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2 AMENDMENTS

Amendments to these regulations will be made in accordance with the General Regulations.

Version	Date Amended	Amendment Details	Approved by
1	November, 2008	Amendments to program regulations	Dean
2	October, 2009	Amendments to program regulations	Dean
3	June, 2010	Amendments to program regulations	Dean
4	July, 2011	Amendments to program regulations	Dean
5	June, 2012	Amendments to program regulations	Dean
6	May, 2013	Amendments to program regulations	Dean
7	December, 2013	Regulations transferred to new template	Dean
8	November, 2014	'Industrial Relations' changed to 'Employment Relations'. References to Commerce 'Honours' changed to 'not offered'	Associate Dean, Fremantle
9	December, 2014	Corrections applied post UCAC as per memo	Associate Dean, Fremantle
10	February, 2015	Corrections applied post UCAC as per memo	Associate Dean, Fremantle
11	July 2015	Changes to Majors in Economics HRM, Management, Marketing and PR	Associate Dean, Fremantle
12	July 2015	Updates to wording of Science Majors	Assistant Dean, SoAS, Fremantle
13	October 2017	Changes to Major in Accounting (Fremantle) to align with Sydney campus. SRM practicum split into semester courses and adjustment to units of credit for some Health Sciences units.	Associate Dean, Fremantle
14	January 2018	New course codes assigned	PVCA
15	January 2018	Edits as per UCAC memo 5/12/17	Associate Dean, SoB, Fremantle
16	January 2018	Minor edits due to approved changes re. Accounting major	Associate Dean, SoB, Fremantle
17	September 2018	Amendments to Bachelor of Science component of this Award for 2019	Dean
18	December 2018	New program template	Associate Dean, Fremantle Campus
19	December 2020	Sport and Recreation Major removed from the program	Associate Dean, Fremantle Campus

3 PURPOSE

These Program Regulations set out the approved requirements for the Bachelor of Commerce / Bachelor of Science.

4 OVERVIEW

4.1 Campus Availability

The Bachelor of Commerce / Bachelor of Science has been approved for delivery on the Fremantle Campus only.

4.2 Student Availability

The Bachelor of Commerce / Bachelor of Science is available for enrolment to domestic Students and international Students with a student visa.

4.3 Australian Qualifications Framework

The Bachelor of Commerce / Bachelor of Science is accredited by the University as a Level 7 AQF qualification.

4.4 Duration

The Volume of Learning for the Bachelor of Commerce / Bachelor of Science is four (4) years of equivalent full-time study.

An option to complete this Program Part-time is available.

4.5 Maximum Duration

The maximum period of time within which a student is permitted to complete the Bachelor of Commerce / Bachelor of Science Award is detailed in the University's General Regulations.

4.6 Study Mode

The Bachelor of Commerce / Bachelor of Science is offered in Internal Study mode.

4.7 Professional Accreditation

The Bachelor of Commerce (Major: Accounting) is accredited by the accredited by the Institute of Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand, CPA Australia and the Institute of Public Accountants. The Bachelor of Commerce (Major: Human Resource Management) is accredited with the Australian Human Resource Institute.

5 ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

5.1 University Admission Requirements

To be eligible for admission to The University of Notre Dame Australia, all applicants must meet the [University's minimum requirements for admission](#). The requirements for admission are detailed in the University's Policy: *Admissions*.

5.2 Specific Program Requirements for Admission

There are no additional entry requirements or pre-requisites to this Award.

6 PRACTICUM OR INTERNSHIP REQUIREMENTS

6.1 Students are required to complete SCIE3900 Science Internship.

7 PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

7.1 Program Description: Bachelor of Commerce

The Bachelor of Commerce degree is aimed at ambitious undergraduates who want to gain a broad understanding of today's business environment. This program will equip you with the practical experience and analytical skills for a successful business career. A wide variety of majors are available for you to deepen your knowledge in your area of interest.

Program Description: Bachelor of Science

The Bachelor of Science offers a qualification grounded in the scientific pursuit of knowledge and understanding and delivered as a contemporary package that caters for the breadth of emerging careers in our rapidly changing world. A liberal and interdisciplinary approach to science education is coupled with flexible program streams that include the study of archaeological, environmental, biological and human sciences. In this way students can follow their interests while acquiring professionally relevant and transferrable knowledge and skills. At the centre of the program is a focus on the development of fundamental skills in systematic and reproducible investigation, data analysis, critical thinking, problem solving and effective communication. Across the program, theory and practice are integrated through the use of diverse learning settings, from the laboratory and field, to industry contexts. This preparation builds confidence, independence and self-directed learning that broadens opportunities for graduates in the private, government and not-for-profit sectors and opens pathways to postgraduate research.

