Bachelor of General Studies (BGEN) - BGenStud

QTAC code (Australian and New Zealand applicants): Toowoomba campus: 909501; External: 909505; Springfield campus: 929501

CRICOS code (International applicants): 030303C

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- (1) gain a foundation knowledge and apply key competencies in academic writing, mathematics, digital literacies, and study skills
- (2) articulate ideas and concepts across a range of knowledge domains
- (3) apply creative, critical and analytical skills to solve problems in diverse contexts
- (4) communicate with academic clarity and coherence in written and oral forms
- (5) apply ethical decision-making in diverse applications.

Australian Qualifications Framework

The Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF) is a single national, comprehensive system of qualifications offered by higher education institutions (including universities), vocational education and training institutions and secondary schools. Each A

Program fees

Commonwealth supported place

A Commonwealth supported place is where the Australian Government makes a contribution towards the cost of a students' higher education and students pay a student contribution amount, which varies depending on the courses undertaken. Students are able to calculate the fees for a particular course via the Course Fee Schedules.

Commonwealth Supported students may be eligible to defer their fees through a Government loan called HECS-HELP.

Domestic full fee paying place

Domestic full fee paying places are funded entirely through the full fees paid by the student. Full fees vary depending on the courses that are taken. Students are able to calculate the fees for a particular course via the Course Fee Schedule

Domestic full fee paying students may be eligible to defer their fees through a Government loan called FEE-HELP provided they meet the residency and citizenship requirements.

Australian citizens, Permanent Humanitarian Visa holders, Permanent Resident visa holders and New Zealand citizens who will be resident outside Australia for the duration of their program pay full tuition fees and are not eligible for FEE-Help.

International full fee paying place

International students pay full fees. Full fees vary depending on the courses that are taken and whether they are studied on-campus, external or online. Students are able to calculate the fees for a particular course via the Course Fee Schedules.

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•	The remaining 20 units can be taken from all levels, but students cannot take more than eight (8) extra level 1 courses (in addition to the core	20 units [*]
•	courses above, to bring the maximum number of permissible level 1 courses to 12). Students must take at least four (4) level 3 courses.	

Students must consult the Program Coordinator in planning their course selections to gain approval for their study plan or changes to their approved study plan.

lotal	24 units

Footnotes

- Students who have equivalent knowledge in these areas may be eligible to apply for credit/exemptions. Students should complete the core courses in their first year unless they have approved credit/exemptions.
- * Course selection will be subject to normal pre-requisite requirements.

Students should choose three discipline areas from the following UniSQ programs#:#

- Associate Degree of Engineering
- Bachelor of Arts
- Bachelor of Business ..
- Bachelor of Communication and Media
- Bachelor of Engineering Technology
- Bachelor of Human Services
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- # Students cannot take Nursing or Law courses.

Required time limits

Students have a maximum of 9 years to complete this program.

Exit points

Students may exit with the Diploma of University Studies if they have completed 8 courses as follows:

- 4 core units from the Bachelor of General Studies
- 4 other courses.

Students may exit with the Associate Degree of General Studies if they have completed 16 courses as follows:

- 4 core units from the Bachelor of General Studies
- 12 other units of which at least 4 units must be level 2.

Credit

Candidates for admission to the Bachelor of General Studies may be eligible for up to 16 units of credit on the basis of successful completion of relevant, equivalent undergraduate study from a recognised university or institution offering equivalent study. Credit approved in this program will not automatically apply to other programs offered by UniSQ.

Candidates who have equivalent knowledge in core unit area/s may be eligible to apply for credit/exemptions.

Recommended enrolment pattern

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