Business Economics and Law

2025

Undergraduate Programs

Advanced Business (Honours)
Advanced Finance and Economics (Honours)
Agribusiness
Business Management
Commerce
Economics
Laws (Honours)
Politics, Philosophy and Economics (Honours)
Tourism, Hospitality and Event Management
Why study with us?

Our award-winning lecturers have extensive academic and industry expertise and are dedicated to helping you succeed. In addition to class contact time, we offer academic advice, peer-assisted study sessions, work-integrated learning opportunities, and employment services to ensure you reach your potential.

Choose business
Challenge yourself and develop the skills to thrive in constantly changing and highly competitive business environments. The Business School's vast network of industry contacts means you can develop practical experience and professional connections through internships at some of the world's biggest companies. Studying business opens up opportunities for a wide range of change-making careers in the public, private and not-for-profit sectors.

Choose commerce
Commerce graduates have extensive career options in accounting and consulting firms, public and private companies, financial institutions and government in Australia and internationally. Throughout your program, you will develop strong technical knowledge and skills in critical evaluation and problem-solving, along with practical application. Broaden your opportunities by taking part in internships, industry placements or international student exchanges while working towards an internationally recognised qualification that will allow you to adapt to, manage and influence the dynamic business world.

Choose economics
Economics develops your analytical, modelling and forecasting skills, and instils an understanding of how society uses the world's scarce resources. These skills are in high demand by businesses, consultancies, governments and international agencies. Your economics program will equip you for a meaningful career helping to resolve some of the world's greatest challenges, including business productivity and investment decisions, the allocation of humanitarian aid, complex environmental issues and the ageing population.

Choose law
UQ Law School is the oldest law school in Queensland and one of Australia's leading research-intensive law schools. Our teaching methods are future-oriented and have evolved over time to address contemporary legal, political, and social issues and to prepare students for an ever-evolving legal profession. We foster a comprehensive and sophisticated understanding of the law that will see you develop practical legal skills, stimulate thoughtful debate – with a focus on ethical and social responsibility – and nurture enthusiasm for the study of law.

Choose tourism
Gain a rewarding international career in tourism, hospitality or event management. Tourism blends core business skills and industry knowledge with valuable practical experience, ensuring you receive a well-rounded education. You'll learn to provide solutions to industry-specific challenges, such as sustainability, risk and resilience through industry adversity, and create meaningful change in your chosen field. Our graduates pursue careers in event management, food and beverage management, hotel and resort management, consultancy, wholesale and retail travel, and tourism marketing.

Get involved
Our active student body and student associations help you get the most from your program by providing study support, professional development and social networking opportunities.

#2 university in Australia in the prestigious Nature index

#1 Australian Financial Review Best Universities Ranking 2023

#1 in Queensland for graduate employability

QS Graduate Employability Rankings 2022

4 campuses

100% carbon neutral

More national teaching awards than any other Australian university
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Disclaimer
The information in this Guide is accurate as at January 2024. However, the University has many programs and courses, and refreshes and updates its programs and course offerings from time to time and without notice. It is your responsibility to visit study.uq.edu.au for up-to-date information.

All costs and fees quoted in this publication are in Australian dollars (A$).

Front Cover
Joanne Hsieh
Bachelor of Business Management / Bachelor of Tourism, Hospitality and Event Management graduate

UQ acknowledges the Traditional Owners and their custodianship of the lands on which UQ is situated.

— Reconciliation at UQ

UQ students at the St Lucia campus.
“The fields of law and economics turned out to have more in common than I expected. Economics is more than just graphs and mathematical equations – it’s a social science. It involves studying what motivates people, the decisions people make in certain circumstances, and the costs of these decisions. At the end of the day, both law and economics are all about humanity.”

Michaela Gyasi-Agyei
Bachelor of Economics / Bachelor of Laws (Honours) graduate
Valedictorian
UQ Law School, LEAD Scholarship recipient

A career based on passion doesn’t have to be linear
What you study can help you achieve a career in an area you’re passionate about.

By tailoring your studies to match your interests, you’ll be able to follow your passion while developing your knowledge and skills. The degree you graduate with will open infinite job possibilities across current and emerging industries. You’ll be prepared to tackle emerging global challenges in various roles and ready to create meaningful change.

Where could a degree in business, economics and law take your career?

With a degree in business, economics or law, endless career opportunities and experiences in a range of sectors are possible. From tourism and hospitality management to entrepreneurship and innovation, a degree in business can empower you with distinct leadership capabilities to drive change across industries.

For those who choose to study economics, your career might span the private, public and non-profit sectors and explore issues relating to sustainability, health and investment.

A degree in law can create unique career opportunities in business enterprises, human rights issues and international law.

No matter what you’re passionate about, discover study options that align with your interests and career goals in business, economics or law.

“Higher education represents stepping stones to empowering our people. To me, higher education opens doors and increases chances of employability with a varied skillset. With the skills that I gained throughout my degrees, I will be more confident heading into the workforce.”

Jackson Daylight
a Nühni man, Bachelor of Commerce / Bachelor of Economics student
Schools of Business and Economics
Indigenous Student Scholarship recipient
“UQ offers students an amazing opportunity to grow in their personal and professional life. If you can leverage the opportunities made available to you, it could angle your life towards your desired trajectory.”

Arvin Tao
Bachelor of Business Management student
Are you an international student?

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

You are an international student if you are:
- not a citizen of Australia or New Zealand, or
- not an Australian permanent resident, or
- a temporary resident (visa status) of Australia.

Eligibility for UQ study
For admission into undergraduate programs at UQ, you must have:
- completed secondary studies equivalent to Queensland Year 12 with a score comparable to the ATAR specified for your program
- satisfied individual program requirements (e.g. specific subject prerequisites, auditions or interviews)
- satisfied UQ’s English language proficiency requirements.

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

Pathway options
study.uq.edu.au/admissions/undergraduate/consider-your-pathway-options

Applying to UQ
A UQ degree is a qualification the world will recognise. If you’ve got the ability, commitment and ambition to make the most of UQ, then we want to hear from you.
study.uq.edu.au/admissions

Study options at UQ
If you would like to know more about your study options at UQ, enquire through our online form and a UQ adviser will respond. You can also register to speak to a student adviser.
We also have a range of publications, including the international undergraduate and postgraduate student guides, to help you.

Contact us
study.uq.edu.au/contact

Program guides
uq.edu.au/study-guides

Fees
As an international student, you will pay tuition fees, and potentially other non-tuition fees. UQ has program-based tuition fees for coursework award programs, meaning that all courses within a program are charged at the same tuition fee rate per unit for a given academic year. Some programs also have additional costs.
Non-tuition fees paid to the University may include the student services and amenities fee, books and equipment, health insurance, administration, accommodation and assistance to apply for or hold a student visa.
study.uq.edu.au/admissions/undergraduate/review-fees-and-financial-support

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

“UQ’s bright, vibrant campus and the people in it made my university life complete. Not only are the tutors and lecturers here informative and patient but the student advisers, counsellors and career guidance teams also do their best to enrich students’ lives.”