7.2 Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of the **Bachelor of Commerce** graduates will be able to:

1. Apply the professional skills of their chosen business discipline through the ethical delivery of strategy, advice and services;
2. Reflect on their performance and implement change as necessary;
3. Think critically, reason and use judgment in preparation for their professional practice;
4. Identify relevant evidence based research for use in professional analysis and advice;
5. Identify their own values and beliefs and be empowered to act on these values to advocate for people with whom they are engaged.

Upon successful completion of the **Bachelor of Science** graduates will be able to:

1. Articulate the methods and philosophy of Science and explain why current scientific knowledge is both contestable and testable;
2. Explain the role and relevance of Science in society;
3. Apply broad and coherent theoretical and technical knowledge with depth in one or more disciplines;
4. Synthesise and critically evaluate information from a range of sources;
5. Design scientific investigations, collect and interpret data to draw conclusions showing creativity in problem solving;
6. conduct investigations using practical and theoretical approaches;
7. Communicate results, information and arguments to audiences for a range of purposes and in a variety of modes;
8. Apply current regulatory frameworks and exercise high personal and professional ethical standards
9. Work independently as a reflective, self-directed learner and, where appropriate, in collaboration with others.

7.3 Required Courses

To be eligible for the award of Bachelor of Commerce / Bachelor of Science students must complete a minimum of 800 Units of Credit chosen from the courses listed in the program regulations for the single degrees: Bachelor of Commerce and Bachelor of Science; comprising:

- 75 Units of Credit from three (3) Core Curriculum Courses, as per the program regulations for the Bachelor of Commerce.

For the Bachelor of Commerce:

- 200 Units of Credit from eight (8) Compulsory Business Courses, as listed in the program regulations for the Bachelor of Commerce
- A minimum of 225 Units of Credit from nine (9) Courses required to complete at least one of the Majors listed in the program regulations for the Bachelor of Commerce.

For the Bachelor of Science: for students who commenced prior to 2019:

- 100 Units of Credit from required Science courses. See program regulations for the Bachelor of Science for details
- 200 Units of Credit to form a Science Major as detailed in the program regulation for the Bachelor of Science.

For the Bachelor of Science: for students who commence in or after 2019:

- 125 Units of Credit from required Science Courses as listed in the program regulations for the Bachelor of Science
- 175 Units of Credit from seven (7) Courses to complete a Science Stream as listed in the program regulations for the Bachelor of Science.

7.4 Elective Courses

Students enrolled in the Bachelor of Commerce / Bachelor of Science may be required to complete elective courses.

Major specific elective courses can be selected from the approved list of course offerings listed in the Appendices for each major, as per the program regulations for the Bachelor of Commerce.

General electives can be selected from School of Business courses or courses from other Schools, providing the prerequisite courses have been completed. Electives are not permitted from the Schools of Medicine, Nursing or Physiotherapy.

7.5 Honours

The Bachelor of Science component is offered with Honours. Details are available in the Bachelor of Science (Honours) Program Regulations (Program code 3496) and are to be read in conjunction with the *Policy: The Award of a Degree with Honours*.

The Bachelor of Commerce component is not available with Honours.

7.6 Course substitutions

Course substitutions must be equivalent in study load and academic learning (i.e. 25 Units of Credit) and must be approved by the Dean of the School of Business or the School of Arts and Sciences, as relevant.

7.7 Majors

Requirements for Majors are listed in the program regulations for the Bachelor of Commerce.

For students who commenced this Award prior to 2019, there are Majors available in the Bachelor of Science. See program regulations for the Bachelor of Science for details.

For student who commenced this Award in or after 2019 there are no Majors in the Bachelor of Science.

7.8 Minors

Requirements Minors are listed in the program regulations for the Bachelor of Commerce.

A Minor in the Bachelor of Commerce requires the approval of the Dean of the relevant School of Business.

There are no Minors available in the Bachelor of Science.

8 DEFINITIONS

For the purpose of these Regulations, the following definitions are available in the General Regulations.

- Leave of Absence
- Major
- Units of Credit
- Pre-requisite Course
- Minor
- Elective
- Co-requisite Course
- Specialisation
- General Elective