for international students.

social.usq.edu.au

STUDYING ON-CAMPUS IN AUSTRALIA

ESOS FRAMEWORK

The Education Services for Overseas Students, or ESOS Act, provides the regulatory requirements for USQ offering courses to international students in Australia on a student visa. ESOS provides tuition protection for international students. Please follow the link for more information: **www.internationaleducation.gov.au**

STREAMLINED STUDENT VISA PROCESSING

Under the streamlined student visa processing arrangements, eligible student visa applicants who have applied to study with USQ are assessed as though they are a lower immigration risk, irrespective of their country of origin.

Further information is available at **www.border.gov.au**

MEDICAL INSURANCE

The Australian Government require all holders of a student visa to have an Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC) for the entire length of their student visa. The OSHC can provide cover for the costs of medical and hospital care that you may need in Australia. If you do not maintain your OSHC, you are at risk of having your student visa cancelled.

Once you have returned your acceptance of offer form, your OSHC membership will be initiated by USQ. For more information about getting your OSHC, please see **usq.edu.au/oshc**

LIVING IN AUSTRALIA

Research and planning will help you have a safe and rewarding study experience at USQ. Find out what Australia has to offer by accessing the 'Live in Australia' link at **www.studyinaustralia.gov.au**

WORKING IN AUSTRALIA

Once you have settled into your study, international students at USQ can work up to a maximum of 40 hours per fortnight during semester. There is no limit to work hours during semester holiday breaks. **www.border.gov.au**

TEMPORARY GRADUATE VISA (SUBCLASS 485)

This visa is for international students who have recently graduated from an Australian educational institution, and allows you to work in Australia after your studies.

www.border.gov.au

STUDENT SERVICES AND AMENITIES FEES

In accordance with Australian Government legislation, you will be charged a Student Services and Amenities Fee to cover services, such as career and employment advice, health services, financial advice and other support services. This fee is an ongoing cost that is included as part of your tuition fees.

For more information, visit usq.edu.au/sa-fee

SCHOLARSHIPS

Each year, USQ offers a variety of scholarships for international students. You will need to apply for a USQ scholarship at the same time that you submit application to study at USQ.

For information about USQ scholarships available and application closing dates, please refer to usq.edu.au/scholarships

HOW DO I PAY MY TUITION FEES?

You can pay your first semester tuition fees online at usq.edu.au/international-accept

Future payments will be done using other payment options. For details, please refer to 'Paying your fees' at usq.edu.au/fees

Please note that your first semester of tuition fees needs to be paid directly to USQ in advance of receiving your eCOE (electronic Confirmation of Enrolment).

NOTE

International students studying on-campus in Australia in Semesters 1 and 2 are charged on-campus fees, regardless of whether the student has enrolled in individual courses externally or online. This does not apply to non-compulsory external/online courses studied in Semester 3.

WHAT IF I CHANGE MY MIND?

Full refunds are available; however, time limit conditions apply. If you find you need to withdraw your enrolment in a course before the last date to drop courses, you may be eligible for a refund of fees if there is an appropriate reason for the request. It is recommended you familiarise yourself with the policy on Refund of Fees before you accept your offer to study with USQ.

For specific information about refunds of tuition fees and also non-tuition fees, such as accommodation fees and student health care, please refer to usq.edu.au/student-fees-refund-procedure

LIVING COSTS

Here is a guide to the total yearly expenditure (excluding tuition fees)^{1,2}.

	Living type across all three campuses	
	On-campus (AUD)	Off-campus (AUD)
Annual living expenses	14 380–18 220	11 600–18 800
Off-campus establishment expenses (electricity, bond, gas etc.)	N/A	629–1363
OSHC Medical Insurance (12 months)	540	540
Textbooks	600–1000	600–1000
TOTAL	15 520–19 760	13 369–21 703

¹ Yearly expenses are based on shared accommodation.

² Cost is based on 2 standard semesters of study + 2 weeks orientation = 40 weeks.

NOTE

The table is based on 2017 costs and serve as a guide only. They are subject to change.

