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Welcome to the Bachelor of Economics



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CREATE CHANGE

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.



Joining us today:



**Poorvi
Malik**

UQ Women in
Business,
Economics and
Law Society



**Chensi
Li**

Student
Administration
Officer



**Ashen
Herath**

UQ Economics
Society



**Emma
Searle**

UQ Economics
Society



**Helen
Lee**

International
Student Services
Officer

Getting started



Dr Carlos Oyarzun

Bachelor of Economics Program Leader

As the Program Leader of the Bachelor of Economics, I would like to hear your feedback.



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 do you have to do?

We manage scheduled activities and provide course materials on the **course Blackboard**.

It is up to you to **prepare for class**, complete any online modules or reading required material to participate, schedule in 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
- **ask questions**
- gain an understanding of the course content
- 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 Electronic Course Profile (ECP) for details of when and how you will be assessed.

Written

- Essays
- Reports
- Case Studies
- Exams
- Problem sets

Spoken

- Presentations
- Oral examinations (exceptional cases)

Other

- Video reports
- Infographics

Career possibilities



- Economic consultant
- Investment analyst
- Economic governance and development analyst
- Policy analyst

- Energy and resource economist
- Academic
- *What did the Prime Minister of Australia study?*

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.



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/current-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



Get the full
experience



UQ ECONOMICS SOCIETY (UQES)

Founded in
1988

1100+
Members

30+
Events

UNIVERSITY OF QUEENSLAND
UQES
ECONOMICS SOCIETY

Our Events



Professional
Networking,
Panels

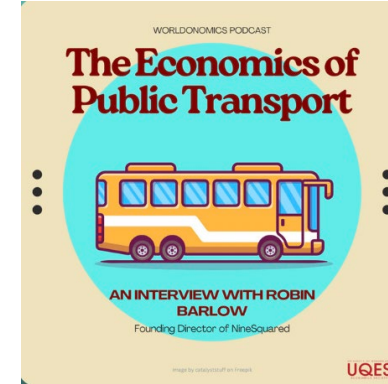
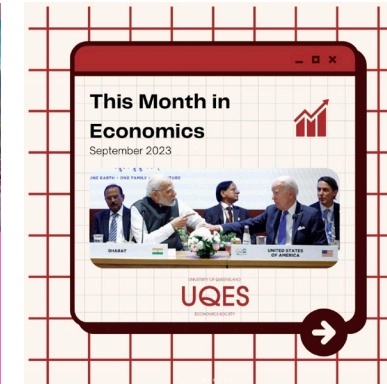


Educational
Case Comps,
Workshops,
Hackathons



Social
Ball, Pub Crawl,
Launch & End of
Sem Parties

Our Publications & Podcast



Our Sponsors

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FLOW  **TRADERS**

EY

MOORE

LEK

Deloitte.
Access Economics

MACQUARIE

frontier
economics

NineSquared

BOEING

+ Many More!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sem 1 Launch Party



February 25th

First Year Mixer



March 14th

Careers & Cocktails



March 15th

Economics Ball



May 25th

Stay connected!

UQ Women in Business, Economics and Law Society



Industry Events



Our Sponsors

1

Espresso Networking

2

Cocktails Night

3

Finance and Economics Internship Panel

4

Interview Skills Workshop



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UQ Women in Business, Economics and Law Society



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UQ WiBELS

Upcoming Events

Social Events

Coffee Mixer



21st Feb
Saint Lucy's at UQ

IWD Picnic



8th March
UQ Art Museum Lawn

Industry Events

Espresso Networking



14th March
Metropole, 180 Ann St

Cocktails Networking Night



Week 8
TBC



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UQ WiBELS

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!



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.**



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.



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
- UQ Sport
- health clinics
- counselling.



Top Tips from UQES

Get on campus

It's how you'll meet the most people and make the best memories!

Ask questions

Always seek help when you need it. No question is a stupid question.

Try new things

Uni is the perfect time to try new things. UQ offers so many activities.



International Undergraduate Students

Semester 1, 2024
Bachelor of Economics
International Student Services Officer:
Helen Lee

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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



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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



Key Semester dates

Friday 1 March

Last date to add or change courses

Due date for tuition fee payment

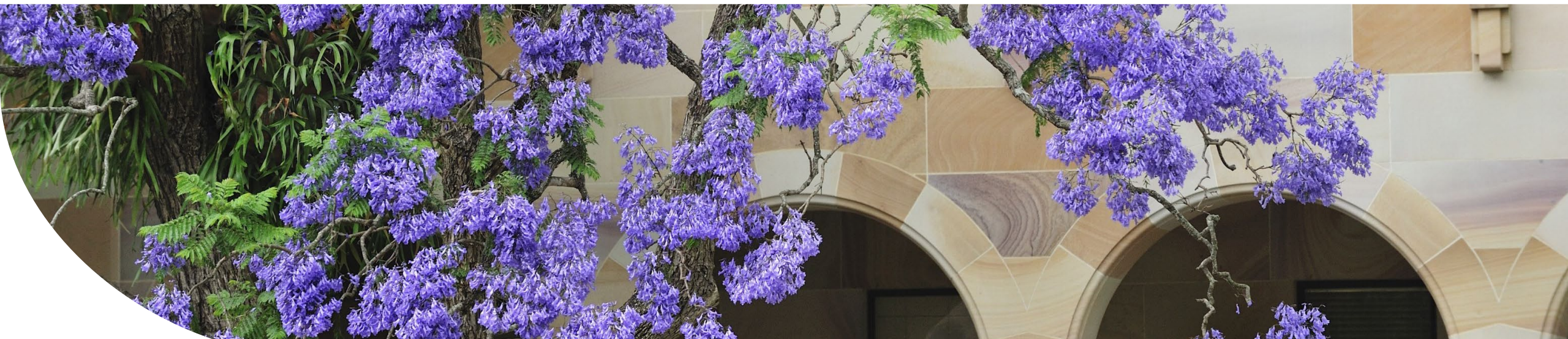


Key Semester dates

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



Mark these dates!