Nang Moe
Bachelor of Tourism, Hospitality, and Event Management student
Independently ranked as one of the top business schools in Australia

Best Global Universities 2023

Business and management

#1 in Queensland
#5 in Australia
#85 in the world

QS World University Rankings by Subject 2023
Business School

Study with one of Australia’s best business schools.

Top ranked

Our mission is to educate, inspire, engage and enable courageous, sustainable and socially responsible business practices, enriching our communities. We are renowned for our cutting-edge research, outstanding academic staff, depth of educational programs and close links with leading global organisations. Our research and consulting activities ensure that our teaching is at the forefront of academic and industry knowledge. You’ll take in the most current and relevant theory and apply the skills you’ll learn through internships and industry projects.

Academic and industry leaders

Our world-class lecturers are consultants and advisers to leading companies worldwide. The majority of our academic staff members hold PhDs and produce research papers that are cited in the world’s top-tier journals. This expertise ensures our teaching is relevant and informed by the latest research. Our programs cover a broad scope of business disciplines and our lecturers supervise a diverse range of higher degree by research (HDR) topics.

Push your boundaries

You will have access to industry leaders for real-life projects, as mentors and internship supervisors, through a range of opportunities such as work-integrated learning and the Student Managed Investment Fund. These initiatives will build on the skills you’ll learn throughout your degree and prepare you to become a future business leader.

Careers

The diversity of our programs ensures our graduates are in demand across a wide range of industries within the public, private and not-for-profit sectors. Many of our alumni work in leadership positions in accounting, banking and financial services, consultancy, data analytics, event management, marketing, state and federal government, business development, tourism and business information systems.

The first business school in Australia to earn both the European Quality Improvement System (EQUIS) and Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) accreditation
Bachelor of Advanced Business (Honours)

The Bachelor of Advanced Business (Honours) (BAdvBus(Hons)) program will support you to become a critical and reflective thinker, capable of identifying, analysing and developing solutions for the complex challenges facing businesses in the 21st century.

Why advanced business at UQ?

Our 4-year honours program is limited to a small, highly motivated and high-achieving cohort aspiring to leadership roles in business, the community or academia. The courses in this program are designed to make you stand out to employers and are taught by internationally respected industry experts and academics. Our unique capstone course in leadership and strategy will provide an opportunity for you to apply your knowledge and skills to real business cases.

What you will study

You’ll study a wide range of advanced business courses, providing the most comprehensive set of business skills of any undergraduate program at UQ. Learn how to communicate and engage with customers and employees of your organisation; use analytics to understand the dynamic nature of marketplaces; design, measure and assess financial and business decisions; identify and capitalise on business opportunities; and manage business internationally and across cultures. These are only a few examples of the many exciting topics our courses cover.

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Honours

Honours is awarded to all graduates of this program in the following classes (based on GPA): Class I, Class IIA, Class IIB, Class IIIA, Class IIIB.

Majors

You can develop greater depth of knowledge by choosing majors relevant to your desired career. Choose from Accounting, Business Analytics, Business Information Systems, Finance, Human Resources, Innovation and Entrepreneurship, International Business, and Marketing.

Professional memberships

As a graduate, you may be eligible for memberships with a diverse range of professional bodies:
“The Bachelor of Advanced Business (Honours) has equipped me with the fundamental knowledge and technical skills necessary to enter the competitive job market of today. Through in-person presentations, programming and statistical analysis, and learning about complex financial and accounting concepts, this degree has prepared me for a career in my field of choice.”

Campbell Carr
Bachelor of Advanced Business (Honours) student
BUSINESS SCHOOL

Bachelor of Advanced Finance and Economics (Honours)

The Bachelor of Advanced Finance and Economics (Honours) (BAdvFin&Econ(Hons)) is your passport to becoming a leader in the fields of finance and economics.

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* A bridging program is available for students who do not meet the Mathematical Methods requirement. Please visit uqcollege.uq.edu.au/study-options/bridging-program.

Why advanced finance and economics at UQ?

This program closely integrates the disciplines of economics and finance and allows you to focus on core areas at a high level. Experience courses exclusive to this program where you’ll forge lifelong personal and professional connections with your cohort.

Working with our world-class academic staff will help you establish strong links with leading employers. You may also have the opportunity to study a semester abroad at one of our prominent international partner universities.

What you will study

What are the economic and social outcomes of policy changes? What effect has the global financial crisis had on macroeconomic theory and monetary policy? Which financial issues confront most companies? Explore these issues and more in this interdisciplinary program jointly taught by the Business School and the School of Economics.

You will develop the analytical rigour and technical knowledge to be an economist in a variety of public and private sector careers or a leader in finance, investment banking, capital markets, equity or venture capital.

At the end of your third year, you will choose to major in either economics or finance, or complete a more general pathway and undertake a range of electives, an individual research topic and a team project.

Career opportunities

Potential career pathways include investment banking, funds management, management and financial consulting, economic analysis, research or consulting, international finance and trade, or employment with a government agency such as the Reserve Bank of Australia. You may also go on to study for a higher degree by research (HDR).

Honours

Honours is awarded to all graduates of this program in the following classes (based on GPA): Class I, Class IIA, Class IIB, Class IIIA, Class IIIB.

Majors

You can develop greater depth of knowledge by undertaking a major in finance or economics to align with your desired career. A major consists of courses from one area of specialisation to provide additional insight into the discipline.

Undertaking a major may lead to further study in the discipline through a higher degree by research, such as a PhD.

Professional memberships

As a graduate, you may be eligible for membership with this professional body:

More information

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CRICOS CODE 00354B
“Being part of a smaller group ensures you receive valuable regular contact with lecturers alongside other opportunities not usually available to first-year students.”

Jo Auer
Bachelor of Advanced Finance and Economics (Honours) graduate
Queensland’s 2023 Rhodes Scholar

Meet Queensland’s 2023 Rhodes Scholar

Josephine Auer is an economist, mathematician, climate campaigner, athlete and Queensland’s 2023 Rhodes Scholar. Jo graduated from a Bachelor of Advanced Finance and Economics with Honours Class I and the University Medal (2019). She was Valedictorian of the School of Economics and named UQ’s 2020 Graduate of the Year. While maintaining a perfect GPA of 7, Jo simultaneously trained at an elite level in athletics, competing in the Commonwealth Games Trials for 1500m Track and Field in 2018. During her undergraduate studies, she gained industry experience with internships at the Reserve Bank of Australia (RBA), and leading finance firms including QIC, Morgans and Synergies Economic Consulting.
Prepare yourself for a successful career in the thriving agricultural industry. Learn all aspects of the growing, processing, trading, marketing and financing of food and fibres. Gain valuable transferable business skills recognised in Australia and globally.

Why Agribusiness at UQ?
The agribusiness industry is a hub of innovation, creating new and exciting value-added food and fibre products. Agribusiness covers various business activities throughout the food supply chains from farming to the retail marketing of food and fibres to consumers.

It also oversees the management of critical inputs such as agricultural chemicals, machinery, human resources, and financial and advisory services for businesses in the supply chain. Study Agribusiness at UQ and you’ll prepare yourself for a career in the thriving agricultural industry.

