



UQ has amazing lecturers and tutors, an advanced method of teaching, and many opportunities to further your interests.

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Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours) student

Commencing

Semester 1 (February) or Semester 2 (July)

2019

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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SPECIALISED PSYCHOLOGY
INTERNATIONAL STUDENT
SUPPORT PROGRAM



GUARANTEED
HONOURS

*Shanghai Ranking's Global Ranking of Academic Subjects 2018

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. Final year commences in February only.

Pathway to The University of Queensland

The University of Queensland (UQ) offers eligible Sunway University students the opportunity to transfer to the UQ Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours) program.

In order to receive one year of credit (#16 units) towards the Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours) at UQ, Sunway University students are required to complete the first two years of the American Degree Transfer Program (Psychology).

AMERICAN DEGREE TRANSFER PROGRAM (PSYCHOLOGY) SUNWAY UNIVERSITY

Study Sunway University ADTP courses:

PSY1013 Introduction to Psychology

PSY1023 Developmental Psychology

PSYC2013 Abnormal Psychology

PSYC2023 Social Psychology

PSYC3023 Research Methods in Psychology

STAT2014 Introduction to Statistics with SPSS Lab

Completion of remaining courses in the American Degree Transfer Program (two years of study).



BACHELOR OF PSYCHOLOGICAL SCIENCE (HONOURS) THE UNIVERSITY OF QUEENSLAND

Credit awarded for UQ courses:

PSYC1020 Introduction to Psychology:
Minds, Brains and Behaviour

PSYC1030 Introduction to Psychology: Developmental,
Social and Clinical Psychology

PSYC1040 Psychological Research Methodology I

Plus #8 units Year 1 non- psychology electives and

#2 units Year 2 elective from any school

YOUR UQ STUDY OPTIONS

SEMESTER 1 ENTRY (FEBRUARY)*

Sunway University – American Degree Transfer Program (Psychology)

First year at UQ

Semester 1

PSYC2010	Psychological Research Methodology II
PSYC2030	Developmental Psychology
PSYC2040	Social and Organisational Psychology
PSYC2050	Learning and Cognition

Semester 2

COMU1030	Communication Skills: Spoken Language and Interpersonal
PSYC2020	Neuroscience for Psychologists
PSYC2063	Psychological Approaches to Complex Problems
#2 Year 2	As specified on the course list
PSYC elective	

Year 2

Semester 1

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

Semester 2

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

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
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PSYC4071	Individual Research Thesis
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PSYC4092	Group Supervised Thesis
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Semester 2

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

#1 Seminar course	As specified on the course list
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PSYC4071	Individual Research Thesis
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PSYC4092	Group Supervised 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.

YOUR UQ STUDY OPTIONS

SEMESTER 2 ENTRY (JULY)*

Sunway University – American Degree Transfer Program (Psychology)

First semester at UQ

Semester 2

COMU1030	Communication Skills: Spoken Language and Interpersonal
PSYC2030	Developmental Psychology
#2 Year 2 PSYC elective	As specified on the course list

Year 3

Semester 2

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

Year 2

Semester 1

PSYC2010	Psychological Research Methodology II
PSYC2040	Social and Organisational Psychology
PSYC2050	Learning and Cognition

Semester 2

PSYC2020	Neuroscience for Psychologists
PSYC2063	Psychological Approaches to Complex Problems
#2 Year 3 PSYC elective	As specified on the course list

Year 4

Semester 1

PSYC4050	Psychological Research Methodology IV
PSYC4060	Ethical Considerations for Psychologists
#2 Year 4 PSYC elective	As specified on the course list
or	
#1 Seminar course	As specified on the course list
PSYC4071	Individual Research Thesis
or	
PSYC4092	Group Supervised Thesis

Semester 2

PSYC4121	The Scientist-Practitioner Model
#2 Year 4 PSYC elective	As specified on the course list
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More information from UQ

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