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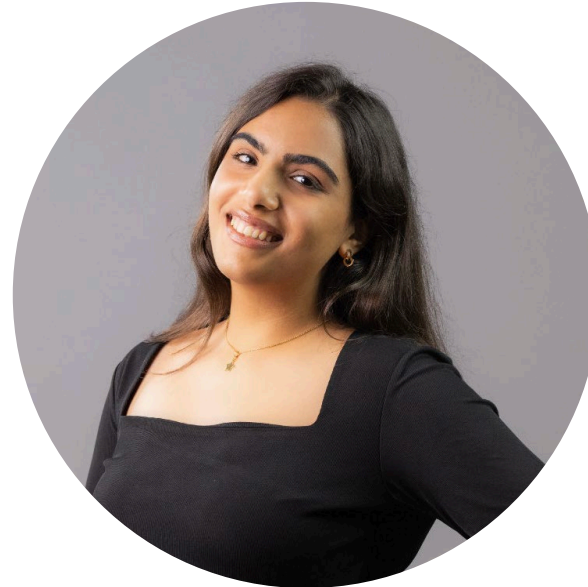
Welcome to the Bachelor of Commerce Orientation



Session hosts



Gustavo Lambert



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Acknowledgement of Country

The University of Queensland (UQ) acknowledges the Traditional Owners and their custodianship of the lands on which we meet.

We pay our respects to their Ancestors and their descendants, who continue cultural and spiritual connections to Country.

We recognise their valuable contributions to Australian and global society.

The Brisbane River pattern from A Guidance Through Time
by Casey Coolwell and Kyra Mancktelow.



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Getting started

Dr Micheal Axelsen

Business School



What does a course look like?

At UQ, we call subjects 'courses'.

A course may consist of lectures, seminars, online modules, as well as tutorials and workshops. Lectures and seminars start in week 1, tutorials generally start in week 2.

This semester courses will mostly be delivered in person (on campus), but some may be delivered externally (online).

Struggling with class sign-on: my.uq.edu.au/starting-at-uq.



What is going to happen in a course?

All the details of what will happen in each course will be covered in the **Electronic Course Profile (ECP)**. Just search for the course code.

This guide will tell you what **learning resources** you need, what **activities** are scheduled for each week, and how you are going to be **assessed**.

Section 6. **Policies and Guidelines** has all the information and links you need for understanding academic integrity, extensions, feedback etc.

What do you have to do?

We manage the scheduled activities and provide everything you need to study the course on the **course Blackboard**.

It is up to you to **prepare for class**, complete any online modules or reading required to participate, schedule time to complete assessments, and work with others in your class.

What is class time for?

Class time is a time where you can think about the knowledge being presented. It is time for you to **ask questions**, gain an understanding of the course content, and get some experience in using the knowledge.

Knowledge and experience don't just happen – **you have to be an active learner.**

How will you be assessed?

It depends on each course as to the best way to assess your learning. Be sure to check the ECP for details of when and how you will be assessed.