You’ll study a broad range of topics in an agricultural context to discover the commercial world behind agriculture, its focus on a wide range of industry challenges and prepare you to address the client’s brief. Your project will involve case studies, business simulations, guest lectures, site visits. In your final year, you’ll undertake a major group project with an agribusiness organisation, working in a small team to address the client’s brief. Your project will focus on a wide range of industry challenges from carbon-neutral agriculture to sustainable marketing. Apply your business skills and knowledge in a real-life business context.

What you will study
Learn about market linkages, finance, and managing people along the agrifood value chain to link producers with consumers. Build your knowledge of agricultural value chains and the e-technologies driving efficiencies through core, elective and capstone courses. Study domestic and international marketing, commodity trading, human resource management, finance, supply chain management and sustainability. Tailor your studies through your elective courses towards your preferred career path.

Note: First year requires attendance at both St Lucia and Gatton campuses; subsequent years are based at Gatton. Your courses at St Lucia are taught by the Business School. Your courses at Gatton are through the School of Agriculture and Food Sciences. Both Schools are highly ranked worldwide in the business and agricultural sectors, and you will learn from internationally recognised experts.

Placements and practical experience
Gain practical experience through case studies, business simulations, guest lectures, industry projects projects and agribusiness site visits. In your final year, you’ll undertake a major group project with an agribusiness organisation, working in a small team to address the client’s brief. Your project will focus on a wide range of industry challenges from carbon-neutral agriculture to sustainable marketing. Apply your business skills and knowledge in a real-life business context.

Dual programs
Study the Bachelor of Agribusiness as a dual degree with Bachelor of Agricultural Science (majoring in Agronomy, Animal Science or Horticulture) or Bachelor of Wildlife Science. Combine your practical business skills with your interests in any of 3 disciplines.

Career opportunities
On graduation you will be globally oriented and job ready. Find positions in the agricultural industry in managerial, administrative or research roles related to:

- agribusiness management and research
- agripolitics
- banking, finance, investment and insurance
- commodity trading
- sales and marketing
- export marketing and management
- Australian and international government agencies and departments
- policy development and analysis in agricultural and regional agencies
- supply chain management
- international aid and development agencies
- agribusiness consultancy
- agro-tourism.

Sample courses
- Accounting for Decision Making
- Agribusiness Investment Project Appraisal
- Agribusiness Planning and Management
- Agrifood Strategy and Competitiveness
- Applied Market Research
- Commodities, Futures and Options
- Export Marketing and Practices
- Food and Fibre Case Studies I, II and III
- Foundations of Marketing
- Introduction to Human Resource Management
- Sustainable Food Supply Chains
“My degree taught me skills in everything from marketing and sales to investment project appraisal. It is tailored to equip you for your career, and almost everything I learned has relevance to my work now. The networks I have gained from studying at UQ are definitely priceless for me in the agribusiness industry.”

Stephanie Cook
Bachelor of Agribusiness graduate
Graduate Farm Marketer, Australian Wheat Board
Bachelor of
Business Management

Do you have big ambitions for your career in business? The Bachelor of Business Management (BBusMan) teaches all the fundamentals you will need for your future while offering flexible majors to focus your desired career path.

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Why business management at UQ?
The Bachelor of Business Management will prepare you to be a strategic business leader so you can stay ahead of the game, no matter what the world throws at you. Our academic staff are leaders in their fields, working to find solutions to some of the world’s most pressing issues. Their research and consulting activities ensure our teaching is at the forefront of contemporary business knowledge.

We firmly believe in providing you with practical experiences to build on your knowledge, including applied projects, real-life case studies, guest lectures by industry experts and opportunities for work experience and internships with leading businesses. By the time you graduate, you will have the skills to confidently lead people and innovative projects.

What you will study
How do group dynamics affect employee behaviour? How do you manage digital marketing and social media content? How can businesses make a profit while helping communities? How can businesses incorporate sustainability into their planning? You will explore the answers to these questions and more during your business management studies.

This program covers topical and innovative study areas such as entrepreneurship and business information systems. You’ll discover that business management is future-oriented, allowing you to adapt to rapidly changing business environments.

Career opportunities
This program opens up a wide range of career opportunities in the public, private and not-for-profit sectors. Many of our alumni work in leadership positions across various industries.

Honours
This program provides an opportunity for high achievers to spend an extra year learning in-demand business and research skills. These skills are highly valued by employers, giving you a competitive advantage.

Note: The honours program is currently being reviewed to prepare the best experience for our incoming students.

Majors

Professional memberships
As a graduate, you may be eligible for memberships with a diverse range of professional bodies:
“I have developed leadership, communication and teamwork skills through my program. The experience of working with real companies during internships through UQ has given me the edge to be prepared for the real work environment after graduation.”

Anantha (Nandu) Padmanabhan Anu
Bachelor of Business Management graduate
Business Analyst, IRiQ Law
BUSINESS SCHOOL

Bachelor of Commerce

The Bachelor of Commerce (BCom) will equip you with the fundamental knowledge, necessary skills and a strong commercial focus for a career in accounting, financial management, banking, business analysis, business information systems, and management.

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Why commerce at UQ?

Equip yourself with the knowledge, focus and skills for a career in accounting, banking, finance or business analytics. After examining the fundamental principles of commerce, you’ll learn how to apply and adapt them in response to specific challenges faced by businesses. You’ll build specialised knowledge and skills by studying up to 2 majors. With 4 diverse majors to choose from, you can deep dive into your area of interest.

What you will study

How can business performance be measured and assessed? How can company, project and investment value be determined to make buy/sell decisions? How do foreign markets, derivatives and debt markets affect a client’s portfolio? How can big data be analysed to add value? What issues arise from operating in a virtual corporate environment?

You will investigate these topics and more as you study our commerce program. You’ll also have the opportunity to build on your skills through initiatives like the Student Managed Investment Fund where you can manage a real Australian Securities Exchange (ASX) portfolio.

If you are seeking an in-depth understanding of how accounting, business information systems, business analytics and finance add value to business and the global economy, then this program is for you.

Career opportunities

This program will set you up for a thriving career in the public or private sector in accounting, banking, financial management, business analysis, business information systems, and general management.

Honours

Our honours program is a challenging and rewarding additional year of study. As an honours student, you will hone your business and finance knowledge and skills through research and advanced coursework. Honours is a small-intake program, admitting only the top graduates from the Bachelor of Commerce.

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Professional memberships

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Professional memberships

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Accounting and finance

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#59 in the world

QS World University Rankings by Subject 2023

“I wanted a degree that would help me develop a range of statistical and analytical tools to solve policy and decision-making challenges. The Bachelors of Commerce / Economics dual program opens more opportunities for me as I am passionate about the economy and financial markets.”

Olivia Uy
Bachelor of Commerce / Bachelor of Economics graduate
Investments Analyst, Vanguard Australia
BUSINESS SCHOOL

Bachelor of Tourism, Hospitality and Event Management

The Bachelor of Tourism, Hospitality and Event Management (BTHEM) will open up exciting career opportunities for you in the global tourism industry. This program will prepare you for a successful professional and managerial career in tourism, hospitality or events.