Study costs:
International
students

How to apply: International students

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Prior to applying

Prior to applying to study at USQ, we recommend checking the following:

- English language entry requirements
- degree-specific entry requirements
- streamlined student visa processing requirements (Genuine Student and Genuine Temporary Entrant requirements) at www.border.gov.au
- requirements to obtain a student visa, if intending to study on-campus in Australia.
- the important study dates to find out when to apply, when to arrive in Australia, semester start dates etc. Visit usq.edu.au/current-students/2018

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Submitting your application

You can submit your application via USQ's online application system at usq.edu.au/study/international/apply/how-to-apply

Simply register your details and follow the steps through the application process. Once your application has been submitted, it will be assessed by one of our friendly USQ staff.

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Accepting your offer

Once you have received your Offer Letter, you will need to return your signed Acceptance of Offer form directly to USQ International Admissions, or through your USQ representative (recruitment agent or Education Partner).

usq.edu.au/study/international/apply/accepting-your-offer

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Payment

Along with your Acceptance of Offer, you will need to provide payment of your initial deposit fees, as mentioned in your Letter of Offer.

Want to know more?

Contact us via email international@usq.edu.au, or call us on **+61 7 4631 5543**

What can I study?

NAME OF PROGRAM	CAMPUS/ MODE	DURATION	UNITS	APPROX. INTERNATIONAL STUDENT FEES (AUD)	PAGE
English Language Programs					
English Language Intensive Courses for Overseas Students (ELICOS)	T	5–32 weeks	-	368 (per week)	12
English for Academic Purposes (EAP)	T S O	20–36 weeks (full-time)	-	390 (per week)	13
Certificate of English for University Studies	S	0.5 year (1 semester)	4	11 840 (per semester)	15
Diploma of English for University Studies	S	1 year	8	11 840 (per semester)	15

AREA OF INTEREST	NAME OF DEGREE	2017 OP/ RANK	CAMPUS/ MODE	SEMESTER INTAKE	DURATION		APPROX. INTERNATIONAL STUDENT FEES PER UNIT (AUD)	PAGE
					UNITS	YEARS (FULL TIME)		
Business and Commerce								
Accounting	Bachelor of Business and Commerce (Accounting)	16/64	T S O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2788	20
Aviation	Bachelor of Aviation (Aviation Management) ¹	16/64	S	1	24	3	2690 ¹	19
	Bachelor of Aviation (Flight Operations) ^{1, 2}	16/64	S	1	24	3	2690 ¹	19
	Bachelor of Business and Commerce (Aviation Management and Safety)	16/64	S O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2788	20
Business Administration	Associate Degree of Business and Commerce	17/63	T S O	1, 2, 3	16	2	2690	18
	Bachelor of Business and Commerce (Business Administration)	16/64	T O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2788	20
Business Law	Bachelor of Business and Commerce (Business Law)	16/64	O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2788	20
Commerce	Bachelor of Business and Commerce (General Commerce)	16/64	T S O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2788	20
Economics	Bachelor of Business and Commerce (Business Economics)	16/64	O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2788	20
Finance	Bachelor of Business and Commerce (Finance)	16/64	T S O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2788	20
Human Resource Management	Bachelor of Business and Commerce (Human Resource Management)	16/64	T S O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2788	20
	Bachelor of Human Services (Human Resource Management)	15/66	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2800	50
	Bachelor of Human Services (Honours) (Human Resource Management)	13/71	T E	1, 2	32	4	3128	57
Information Technology Management	Bachelor of Business and Commerce (Information Technology Management)	16/64	T S O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2788	20
	Bachelor of Information Technology (Information Technology Management)	16/64	T S O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2923	72
International Business	Bachelor of Business and Commerce (International Business)	16/64	T O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2788	20
Logistics and Supply Chains	Bachelor of Business and Commerce (Logistics and Supply Chains)	16/64	O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2788	20

AREA OF INTEREST	NAME OF DEGREE	2017 OP/ RANK	CAMPUS/ MODE	SEMESTER INTAKE	DURATION		APPROX. INTERNATIONAL STUDENT FEES PER UNIT (AUD)	PAGE
					UNITS	YEARS (FULL TIME)		
Management and Leadership	Bachelor of Business and Commerce (Management and Leadership)	16/64	O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2788	20
Marketing	Bachelor of Business and Commerce (Marketing)	16/64	T S O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2788	20
	Bachelor of Business and Commerce (Marketing and Hospitality Management) ³	16/64	T S O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2788	20
	Bachelor of Communication and Media (Marketing)	15/66	T O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	64
Sustainable Business	Bachelor of Business and Commerce (Sustainable Business)	16/64	T S O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2788	20
Tourism and Events Management	Bachelor of Business and Commerce (Tourism and Events Management) ³	16/64	S O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2788	20
	Bachelor of Business and Commerce (Tourism Management)	16/64	S O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2788	20

