

BACHELOR OF SOCIAL SCIENCE - 2017

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.

Part A (Core)

Each course is worth #2 (2 units)

16 units for –

ANTH1030	Anthropology of Current World Issues: An Introduction
POLS1102	Introduction to Politics & Public Policy
SOCY1050	Introduction to Sociology
POLS2703	Principles of Research: Social and Comparative Perspectives
SOCY2339	Introducing Quantitative Research
SOCY3329	Qualitative Social Research
SOSC3201	Research, Planning and Design
SOSC3211	Project

And 2 units from –

ANTH2270	Migration, Culture and Identity
POLS2402	Globalisation & International Political Economy

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

- Development
- Social and Public Policy
- Health and Society

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

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The course list, along with program rules and requirements for the Bachelor of Social Science can be accessed via Courses and Programs:
<http://www.uq.edu.au/study>.

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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 and Indigenous Territories
POLS2101 Indigenous Politics & Policy
POLS2404 The Political Dynamics of Development and Resistance
POLS2603 Gender and Global Politics
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 & Society
SOSC2288 Community Development: Local and International Practices

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