

# Bachelor of Commerce (BCom)

## 2023 Program Structure – Semester 1 commencement

It is important that you read and understand the following information.

It is your responsibility to ensure that you complete all the requirements of this program in order to graduate. The following information is designed to help you plan your enrolment to meet this goal. Further information can be found in the Official requirements and course list on the Programs and Courses website:

[https://my.uq.edu.au/programs-courses/program.html?acad\\_prog=2336&year=2021](https://my.uq.edu.au/programs-courses/program.html?acad_prog=2336&year=2021)

You may have to swap courses in the plan to allow you to finish with your desired major/s - please check prerequisites and semester offerings on [Programs and Courses](#). You are not required to submit this program plan for approval. However, if you have any questions or concerns about meeting degree requirements, especially when you are nearing the end of your program, please contact the [Faculty of Business, Economics and Law](#) for advice.

### PROGRAM GUIDELINES

You must complete a total of 48\* units from the BCom List comprising –

- 16 units for all BCom Core Courses; and
- 16 units for one major from BCom Majors; and
- 16 units for either:
  - (1) a second major from BCom Majors; or
  - (2) General Elective Courses

**\*No more than 8 units can be at level 1 excluding core courses. Selected courses must include at least 8 units at level 3**

## PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

### **Certified Practising Accountants Australia (CPA Australia)**

Graduates who have completed the requirements for the award of Bachelor of Commerce including the following courses may apply to the CPA to go straight into their Program:

Accounting & Finance:	ACCT1110 Financial Reporting and Analysis ACCT1102 Introduction to Management Accounting ACCT2102 Intermediate management Accounting FINM1415 Introduction to Finance ACCT2110 Intermediate Financial Accounting* ACCT3103 Advanced Financial Accounting* ACCT3104 Advanced Management Accounting* ACCT3106 Analysis of Financial Statements*
Law**:	LAWS1100 Business Law LAWS3100 Corporations Law* LAWS3101 Income Tax Law*
Auditing:	ACCT3101 Auditing & Public Practice*
Information Systems:	BISM1201 Transforming Business with Information Systems
Economics:	ECON1011 Economics for Business
Quantitative Methods:	ECON1310 Introductory Statistics for Social Sciences

\* Students who have been granted credit for these courses on the basis of prior study may need to contact CPA Australia to confirm eligibility.

\*\* Students enrolled in the BCom/LLB(Hons) dual program should substitute these courses for LAWS1701 + LAWS1702, LAWS3702 and LAWS5144.

#### *Certified Practising Accountant (CPA) Status -*

To be eligible for CPA status, applicants must meet all the requirements listed on the CPA website:

<http://www.cpaaustralia.com.au/become-a-cpa/am-i-eligible>

#### Enquiries:

CPA Australia  
Level 29, 10 Eagle Street, Brisbane QLD 4000  
GPO Box 1161, Brisbane QLD 4001  
Tel: 1300 73 73 73  
Email: [qld@cpaustralia.com.au](mailto:qld@cpaustralia.com.au)  
Website: <http://www.cpaaustralia.com.au/>

**Chartered Accountants Australia + New Zealand (CAANZ)**

Graduates of The University of Queensland who have completed the program of Bachelor of Commerce and have passed the following courses meet the educational requirements for admission to the CA Program:

Accounting & Finance:	ACCT1110 Financial Reporting and Analysis ACCT1102 Introduction to Management Accounting ACCT2102 Principles of Management Accounting FINM1415 Introduction to Finance ACCT2110 Intermediate Financial Accounting ACCT3103 Advanced Financial Accounting ACCT3104 Advanced Management Accounting ACCT3106 Analysis of Financial Management
Law**:	LAWS1100 Business Law LAWS3100 Corporations Law LAWS3101 Income Tax Law
Auditing:	ACCT3101 Auditing & Public Practice
Information Systems:	BISM1201 Transforming Business with Information Systems
Economics:	ECON1011 Economics for Business
Quantitative Methods:	ECON1310 Introductory Statistics for Social Sciences

