Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Education (Primary) (IF82)

Year offered: 2010
Admissions: No
Course duration (full-time): 4 Years
Domestic fees (indicative): 2010: CSP $2,655 (indicative) per semester
Domestic Entry: February
QTAC code: 409342
Past rank cut-off: 83
Past OP cut-off: 9
OP Guarantee: Yes
Assumed knowledge: English (4 SA)
Preparatory studies: For information on acquiring assumed knowledge visit http://www.studentServices.qut.edu.au/apply/ug/info/knowledge.jsp
Total credit points: 384
Course coordinator: Dr Iraphne Childs (Arts); Dr Mary Ryan (Education)
Campus: Gardens Point and Kelvin Grove

Course Structure - Commencing Students
BA Course Requirements (Years 1 and 2) (Continuing Students)
Students should have completed the following components of the degree:
The first year requirements (8 units) which include:
HHB116 Applied Skills and Scholarship
Two Foundation Units (for students who did not complete two Faculty Foundation Units in Year 1
Two to three Course Foundation Units
Two to three Elective Units
NB a minimum of four of these eight units must be chosen from units offered from the BA component of your course.
In second year, a further 8 units to complete:
One Major Study Sequence chosen from the BA component of your course
AND
One Minor Study Sequence from those offered in the BA component of your course or from other Minor Study Sequences offered elsewhere within QUT.
Students must ensure that a minimum of 12 of the 16 units be chosen from units in the BA.

Course Structure - Commencing Students
BA Course Requirements (Years 1 and 2)(Commencing Students)
Students are REQUIRED to complete:
* One Interdisciplinary Professional Major (1 core introductory unit + 6 units in the major)
It is SUGGESTED that they complete the Core Units Program consisting of the following:
*Four core units in first semester (from a selection of core introductory units and core skills units)
(Note: one of the core introductory units will sit within the chosen Interdisciplinary Professional Major)
* Two core units in second year (2 research methods units)

NB One of core introductory units will sit within the chosen Interdisciplinary Major.

Course Structure - Commencing Students (cont.)
Students must maintain a 50% enrolment in units from the BA program until they have completed 8 of those units (96 credit points).
Students may wish to
- develop a Minor (48 credit points) in one of the interdisciplinary professional areas
- develop a Minor (48 credit points) in a disciplinary study sequence or in another QUT course
- develop a Minor (48 credit points) in major Foundation units for Primary Teachings
- take a series of elective units
Students wishing to complete a full discipline studies sequence (6 units) will need to amend their core units program.
Students planning to complete a full language sequence (6 units) will need to discuss their program with the relevant Course Coordinator to ensure that their language studies begin in semester one and continue into their third year.

NB Students are required to complete 16 units in the BA component of the double degree. Of these 12 must be BA units i.e. HHB coded units.

Key Terms in the BA - Commencing Students
* Professional Major - one of five interdisciplinary study sequences in the BA degree (International & Global Studies, Society and Change, Ethics and Human Rights, Community Studies, Australian Studies), consisting of one core unit plus six further units from the appropriate list (making a total of 84 credit points). Students must complete at least one of these to fulfill the requirements of the degree.
NB - a unit may not be counted in more than one professional major, discipline sequence, or Minor.
* Discipline Sequence - a set of six units (72 credit points) in a given discipline (Geography, History, Languages, Social Science). In Languages, this consists of six sequenced units in one Language. In other disciplines the six units must include one introductory unit to the discipline.
* Minor Study Sequence - a study sequence of any four units (48 credit points) in a given subject area.

Interdisciplinary Professional Majors - Commencing Students
BA Structure

For details, refer to the Bachelor of Arts (HH01) single degree.

Discipline Sequences - Commencing Students
For details, refer to the Bachelor of Arts (HH01) single degree.

Minor Sequences - Commencing Students
For details, refer to the Co-Majors section of the Bachelor of Arts (HH01) single degree.

Example of BA Full-time Course Structure - Continuing Students

Year 1 - Semester 1
Introductory Core unit (Major)
Introductory Core unit (2nd Major or Minor)
Elective Unit (General)
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Year 1, Semester 2
Elective Unit (Major)
Elective Unit (Major)
Elective Unit (Minor or 2nd Major)
Elective Unit (General)

Year 2, Semester 1
Elective Unit (Major)
Elective Unit (Major)
Elective Unit (Minor or 2nd Major)
Elective Unit (General)

Year 2, Semester 2
Elective Unit (Major)
Elective Unit (Major)
Elective Unit (Minor or 2nd Major)
Elective Unit (General)

Major/Minor Study Sequences
See Note 1

Lists A, B and C
For details, refer to the Bachelor of Arts (HH01) entry in the Humanities and Human Services section.

Part-time Students
See Note 2

UNIT SYNOPSES

HHB116 APPLIED SKILLS AND SCHOLARSHIP
This unit aims to introduce students to key aspects of important generic attributes which QUT graduates are expected to acquire across the period of their studies. The unit covers a range of topics relating to information literacy, academic literacy, and technological literacy. These topics are addressed in a practical way so that students will easily be able to apply the skills learned across other units in their course. Students have the opportunity to develop their skills through a series of activities such as self-paced online interactive exercises, quizzes, links and information. A variety of assessment items are spread across the semester.

Credit points: 12  Contact hours: 3 per week  Campus: Kelvin Grove  Teaching period: 2009 SEM-1 and 2009 SEM-2  Incompatible with: HUB000