Written

- Essays
- Reports
- Case studies
- Exams

Spoken

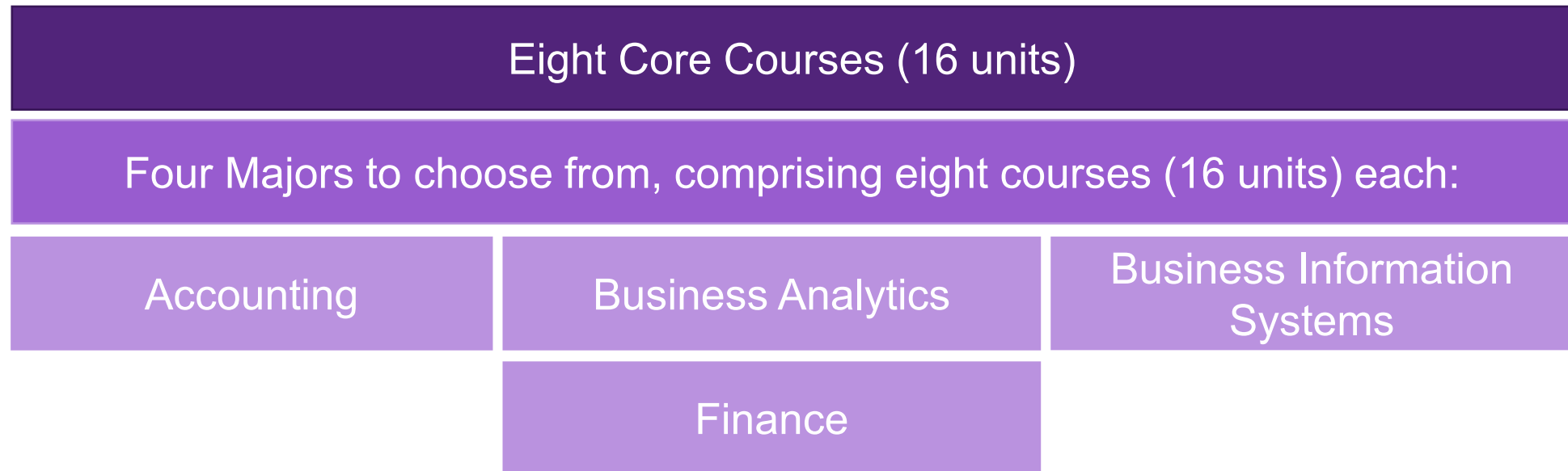
- Presentations
- Workshops

Other

- Simulations
- Role play
- Group experiences

What am I going to do in my degree?

You will complete 24 courses (or 48 units) to obtain your degree (if doing the single BCom program).



- Plus, eight courses (16 units) for a **Second Major** or **General Elective Courses** from the Bachelor of Commerce course list, or other undergraduate course lists at UQ.
- Dual degree options are also available, and the courses/units above will differ in a dual degree.

Course choice and information

How do you know what courses to take?

Refer to your program plan at:

bel.uq.edu.au/for-students/program-course-advice

Student Administration Officers at the BEL Student Centre can help. You will meet your dedicated team shortly.



What if you don't know what to do?

Don't panic – ask!

Your lecturers, tutors, student administration officers, and student committee are here to help.

Take it as a chance to upskill. There are resources available so please search the UQ Union, UQ Library and BEL Faculty websites.

BEL Student Centre

Contact us for help

Visit: Level 2 Colin Clark Building (39)

Email: bel@uq.edu.au

Call: 3365 7111

bel.uq.edu.au/for-students



BEL Student Centre

We're here to help you



Plan your program/
enrolment



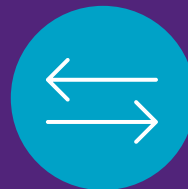
Be aware of important dates
affecting enrolment



Understand your program
rules/requirements



Apply for credit



Change program



Make sure you're on
track to graduate



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Get the full
experience



Clubs and Societies

Join a club or society to make heaps of new friends, attend fun events and broaden your network.

There are more than 220 clubs and societies on campus, including:

- UQ Finance and Investments Network for Sustainability
- UQ Business Association
- UQ Economics Society
- Plus many more!



Enrich your studies with global experiences



Short-term experiences

Summer / winter breaks (2-8 weeks)

- Participate as for-credit or not-for-credit.
- 100+ supported opportunities around the world.

Semester-based exchange

Semester 1, semester 2, or full year

- For-credit towards your degree.
- Study at 120+ host universities overseas.

Scholarships, grants and loans available!

Start planning this year so you don't miss out!

Step 1: Check out the website



employability.uq.edu.au/global-experiences

Step 2: Contact the team



exchange@bel.uq.edu.au

Business, Economics and Law Student Base

Level 1, Colin Clark Building

Your space to hang out, study and connect on campus!

The airconditioned study rooms, social courtyard and kitchenette are yours to enjoy.

Plus, keep an eye out for fun activities and giveaways happening in the space.

See you there!

Scan to find out more:



Get career ready

Your career starts now!

Explore career possibilities, develop employability skills, engage with industry, build your professional profile and much more with your dedicated Careers and Employability team.