Creative Arts and Media

Film, Television and Radio	Bachelor of Creative Arts (Film, Television and Radio)	16/64	T S	1	24	3	2690	26
	Bachelor of Creative Arts (Honours) (Film, Television and Radio)	OER	T O	1	8	1	2690	28
	Bachelor of Communication and Media (Television and Radio)	15/66	T O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	64
	Bachelor of Communication and Media (Television and Radio Extended)	15/66	T O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	64
Music	Bachelor of Creative Arts (Music)	OER	T	1	24	3	2690	26
	Bachelor of Creative Arts (Honours) (Music)	OER	T O	1	8	1	2690	28
Theatre	Bachelor of Creative Arts (Theatre)	OER	T	1	24	3	2690	26
	Bachelor of Creative Arts (Honours) (Theatre)	OER	T O	1	8	1	2690	28
Visual Arts	Bachelor of Creative Arts (Visual Arts) ⁴	OER	T O	1	24	3	2690	26
	Bachelor of Creative Arts (Honours) (Visual Arts)	OER	T O	1	8	1	2690	28

Education

Early Childhood	Bachelor of Early Childhood	16/64	T S O	1, 2	24	3	2630	30
	Bachelor of Education (Early Childhood)	15/66	T S O	1, 2	32	4	2644	31
Primary Education	Bachelor of Education (Primary)	15/66	T S O	1, 2	32	4	2644	31
Secondary Education	Bachelor of Education (Secondary)	15/66	T S O	1, 2	32	4	2644	31

Engineering and Built Environment

Agricultural Engineering	Associate Degree of Engineering (Agricultural Engineering)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	16	2	3530	35
	Bachelor of Engineering Science (Agricultural Engineering)	13/71	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	3530	38
	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Agricultural Engineering)	10/79	T E	1, 2	32	4	3530	42
Civil Engineering	Associate Degree of Engineering (Civil Engineering)	16/64	T S E	1, 2, 3	16	2	3530	35
	Bachelor of Engineering Science (Civil Engineering)	13/71	T S E	1, 2, 3	24	3	3530	38
	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Civil Engineering)	10/79	T S E	1, 2	32	4	3530	42

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Computer Systems Engineering	Associate Degree of Engineering (Computer Systems Engineering)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	16	2	3530	35
	Bachelor of Engineering Science (Computer Systems Engineering)	13/71	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	3530	38
	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Computer Systems Engineering)	10/79	T E	1, 2	32	4	3530	42
Construction	Associate Degree of Construction (Construction Management)	16/64	T S E	1, 2	16	2	3530	34
	Bachelor of Construction (Honours) (Construction Management)	12/74	T S E	1, 2	32	4	3530	41
Electrical and Electronic Engineering	Associate Degree of Engineering (Electrical and Electronic Engineering)	16/64	T S E	1, 2, 3	16	2	3530	35
	Bachelor of Engineering Science (Electrical and Electronic Engineering) ⁵	13/71	T S E	1, 2, 3	24	3	3530	38
	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Electrical and Electronic Engineering) ⁵	10/79	T S E	1, 2	32	4	3530	42
Environmental Engineering	Associate Degree of Engineering (Environmental Engineering)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	16	2	3530	35
	Bachelor of Engineering Science (Environmental Engineering)	13/71	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	3530	38
	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Environmental Engineering)	10/79	T E	1, 2	32	4	3530	42
Geographic Information Systems	Associate Degree of Spatial Science (Geographic Information Systems)	16/64	T E	1, 2	16	2	3384	36
	Bachelor of Spatial Science Technology (Geographic Information Systems)	13/71	T E	1, 2	24	3	3384	40
	Bachelor of Spatial Science (Honours) (Geographic Information Systems)	11/76	T E	1, 2	32	4	3384	43
Infrastructure Management	Bachelor of Engineering Science (Infrastructure Management)	13/71	T S E	1, 2, 3	24	3	3530	38
Instrumentation Control and Automation Engineering	Associate Degree of Engineering (Instrumentation Control and Automation Engineering)	16/64	E	1, 2, 3	16	2	3530	35
	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Instrumentation Control and Automation Engineering)	10/79	E	1, 2	32	4	3530	42
Mechanical Engineering	Associate Degree of Engineering (Mechanical Engineering)	16/64	T S E	1, 2, 3	16	2	3530	35
	Bachelor of Engineering Science (Mechanical Engineering) ⁵	13/71	T S E	1, 2, 3	24	3	3530	38
	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Mechanical Engineering) ⁵	10/79	T S E	1, 2	32	4	3530	42
Mechatronic Engineering	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Mechatronic Engineering)	10/79	T S E	1, 2	32	4	3530	42
Mining Engineering	Associate Degree of Engineering (Mining Engineering)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	16	2	3530	35
Power Engineering	Associate Degree of Engineering (Power Engineering)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	16	2	3530	35
	Bachelor of Engineering Science (Power Engineering)	13/71	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	3530	38
	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (Power Engineering)	10/79	T E	1, 2	32	4	3530	42
Surveying	Associate Degree of Spatial Science (Surveying)	16/64	T S E	1, 2	16	2	3384	36
	Bachelor of Spatial Science Technology (Surveying) ⁵	13/71	T S E	1, 2	24	3	3384	40
	Bachelor of Spatial Science (Honours) (Surveying)	11/76	T S E	1, 2	32	4	3384	43
Urban and Regional Planning	Associate Degree of Spatial Science (Urban and Regional Planning)	16/64	T E	1, 2	16	2	3384	36
	Bachelor of Spatial Science (Honours) (Urban and Regional Planning)	11/76	T E	1, 2	32	4	3384	43

