

# 2019 MAJOR – Economics

(Qualifying Major for Bachelor of Business Administration with the degree of Bachelor of Arts)

Economists understand complicated economic and social processes, intervene to make outcomes better, and set policies that have a major effect on society. The Economics major provides an excellent education in the leading theories, concepts and applications of modern microeconomics and macroeconomics. By focusing on supply and demand networks, and on how choices are made to ensure scarce resources are allocated efficiently, a major in economics provides the skills to critically analyse decision-making by individuals, business, government and global organisations.

Areas covered may include consumer sentiment, debt, economic growth, inflation, Keynesian recessions, market failures, natural monopolies, optimality, rates of interest, scarcity, standards of living, uncertainty, and unemployment.



**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:

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## Suggested First Session

### Session 2, 2019

Unit Code	Unit Name
ACCG100	Accounting in Society
BBA102	Principles of Management
ECON111	Microeconomic Principles
HRM107	Introduction to Human Resources

- 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.
- 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 can study additional PACE units as electives in second and/or third year. Go to [www.pace.mq.edu.au](http://www.pace.mq.edu.au) to find out more about internships and other local and international opportunities.
- 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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