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Why tourism, hospitality and event management at UQ?
The Business School is internationally recognised for its tourism programs and is the only Australian university to offer programs with UNWTO.TedQual* certification.
The BTHEM program blends cutting-edge research and theory with practical exercises to develop your managerial abilities and business acumen. Our lecturers have strong industry and research experience and are highly skilled at integrating this expertise with their teaching.
A special feature of this program is its connection to industry, which offers you access to guest speakers, work-integrated learning opportunities, a Disney World Internship, and domestic and international study tours.

What you will study
How can we design experiences and events that enhance the environmental, socio-cultural and economic impacts of tourism? How are emerging technologies impacting the way we travel? What strategies will be needed to manage tourist destinations, attractions and accommodation venues of the future?
You’ll examine all these issues and more as part of the BTHEM. You’ll have opportunities to develop, promote and deliver events, design and market tourist facilities and attractions, and engage in and evaluate hospitality encounters. Contemporary issues such as sustainability, innovation and customer service will be explored at local, regional and global levels. You will learn to develop solutions to current and future industry challenges, creating change wherever you go.

Career opportunities
With our advanced management training and impressive professional networks, you will be well positioned for a promising career in the tourism, hospitality or events industries. Our graduates are in high demand with employers both locally and internationally in a range of fields such as the design, marketing and management of tourism experiences, destinations, events, resorts, hotels and restaurants.

Honours
Gain a competitive advantage and move into our Bachelor of Business Management (Honours) program, which functions as an extra year of high-quality study.
You’ll complete a research thesis to show employers you have what it takes to excel in the tourism, hospitality and events industries. The high-level research skills you develop will open up further opportunities for you in industry, or they could lead to a higher degree by research (HDR) program.

Note: The honours program is currently being reviewed to prepare the best experience for our incoming students.

Majors
Develop in-depth skills and practical experience by choosing majors relevant to your desired career. Choose one or 2 majors from Hotel and Hospitality Management, and Tourism and Event Management.

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

*United Nations World Tourism Organization Tourism Education Qualification
Making travel more accessible

Only 12 months after graduating, Hailey launched her own business – Vacayit, a revolutionary tourism app enhancing travel experiences for blind and low-vision travellers. The app acts as a tour guide in your pocket, allowing travellers to listen to local stories, history and other information about the places they visit.

Hailey and her team at Vacayit have partnered with organisations including Tourism Tasmania, Destination Gold Coast, ATSA Independent Living Expo, Accor, and Dreamworld (Ardent Leisure).

Hailey has won numerous awards for her app, including the innovation category in the 2023 Australian Government Accelerator for Enterprising Women and the 2021 Young Talent Programme for the World Tourism Forum Lucerne.

“I chose to study my program because it aligned with my passion for people, culture and travel. I was extremely fortunate to have many fantastic industry experiences at Tourism Australia, Queensland Tourism Industry Council and Discova, working in marketing, branding, product management events, and research strategy.”

Hailey Brown
Bachelor of International Hotel and Tourism Management / Bachelor of Arts graduate

The Bachelor of International Hotel and Tourism Management is now the Bachelor of Tourism, Hospitality and Event Management
Business and Economics

#1 in Queensland
#5 in Australia
#74 in the world

Times Higher Education World University Subject Rankings 2024

Ranked in the top #2 economics departments in Australia

RePEc, May 2023

Research into efficiency and productivity

#1 in Queensland
#1 in Australia
#4 in the world

RePEc, December 2023
School of Economics

Study with one of the largest and most influential economics schools in Australia.

Highly ranked
UQ’s School of Economics is consistently ranked in the top 5 per cent of research-intensive economics departments in the world.* Our world-class academic staff and diverse courses will equip you with theoretical knowledge to address real-life problems.

Economics provides meaningful solutions to many of the big issues facing our world such as climate change, ageing populations, complex international trade negotiations, and financial competition in an increasingly globalised world.

Push your boundaries
Our stimulating academic environment attracts the brightest and best economics students from around the country and internationally. You will be encouraged to be part of the rigorous debates that challenge and extend conventional economic thought.

Academic and industry leaders
Our accomplished scholars claim a large share of Australia’s economics honours, competitive research grants, prestigious fellowships and high-quality publications. We are home to more than 50 active teaching and research staff, including specialists in energy and climate change, environment and resource economics, behavioural and experimental economics, regulation and competition, health, productivity and efficiency analysis, taxation, voting and labour and agricultural economics.

Careers
Our graduates work as economists in consultancies, financial services firms and global corporations, as well as for government and international agencies including the Reserve Bank of Australia, the World Bank, the International Monetary Fund and federal and state treasuries. Training in economics teaches you to analyse and make decisions – skills in demand in most professions – which is why economics is one of the most popular combinations in dual programs.

* Research Papers in Economics (RePEc)

Economics is our future. Could it be yours?
Explore the pathways and opportunities available to you with an economics degree. economics.uq.edu.au/study/school

Are you a future Indigenous economist?
Each year, UQ’s School of Economics offers a number of scholarships to Indigenous undergraduate students starting their journey at UQ. economics.uq.edu.au/study/indigenous
Bachelor of Economics

As a Bachelor of Economics (BEcon) student, you will learn how people and organisations make decisions about using our scarce resources. Economics will train you to question, analyse, model and predict human behaviour – skills that are highly desirable in the workplace.

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* A bridging program is available for students who do not meet the Mathematical Methods requirement. Please visit uqcollege.uq.edu.au/study-options/bridging-program.

Why economics at UQ?

UQ is the only institution in Queensland, and one of a select few in Australia, to offer the Bachelor of Economics. The School of Economics is Queensland’s largest, most experienced and influential economics school, with more than 50 teaching and research staff. Our School’s research-intensive focus ensures content is engaging and relevant for graduates today and into the future. Throughout this program, you will develop a range of statistical and analytical tools you can use to solve pivotal policy and decision-making challenges for business and government.

What you will study

What does it mean if the Reserve Bank of Australia reduces the cash rate? How can economies protect themselves against climate change? What are the benefits of free trade and do economic sanctions work? How can the government encourage innovation? These are just some of the questions that a Bachelor of Economics at UQ will help you answer.

Initially, you will develop core economic skills through a set of compulsory courses. You will then be able to tailor the program to your interests by choosing elective courses in areas such as econometrics, financial markets, international trade and development, and the economics of business, health, labour, resources and the environment.

Career opportunities

Economics graduates are in high demand by employers across a wide variety of industries. You could work as an analyst, adviser, consultant, economist or researcher in a range of fields including international consulting, infrastructure development and planning, environmental management, international finance, investment and trade, natural resource and agricultural economics, public health, treasury, and statistics.

Honours

Our honours program is an extra year of intensive study for high-achieving students within a small-group learning environment. Honours will equip you with an advanced set of economics and research skills that will prove valuable as an economist or if you pursue a higher degree by research (HDR) program.

Note: The honours program is currently being reviewed to prepare the best experience for our incoming students.

Majors

You can develop greater depth of knowledge by undertaking a major in an area that is relevant to your desired career. Choose from Economics and Public Policy, Economics of Strategy and Behaviour, International and Financial Economics, and Quantitative Analysis.