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Health and Community								
Biomedical Science	Bachelor of Health (Biomedical Science)	15/66	T E	1	24	3	3465	49
Human Physiology	Bachelor of Science (Human Physiology)	15/66	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2979	54
Human Services and Counselling	Diploma of Human Services and Development	17/63	T I E	1, 2, 3	8	1	2800	48
	Bachelor of Human Services (Child and Family Studies)	15/66	I E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2800	50
	Bachelor of Human Services (Honours) (Child and Family Studies)	13/71	I E	1, 2	32	4	3128	57
	Bachelor of Human Services (Community Development and Indigenous Studies)	15/66	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2800	50
	Bachelor of Human Services (Honours) (Community Development and Indigenous Studies)	13/71	T E	1, 2	32	4	3128	57
	Bachelor of Human Services (Counselling)	15/66	I E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2800	50
	Bachelor of Human Services (Honours) (Counselling)	13/71	I E	1, 2	32	4	3128	57
	Bachelor of Human Services (Health and Social Wellbeing)	15/66	I E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2800	50
	Bachelor of Human Services (Honours) (Health and Social Wellbeing)	13/71	I E	1, 2	32	4	3128	57
	Bachelor of Science (Counselling)	15/66	I E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2979	54
Laboratory Medicine	Associate Degree of Health ⁶	16/64	T E	1	16	2	N/A	48
	Bachelor of Health (Laboratory Medicine)	15/66	T E	1	24	3	3465	49
Midwifery	Bachelor of Midwifery (Graduate Entry) ^{6, 7}	OER	E	1	16	2	N/A	51
Nursing	Bachelor of Nursing	15/66	T I E	1, 2	24	3	3102	52
Paramedicine	Bachelor of Paramedicine	15/66	I	1	24	3	3165	53
Psychology	Bachelor of Science (Psychology)	15/66	T I E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2979	54
	Bachelor of Science (Psychology Extended)	15/66	T I E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2979	54
	Bachelor of Science (Honours) (Psychology)	OER	T I E	1, 2	8	1	3540	56
	Bachelor of Psychology (Honours)	14/69	I	1, 2, 3	32	4	3027	58
Sport and Science	Bachelor of Sport and Exercise (Applied Sport and Exercise) ⁸	15/66	T I E	1, 2	24	3	2930	55
	Bachelor of Sport and Exercise (Sport and Exercise Science) ⁸	15/66	T I E	1, 2	24	3	2930	55
	Bachelor of Sport and Exercise (Honours) (Clinical Exercise Physiology) ⁸	12/74	I E	1, 2	32	4	2930	60
Humanities and Communication								
Advertising	Bachelor of Communication and Media (Advertising)	15/66	T O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	64
Anthropology and Archaeology	Bachelor of Arts (Anthropology)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	62
	Bachelor of Arts (Honours) (Anthropology)	OER	T E	1, 2	8	1	2740	67
	Bachelor of Social Science (Anthropology)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	66
	Bachelor of Arts (Archaeology)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	62
	Bachelor of Arts (Anthropology and Archaeology Extended)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	62