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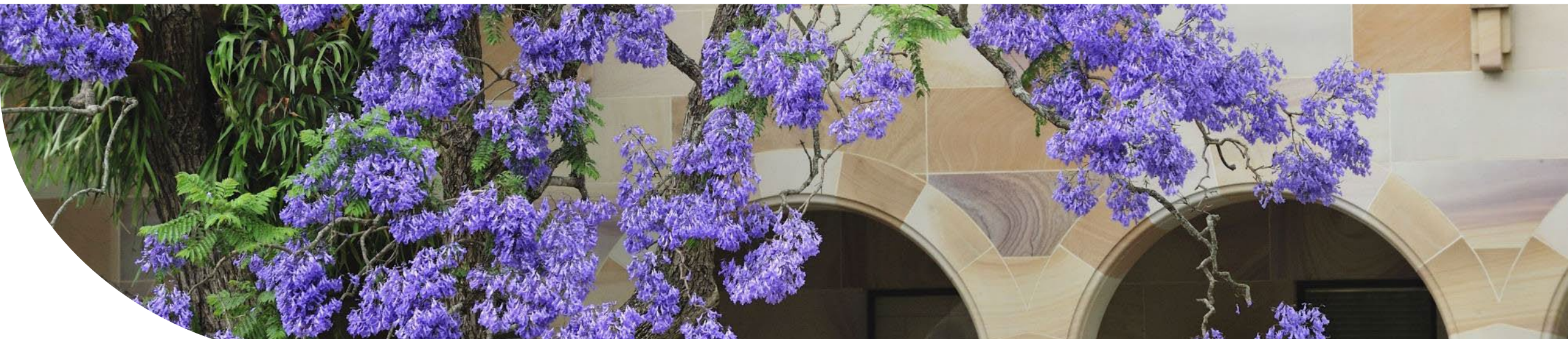
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Each course is
normally worth 2 units
(#2)



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

You can use this outline to plan your program structure if you are commencing in semester 1

Courses		Units
YEAR ONE		
Semester 1 It is not possible to study more than 8 units (4 courses) in your first semester of study.		
ECON1010	Introductory Microeconomics	2
ECON1020	Introductory Macroeconomics	2
ECON1310	Introductory Statistics for Social Sciences	2
ECON1050	Tools of Economic Analysis	2
Semester 2		
ECON2010	Intermediate Microeconomics	2
ECON2020	Intermediate Macroeconomics	2
ECON2101	Cost-Benefit Analysis	2
ECON2300	Introductory Econometrics	2
YEAR TWO		
Semester 1		
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)*		
Course 1 for Major OR BEcon Flexible Core Course		2
Course 2 for Major OR BEcon Flexible Core Course		2
Course 3 for Major OR BEcon Flexible Core Course		2
Course 1 for second Major or General Elective		2
Semester 2		
Course 4 for Major OR BEcon Flexible Core Course		2
Course 5 for Major OR BEcon Flexible Core Course		2
Course 6 for Major OR BEcon Flexible Core Course		2
Course 2 for second Major or General Elective		2
YEAR THREE		
Semester 1 Recommended exchange semester*		
Course 3 for second Major or General Elective		2
Course 4 for second Major or General Elective		2
Course 5 for second Major or General Elective		2
Course 6 for second Major or General Elective		2
Semester 2		
Course 7 for Major OR BEcon Flexible Core Course		2
Course 8 for Major OR BEcon Flexible Core Course		2
Course 7 for second Major or General Elective		2
Course 8 for second Major or General Elective		2
Total Units		48

Ensure your major/s are listed correctly in mySI-net.

*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 two). 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

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 Economics ⓘ

Add Course

Course	Course Title	Units	Campus	Location	Mode	Session	Start	End	Census	Drop Course
ECON1010 ⓘ	Introductory Microeconomics	2	St Lucia	St Lucia	In Person	Regular	19/02/2024	15/06/2024	31/03/2024	Drop Course
ECON1020 ⓘ	Introductory Macroeconomics	2	St Lucia	St Lucia	In Person	Regular	19/02/2024	15/06/2024	31/03/2024	Drop Course
ECON1050 ⓘ	Tools of Economic Analysis	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

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 Economics to Bachelor of Commerce), 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

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

- Economics of Strategy and Behaviour
- Economics and Public Policy
- International and Financial Economics
- Quantitative Analysis

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

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

- Economics of Strategy and Behaviour
- Economics and Public Policy
- International and Financial Economics
- Quantitative Analysis

8 COURSES (16 units)

SECOND MAJOR

- No space for general elective courses

Program Structure – no major

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 - 16 COURSES (16 - 32 units)

FLEXIBLE CORE

- Selected courses must include at least 8 units at level 3.

0 - 8 COURSES (0 - 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.

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!

Thank you for joining!