

PROGRAM PLAN


BACHELOR OF SOCIAL SCIENCE


PROGRAM OPTION:
Full-Time

START DATE:
2013 – 2021 Semester 2

LOCATION:
Callaghan & Central Coast

This Program Plan is an enrolment guide to ensure you are on track to graduate. If at any time you wish to vary from this program plan seek advice from your Academic Program Advisor to ensure you remain on track.

 [PROGRAM HANDBOOK](#)

 [COURSE HANDBOOK](#)

NAME:

STUDENT NO.:

YEAR 1

SEMESTER 2	MAJOR 1000 level	SOCIAL SCIENCE DIRECTED	ELECTIVE	ELECTIVE
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YEAR 2

SEMESTER 1	SOCA1010 Society and Culture: A Sociological Introduction CORE	MAJOR 1000 level	SOCIAL SCIENCE DIRECTED	ELECTIVE
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SEMESTER 2	SOCS1100 Professional Practice and Key Debates in Social Sciences CORE	SOCS2300 Ethical Debates in the Social Sciences CORE	MAJOR 2000 level	SOCIAL SCIENCE DIRECTED
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YEAR 3

SEMESTER 1	SOCS2100 Organisational Management and Social Behaviour CORE	SOCS2200 Social Analysis: Key Perspectives in the Social Sciences CORE	MAJOR 2000 level	SOCIAL SCIENCE DIRECTED
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SEMESTER 2	SOCS2400 Applied Social Research CORE	SOCS3100 Policy Development, Program Management and Evaluation CORE	MAJOR 3000 level	MAJOR 3000 level
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YEAR 4

SEMESTER 1	SOCS3200 Applied Social Research Project CORE	MAJOR 3000 level	MAJOR 3000 level	ELECTIVE
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Important Information for students who commenced the program prior to 2021:

The following majors have changes to courses and major requirements. Please refer to the [transition arrangements](#) in the Program Handbook.

- Human Geography and the Environment
- Leisure and Tourism
- Politics and International Relations
- Sociology and Anthropology

In addition, the **Directed** courses list for most majors have been amended. Courses completed prior to 2021 will count towards the Directed course requirements for the major.

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To be eligible to graduate make sure you have completed 240 units (10 units = 1 course unless otherwise specified) which meet the following criteria:

- ✓ Core courses - 80 units.
- ✓ Major Courses - 80 units (including compulsory courses).
- ✓ Social Science Directed Courses - 40 units of courses. Any course listed in the Bachelor of Social Science [Program Handbook](#) (excluding Core courses) will count as a Social Science Directed Course
- ✓ Elective Courses- 40 units. Visit the [Course Handbook](#) to see a list of available Electives.
- ✓ Some Major courses are only available at the Callaghan or Newcastle Precinct campuses. Ourimbah students will need to travel to Callaghan or Newcastle if they wish to complete these Majors.
- ✓ Students must complete a minimum of 40 units at all levels (1000, 2000 and 3000), and can complete a maximum of 100 units at 1000 level.
- ✓ Students who perform well during the Bachelor of Social Science program with a credit average (GPA of 5.0) or greater, may apply for a further year of full time (or equivalent part time) study to obtain an Honours degree.
- ✓ The duration of this program is 3 years full time study (40 units per semester) or part time equivalent.
- ✓ The maximum time to complete this program is 8 years.



Some courses have assumed knowledge and/or requisites, please refer to the individual [Course Handbook](#). Please refer to the [Program Handbook](#) for specific information on program structure. If you are intending varying from this program plan please seek advice from your [Academic Program Advisor](#).