Health and wellbeing

UQ provides a range of programs and counselling services to help improve your overall physical and mental wellbeing, including:

- Mental Health Champions Network
- UQ Ally Network
- UQ Psychology Clinic
- health clinics
- counselling.



Business School Student Program Committees

Represent your program, while making friends.

Joining your committee offers a unique opportunity to represent fellow students, enhance the student experience and develop skills in teamwork, advocacy and negotiation.



UQ Commerce Student Committee

2024 Executive Applications are now open for the UQ Commerce Student Committee. Our committee has four portfolios, each uniquely contributing to our shared goals. If you're eager to build student engagement and provide a student voice - we want to hear from you!

Apply for the
executive committee



<http://tinyurl.com/uqcscrecruit>

Sign up to become
a member



<http://tinyurl.com/uqcscmember>



Click the below to find us on socials!



Join the **Get Set** mentoring program

Get Set mentoring is a fantastic opportunity for you to be mentored by your fellow BEL students!

Make friends, find out tips and tricks for success while your mentors help you get settled into uni life.

Whether you are in Brisbane or abroad, if you would like a student mentor to help you navigate your first semester at UQ, this mentoring program is for you.

Sign up: bit.ly/3IXBDiT



BEL Buddies

BEL Buddies are here to help you settle in and have a great university experience.

You will meet BEL Buddies at BEL Orientation Festival, where they will help you make friends and share their knowledge with you.

Next semester, you will have the opportunity to volunteer as a BEL Buddy to help give back to the UQ community while gaining experience for your resume and broadening your networks.



Start a business

UQ Ventures have supported over 230 start-up companies who have benefited from \$107 million in investments and grants.

BEL Faculty student Tom Bizzell (pictured right) the 2022 Chief Student Entrepreneur. Co-founder of Wakeshare and winner of multiple global startup awards.



Learn to invest

Get real world investment experience while you study.

Bloomberg Trading Lab

We work with Bloomberg to deliver a replica trading environment at UQ.

Student Managed Investment Fund (SMIF)

SMIF provides students with the opportunity to manage a live equity portfolio.





International student information session

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Semester 1, 2024
Bachelor of Commerce
International Student
Services Officer:
Lorraine Chan

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First Semester Advisers

Helen Lee & Lorraine Chan



Family name beginning with A-L; Helen



Book appointment



Family name beginning with M-Z; Lorraine



Book appointment

Contact us by email international@bel.uq.edu.au
Use your UQ student email to contact us



Business, Economics and Law

Meet your BEL
undergraduate
international
first semester
adviser

We're here
to help you



Understand your program
rules/requirements



Be aware of important dates
affecting enrolment



Plan your program/enrolment



First semester at UQ queries



Credit transfer and study plan



Change program or major

Key Semester Dates

Friday 16 February

Due date for International Students

Enrol in at least one course in SI-net

Friday 1 March

Last date to add or change courses

Due date for tuition fee payment

Sunday 31 March

Last date to drop courses without financial liability

No changes can be made to your enrolment or credit transfer after Census Date





Each course is
normally worth 2 units
(#2)



The standard full-time
study load per semester
is 8 units (4 courses)



Students with no credit
transfer normally require
3 years (6 semesters) to
complete all 48 units

Units and semesters

Standard

- Semester 1 –
commences February
- Semester 2 –
commences July

Optional

- Summer Semester –
commences November

BACHELOR OF COMMERCE – STUDY PLAN
BUSINESS ANALYTICS MAJOR

PROGRAM CODE: 2336

Courses	Units
YEAR ONE	
Semester 1	
It is not 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	
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)**	
ACCT1102 Introduction to Management Accounting	2
ECON1011 Economics for Business	2
FINM1415 Introduction to Finance	2
LAWS1100 Business Law	2
YEAR TWO	
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 Machine Learning for Business	2
BSAN3210 Technology of Business Analytics	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
YEAR THREE	
Semester 1	
BSAN3204 Data Visualisation for Business	2
BSAN3209 Prescriptive Analytics for Business	2
BSAN4204 Business Analytics Project	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Semester 2	
BSAN3212 Deep Learning for Business	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Second Major OR General Elective	2
Total Units	48

Ensure your BCom major/s are listed correctly on mySI-net

** If you are planning on completing an overseas exchange, you may have to amend this plan. Students who would like an exchange experience in their program are encouraged to seek advice from the BEL International Mobility Team (exchange@bel.uq.edu.au) and BEL Student Administration Team (bel@uq.edu.au) early in their program (i.e. commencement of year one, semester 2). Please also familiarise yourself with the Academic Considerations: <https://bel.uq.edu.au/academic-considerations> and be aware of the exchange deadlines: <https://employability.uq.edu.au/global-experiences>.