Professional memberships

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

More information

Visit study.uq.edu.au or scan the QR code

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Queensland
“The research and work that I have completed has been engaging and fulfilling, with much relevance to real and current issues. I have deepened my understanding of micro- and macro-economics, and furthered my analytical skills, enabling me to think about where my career could lead.”

Oscar Pollack
Bachelor of Economics (Honours) graduate
Bachelor of Politics, Philosophy and Economics (Honours)

The Bachelor of Politics, Philosophy and Economics (Honours) (BPPE(Hons)) program combines rigorous cross-disciplinary training and explores global policy challenges to help you pursue a leadership career in business, politics, the not-for-profit sector or academia.

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> A bridging program is available for students who do not meet the Mathematical Methods requirement. Please visit uqcollege.uq.edu.au/study-options/bridging-program.

Why politics, philosophy and economics at UQ?

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

This cross-disciplinary program combines broad and rigorous training in the foundations of politics, philosophy and economics.

Our schools are home to internationally renowned scholars. School of Economics academics claim a disproportionate share of Australia’s economics honours, competitive research grants and fellowships. The School of Political Science and International Studies is one of the world’s leading centres for the study of national and global politics, and is ranked second in Australia for political sciences (ShanghaiRanking’s Global Ranking of Academic Subjects 2023).

What you will study

You will study together as a cohort of highly motivated and high-achieving politics, philosophy and economics specialists, drawing on a historical, social, political and economic knowledge base to examine current and future global challenges.

Honours

Honours is awarded to all graduates of this program in the following classes (based on GPA): Class I, Class IIA, Class IIB, Class IIIA, Class IIIB.

Majors

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

Politics

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

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

Philosophy

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

You will receive intellectual training in the critical evaluation of theories and learn how to construct arguments and communicate ideas in a clear and powerful way. You will also acquire advanced analytical reasoning skills and general problem-solving abilities. In addition, philosophy will help you develop sound methods of research and analysis that can be applied in your other courses.

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

Economics

The study of economics is central to the understanding of business, markets, trade, government policies, international issues, globalisation, health, development and the environment. You will undertake coursework in both microeconomics and macroeconomics.

Careers: Graduates enjoy careers as analysts, advisers or economists in the public and private sectors in fields including business, finance, international development, management, and research.
Career opportunities
You will be sought after by employers for analytical and decision-making positions in the public, private and not-for-profit sectors, as an economic or social analyst, policymaker, public commentator, political adviser, or as a leader in international affairs or diplomatic services.

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

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

More information
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“UQ law degrees offer unique courses and electives, like Clinical Legal Education and Islamic Law, which make me feel prepared to work with a holistic perspective in the legal industry and understand the law for its global, national and local impact and origins. It has provided me the opportunity to hear first-hand insights from accomplished legal professionals and academics within the Law School.”

Lucinda Gallagher
Bachelor of Arts / Bachelor of Laws (Honours) student
Law School

Study at one of the most prestigious and respected law schools in Australia.

Premier legal education
We are a leading Australian law school with an illustrious history and a focus on the future. Our School boasts world-class, state-of-the-art facilities including one of Queensland’s largest law libraries and the Sir Harry Gibbs Moot Court. We offer a premier legal education taught by experts in the field and complemented by a comprehensive co-curricular program throughout your studies.

Academic and industry leaders
Our staff bring a wealth of practical expertise, along with qualifications from leading institutions across the world. They are talented and committed researchers and educators recognised for their teaching excellence both nationally and internationally. You will benefit from additional teaching and research expertise delivered by visiting academics, practitioners and adjunct professors.

Push your boundaries
Our national and international outlook combines innovative research with advanced teaching and learning. Our collaborative learning environment will challenge and stimulate you to develop a comprehensive understanding of the law while cultivating excellence in critical reasoning and lateral thinking.

Careers
Since welcoming our first students in 1936, we have earned a distinguished reputation as Queensland’s leading provider of legal education, producing highly sought-after graduates. We attract the best and brightest students from Australia and abroad through our competitive entry requirements. We cultivate exceptional legal thinkers and leaders who use their discipline, ingenuity and initiative to change and enrich the world.
Learning beyond the classroom

UQ Law School has fostered strong working relationships with the community and the legal profession. Through these relationships, our students influence the law and its institutions for the benefit of society.

The UQ Pro Bono Centre
Since 2009, the UQ Pro Bono Centre has fostered students’ participation in providing legal assistance and support for pro bono and public interest work. The Centre partners with community legal centres, the not-for-profit sector and barristers undertaking public interest pro bono legal work.

By applying your classroom learning to real-life situations, you will make important contributions to unmet legal needs in your community – all before graduation.

law.uq.edu.au/pro-bono

Clinical Legal Education
Gain valuable work experience for academic credit in a social justice setting through the Clinical Legal Education elective (LAWS5180), where you will undertake legal work under the close supervision of experienced lawyers.

Pro Bono Roster
The Centre’s Pro Bono Roster provides volunteer opportunities within community organisations and the legal profession. A variety of flexible roles are available to suit your skills and emerging areas of expertise. Roles may include performing research for law reform submissions, working on policy or casework matters, or providing on-site assistance to community legal centres.

Law Education and Outreach
Our Law Education and Outreach program involves law students researching, writing and delivering lessons and seminars to high schools and the community. The current areas of law education are Asylum and Refugee Law, International Humanitarian Law, and Domestic and Family Violence and the Law.

Co-curricular Education Program
In partnership with the UQ Law Alumni Association, the Co-curricular Education Program complements core areas of study to give you a real-world understanding of how the concepts you are studying manifest in legal practice.

All first-year students have the opportunity to participate in an immersion day at the Supreme Court that includes a guided tour, observation of a trial, and presentations by eminent legal professionals.

Internships and work experience
You can gain valuable work experience by undertaking an internship. Prospective employers value work experience and interning as a great way for you to develop your skills and enhance your CV.

The Aurora Native Title Internship Program
This program places Australian law students with Native Title Representative Bodies (NTRB) and other Indigenous organisations. Typical duties include preparing briefs for counsel and government submissions, conducting legal research, preparing affidavits, and attending court with NTRB staff.

The Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions Work Experience Placement Program
Aimed at law students with a genuine interest in criminal law, this program will give you exposure to a variety of criminal law matters and will develop your knowledge of the criminal justice system.

Transnational Perspectives in Law
As part of Transnational Perspectives in Law (LAWS5233), you may travel to a variety of international locations for short durations, or work virtually in groups, to make a real contribution to justice in other countries. Examples of projects include:

• environmental sustainability projects in Indonesia
• working with a non-profit access to justice initiative in Laos
• internship at Samoa Law Reform Commission.

Research and publication
You will be encouraged to engage in in-depth research on contemporary legal issues and be supported in your efforts to have your research published. You will have opportunities to work closely with leading academics across a variety of areas through research-intensive course options and our Summer Scholars Program. The LAWS5181 Law Journals course provides selected students with the opportunity to be part of the editorial team of the Australian International Law Journal.

