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I have always been interested in Psychology, learning more about the mind and how it works and in turn understanding more about myself and the people around me. I am now working hard at UQ to pursue my dreams and you can too.

Julian

Temasek Polytechnic graduate,
Bachelor of Psychological
Science (Honours)

Commencing

Semester 1 (February) or Semester 2 (July)

BACHELOR OF PSYCHOLOGICAL SCIENCE (HONOURS)

Psychology at UQ is ranked the best in Australia*

The University of Queensland's School of Psychology has a commitment to community service and engagement, innovative teaching strategies that place the student at the centre of their learning and research that leads the world and drives our understanding of human thinking, feeling and behaving.



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INTERNATIONAL STUDENT
SUPPORT PROGRAM



GUARANTEED
HONOURS

*Shanghai Ranking's Global Ranking of Academic Subjects 2017

UQ EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING

AWARD WINNER

Associate Professor McKimmie currently teaches a large introductory psychology course and the second year elective *Psychology of Criminal Justice* (PSYC2361) about psychology and law.

With colleagues, he has developed online courses that have been delivered to people all over the world. These include the award-winning course CRIME101x *The Psychology of Criminal Justice*.

Associate Professor McKimmie won a Faculty Teaching Excellence Award in 2010 and led the team to win a University of Queensland Teaching Excellence Award in 2016.



Blake McKimmie – Associate Professor

WHY STUDY AT UQ?



Employability

Stand out as a leader in your field. Graduates of the Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours) are distinguished by their breadth of knowledge, developed professional skills and their advanced capacities for research, analysis and critical thinking.



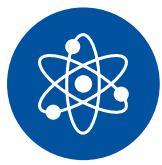
Practical opportunities

Studying psychology isn't just about lectures and textbooks. We offer a fourth year course which gives students the opportunity to practically apply their psychological skills. In addition to on-campus workshops, students complete supervised work at a placement organisation. Tasks could involve program evaluation, service innovation, behaviour change, training design, youth mentoring, or clinical support. Not only does this help reinforce coursework, it allows psychology students to make a positive contribution to the world while they are still studying.



Innovators

UQ's School of Psychology is a key leader and innovator in the delivery of courses and learning experiences. Our courses offer students the opportunities to learn and engage in many ways through both face-to-face and online mediums, through workshops and tutorials, through learning by doing. We provide courses that will both entice and challenge you in your way of thinking.



Strong research culture

Push the boundaries of knowledge and develop high level skills in communication, research design, critical and analytical thinking and project management when you complete an honours level research project in your final year. You may have the opportunity to undertake paid summer or winter research programs, as well as having access to our research centres for Organisational Psychology, Social Psychology, Communication, Early Childhood Cognitive Development, Parenting and Family Support, Perception and Cognitive Neuroscience.



Honours

The Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours) provides all students with an honours class upon graduation. In their final year and depending on grade point average (GPA), students complete either an individual or group thesis, supervised by one of the School's leading academics and researchers. An Honours degree allows students to pursue postgraduate study such as Masters or Phd. Final year at UQ commences in February only.

UQ STUDY PLAN

SEMESTER 1 ENTRY (FEBRUARY)*

Temasek Polytechnic- Diploma in Psychology Studies

#24 units credit awarded including PSYC1020, PSYC1030, PSYC1040, PSYC2010, PSYC2020, PSYC2030, PSYC2040,
#8 units Year 1 electives from other schools, #2 unit Year 2 elective from any school

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Year 1

Semester 1

PSYC2050	Learning & Cognition
#2 Year 2	As specified on the course list
PSYC elective	
#2 Year 3	As specified on the course list
PSYC elective	

Semester 2

COMU1030	Communication Skills: Spoken Language and Interpersonal
PSYC2063	Psychological Approaches to Complex Problems
#2 Year 3 PSYC elective	As specified on the course list

Year 2

Semester 1

PSYC3010	Psychological Research Methodology III
PSYC3034	Topics in Applied Psychology
PSYC3102	Psychopathology

Semester 2

PSYC3020	Measurement in Psychology
PSYC3042	Psychological Research: Interpretation and Evaluation
#2 Year 3 PSYC elective	As specified on the course list

Year 3

Semester 1

PSYC4050	Psychological Research Methodology IV
PSYC4060	Ethical Considerations for Psychologists
#2 Year 4	As specified on the course list

PSYC elective
or

#1 Seminar course	As specified on the course list
PSYC4071	Individual Research Thesis

or

PSYC4092	Group Supervised Thesis
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Semester 2

PSYC4121	The Scientist-Practitioner Model
#2 Year 4	As specified on the course list

PSYC elective
or

#1 Seminar course	As specified on the course list
PSYC4071	Individual Research Thesis

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*Indicative study plan only

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

For Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours) entry requirements, including English Language Proficiency requirements, please visit future-students.uq.edu.au.

How to apply

Information about application procedures can be found at future-students.uq.edu.au/apply.

UQ STUDY PLAN

SEMESTER 2 ENTRY (JULY)*

Temasek Polytechnic- Diploma in Psychology Studies

#24 units credit awarded including PSYC1020, PSYC1030, PSYC1040, PSYC2010, PSYC2020, PSYC2030, PSYC2040,
#8 units Year 1 electives from other schools, #2 unit Year 2 elective from any school

Year 1

Semester 2

COMU1030	Communication Skills: Spoken Language and Interpersonal
PSYC2050	Learning and Cognition
PSYC2063	Psychological Approaches to Complex Problems
#2 Year 2 PSYC elective	As specified on the course list

Year 2

Semester 1

PSYC3010	Psychological Research Methodology III
PSYC3034	Topics in Applied Psychology
PSYC3102	Psychopathology
#2 Year 3 PSYC electives	As specified on the course list

Semester 2

PSYC3020	Measurement in Psychology
PSYC3042	Psychological Research: Interpretation and Evaluation
#4 Year 3 PSYC electives	As specified on the course list

Year 3

Semester 1

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More Information

For students who have completed other studies or would like further information on the Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours) at UQ, please contact Chloe Lee at chloe.lee@uq.edu.au

More information about UQ for international students, including the study environment, links to estimated living costs, tuition fees, refund policies, support services, information for students with families, and your legal rights as an international student can be found at future-students.uq.edu.au. This website contains all information and links to information for international students required under Australian Federal ESOS legislation.