**Bachelor of Economics (Advanced) (BEc(Adv))**

**Program Code**

BECA

**Program Minimum Units**

72

**Standard Duration**

3 Years

**Program Faculty**

Faculty of Professions

**AQF Level**

07

**Academic Year**

2018

**Special Notes**

The Social Sciences Major will not be available to commencing students in 2018.

These Program Rules should be read in conjunction with the University's policies (http://www.adelaide.edu.au/policies).

**Overview**

The Bachelor of Economics (Advanced) is a specialised degree aimed at high-achieving students designed to develop advanced research skills that will prepare them for higher degree studies and leadership. Students who successfully complete the Bachelor of Economics (Advanced) will gain automatic entry into the Bachelor of Economics (Honours). Students may also choose an additional major in Finance, Politics and International Studies, or Social Sciences. These majors give students the opportunity to develop strong skills in distinct but complementary disciplines.

The study pathway is more structured than the Bachelor of Economics; however, there are at least eight elective courses within the program. For these, students can choose from a wide range of options from Economics and many other disciplines within the University.

Students enrolled in this program must maintain a GPA of 5.0 or will be required to transfer to the Bachelor of Economics.

The Bachelor of Economics (Advanced) is a Level 7 AQF qualification with a standard full-time duration of 3 years.

**Academic Program Rules for Bachelor of Economics (Advanced) (BEc(Adv))**

There shall be a Bachelor of Economics (Advanced) (BEc(Adv)).

**Qualification Requirements**

**Academic Program**
To qualify for the degree of Bachelor of Economics (Advanced), the student must complete satisfactorily a program of study consisting of the following requirements with a combined total of not less than 72 units, comprising:

1. Core courses to the value of 12 units at Level I, 15 units at Level II and 9 units at Level III
2. Capstone courses to the value of 3 units at Level III
3. Elective courses to the value of 24 units, with Level I courses up to 12 units, Level II course up to 9 units and Level III courses up to 12 units
4. Level III courses to the value of at least 24 units
5. Broadening electives to the value of 9 units
6. In addition to the core studies for the Bachelor of Economics (Advanced) a second major may be taken from the following: Finance, Social Sciences or Politics and International Studies, with broadening electives not required.

Core Courses

To satisfy the requirements for Core Courses students must complete courses to the value of 39 units.

Depending on performance in a maths diagnostic test, students may also be required to undertake ECON 1005 Introductory Mathematical Economics (Basic) I (or equivalent). Students choosing an additional major in Finance replace ECON 1010 Introductory Mathematical Economics (Advanced) I with two maths courses as described below.

**Level I**

All of the following courses must be completed:

- ECON 1010 *Introduction to Mathematical Economic (Advanced) I* (3 units)
- ECON 1011 *Advanced Economic Analysis I* (3 units)
- ECON 1012 *Principles of Economics I* (3 units)

and

Courses to the value of at least 3 units from the following:

- ECON 1002 *Australia in the Global Economy I* (3 units)
- ECON 1005 *Introduction to Mathematical Economics (Basic) I* (3 units)
- ECON 1009 *International Financial Institutions & Markets I* (3 units)

**Level II**

All of the following courses must be completed:

- ECON 2506 *Intermediate Microeconomics II* (3 units)
- ECON 2507 *Intermediate Macroeconomics II* (3 units)
- ECON 2504 *Intermediate Econometrics II* (3 units)
- ECON 2512 *Advanced Economic Analysis II* (3 units)
- ECON 2513 *Global Economic History II* (3 units)

**Level III**

All of the following courses must be completed:

- ECON 3519 *Advanced Mathematical Economics III* (3 units)
- ECON 3502 *Econometrics III* (3 units)

and

All of the following courses must be completed:

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ECON 3523  Advanced Economic Analysis III (3 units)

and

Courses to the value of 3 units from the following:
ECON 3500  Resource and Environmental Economics III (3 units)
ECON 3501  Development Economics III (3 units)
ECON 3503  Game Theory III (3 units)
ECON 3506  International Trade III (3 units)
ECON 3508  Public Economics III (3 units)
ECON 3510  International Finance III (3 units)
ECON 3511  Money, Banking and Financial Markets III (3 units)
ECON 3516  Industrial Organisation III (3 units)

Finance Major

To satisfy the requirements for Finance Major students must complete courses to the value of 36 units.