“Via the UQ Pro Bono Centre, I volunteered to support Basic Rights Queensland (BRQ) on an outreach trip around central and far north Queensland. I helped provide community legal education and legal advice on social security matters. I also gained experience in providing legal support in an Indigenous community and was able to work directly with clients of BRQ. It was a fantastic experience. I learnt a lot about legal advice in practice and built my network of contacts within the community legal sector.”

Claudia Philp
Bachelor of Journalism / Bachelor of Laws (Honours) student
Mooting

Mooting competitions are mock legal hearings in which legal or factual arguments are presented in a hypothetical case before a judge, tribunal member or arbitrator.

You can participate in a wide range of mooting competitions to help you develop legal knowledge, research and communication skills. UQ students compete in both domestic and international competitions that feature a range of legal issues such as contractual disputes, breaches of constitutional powers and human rights claims.

Coached by academic staff and alumni, UQ’s mooting teams have achieved tremendous success in the most prestigious competitions around the globe year after year.

In 2023, UQ triumphed at the International Maritime Law Arbitration Moot competition, winning it for the tenth time overall. UQ law students were also victorious for the second time overall at the 2023 Alfred Deakin International Commercial Arbitration Moot.

In 2018, the UQ team was crowned World Champions of the Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition in Washington DC, USA, out of an impressive 600 competing teams.

This was the third time UQ had won this prestigious competition, which is the world’s oldest and largest international moot competition.

In 2020, the UQ team members gained status as Grand Champions in the Sir Harry Gibbs Constitutional Law Moot. UQ was also Grand Champion for the third time in the 2021 Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Students’ Moot at the Federal Court of Australia in Brisbane.

UQ Law School beat more than 600 teams from around the world to be crowned the winner of the 2018 Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition in Washington DC, USA.
Bachelor of Laws (Honours)

The Bachelor of Laws (Honours) (LLB(Hons)) prepares you for success in the legal profession. Distinguished by rigour, depth and conceptual sophistication, you will develop knowledge and skills that can be used to shape societies, governments and, ultimately, the world.

Why law at UQ?
Our courses offer an interactive learning environment where you have the opportunity to engage with academic staff and your peers to expand your understanding of the law. The Forgan Smith Building has been refurbished specifically for law students. The informal learning spaces are popular as they provide a comfortable environment to study alone or in groups.

You will graduate with an internationally respected honours qualification, with advanced knowledge and skills that are transferable across a wide range of careers. Your degree will set you apart in a competitive job market while also providing a pathway to future research or learning.

What you will study
The LLB(Hons) program offers a thorough understanding of the concepts, principles, policies and values of the law, both in Australia and other jurisdictions. It strives to develop outstanding skills in critical, rational and analytical thinking, and will teach you to craft clear and persuasive arguments – skills that will be valuable in whatever career path you choose.

In addition to the courses required for professional admission, the diverse range of elective courses and exclusive co-curricular activities will provide opportunities to put the knowledge you have acquired in the classroom into practice.

Career opportunities
Private practice
After completing a Bachelor of Laws (Honours) at UQ, you must also satisfy the practical legal training requirements before you can be admitted as a legal practitioner.

Examples of career opportunities include:

Solicitor
Solicitors (as sole practitioners or in law firms) are usually the first point of contact for members of the public seeking legal advice and representation. Solicitors are also employed by businesses, government, and community, and international bodies to provide legal advice and representation, prepare legal documents, develop policy and advise on legal reform issues.

Barrister
Barristers represent their clients’ interests in court proceedings as specialist advocates. Barristers work independently and usually specialise in particular areas of the law. They also provide oral or written advice on matters within those areas.

International recognition
The LLB(Hons) fulfills the academic requirements for admission as a legal practitioner throughout Australia. Students from Singapore, Malaysia or India may use the program to fulfill the academic qualifications required for admission to the legal profession in their home countries. Once admitted in Australia, international students may need to complete conversion modules to be eligible for admission in their home countries.
"UQ has been fantastic for providing opportunities where you can build your academic and professional skills. Whether this is through academic competitions, volunteer opportunities, networking, resume and internship support, UQ definitely provides many opportunities for you to challenge yourself and foster the skills that are essential for your future career."

**Juliet Biemann**

a Kuku Yalanji woman, Bachelor of Laws (Honours) student

UQ Law School, LEAD Scholarship and Geoffrey Huey Sattler Indigenous Scholarship

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**Careers beyond private practice**

In addition to being a prerequisite for legal practice, the analytical and research skills you develop in this program will help you secure a career in many other sectors, including:

**Government**

Law graduates work in various sectors of state and federal government. They can work as legal officers within government departments or may be involved in developing or administering government policy. They may also embark on a career in the diplomatic and foreign service.

**Corporate**

Many law graduates work as in-house lawyers for large companies, where they undertake work in a wide variety of areas such as corporate governance, insurance, environmental compliance, and employment law.

**Business**

Many graduates pursue careers in the business world by leveraging their legal education, often in conjunction with a business management, commerce, or economics program in areas such as investment banking, insurance, property development and management. Others pursue careers in the consulting or advisory services industry, working to provide solutions for a wide range of clients.

**Community support and social development**

Graduates can use their law program, combined with any other program, to work for industry associations, lobby and environmental groups, social service groups, think tanks, community service organisations, legal aid and community legal centres.

**Academia**

Law graduates are well equipped to pursue careers in academia. Those with a passion for research and teaching can pursue further study and seek positions where they can contribute to legal scholarship while educating the next generation of legal practitioners.

**Honours**

Honours is awarded to all graduates of this program in the following classes (based on GPA): Class I, Class IIA, Class IIB, Class IIIA, Class IIIB.
Design your future

As a Business, Economics and Law (BEL) student, you have exclusive access to a range of opportunities to build your experience and map your journey to lifelong success.

The future of work is ever evolving, and successfully navigating your career in a changing and competitive environment requires an agile, creative, critical and entrepreneurial mindset. BEL Careers and Employability can help you enhance your employability by developing the mindset and capabilities to succeed in any path you choose.

Throughout your degree, we will provide opportunities for you to engage in diverse experiences – both inside and outside the classroom.

You will have the chance to gain experience in the workplace, connect with industry through networking and events, boost your confidence through practical in-person and online workshops, and develop your career plan through tailored career advice.

We partner with businesses and industry bodies, alumni, government and community organisations to connect you with work experience opportunities, including through our range of for-credit work-integrated learning courses and internships. You will learn to reflect on your experiences and effectively demonstrate your value to employers, helping you to achieve your career outcomes.

“The BEL Employability and Careers team runs various workshops and networking events to prepare students for the future. I always gain invaluable insights by attending these events, as well as from the advisers. Through work-integrated learning opportunities, I was able put my learnings into practice. I developed both hard and soft skills from securing an internship to working on event management in real businesses.”

Joanne Hsieh
Bachelor of Business Management / Bachelor of Tourism, Hospitality and Event Management graduate
Work-integrated learning

The Faculty of Business, Economics and Law offers students in their final year opportunities to gain work experience with an industry partner for academic credit. Work-integrated learning blends academic theory with workplace practice that aligns with the curriculum to help students apply their skills and prepare to enter the workforce.