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Communication and Media Studies	Bachelor of Arts (Contemporary Media Studies)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	62
	Bachelor of Communication and Media (Communication and Media Studies)	15/66	T O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	64
	Bachelor of Communication and Media (Interactive Media)	15/66	T O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	64
	Bachelor of Social Science (Communication and Media Studies)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	66
Creative Writing	Bachelor of Arts (Creative and Critical Writing)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	62
English Literature	Bachelor of Arts (English Literature)	16/64	T S E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	62
	Bachelor of Arts (English Literature Extended)	16/64	T S E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	62
	Bachelor of Arts (Honours) (English Literature)	OER	T E	1, 2	8	1	2740	67
General Studies	Diploma of Arts	17/63	T E	1, 2, 3	8	1	2740	62
	Bachelor of General Studies ⁹	18/61	T S E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2753	65
History	Bachelor of Arts (History)	16/64	T S E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	62
	Bachelor of Arts (History Extended)	16/64	T S E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	62
	Bachelor of Arts (Honours) (History)	OER	T E	1, 2	8	1	2740	67
	Bachelor of Social Science (History)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	66
Indigenous Studies	Bachelor of Arts (Indigenous Studies)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	62
	Bachelor of Human Services (Community Development and Indigenous Studies)	15/66	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2800	50
	Bachelor of Human Services (Honours) (Community Development and Indigenous Studies)	13/71	T E	1, 2	32	4	3128	57
	Bachelor of Social Science (Indigenous Studies)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	66
International Relations	Bachelor of Arts (Contemporary International Studies Extended)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	62
	Bachelor of Arts (International Relations)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	62
	Bachelor of Arts (Social Justice Studies)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	62
	Bachelor of Arts (Honours) (International Relations)	OER	T E	1, 2	8	1	2740	67
	Bachelor of Social Science (International Relations)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	66
	Bachelor of Social Science (Social Justice)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	66
Journalism	Bachelor of Arts (Journalism Studies)	16/64	T S E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	62
	Bachelor of Arts (Journalism Extended)	16/64	T S E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	62
	Bachelor of Communication and Media (Journalism)	15/66	T O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	64
	Bachelor of Communication and Media (Journalism Extended)	15/66	T O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	64
Language and Culture	Bachelor of Arts (Language and Culture Studies) (German)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	62
	Bachelor of Arts (Language and Culture Studies) (Mandarin Chinese)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	62
	Bachelor of Social Science (Asian Studies)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	66
	Bachelor of Social Science (Language and Culture) (Mandarin Chinese or German)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	66
Legal Studies	Bachelor of Arts (Legal Studies)	16/64	T S E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	62

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Marketing	Bachelor of Business and Commerce (Marketing)	16/64	T S O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2788	20
	Bachelor of Business and Commerce (Marketing and Hospitality Management) ³	16/64	T S O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2788	20
	Bachelor of Communication and Media (Marketing)	15/66	T O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	64
Public Relations	Bachelor of Arts (Public Relations Studies)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	62
	Bachelor of Communication and Media (Public Relations)	15/66	T O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	64
	Bachelor of Communication and Media (Public Relations Extended)	15/66	T O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	64
Social Science	Bachelor of Social Science (Behavioural Science)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	66
	Bachelor of Social Science (Interdisciplinary Social Science)	16/64	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	66
Television and Radio	Bachelor of Communication and Media (Television and Radio)	15/66	T O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	64
	Bachelor of Communication and Media (Television and Radio Extended)	15/66	T O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2740	64

Information Technology

Applied Computer Science	Bachelor of Information Technology (Applied Computer Science)	16/64	T O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2923	72
Computing	Bachelor of Science (Computing)	15/66	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2979	73
Information Systems Development	Bachelor of Information Technology (Information Systems Development)	16/64	T O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2923	72
Information Technology	Bachelor of Science (Information Technology)	15/66	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2979	73
Information Technology Management	Bachelor of Business and Commerce (Information Technology Management)	16/64	T S O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2788	20
	Bachelor of Information Technology (Information Technology Management)	16/64	T S O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2923	72
Networking and Security	Bachelor of Information Technology (Networking and Security)	16/64	T S O	1, 2, 3	24	3	2923	72

