SPORT STUDIES AT UQ

BACHELOR OF ARTS (SPORT STUDIES)

The world of Australian sports is in an age of exhilarating expansion and for those who eat, breathe and sleep sports; this booming industry is perfect for you.

Sport Studies is a major offered within a Bachelor of Arts that provides a broad overview of sport, exercise, and physical activity.

As a sport studies student you will focus to a large extent on developing an understanding of the sport and leisure industries from sociological, historical, economic and psychological perspectives.

You will be introduced to a wide range of courses encompassed by sport studies and explore exciting areas of study including:

- physical activity and health
- psychology in sport
- nutrition and exercise
- Olympic studies

You will also examine the social and economic importance of sport and physical activity in society and the role it plays in population health and society.

WHY STUDY SPORT AT UQ?

- Top Sports Facilities – As a UQ student you will have access to Olympic standard recreational and sporting facilities on campus to support your studies
- Study Options – You may combine a BA (Sport Studies) with another major or dual degree in areas such as: law, education, journalism, science, and business
- Flexibility – A wide choice of areas of study allows you to tailor your degree to suit future career aspirations
- Expert Teachers – Staff have expertise across key areas that inform the study of sport and ensure that you are kept informed of the latest developments
- Pathways – A BA (Sport Studies) can set you on path to a variety of careers directly after graduation or can provide a pathway into other sport-related undergraduate and postgraduate coursework or research programs
- UQ’s Sports History – UQ is heavily involved in sport and the Olympics; our alumni include Olympic medalists, professional sporting greats and sporting innovators
- Research Excellence - UQ has research strengths in the areas of physical activity and health education and promotion.
BA PROGRAM SUMMARY

Duration 3 years full-time (or part-time equivalent available to Australian residents and citizens only)
Location UQ St Lucia
Entry requirements Year 12 or equivalent English
2014 entry score OP 12 / Rank 74.
OP 1-5 guaranteed entry
QTAC code 707001 - Bachelor of Arts
Delivery mode Internal
International availability Yes (CRICOS 001942A)

WHERE CAN THIS TAKE YOU?

A BA (Sport Studies) provides a broad, flexible education and is excellent preparation for a wide range of careers.

Graduates have gone on to hold leadership positions with state and national sporting teams, the media and international sporting organisations.

Graduates may find employment in areas such as:
- Sport administration
- Sports policy
- Sport marketing

BA (Sports Studies) can also be used as a direct pathway into other sports-related undergraduate degrees offered by the School of Human Movement Studies including:
- Bachelor of Exercise and Sport Sciences
- Bachelor of Health, Sport and Physical Education
- Bachelor of Exercise and Nutrition Sciences

Postgraduate study options:
UQ offers an exciting range of sports-related programs at postgraduate coursework and research higher degrees levels in areas including Clinical Exercise Physiology and Sports Coaching.

For more information about what you will study within a Bachelor of Arts (Sport Studies) program, as well as dual degree options available, please visit:
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STUDY PROGRAM FOR A SPORT STUDIES MAJOR

There is a wide variety of courses that can be studied as part of a Sports Studies major.

You may study courses in:
- Biophysical Foundations of Human Movement
- Physical Activity & Health
- Sport & Physical Activity in Society: Historical to Contemporary Perspectives
- Motor Control & Learning
- Biomechanics
- Psychology of Sport and Exercise
- Human Bodies, Culture and Society
- Sociology of Sport
- Youth, Sport & Physical Culture
- Neuromechanical Basis of Human Movement
- Individual Research Project B
- Health Promotion: Perspectives & Practice
- Nutrition & Exercise
- Advanced Sport and Exercise Psychology
- History of Sport & Physical Activity in Australian Society
- The Olympic Movement & Society
- Management & Marketing of Sport & Physical Activity
- Promoting Physical Activity & Health

Indicative plan only.

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