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*Chartered Accountant (CA) Status -*

For information on CA membership requirements, please refer to the following website:

<http://www.charteredaccountants.com.au/Chartered-Accountants/Become-a-Chartered-Accountant-in-Australia>

Enquiries:

Tel: 1300 137 322 (+61 2 9290 5660 outside of Australia)

Email: [service@charteredaccountantsanz.com](mailto:service@charteredaccountantsanz.com)

Website: <http://www.charteredaccountants.com.au/>

**Financial Services Institute of Australasia (FINSIA)**

Student membership with full rights and privileges is open to full-time Commerce and Economics students. Application forms may be obtained from the Institute's Queensland office or downloaded from the FINSIA Website at <http://www.finsia.edu.au>.

For further information on FINSIA membership requirements, please refer to the FINSIA website: <https://www.finsia.com/membership/compare-memberships>

Enquiries:

Financial Services Institute of Australasia (FINSIA)

PO Box H99

Australia Square Sydney NSW 1215

Tel: + 61 2 9275 7900

Email: [membership@finsia.com](mailto:membership@finsia.com)

Website: <http://www.finsia.com/> (a full list of FINSIA services is available at this Website.)

## BACHELOR OF COMMERCE – STUDY PLAN ACCOUNTING MAJOR

PROGRAM CODE: 2336

Courses	Units
<b>YEAR ONE</b>	
Semester 1 It is <b>not</b> possible to study more than 8 units (4 courses) in semester one of year one.	
ACCT1110      Financial Reporting and Analysis	2
BISM1201      Transforming Business with Information Systems	2
ECON1310      Introductory Statistics for Social Sciences	2
MGTS1301      Introduction to Management	2
Semester 2	
ACCT1102      Introduction to Management Accounting	2
ECON1011      Economics for Business	2
FINM1415      Introduction to Finance	2
LAWS1100*      Business Law	2
<b>YEAR TWO</b>	
Semester 1	
<i>If you wish to have an overseas experience, you need to start planning for your exchange now (May deadline for an exchange in semester 1 of the following year)**</i>	
ACCT2102      Intermediate Management Accounting	2
ACCT2110      Intermediate Financial Accounting	2
LAWS3100      Corporations Law	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Semester 2	
ACCT3103      Advanced Financial Accounting	2
LAWS3101      Income Tax Law	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
<b>YEAR THREE</b>	
Semester 1 <i>Recommended exchange semester</i>	
ACCT3106      Analysis of Financial Statements	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Semester 2	
ACCT3101      Auditing & Public Practice	2
ACCT3104      Advanced Management Accounting	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
<b>Total Units</b>	<b>48</b>

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## BACHELOR OF COMMERCE – STUDY PLAN BUSINESS ANALYTICS MAJOR

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Courses	Units
<b>YEAR ONE</b>	
Semester 1 It is <b>not</b> possible to study more than 8 units (4 courses) in semester one of year one.	
ACCT1110      Financial Reporting and Analysis	2
BISM1201      Transforming Business with Information Systems	2
ECON1310      Introductory Statistics for Social Sciences	2
MGTS1301      Introduction to Management	2
Semester 2	
<i>If you wish to have an overseas experience, you need to start planning for your exchange now (October deadline for an exchange in semester 2 of the following year)</i>	
ACCT1102      Introduction to Management Accounting	2
ECON1011      Economics for Business	2
FINM1415      Introduction to Finance	2
LAWS1100*      Business Law	2
<b>YEAR TWO</b>	
Semester 1	
BSAN2201      Principles of Business Analytics	2
BSAN2204      Methods of Business Analytics	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Semester 2 <i>Recommended exchange semester</i>	
BSAN2205      Predictive Analytics for Business	2
BSAN3210      Technology of Business Analytics	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
<b>YEAR THREE</b>	
Semester 1	
BSAN3204      Data Visualisation for Business	2
BSAN3209      Prescriptive Analytics for Business	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Semester 2	
BSAN3212      Deep Learning for Business	2
BSAN4201      Business Analytics Strategy	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
<b>Total Units</b>	<b>48</b>