**Benefits of work-integrated learning**

- Gain practical experience and unique industry insights.
- Apply skills and theories you’ve learnt at university to real projects.
- Identify transferable skills for employability.
- Develop an awareness of workplace culture and expectations.

**Work-integrated learning options**

For business, economics and law students, there are 3 different options to choose from when undertaking a work-integrated learning course.

1. **Internship**
   Find 100 hours of work experience related to your field of study over a semester through a placement with an industry partner.

2. **Industry consulting project**
   Work in a team over a semester to complete a response to a project brief provided by an industry partner.

3. **Capstone intensive**
   Collaborate with students from other disciplines to solve real and complex problems for an industry partner.

“For my internship, I networked with many other students within my discipline as well as people working in the industry. It was good to get an insight into the different types of work experience available through work-integrated learning and how this can open doors to getting a job after university.”

Katie McFadden
Bachelor of Advanced Business (Honours) graduate

For more information, visit bel.uq.edu.au/for-students/careers/wil
Double your opportunities

Improve your employment prospects and broaden your skills and knowledge by studying 2 programs at the same time.

As the world around you changes, new and fascinating career opportunities are created every day, and job roles increasingly combine multiple disciplines. A dual program, also called a double degree, will equip you for this evolving job market. It gives you the flexibility to study 2 different disciplines in a much shorter time, by studying only the mandatory courses for each program with fewer or no electives.

**Benefits of dual programs**

**Save time**

Graduate with 2 bachelor’s degrees in as little as 4 years – a much shorter time than it would take to study both programs separately.

**Strike a balance**

Why compromise? Get study/life balance by combining programs that cover career aspirations and topics you’re passionate about. Dual program students appreciate the diversity offered in their 2 different programs.

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The Lowest ATAR (Unadjusted) refers to the lowest ATAR excluding any adjustment factors.

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

### Table: Business, Economics and Law Dual Program Combinations

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More information

Visit study.uq.edu.au or scan the QR code

38 business, economics and law dual program combinations available

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Global experiences

Going on an international exchange is a life-changing experience. You could be jetting off to Copenhagen, Boston, Seoul, Osaka, Santiago – in fact, we have more than 130 partner institutes in 30+ countries.

Global experiences help you develop independence, maturity and other important life skills that enhance your employability and enrich your global mindset.

Semester-based exchange
Spend a semester living and learning in another country. Living abroad is the adventure of a lifetime. You could learn a new language, live like a local, and create friendships that will last forever. Your studies will count towards your degree just as if you undertook them at UQ.

Short-term experiences
If a full semester or year of exchange is not for you, you might prefer a short-term experience. You can study a course for 2-6 weeks overseas during the winter or summer break, and you may be able to get credit for it too.

Learn a language alongside your degree
In a global economy, the ability to communicate with a wide range of people is invaluable. Undergraduate students can study a Diploma in Languages alongside any UQ program.

UQ offers Queensland’s most comprehensive selection of languages, and you can choose to study up to 2 languages: Ancient Greek, Chinese, French, German, Indonesian, Japanese, Korean, Latin, Russian, Spanish, or Chinese Translation and Interpreting.

Adding language studies to your undergraduate degree opens up a world of new and exciting opportunities and may be one on the best moves for your future career.

International internships
Imagine jetting off to Tokyo, Buenos Aires, or London for an international internship. That means a real workplace, with a real role, working on real projects in other countries. Learn on the job while you enjoy exploring new neighbourhoods, discovering local delights and making lifelong friends. Some internships are offered virtually.

Worldwide networks
UQ has more than 311,000 graduates living in 187 countries. Our alumni are passionate about giving back and investing in our future leaders. You can tap into this powerful network of expert support through mentoring, social experiences and professional development opportunities.

Global Startup AdVentures
Learn alongside a startup in some of the world’s most vibrant startup hotspots including San Francisco, Shanghai, Shenzhen, and Singapore.

Scholarships, bursaries and grants available

Visit study.uq.edu.au/enhance-your-employability to discover how you can take your studies globetrotting.
Apply for a scholarship

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

“This scholarship has afforded me, as the first immediate member of my family to attend university, with the opportunity to pursue a degree in law. The financial aid awarded over a 5-year period has allowed me to prioritise my education and still enjoy the benefits of having a job – only without the stresses that are often associated.”

Michelle O’Grady
Bachelor of Economics / Bachelor of Laws (Honours) graduate
UQ Law School, LEAD Scholarship recipient

Get in early
Scholarship applications close at different times throughout the year – plan your applications and apply early so you don’t miss out!
scholarships.uq.edu.au
University-wide scholarships

UQ has a range of scholarships designed to attract, reward and support students from all walks of life. Our scholarships develop and encourage tomorrow’s leaders and offer support to students who might not otherwise be able to attend university. If you’re completing Year 12 in 2024, or you completed Year 12 in 2023 and are on a gap year, you may be eligible to apply for a scholarship.

UQ Academic Scholarships

The UQ Academic Scholarships scheme offers 2 flagship undergraduate scholarships: UQ Vice-Chancellor’s Scholarships and UQ Excellence Scholarships.

Equity scholarships

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

Indigenous scholarships

At UQ, we don’t want anything to stand in the way of Indigenous students pursuing university education. The Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education Scholarship scheme offers a range of scholarships to support your studies and help you thrive.

Study area scholarships

Many scholarships are offered for certain academic disciplines. These scholarships might be for students enrolled in a specific degree, school or faculty, or for students who are researching or studying a particular topic.

Employability

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

Sporting

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

Business, Economics and Law scholarships

Warren Braxton Bannister Bursaries in Economics
For domestic or international students who have experienced financial hardship and demonstrate either academic achievement or the potential to succeed in the study of economics.

Award value: minimum $3,000

International
For international students wanting to study business, economics or law at UQ, a range of scholarships is offered.

Business Scholarship for Chinese Students
This scholarship is to encourage and support a Chinese student in their business studies.

Award value: minimum $1,000

Thomas A Plein Endowed Scholarship
For US citizens who are enrolled in an undergraduate or postgraduate business, economics or law program.

Award value: minimum $3,000

Domestic

Frank Finn Scholarship Endowment Fund
This fund was established in 2008 from the generous donations of the UQ Community to acknowledge the contribution of Professor Frank Finn’s lifetime of service to the University and the field of finance. The scholarship encourages and supports students experiencing financial need and studying BCom (including honours and dual programs), BAdvBus(Hons) (majoring in Accounting, Business Analytics and/or Finance), or BAdvFin&Econ(Hons) programs.

Award number and value: determined by the Faculty each year

Paul Compton Women in Finance Scholarship
To encourage and support female students experiencing financial need to study a declared finance major within BCom (and selected dual programs), BAdvBus(Hons) and BAdvFin&Econ(Hons) programs.

Award number and value: determined by the Faculty each year

UQ Law School Leadership, Excellence and Diversity (LEAD) Scholarship
For students wishing to study law who have experienced educational, social and/or financial challenges, or are from a rural or regional area.

Award value: $8,000 per year for up to 5 years, as well as a dedicated academic mentor and a support network through non-residential membership of a UQ college.