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CRIMINOLOGY MAJOR

COMPULSORY COURSES

Complete the following compulsory courses:

CRIM1010: Introduction to Criminology
CRIM2030: Criminology in the Legal Context
CRIM3010: Crime, Power and the State (20 units)

DIRECTED COURSES

Choose 40 units from Directed Courses with a maximum of 20 units at 1000 level and a minimum of 40 units at 3000 level

GLOBAL INDIGENOUS STUDIES MAJOR

COMPULSORY COURSES

Complete the following compulsory courses:

ABOR1110: Introduction to Aboriginal Studies
ABOR2244: Reconciling Australia's Colonial Past and Present
ABOR3251: Intl Indigenous Comparative Studies
ABOR3380: Human Rights and World's Indigenous Communities

DIRECTED COURSES

Choose 40 units from Directed Courses with a maximum of 20 units at 1000 level and a minimum of 40 units at 3000 level

HISTORY MAJOR

DIRECTED COURSES

Choose 80 units from Directed Courses with a minimum of 10 units at 1000 level and a minimum of 40 units at 3000 level

**** Available at the Central Coast campus**

HRM AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS MAJOR **

COMPULSORY COURSES

Complete the following compulsory courses:

IRHR1002: Dynamics of People and Work in Organisations
IRHR2010: Introduction to Industrial Relations
IRHR2270: Introduction to Human Resource Management
IRHR3000: Applied Human Resource Management and Employment Relations

DIRECTED COURSES

Choose 40 units from Directed Courses with a maximum of 20 units at 1000 level and a minimum of 40 units at 3000 level

HUMAN GEOGRAPHY AND THE ENVIRONMENT MAJOR

COMPULSORY COURSES

Complete the following compulsory courses:

GEOG1020: Introduction to Human Geography
GEOG2080: Cities and Regions
GEOG3090: Society and Space
ENVS3006: Surviving the Anthropocene: Sustainability in the 21st Century

DIRECTED COURSES

Choose 40 units from Directed Courses with a maximum of 20 units at 1000 level and a minimum of 40 units at 3000 level

HUMAN SERVICES MAJOR **

COMPULSORY COURSES

Complete the following compulsory courses:

HUSE1001: Introduction to Human Services
HUSE2001: Shaping Human Services: Social Policy and the Political Process
HUSE3001: Casework and Case Management in Human Services
HUSE3002: Human Service Practice Engagement Placement

DIRECTED COURSES

Choose 40 units from Directed Courses with a maximum of 20 units at 1000 level and a minimum of 40 units at 3000 level

TOURISM AND EVENT MANAGEMENT MAJOR (previously Leisure and Tourism Management Major)

COMPULSORY COURSES

Complete the following compulsory courses:

LEIS1000: Leisure Behaviour and Organisation
TOUR2003: Global Tourism Management
TOUR3003: Destination Management and Marketing
LEIS3003: Event Strategy and Leadership

DIRECTED COURSES

Choose 40 units from Directed Courses with a maximum of 20 units at 1000 level and a minimum of 40 units at 3000 level

LINGUISTICS MAJOR

COMPULSORY COURSES

Complete the following compulsory courses:

LING1111: Introduction to Linguistics 1
LING2001: Languages of Australia and the Pacific
LING3310: Language and Meaning

DIRECTED COURSES

Choose 50 units from Directed Courses with a maximum of 20 units at 1000 level and a minimum of 40 units at 3000 level

POLITICS AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS MAJOR

COMPULSORY COURSES

Complete the following compulsory courses:

POLI1010: Australian Politics and Government
POLI1020: Introduction to Politics
POLI2203: International Political Economy and Global Development
POLI3180: Politics, Policy and Government

DIRECTED COURSES

Choose 40 units from Directed Courses with a maximum of 20 units at 1000 level and a minimum of 40 units at 3000 level

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PSYCHOLOGY STUDIES MAJOR **

COMPULSORY COURSES

Complete the following compulsory courses:

PSYC1010: Psychology Introduction 1
PSYC1020: Psychology Introduction 2
PSYC2500: Introduction to Abnormal Behaviour
PSYC3500: Advanced Health Psychology
PSYC3700: Advanced Developmental Psychology and Developmental Psychopathology

DIRECTED COURSES

Choose 30 units from Directed Courses with a maximum of 20 units at 1000 level and a minimum of 40 units at 3000 level

SOCIOLOGY AND ANTHROPOLOGY MAJOR

COMPULSORY COURSES

Complete the following compulsory courses:

SOCA1020: What is Anthropology?
SOCA2400: Future Societies: Beyond Capitalist Globalization
SOCA3780: Social Lab

DIRECTED COURSES

Choose 50 units from Directed Courses with a maximum of 20 units at 1000 level and a minimum of 40 units at 3000 level

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