BACHELOR OF SOCIAL SCIENCE - 2016

A Bachelor of Social Science teaches students how to develop strategies to help find solutions to a range of social issues at the local, national and international level. Graduates are equipped with key skills valuable to employers such as problem solving, effective written and oral communication, information processing, creative and critical thinking, cross-cultural awareness, social research skills and computer literacy. Courses provide you with knowledge and skills related to social issues, how to identify and analyse social concerns and problems, develop positions on social issues and propose possible interventions.

The degree is a unique and innovative program that gives students expertise in social science research design and implementation. Students gain knowledge and skills for employment in areas such as public policy design and evaluation; social impact assessment; social planning and the analysis of socio-economic issues in a wide range of contexts.

Students complete a set of core (compulsory) courses for Part A (#18 units), a major from Part B (#12 units), and either another major from Part B (#12), and/or electives to fulfil the required #48 units. Program rules and requirements for the Bachelor of Social Science can be accessed via Courses and Programs: www.uq.edu.au/study.

Part A (Core) - #18
Each course is worth 2 units (#2)

Year 1

ANTH1030	Anthropology of Current World Issues: An Introduction
POLS1102	Introduction to Politics & Public Policy
SOCY1050	Introduction to Sociology

Year 2

POLS2703	Principles of Research: Social and Comparative Perspectives
SOCY2049	Introducing Qualitative Research
SOCY2339	Introducing Quantitative Research

#2 from -
ANTH2270	Migration, Culture and Identity
POLS2402	Globalisation & International Political Economy

Year 3

SOSC3201	Research, Planning and Design
SOSC3211	Project

Majors that can be studied in Part B of the Bachelor of Social Science include:

- Development
- Social and Public Policy
- Health and Society
- Criminal Justice

Please see over for the list of courses in Part B.

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Part B (Majors) - #12

Development

#2 for
POLS1701   Introduction to International Inequality & Development
#8 from -
ANTH2060   Environmental Anthropology
ANTH2250   Medical Anthropology: Local and Global Perspectives
ANTH2260   Applied Anthropology: Native Title and Indigenous Peoples
POLS2101   Indigenous Politics & Policy
POLS2404   The Political Dynamics of Development and Resistance
POLS2504   Conflict Prevention & Resolution
POLS2603   World Women: International Perspectives and Politics & Culture
SOCY2020   Sociology of the Environment
SOCY2220   Globalisation & Development in Post-Colonial Societies
SOSC2288   Community Development: Local and International Practices

and #2 for -
ANTH3019   Development Practice & Social Impact

Social and Public Policy

2 for
SWSP1011   The Welfare of Australians

#8 from -
POLS1101   Introduction to Australian Politics
POLS2101   Indigenous Politics & Policy
POLS2201   Australian Foreign Policy
POLS2401   Politics & the Economy
POLS3102   Governance & Australian Public Policy
POLS3115   Environmental Politics & Policy
POLY1000   Australian Social Policy

and #2 for
POLY3000   Analysis and Practice in Social Policy

Health and Society

#2 for -
SOCY1030   Introduction to Health, Illness and Society

and #8 from -
ANTH2250   Medical Anthropology: Local and Global Perspectives
ECON2460   Health Economics
PUBH1103   Health Systems & Policy
PUBH2004   Understanding Health Behaviours
PUBH3001   Health Services Planning & Evaluation
SOCY2179   Sex, Drugs and Disease: Health of the Marginalised
SOSC2190   Human Bodies, Culture and Society
SOSC2288   Community Development: Local and International Practices

and #2 for -
SOCY3020   Medicine, Markets and Health: Sociological Perspectives on Health and Illness

Criminal Justice
#2 for -
CRIM1019   Introduction to Criminal Justice

and #8 from -
ABTS3020   Working with Indigenous People
CRIM2011   Crime, Victims and Justice
CRIM2099   Crime, Race and Gender
CRIM2100   Punishment & Society
CRIM2200   Police & Society
CRIM2300   Comparative Criminology – the Cross-Cultural Study of Crime and Criminal Justice
POLS2101   Indigenous Politics & Policy
POLS3116   Politics of Law & Justice in Australia

and #2 for -
CRIM3070   Crime Prevention Policy and Practice

School of Social Science Course Offerings - 2016

Semester 1
ANTH2060   Environmental Anthropology
ANTH2250   Medical Anthropology
CRIM2100   Punishment and Society
CRIM2200   Police and Society
CRIM2300   Comparative Criminology
POLY3000   Analysis and Practice in Social Policy
SOCY1050   Introduction to Sociology
SOCY2179   Sex, Drugs and Disease: Health of the Marginalised
SOCY2220   Globalisation & Development in Post-Colonial Studies
SOCY2339   Introducing Quantitative Research
SOSC2190   Human Bodies, Culture and Society
SOSC2288   Community Development
SOSC3201   Research, Planning and Design

Semester 2
ANTH1030   Anthropology of Current World Issues
ANTH2270   Migration, Culture and Identity
ANTH3019   Development Practice & Social Impact
CRIM1019   Introduction to Criminal Justice
CRIM3070   Crime Prevention Policy and Practice
SOCY1030   Introduction to Health, Illness and Society
SOCY2020   Sociology of the Environment
SOCY2049   Introducing Qualitative Research
SOCY3020   Medicine, Markets and Health
SOSC3211   Project

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