Students in this major do not take the 3 unit core course ECON 1010.

All of the following courses must be completed:
ACCTING 1002  Introductory Accounting I (3 units)
CORPFIN 1002  Business Finance I (3 units)
ECON 1009  International Financial Institutions & Markets I (3 units)
CORPFIN 2501  Financial Institutions Management II (3 units)
CORPFIN 2502  Business Valuation II (3 units)
ECON 2508  Financial Economics II (3 units)
CORPFIN 3501  Portfolio Theory & Management III (3 units)

and

All of the following courses must be completed:
MATHS 1009  Introduction to Financial Mathematics I (3 units)
MATHS 1010  Applications of Quantitative Methods in Finance I (3 units)

or

All of the following courses must be completed:
MATHS 1011  Mathematics IA (3 units)
MATHS 1012  Mathematics IB (3 units)

and

Courses to the value of 6 units from the following:
CORPFIN 3500  Corporate Finance Theory III (3 units)
CORPFIN 3503  Corporate Investment & Strategy III (3 units)
CORPFIN 3504  Treasury and Financial Risk Management III (3 units)
STATS 3005  Time Series III (3 units)

and

Courses to the value of 3 units from the following:
CORPFIN 3502  Options, Futures & Risk Management III (3 units)
MATHS 3012  Financial Modelling: Tools & Techniques III (3 units)

Social Sciences Major

To satisfy the requirements for Social Sciences Major students must complete courses to the value of
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33 units.

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Level I

All of the following courses must be completed:
GEOG 1101 Geographies of Globalisation (3 units)
POLIS 1105 Introduction to Politics (3 units)
GEND 1107 Gender, Work and Society (3 units)

and

Courses to the value of 3 units from the following:
ANTH 1104 Foundations of Social Anthropology: People and Culture (3 units)
ANTH 1105 Introduction to Social Anthropology: Identity and Difference (3 units)
ASIA 1103 Asia and the World (3 units)
DEV 1001 Introduction to International Development (3 units)
GEND 1106 Introduction to Gender Studies (3 units)
GEOG 1102 Footprints on a Fragile Planet (3 units)
GEOG 1103 Economy, Environment and Place (3 units)
GEOG 1104 Intro to Geography, Environment & Population (3 units)
HIST 1107 Indigenous Culture & History (3 units)
HIST 1108 Empires in World History (3 units)
HIST 1109 Revolutions that Changed the World (3 units)
PHIL 1101 Argument and Critical Thinking (3 units)
PHIL 1102 Mind and World (3 units)
PHIL 1103 Morality, Society and the Individual (3 units)
PHIL 1110 Introduction to Logic (3 units)
POLIS 1102 Introduction to International Relations (3 units)
POLIS 1104 Introduction to Comparative Politics (3 units)

Level II

All of the following courses must be completed:
SOCI 2010 Politics, Policy & Citizenship (3 units)
SOCI 2012 Social Research (3 units)

and

Courses to the value of 3 units from the following:
DEV 2101 Community, Gender and Critical Development (3 units)
GEND 2016 Encountering Human Rights: Global Citizenship II (3 units)
GEND 2017 Gender, Bodies and Health II (3 units)
GEND 2019 Gender and Race in a Postcolonial World II (3 units)
GEOG 2129 Introductory Geographic Information Systems (GIS) (3 units)
SOCI 2011 Consumption, Work and the Self II (3 units)
SOCI 2013 Public Scandals and Moral Panics II (3 units)
SOCI 2014 Life on Screen: Social Issues Through Film (3 units)

Level III

All of the following courses must be completed:
SOCI 3012 Taking it to the Streets: Applied Social Sciences (6 units)

and

Courses to the value of 6 units from the following:
ARTS 3100 may be studied if, upon negotiation with the Course Coordinator, a relevant placement can be arranged.

ARTS 3100 Community Engagement Learning Project (3 units)
GEND 3019 Gender and Race in a Postcolonial World III (3 units)
SOCI 3008 Media and Social Change (3 units)
SOCI 3010 Social Research Advanced: Real World Practice (6 units)
SOCI 3011 Public Scandals and Moral Panics III (3 units)

**Politics and International Studies Major**

To satisfy the requirements for Politics and International Studies Major students must complete courses to the value of 24 units.