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## BACHELOR OF COMMERCE – STUDY PLAN BUSINESS INFORMATION SYSTEMS MAJOR

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Courses	Units
<b>YEAR ONE</b>	
Semester 1 It is <b>not</b> possible to study more than 8 units (4 courses) in semester one of year one.	
ACCT1110      Financial Reporting and Analysis	2
BISM1201      Transforming Business with Information Systems	2
ECON1310      Introductory Statistics for Social Sciences	2
MGTS1301      Introduction to Management	2
Semester 2	
ACCT1102      Introduction to Management Accounting	2
ECON1011      Economics for Business	2
FINM1415      Introduction to Finance	2
LAWS1100*      Business Law	2
<b>YEAR TWO</b>	
Semester 1	
BISM2206      Accounting Information & Software Applications	2
BISM2207      Managing Business Data	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Semester 2	
BISM2202      Data Analytics and Information Management	2
BISM2203      Business Process Management	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
<b>YEAR THREE</b>	
Semester 1	
BISM3222      Information Analysis & System Design	2
BISM3206      Advanced Data Analytics	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Semester 2	
BISM3208      Business Information Systems & Analytics Capstone	2
BISM3205      Business Information Security	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
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## BACHELOR OF COMMERCE – STUDY PLAN FINANCE MAJOR

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Courses	Units
<b>YEAR ONE</b>	
Semester 1 It is <b>not</b> possible to study more than 8 units (4 courses) in semester one of year one.	
ACCT1110      Financial Reporting and Analysis	2
BISM1201      Transforming Business with Information Systems	2
ECON1310      Introductory Statistics for Social Sciences	2
MGTS1301      Introduction to Management	2
Semester 2	
ACCT1102      Introduction to Management Accounting	2
ECON1011      Economics for Business	2
FINM1415      Introduction to Finance	2
LAWS1100*      Business Law	2
<b>YEAR TWO</b>	
Semester 1	
<i>If you wish to have an overseas experience, you need to start planning for your exchange now (May deadline for an exchange in semester 1 of the following year)**</i>	
ECON2300      Introductory Econometrics	2
FINM2416      Asset Pricing	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Semester 2	
FINM2415      Corporate Finance	2
[ECON3210^      Financial Markets & Institutions	
OR	2
[Second Major OR General Elective	
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
<b>YEAR THREE</b>	
Semester 1 <i>Recommended exchange semester</i>	
FINM3403      International Financial Management	2
FINM3404^      Banking and Lending Decisions (if ECON3210 not completed, otherwise Second Major OR General Elective)	2
FINM3406      Real Estate Finance	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Semester 2	
FINM3405      Derivatives and Risk Management	2
FINM3407      Behavioural Finance	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
<b>Total Units</b>	<b>48</b>

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^ You must complete either ECON3210 OR FINM3404 towards the Finance major



## BACHELOR OF COMMERCE - STUDY PLAN ACCOUNTING AND FINANCE MAJORS

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Students who plan to apply for membership with the **CPA, CAANZ and FINSIA**, use this outline to plan your program.

Courses	Units
<b>YEAR ONE</b>	
Semester 1 It is <b>not</b> possible to study more than 8 units (4 courses) in semester one of year one.	
ACCT1110      Financial Reporting and Analysis	2
BISM1201      Transforming Business with Information Systems	2
ECON1310      Introductory Statistics for Social Sciences	2
MGTS1301      Introduction to Management	2
Semester 2	
ACCT1102      Introduction to Management Accounting	2
ECON1011      Economics for Business	2
FINM1415      Introduction to Finance	2
LAWS1100*      Business Law	2
<b>YEAR TWO</b>	
Semester 1	
ACCT2102      Intermediate Management Accounting	2
ACCT2110      Intermediate Financial Accounting	2
FINM2416      Asset Pricing	2
LAWS3100      Corporations Law	2
Semester 2	
ACCT3103      Advanced Financial Accounting	2
ECON2300      Introductory Econometrics	2
FINM2415      Corporate Finance	2
ECON3210      Financial Markets & Institutions	2
<b>YEAR THREE</b>	
Semester 1	
ACCT3106      Analysis of Financial Statements	2
FINM3403      International Financial Management	2
FINM3406      Real Estate Finance	2
LAWS3101      Income Tax Law	2
Semester 2	
ACCT3101      Auditing & Public Practice	2
ACCT3104      Advanced Management Accounting	2
FINM3405      Derivatives & Risk Management	2
FINM3407      Behavioural Finance	2
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## BACHELOR OF COMMERCE – STUDY PLAN BUSINESS ANALYTICS AND BUSINESS INFORMATION SYSTEMS MAJORS

