Bachelor of Commerce
2015 Program Structure
(Mid-year Entry)

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 rules and Course lists under the Program requirements link in the Courses and Programs website:

http://www.uq.edu.au/study/

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 from the BCom List comprising –

- #24 of compulsory courses from Group 1; and either

  (1) Students who wish to complete a major:
      - #12 from one major in Group 2 (at least #6 must be from level 3 courses); and
      - #12 of general elective courses from Group 3 or from almost any other undergraduate program in the University as approved by the Executive Dean. No more than #4 may be from level 1 courses; OR
      - #24 from two majors, each comprising #12 (at least #6 in each major must be from level 3 courses);
  
  OR

  (2) Students who do not wish to complete a major:
      - at least #12 of elective courses from Group 3 (at least #6 must be from level 3 courses); and
      - up to #12 of general elective courses from Group 3 or from almost any other undergraduate program in the University as approved by the Executive Dean. No more than #4 may be from level 1 courses.

At least #24 must be at advanced level. Refer to the BCom rules for further information.
PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

Certified Practicing Accountants Australia (CPA Australia)

Associate Members -
Graduates who have completed the requirements for the award of Bachelor of Commerce including the following courses are eligible for Associate membership:

Accounting & Finance: ACCT1101 Accounting for Decision Making
ACCT2101 Financial Reporting
ACCT2102 Principles of Management Accounting
FINM2401 Financial Management
ACCT3102 External Reporting Issues*
ACCT3103 Accounting for Corporate Structures*
ACCT3104 Management Accounting*

Law**: LAWS1100 Business Law
LAWS3100 Corporations Law*
LAWS3101 Income Tax Law*†

Auditing: ACCT3101 Auditing & Public Practice*†

Information Systems: MGTS1201 Computer-based Information Systems

Economics: ECON1010 Introductory Microeconomics and
ECON1020 Introductory Macroeconomics

Quantitative Methods: ECON1310 Quantitative Economics & Business Analysis A

* 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 [LAWS2111 + LAWS2112], LAWS4112 and LAWS5144.

† These courses are recommended but not required for entry into the CPA. Students who have not completed these courses will be required to undertake them as part of their CPA study.

Certified Practicing Accountant (CPA) Status -
To be eligible for CPA status, applicants must meet all the requirements listed on the CPA website:

Enquiries:
CPA Australia
Level 29, 10 Eagle Street, Brisbane QLD 4000
GPO Box 1161, Brisbane QLD 4001
Tel: 1300 73 73 73
Email: qld@cpaaustralia.com.au
Website: http://www.cpaaustralia.com.au/
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:**
- ACCT1101 Accounting for Decision Making
- ACCT2101 Financial Reporting
- ACCT2102 Principles of Management Accounting
- FINM2401 Financial Management
- ACCT3102 External Reporting Issues
- ACCT3103 Accounting for Corporate Structures
- ACCT3104 Management Accounting

**Law**:
- LAWS1100 Business Law
- LAWS3100 Corporations Law
- LAWS3101 Income Tax Law

**Auditing:**
- ACCT3101 Auditing & Public Practice

**Information Systems:**
- MGTS1201 Computer-based Information Systems

**Economics:**
- ECON1010 Introductory Microeconomics and
- ECON1020 Introductory Macroeconomics

**Quantitative Methods:**
- ECON1310 Quantitative Economics & Business Analysis A

**Students enrolled in the BCom/LLB(Hons) dual program should substitute these courses for [LAWS2111 + LAWS2112], LAWS4112 and LAWS5144.**

**Chartered Accountant (CA) Status**
For information on CA membership requirements, please refer to the following website:

**Enquiries:**
Tel: 1300 137 322 (+61 2 9290 5660 outside of Australia)
Email: service@charteredaccountantsanz.com
Website: http://www.charteredaccountants.com.au/
Student membership with full rights and privileges is open to full-time Commerce and Economic students. Application forms may be obtained from the Institute's Queensland office or downloaded from the FINSIA Website at [http://www.finsia.edu.au](http://www.finsia.edu.au).

Graduates will need to have included the following courses in their program:

- MKTG1501 Introduction to Marketing
- MGTS1301 Introduction to Management
- FINM2401 Financial Management

Plus 3 of:

- FINM3401 Corporate Finance
- FINM3404 Banking & Lending Decisions
- ECON3210 Financial Markets & Institutions
- FINM3402 Investments & Portfolio Management
- FINM3405 Derivatives & Risk Management

For further information on FINSIA membership requirements, please refer to the FINSIA website: [https://www.finsia.com/membership/compare-memberships](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
Website: [http://www.finsia.com/](http://www.finsia.com/) (A full list of FINSIA services is available at this Website.)
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It is not possible to study more than #8 in the first semester of study.

* Students who are intending to transfer from the BCom to BCom/LLB(Hons) should note that LAWS1100 is not transferable for credit towards the BCom/LLB(Hons) dual degree.

** Please check the UQ Abroad website (http://www.uq.edu.au/uqabroad/index.html) for application deadlines for your chosen institution, as some exchange Universities have different deadlines.

You may use your general electives to complete a second major from group 2 of the BCom course list. Plan your courses carefully for the duration of your program (being mindful that the offerings may change each semester/year, so future checks are required) by referring to the Courses and Programs website (www.uq.edu.au/study).

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