For those without credit transfer

Follow the 3-year Program Plan if you do not have credit transfer (advanced standing).

<https://bel.uq.edu.au/for-students/program-course-advice>

This program plan will assist you to see in which year and semester of your program you should enrol in particular courses.

For students enrolled in the dual program, refer to the dual program planner.

Course Enrolment Semester 1, 2024 – for all majors

mySI-net Student

mySI-net Enrolments

Enrolment Summary

Program Summary

Plans

Study Load

Aggregated Reports

View Grades

Studies Report

Enrolment Status Report

Academic Standing

Class sign-on has changed.

Access your timetable and preference your classes through My Timetable in [my.UQ](#).

Semester 1, 2024

Bachelor of Commerce

Add Course

Course	Course Title	Units	Campus	Location	Mode	Session	Start	End	Census	Drop Course
ACCT1110	Financial Report Analysis	2	St Lucia	St Lucia	In Person	Regular	19/02/2024	15/06/2024	31/03/2024	Drop Course
BISM1201	Info Sys Transforming Business	2	St Lucia	St Lucia	In Person	Regular	19/02/2024	15/06/2024	31/03/2024	Drop Course
ECON1310	Introductory Stats for SocSc	2	St Lucia	St Lucia	In Person	Regular	19/02/2024	15/06/2024	31/03/2024	Drop Course
MGTS1301	Introduction to Management	2	St Lucia	St Lucia	In Person	Regular	19/02/2024	15/06/2024	31/03/2024	Drop Course

Already received credit transfer?

Important! BEL Faculty Credit Transfer – Semester 1, 2024 – Reply Required

Credit transfer notification will be sent to your UQ email address in March. It is important to respond to this email.

If you have received credit transfer for general elective courses, you will **NOT** be able to complete two majors.

If you are considering a program change (e.g. from Bachelor of Commerce to Bachelor of Economics), contact your first semester adviser this week so that we can assist you in course planning and ensure your first semester enrolment is correct.

international@bel.uq.edu.au



Study Plan Acknowledgement

Welcome to UQ – Study Plan

Next steps

Respond by reply email to let us know you have received this email with your Study Plan. If you do *not* intend to follow the study plan, please state your reasons and we can check and advise on your course enrolment.



Don't
Forget

Program Structure – one major

For single BCom only, dual programs will differ.

Your program of 48 units/24 courses is divided into three types of courses.

8 COURSES (16 units)

CORE

- All courses listed in Year One on the program plan

8 COURSES (16 units)

MAJOR

- Accounting
- Business Information Systems
- Business Analytics
- Finance

8 COURSES (16 units)

GENERAL ELECTIVES

- Selected courses must include at most 24 units at level 1, including core courses.
- Selected courses must include at least 8 units at level 3.

Program Structure – two majors

For single BCom only, dual programs will differ.

Your program of 48 units/24 courses is divided into three types of courses.

8 COURSES (16 units)

CORE

- All courses listed in Year One on the program plan

8 COURSES (16 units)

FIRST MAJOR

- Accounting
- Business Information Systems
- Business Analytics
- Finance

8 COURSES (16 units)

SECOND MAJOR

- No space for general elective courses

Booking Appointments



Ms Helen Lee
Family name
beginning with **A-L**



Ms Lorraine Chan
Family name
beginning with **M-Z**



international@bel.uq.edu.au

Book an appointment time via QR Code
(using the first letter of your family name)

30 min appointments available
online or in person

bel.uq.edu.au/international-undergraduate

Thank you!