

# Elective Pathways

## HUMANITIES

These pathways have been created to provide guidance for **Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)** and **Bachelor of Surveying (Honours)** students wishing to specialise in a study area with their elective courses. **Please note** that these pathways are suggestions only and will not be noted formally on the final degree certificate.

Students are welcome to enrol in any elective provided that they satisfy the pre-requisites. For a full list of UON courses, [visit the course handbook](#).

### Aboriginal Studies

This pathway equips graduates with a knowledge base in the unique lifestyle practices, history, culture and identity of Aboriginal people in order to inform vocational / career paths. Equips graduates in skills in native title and cultural heritage matters to enable them to work with development companies and related organisations.

#### *Suggested courses:*

- [ABOR1110](#) Introduction to Aboriginal Studies
- [ABOR2244](#) Reconciling Australia's Colonial Past and Present
- [ABOR2243](#) Indigenous People, Global Warming and the Environment

[ABOR1370](#) Working with Aboriginal Communities

OR

[ABOR1390](#) Australian Aborigines and Human Rights

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#### *Pre-requisites/Assumed knowledge:*

- *Prior to enrolment, students should ensure that they meet course requirements in relation to pre-requisites and assumed knowledge by referring to the [course handbook](#).*

## Ancient History and Classical Language

This pathway equips graduates with a knowledge base in the unique lifestyle practices, history, culture and identity of Ancient History and Classical Language in order to inform vocational / career paths.

*Suggested courses:*

<a href="#">AHIS1000</a>	Ancient Greece
<a href="#">AHIS1040</a>	War in the Ancient World
<a href="#">AHIS2051</a>	Athens and Empire
<a href="#">AHIS2000</a>	The Augustan Age: Politics, Society and Literature

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## English and Writing

This pathway enables students to develop and gain confidence in skills in communication, especially written communication, which are highly valued by employers. It also engages students in critical understanding of human beings, what they want as individuals and how they interact socially within and between cultures, through engagement with a wide range of literary works and issues.

*Suggested courses:*

<a href="#">ENGL1000</a>	Reading English Literature	<a href="#">ENGL2005</a>	The Victorian Novel: Mind and Monstrosity in the Long Nineteenth Century
<a href="#">ENGL1040</a>	Australian Popular Culture	<a href="#">ENGL2006</a>	Modernism
<a href="#">ENGL1090</a>	Critical Reading and Writing	<a href="#">ENGL2011</a>	Children's Literature
<a href="#">ENGL1101</a>	Classics of World Literature	<a href="#">ENGL2101</a>	Creative Writing: The Art of Short Fiction
<a href="#">ENGL1201</a>	Creative Writing: Introduction	<a href="#">ENGL2102</a>	Creative Writing: Creative Non-fiction
<a href="#">ENGL1650</a>	Stories in Context: Fiction, Drama, Film		
<a href="#">ENGL2000</a>	Key Concepts of Literary Studies		
<a href="#">ENGL2004</a>	Romantic Literature		

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## History

This pathway equips graduates with knowledge of influential historical figures in the history of thought, skills in critical thinking and analysis, ethical awareness, as well as an understanding of the historical aspects in regard to engineering practice.

### *Suggested courses:*

<a href="#">HIST1001</a>	Europe and the World
<a href="#">HIST2002</a>	Fact or Fiction? Reading the Past
<a href="#">HIST1002</a>	The United States from Civil War to Superpower
<a href="#">HIST1051</a>	The Australian Experience
<a href="#">HIST2031</a>	History, War, and Film
<a href="#">HIST2210</a>	Australian Foreign Relations: Australia and Asia
<a href="#">HIST2650</a>	War and Australian Society
<a href="#">HIST2672</a>	Israel and Middle East: Roots of the Current Conflict

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## Humanities

Courses in this pathway offer a general introduction to the Humanities and provides humanities-based skills that can be applied in professional contexts.

### *Suggested courses:*

HASS1000	BA Futures
HASS2000	BA Practice
HUMA2000	Humanities Placement: Local and Global Careers
HUMA2500	Digital Humanities

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## Language (LOTE)

Competency in a second language enables graduates to situate themselves on the international stage at an industry and business level, providing them with a competitive career edge. Increasingly, multinational companies value language skills for the cultural aspects of the discipline as well as the communication advantages.

*Chinese - Students who are already competent or native speakers of this language are encouraged to take 2000 level courses*

<a href="#">CHIN1110</a>	Beginner's Chinese I	<a href="#">CHIN2301</a>	Intermediate Chinese I
<a href="#">CHIN1120</a>	Beginner's Chinese II	<a href="#">CHIN2302</a>	Intermediate Chinese II
		<a href="#">CHIN2500</a>	Practical Business Chinese
		<a href="#">CHIN2600</a>	Chinese-English Translation

*English as a Second Language -*

<a href="#">ESLA1901</a>	Academic Language Skills for International Students
<a href="#">ESLA2000</a>	Academic English for International Students

*French - Students who are already competent or native speakers of this language are encouraged to take 2000 or 3000 level courses*

<a href="#">FREN1100</a>	Elementary French 1	<a href="#">FREN2620</a>	French at Intermediate Level II
<a href="#">FREN1200</a>	Elementary French 2	<a href="#">FREN3610</a>	French at Advanced Level I (20 units)
<a href="#">FREN2610</a>	French at Intermediate Level I	<a href="#">FREN3620</a>	French at Advanced Level II (20 units)

*German - Students who are already competent or native speakers of this language are encouraged to take 2000 or 3000 level courses*

<a href="#">GRMN1501</a>	German Language 1A Elementary	<a href="#">GRMN3501</a>	German Language 3A Professional
<a href="#">GRMN1502</a>	German Language 1B Elementary	<a href="#">GRMN3502</a>	German Language 3B Advanced
<a href="#">GRMN2501</a>	German Language 2A Intermediate	<a href="#">GRMN3503</a>	German Language 3C Advanced
<a href="#">GRMN2502</a>	German Language 2B Intermediate	<a href="#">GRMN3504</a>	German Language 3D

*Japanese*

<a href="#">JAPN1110</a>	Elementary Japanese 1	<a href="#">JAPN2112</a>	Intermediate Japanese 2
<a href="#">JAPN1120</a>	Elementary Japanese 2	<a href="#">JAPN3101</a>	Advanced Integrated Japanese I
<a href="#">JAPN2111</a>	Intermediate Japanese 1	<a href="#">JAPN3102</a>	Advanced Integrated Japanese II

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