Prepare for career success

As a UQ Business, Economics and Law (BEL) student, you have exclusive access to a range of opportunities that will build your experience and prepare you for lifelong success.

The future of work is evolving. BEL Careers and Employability can help you gain the practical industry experience and transferable skills that make you stand out to employers, no matter where your career takes you.

Throughout your degree, our dedicated team of Career Advisers will support you to:

- Gain meaningful work experience – both inside and outside the curriculum
- Connect with industry and alumni through networking and events
- Build your confidence through practical in-person and online workshops
- Design your own future by providing tailored career advice and resources

“BEL Careers and Employability prepared me to be more confident and adaptable. I benefited from workshops on resume writing and interview tips, and attended talks by industry that provided great insights.”

Ivory Law
Bachelor of Economics
Gain work experience in your field

Work experience is one of the most effective ways to learn about career pathways and develop an understanding of the industry you want to work in.

BEL Careers and Employability offers a range of programs for students to connect with industry, build your professional networks and gain relevant work experience – including for course-credit.

Work-integrated learning

Work-integrated learning (WIL) combines academic learning with meaningful workplace practice. Through our many WIL courses, you can gain course credit while putting theory into practice, gaining new skills, developing your networks, and finding out what it’s really like to work in your chosen industry.

We partner with a wide range of businesses and industry bodies, government departments and community organisations to connect you with diverse opportunities. You can gain industry-specific experience through a WIL internship placement or an industry consultancy project.

Unlock your potential

Degrees are only part of the puzzle. Employers look for graduates with the adaptive, critical and entrepreneurial mindset to succeed as leaders of the future.

BEL Careers and Employability offers a range of programs, events and activities to help you develop your capabilities, build your professional profile and network, and define your own version of success. Our Career Advisers will help you understand the recruitment process and provide you with tailored application support. You will also benefit from on-demand online resources to broaden your industry knowledge, build your resume and prepare for job interviews.

Find out more about BEL Careers and Employability at bel.uq.edu.au/careers

Learn more about how work-integrated learning creates industry-ready UQ graduates.

“The projects I completed as part of my work-integrated learning internship at Deloitte were interesting and challenging. I really liked putting my favourite subject from uni into practice and I gained many insights into the consulting industry. It confirmed for me that I wanted to pursue a career in tax accounting and advisory, and I was thrilled to be offered a position in Deloitte’s Graduate Program.”

Katie McFadden
Bachelor of Advanced Business (Honours)