Law and Justice

Law	Bachelor of Laws	11/76	T S E	1, 2	24	3	2890	76
	Bachelor of Laws (Honours)	OER	T S E	1, 2	8	1	2890	77

Sciences

Biology	Bachelor of Science (Biology)	15/66	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2979	81
	Bachelor of Science (Honours) (Biology)	OER	T E	1, 2	8	1	3540	82
Chemistry	Bachelor of Science (Honours) (Chemistry)	OER	T E	1, 2	8	1	3540	82
Environment and Sustainability	Diploma of Science (Environment and Sustainability) ⁶	15/66	T E	1, 2	8	1	N/A	80
	Bachelor of Science (Environment and Sustainability)	15/66	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2979	81
	Bachelor of Science (Honours) (Environment and Sustainability)	OER	T E	1, 2	8	1	3540	82
Food Science	Bachelor of Science (Food Science)	15/66	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2979	81

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Mathematics and Statistics	Bachelor of Science (Mathematics)	15/66	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2979	81
	Bachelor of Science (Mathematics and Statistics)	15/66	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2720–3180	81
	Bachelor of Science (Honours) (Applied Mathematics/Statistics)	OER	T E	1, 2	8	1	3540	82
Physics and Physical Sciences	Diploma of Science (Physical Sciences) ⁶	15/66	T E	1, 2	8	1	N/A	80
	Bachelor of Science (Physical Sciences)	15/66	E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2979	81
	Bachelor of Science (Honours) (Physics)	OER	T E	1, 2	8	1	3540	82
Plant Agricultural Science	Bachelor of Science (Plant Agricultural Science)	15/66	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2979	81
Wine Science	Bachelor of Science (Wine Science)	15/66	T E	1, 2, 3	24	3	2979	81

Combined and Double Degrees

Combined Degrees	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) and Bachelor of Business and Commerce ¹⁰	10/79	T S E	1, 2	40	5	3530	44
	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) and Bachelor of Information Technology ¹⁰	10/79	T S E	1, 2	40	5	3548	44
	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) and Bachelor of Science ¹⁰	10/79	T S E	1, 2	40	5	3530	45
Double Degrees	Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Business and Commerce	16/64	T S E	1, 2, 3	32	4	2771	68
	Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Laws ¹⁰	11/76	T S E	1, 2, 3	40	5	2778	69
	Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science	15/66	T E	1, 2, 3	32	4	2990	70
	Bachelor of Business and Commerce and Bachelor of Information Technology ¹⁰	16/64	T S O	1, 2, 3	32	4	2813	22
	Bachelor of Business and Commerce and Bachelor of Laws ¹⁰	11/76	T S O	1, 2, 3	40	5	2722	23
	Bachelor of Business and Commerce and Bachelor of Science	15/66	T E	1, 2, 3	32	4	2849	24

- 1 The Bachelor of Aviation will be available to international students in 2018, pending final approval.
- 2 The second year of the Bachelor of Aviation (Flight Operations) consists of flight training external to the University at an approved flight school.
- 3 This major is only available to those students who have successfully completed a relevant diploma from a TAFE institution or equivalent accredited body. Please see usq.edu.au/study for more details.
- 4 Only the Arts Management strand is available via external study.
- 5 Only first and second-year course are offered at Springfield, with third and final-year courses being introduced in 2019 and 2020 respectively. Third and final-year courses can be undertaken at USQ Toowoomba or externally.
- 6 This degree is not available to international students.
- 7 This degree includes mandatory on-campus residential school components.
- 8 This degree is available to international on-campus and off-campus students in Australia only, not to international students studying overseas.
- 9 Not all majors are available via external study mode.
- 10 Not all courses and majors in this degree are available on-campus at Springfield.

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OER – This degree has other entry requirements. For more details on a particular degree, refer to the relevant page in this guide or online at usq.edu.au/study



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If you are already residing in Australia, please provide the date of your arrival _____

Note: If you apply through an approved USQ Representative, all correspondence will be forwarded through the representative office.

Do you have a disability, impairment or long term medical condition which may affect your studies? ☐ Yes ☐ No

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Program Code (e.g. BBus)	Program Name (e.g. Bachelor of Business)	Major/Specialisation/Plan (e.g. Marketing)	Start Semester 1, 2, 3*	Start Year

*Commencement in Semesters 2 and 3 are not available for all Programs

Students enrolling in non-award programs only to complete course nominations below.