TC Beirne School of Law Scholarship
For a student facing financial hardship seeking admission into either the undergraduate Bachelor of Laws (Honours) (LLB(Hons)) or a dual degree program that includes the LLB(Hons).

Award value: up to $5,000

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

For these and more business, economics and law scholarships, visit scholarships.uq.edu.au
Applying to UQ

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

01 Choose

Choose your program
→ Read your program options (see pages 8–31)
→ Visit study.uq.edu.au

TIP
Check that you meet eligibility, merit and other entry requirements and meet any specific program deadlines.
If you don’t meet a program’s entry requirements, several pathway options are available.
study.uq.edu.au/pathway-options

02 Apply

Apply via QTAC
→ Apply for admission through the Queensland Tertiary Admissions Centre (QTAC). The QTAC website explains how to apply and the entry requirements you need
→ Visit qtac.edu.au

03 Accept

Accept your offer
→ Log in to the QTAC website
→ Accept your offer
→ Activate your UQ student account
→ Go to my.uq.edu.au/starting-at-uq and follow the instructions
→ Get excited about starting at UQ!

04 Enrol

Enrol in courses
→ Access your program rules and course list at my.uq.edu.au/starting-at-uq
→ Choose your courses at my.uq.edu.au/programs-courses
→ Enrol online at sinet.uq.edu.au
→ Select preferred class times via My Timetable (in my.UQ portal)
→ Pay fees (see page 39).

05 Prepare

Prepare for Week 1
→ Complete the steps at my.uq.edu.au/starting-at-uq
→ Attend a Getting Started session
→ Check if you need to attend any program sessions before Orientation Week
→ Pick up your student ID card
→ Get answers to your questions by emailing starting@uq.edu.au

06 Let’s go!

Get ready for the ultimate university experience
→ Orientation Week – get your first taste of #uqlife with fun-filled events
→ Connect Week – join the social scene, make new friends and link in with your academic circle
→ Instagram (@Uniofqld) or TikTok (@Uniofqld) your UQ experience to your friends.

This information applies to domestic students. If you are an international student, please visit study.uq.edu.au/admissions.
Plan your finances

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

Fees and costs

Course fees and student contributions

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

For students in a Commonwealth supported place are determined by the courses you choose, not the program you’re enrolled in, so there is no fixed fee for a program. Because most students can choose different electives during their program, costs will vary.

However, indicative annual fees are listed with each program on our Study website at study.uq.edu.au.

If you’re an Australian or New Zealand citizen, or an Australian permanent humanitarian visa holder and have a Commonwealth-supported place, you may also qualify for the Higher Education Loan Program (HELP) to defer payment of your student contribution and Student Services and Amenities Fee (SSAF). You will need a tax file number to obtain a HELP loan.

Some domestic students will pay full tuition fees. Refer to study.uq.edu.au/fee-overview for more information. International students pay full tuition fees.

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

Student Services and Amenities Fee

The Student Services and Amenities Fee (SSAF) is a compulsory fee that goes toward support services, advocacy, study skills, career development and employability.

UQ levies the SSAF – which was capped at a maximum of $351 for 2024 – according to whether you’re an internal or external student. The fee is indexed annually.

Commonwealth-supported fee bands

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*2024 figures only, based on a full-time (16 units) workload; figures indexed annually

Monthly cost of living

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* On-campus and off-campus accommodation costs are usually lower in Gatton. The cost for a standard resident room in the Halls of Residence in Gatton is from $378 per week.
** Many student accommodation providers include electricity, gas and internet costs in rent. Check with your provider to be sure.
*** These costs assume that the dependent child is not of school age and does not factor in childcare costs.

 Keeping your costs down

- Investigate the financial support and fee payment options offered by Centrelink.
- Explore the scholarships on offer (see page 37).
- Enjoy UQ Union’s free and low-cost entertainment and activities, such as Food Co-op, Morning Marmalade and Kampus Kitchen.
- Get concessions and student discounts at participating retailers and institutions with your UQ student card.

Fees

Fees for 2025 are expected to be available from November 2024.

Before you enrol, faculty academic advisers can help you develop a study plan.

Budgeting

Don’t forget to budget for accommodation, books, study materials and transport.

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

costofliving.studyaustralia.gov.au
# Program table explained

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**QTAC Code**  
A unique code number assigned by Queensland Tertiary Admissions Centre (QTAC) to each individual undergraduate university program. You will need to use this number on your QTAC application.

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

**Minimum selection threshold 2024 ATAR / IBAS**  
The minimum (adjusted) selection threshold is the minimum score that was considered for an offer of a place to all applicants.

**IBAS**  
International Baccalaureate Admission Score.

**ATAR**  
The Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR) is the standard measure of overall school achievement used in all Australian states and territories. It is a rank indicating a student’s position overall relative to other students. The ATAR is expressed on a 2,000-point scale from 99.95 (highest) down to 30.00, in increments of 0.05. The ATAR replaced the Overall Position (OP) as the standard pathway to tertiary study for Queensland Year 12s in 2021.

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

**Unadjusted**  
The lowest ‘raw’ ATAR to which an offer was made to recent school leavers, excluding any adjustment factors.

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

**Full-time**  
The standard study load is 8 units per semester. Full-time study is 75 per cent or more of the standard study load (i.e. 6 units per semester for most programs).

**Part-time**  
Part-time study load is less than 75 per cent of the standard study load (i.e. fewer than 6 units per semester for most programs).

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

**Campus**  
One of 4 UQ teaching sites where the majority of lectures are held.

**Honours**  
At UQ, honours may be awarded as a one-year bachelor’s honours degree after you have completed a bachelor’s degree, or as a single bachelor’s honours degree typically taking 4 years of study. Some undergraduate programs allow eligible students to transfer to a bachelor’s honours degree at a defined point in the bachelor’s degree. This box shows whether honours is available with a program.

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

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

UQ offers more than 150 exciting undergraduate programs to help build your dream career. For more details, check out our range of publications, or go to study.uq.edu.au

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

**Health, Behavioural Sciences and Medicine**
- Biomedical Science
- Clinical Exercise Physiology (Honours)
- Dental Science (Honours)
- Exercise and Sport Sciences (Honours)
- Health Sciences
- Health, Sport and Physical Education (Honours)
- Human Movement and Nutrition Sciences
- Medicine
- Midwifery
- Nursing
- Occupational Therapy (Honours)
- Pharmacy (Honours)
- Physiotherapy (Honours)
- Psychological Science (Honours)
- Social Work (Honours)
- Speech Pathology (Honours)

**Science, Mathematics, Agriculture and Environment**
- Advanced Science (Honours)
- Agribusiness
- Agricultural Science
- Biotechnology
- Environmental Management (Honours)
- Environmental Science
- Mathematics
- Science
- Veterinary Science (Honours)
- Veterinary Technology
- Wildlife Science

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

**Engineering, Design, Computing, Architecture and Planning**
- Architectural Design
- Computer Science
- Design
- Engineering (Honours)
- Information Technology
- Regional and Town Planning

**Central guides**
- Domestic Undergraduate
- International Undergraduate and Postgraduate (international students can visit uq.edu.au/study-guides to access the latest international student guides)