

2019 MAJOR – Political Economy and Social Policy

(Qualifying Major for Bachelor of Arts with the degree of Bachelor of Laws)

Political economy and social policy draws upon economics, sociology and politics to explain and understand how policy, society and the economy develop. This unique interdisciplinary approach allows students to more deeply understand the relationships between economic, social and political issues. The major also has an applied focus, allowing students to connect their knowledge to policy making and social research. This provides an ideal introduction to a range of jobs in policy, administration, research, advocacy and the non-government sectors.



The table below is a suggested first session for students beginning in Session 2, 2019. Please make your selection of units after reviewing the requirements of your award in the 2019 Handbook:

www.handbook.mq.edu.au/2019/DegreesDiplomas/Degree/Bachelor+of+Arts+with+the+degree+of+Bachelor+of+Laws

Suggested First Session	
Session 2, 2019	
Unit Code	Unit Name
ABST100	Introducing Indigenous Australia
LAW115	Foundations of Law
SOC182	Economy and Society
Elective	Choose an elective unit

- You must also meet the general requirements for the degree for which you will qualify.
- It may be possible to satisfy the requirements of your degree by taking a different selection of units in your first session from those suggested above.
- Some 200 and 300 level ECON options have prerequisites that are not requirements of this major. If you wish to take these units check the prerequisites early.
- Please note you should enrol in LAW109, LAWS104 and LAWS108 in 2020.
- Consider what units you will want to study in second and third year. Prerequisite requirements for those units must be completed prior to enrolment in the higher-level unit.
- You must complete a Professional and Community Engagement (PACE) unit with a LAWS prefix as part of your degree. Plan ahead by viewing eligible units with a LAWS prefix at www.handbook.mq.edu.au/2019/Units/PACE.
- You can receive specific program advice from the faculty at any stage in your degree by lodging a “Program Advice” enquiry via <http://ask.mq.edu.au>.

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