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4. English Language Proficiency

Was English the language of instruction in your:

High School/Year 12 ☐ Yes ☐ No

Further Studies after High School /Year 12 ☐ Yes ☐ No

If you answered **YES** to the either of the above questions, please attach
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Name of Senior/Yr 12 (e.g. HSC, GCE 'A' Level)	Start Date (mm/yy)	Completion Date (mm/yy)	School or Institution	Country	Language of Instruction

6. Further Studies after High School / Year 12 Studies

(Including Bridging Preparatory Studies, English Language Programs, Tertiary Studies, Certificate/Advanced Certificate/Trade/Traineeship or other studies, or Post-Secondary Qualifications.)

Name of Program/ Qualification	Start Date (mm/yy)	Completion Date (mm/yy)	Institution	Country	Language of Instruction

Ensure you have provided evidence that the above qualifications have been awarded. If you have not received an official award certificate please advise the date you expect to send the certificate to USQ ____/____/____
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Do you wish to apply for exemptions/credits for previous studies undertaken? ☐ Yes ☐ No

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7. Employment Experience (if applicable)

Please only supply this information if it is a pre-requisite for your program in which case you must attach your Curriculum Vitae (CV)/Resume with letters of reference or other documentary evidence of your work experience.

Start Date	Finish Date	Full-time or Part-time	Occupation Title	Main tasks or duties usually performed by you	Name of Employer

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Contact Number _____

Residential Town/City _____

Length of Residence _____

Relevancy and purpose of the chosen program

Please explain in detail the reason to study proposed program. Include if and how the program advances or directly relates to your previous studies/work experience.

Is the proposed program in line with your future plans? ☐ Yes ☐ No

(I) If yes, what is your future plan? _____

(II) If no, why are you planning to study this program? _____

Are there any other programs included in your application? ☐ Yes ☐ No

(I) If yes, then please provide details of the other program/s _____

(II) Which organisation is the other program/s with? _____

Study gap

Is there a gap in your history of studies and/or work? _____

If yes, how long and why? _____

English proficiency

Have you taken a formal English language test? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, which test and what score?

Test Type	Score	Date Taken
<input type="checkbox"/> IELTS	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> PTE Academic	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Others	_____	_____

Test Type	Score	Date Taken
<input type="checkbox"/> TOEFL	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Cambridge	_____	_____

If no, have you studied in an English medium? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, how many years? _____

What qualification(s) was/were obtained?

Dependant Background

Are you married? ☐ Yes ☐ No (if yes, please state when) _____

Are you and your spouse living together? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Is your spouse currently employed? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If you have taken an IELTS, was it before or after your wedding? _____

Do you have any children? (list age/s) _____

Will your spouse leave his/her job and join you as a dependant? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Immigration History

Have you applied for a student or any other visa to Australia in the past? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, was it granted? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If no, why not? _____

If granted, why are you reapplying? _____

Apart from Australia, have you applied for any student or other visa to US, UK, Canada or NZ? _____

Was it granted in all cases? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If no, why not? _____

Finances

Have you researched studying in Australia before applying? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Have you considered the following:

How you intend to pay for your tuition fees? (Please note USQ scholarships are generally NOT available to new students) _____

Your cost of living and general expenses whilst studying with USQ in Australia? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Where you intend to live whilst studying with USQ if accepted? _____

Whether you will live with friends/family already residing in Australia? If yes, who? _____

Where the various USQ Campuses are located in reference to large Metropolitan cities? _____

If you intend to be a sponsored student, then who is expected to pay for your tuition costs & living expenses? _____

Student Declaration

As a participant in the new Streamlined Visa Processing (SVP) arrangements, I have completed and provided the attached USQ Genuine Temporary Entrant form, with the Application and all other relevant supporting documentation. I understand that this assessment will form a part of my application to study with USQ.

I declare that the information supplied by me to USQ for this application and the relevant attachments are true and correct. I understand that the University may vary or terminate any subsequent offer of a place at USQ, or any subsequent agreements in place, regarding study at USQ if information provided by me is shown to be incorrect.

Signed By Student (include copy of Valid Passport)

If you are under 18 years of age please have this form signed by your parent or legal guardian.

x. _____ Date:- ____/____/____

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