**Level I**

Courses to the value of 6 units from the following:
POLIS 1102 Introduction to International Relations (3 units)
POLIS 1105 Introduction to Politics (3 units)

**Level II**

Courses to the value of 6 units from the following:
POLIS 2001 The Politics of Crime and Justice (3 units)
POLIS 2010 Non State Actors and Transnational Politics (3 units)
POLIS 2011 Europe Today: Politics, Identity and Conflict (3 units)
POLIS 2094 Parties, Elections, Media (3 units)
POLIS 2096 The Politics of Human Rights (3 units)
POLIS 2099 China in Global Politics (3 units)
POLIS 2100 Intelligence and Security after the Cold War (3 units)
POLIS 2102 Politics of Gender & Sexuality (3 units)
POLIS 2105 Issues in Australian Politics (3 units)
POLIS 2106 Justice, Virtue and the Good (3 units)
POLIS 2107 Passions and Interests: The History of Greed (3 units)
POLIS 2109 The Ethics of War and Peace (3 units)
POLIS 2113 Chinese Economy, Politics and Business (3 units)
POLIS 2115 Politics, Ideology & Discourse (3 units)
POLIS 2122 Global Environmental Politics (3 units)
POLIS 2125 Citizenship and Globalisation (3 units)
POLIS 2129 Indo-Pacific Foreign Policy (3 units)
POLIS 2130 International Political Economy (3 units)
POLIS 2131 South Asia: Conflict, Politics and Economic Change (3 units)
POLIS 2137 International Study Tour: Politics II (3 units)

**Level III**

All of the following courses must be completed:
POLIS 3106 Politics and International Relations Capstone (6 units)

and

Courses to the value of 6 units from the following:
POLIS 3101 Strategic Culture and International Security (3 units)
POLIS 3102 Dilemmas of the Modern State (3 units)
POLIS 3103 Democracy & Political Change (3 units)
POLIS 3104 Transforming Global Governance (3 units)
POLIS 3105 International Study Tour: Politics III (3 units)

**Elective Courses**
To satisfy the requirements for Elective Courses students must complete courses to the value of 24 units.

**Level I**

Students must complete Level I courses up to the value of 12 units.
- ECON 1002 *Australia in the Global Economy I* (3 units)
- ECON 1005 *Introduction to Mathematical Economics (Basic) I* (3 units)
- ECON 1009 *International Financial Institutions & Markets I* (3 units)

_or_

Courses to the value of up to 12 units may be taken from the following:

Level I Electives chosen from any other undergraduate courses offered by the University that are available to the student.

**Level II**

Students must complete Level II courses up to the value of 9 units.
- ECON 2500 *International Trade & Investment Policy II* (3 units)
- ECON 2502 *East Asian Economies II* (3 units)
- ECON 2508 *Financial Economics II* (3 units)
- ECON 2511 *Behavioural Economics II* (3 units)

_or_

Courses to the value of up to 9 units may be taken from the following:

Level II Electives chosen from any other undergraduate courses offered by the University that are available to the student.

**Level III**

Students must complete Level III courses up to the value of 12 units.
- ECON 3500 *Resource and Environmental Economics III* (3 units)
- ECON 3501 *Development Economics III* (3 units)
- ECON 3503 *Game Theory III* (3 units)
- ECON 3506 *International Trade III* (3 units)
- ECON 3508 *Public Economics III* (3 units)
- ECON 3510 *International Finance III* (3 units)
- ECON 3511 *Money, Banking and Financial Markets III* (3 units)
- ECON 3516 *Industrial Organisation III* (3 units)
- PROF 3500 *Undergraduate Professions Internship* (3 units)
- PROF 3501 *Undergraduate Professions Internship OS* (3 units)
- PROF 3883 *Graduate Career Readiness* (3 units)

_or_

Courses to the value of up to 12 units may be taken from the following:

Level III Electives chosen from any other undergraduate courses offered by the University that are available to the student.

**Broadening Electives**

To satisfy the requirements for Broadening Electives students must complete courses to the value of 9 units.
Students must choose from outside the following subject areas: ACCTING; CORPFIN; ECON; LAW; STATS.

Broadening Electives can be taken at any Level.

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