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<b>YEAR ONE</b>	
Semester 1 It is <b>not</b> possible to study more than 8 units (4 courses) in semester one of year one.	
ACCT1110      Financial Reporting and Analysis	2
BISM1201      Transforming Business with Information Systems	2
ECON1310      Introductory Statistics for Social Sciences	2
MGTS1301      Introduction to Management	2
Semester 2	
<i>If you wish to have an overseas experience, you need to start planning for your exchange now (October deadline for an exchange in semester 2 of the following year)</i>	
ACCT1102      Introduction to Management Accounting	2
ECON1011      Economics for Business	2
FINM1415      Introduction to Finance	2
LAWS1100*      Business Law	2
<b>YEAR TWO</b>	
Semester 1	
BSAN2201      Principles of Business Analytics	2
BSAN2204      Methods of Business Analytics	2
BISM2206      Accounting Information & Software Applications	2
BISM2207      Managing Business Data	2
Semester 2 <i>Recommended exchange semester</i>	
BSAN2205      Predictive Analytics for Business	2
BSAN3210      Technology of Business Analytics	2
BISM2202      Data Analytics and Information Management	2
BISM2203      Business Process Management	2
<b>YEAR THREE</b>	
Semester 1	
BSAN3204      Data Visualisation for Business	2
BSAN3209      Prescriptive Analytics for Business	2
BISM3222      Information Analysis & System Design	2
BISM3206      Advanced Data Analytics	2
Semester 2	
BSAN3212      Deep Learning for Business	2
BSAN4201      Business Analytics Strategy	2
BISM3205      Business Information Security	2
BISM3208      Business Information Systems & Analytics Capstone	2
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BISM1201      Transforming Business with Information Systems	2
ECON1310      Introductory Statistics for Social Sciences	2
MGTS1301      Introduction to Management	2
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Semester 1	
BSAN2201      Principles of Business Analytics	2
BSAN2204      Methods of Business Analytics	2
FINM2416      Asset Pricing	2
ECON2300      Introductory Economics	2
Semester 2 <i>Recommended exchange semester</i>	
BSAN2205      Predictive Analytics for Business	2
BSAN3210      Technology of Business Analytics	2
FINM2415      Corporate Finance	2
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BSAN3204      Data Visualisation for Business	2
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Semester 2	
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<b>YEAR ONE</b>	
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ACCT1110      Financial Reporting and Analysis	2
BISM1201      Transforming Business with Information Systems	2
ECON1310      Introductory Statistics for Social Sciences	2
MGTS1301      Introduction to Management	2
Semester 2	
ACCT1102      Introduction to Management Accounting	2
ECON1011      Economics for Business	2
FINM1415      Introduction to Finance	2
LAWS1100*      Business Law	2
<b>YEAR TWO</b>	
Semester 1	
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FINM2416      Asset Pricing	2
BISM2206      Accounting Information & Software Applications	2
BISM2207      Managing Business Data	2
Semester 2	
FINM2415      Corporate Finance	2
ECON3210^      Financial Markets & Institutions	2
BISM2202      Data Analytics and Information Management	2
BISM2203      Business Process Management	2
<b>YEAR THREE</b>	
Semester 1 <i>Recommended exchange semester</i>	
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BISM3222      Information Analysis & System Design	2
BISM3206      Advanced Data Analytics	2
Semester 2	
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