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PROGRAM REGULATIONS

SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE
BSc

PROGRAM CODE: 3226

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SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

1. These Program Regulations apply to all students who are enrolled in this Award on the Fremantle Campus.
2. The Dean is the responsible Executive of these Program Regulations.
3. The contact officer for this document is the Assistant Dean, School of Arts and Sciences, Fremantle Campus.

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1 INTRODUCTION AND INTERPRETATION

1.1 Introduction

These Program Regulations apply to all students enrolled in the Bachelor of Science Award at The University of Notre Dame Australia.

These Regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's General Regulations and the School of Arts and Sciences Regulations.

1.2 Interpretation

The terms included in these Regulations have the meanings as defined in the University's General Regulations and the School of School of Arts and Sciences Regulations.

1.3 Amendments made to Program Regulations

Unless otherwise specified, when amendments are made to the structure, content or academic requirements of this Award, the amendments will automatically apply in accordance with General Regulation Section 1.7.

1.4 Applicability to Campuses of the University

This Award is available on the Fremantle Campus only.

1.5 The Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF)

The Bachelor of Science Award is a Level 7 AQF qualification.

2 ENTRY CRITERIA

2.1 General Criteria

The standard entry requirements for admission are detailed in the University's General Regulations and the School of Arts and Sciences Regulations.

2.2 Additional Entry Requirements / Pre-Requisites

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

2.3 External Accreditation Requirements

External accreditation requirements are not applicable to this Award.

3 AWARD REQUIREMENTS

3.1 Structure

For the Bachelor of Science Award Structure, refer to Appendix A.

The Bachelor of Science Award normally contains twenty four (24) courses of 25 units of credit each. No more than ten (10) 1000-level courses can be counted in this Award, including all Core Curriculum courses, except where the minimum requirements of a double Major or Major and Minor exceed this and only to the degree that the minimum requirements are met.

3.1.1 Compulsory Courses

- (i) Four (4) compulsory courses:
 - ARTS1000 Academic Writing, Communication and Research
 - Seventy five (75) units of credit worth of Core Curriculum courses as specified in the General Regulations of the University.
- (ii) Plus five (5) compulsory Science courses:
 - SCIE1150 Introduction to Biological Sciences
 - SCIE1200 Introduction to Physical Sciences
 - SCIE2270 Data Analysis & Experimental Design
 - SCIE3350 Directed Science Research
 - SCIE3900 Science Internship

3.1.2 Elective Courses

Students must complete seven (7) Elective courses of twenty five (25) units of credit each:

- at least three (3) of which must be taken from any of those discipline areas approved as first Majors, second Majors or Minors in this Award.
- which may be used to form a second Major or a Minor.

Elective courses are published on the Arts and Sciences webpage.

3.1.3 Majors

- (a) Students are required to complete one eight (8) course Major, comprised of required courses and approved Elective courses. The first Major must be selected from the list below. Required courses or approved Electives for each of the following Majors are published on the School of Arts and Sciences webpage.
- (b) Where the second Major is a Science Major and where that Major has at least one (1) course in common with the first Major, the second Major can be completed in seven (7) courses (one hundred and seventy five (175) units of credit).
- (c) Where there is no course in common between the Science Major chosen and the second Major chosen, the student may need to complete an overload within their Award of twenty five (25) units of credit to complete the two Majors.

First Majors:

- (i) Archaeology
- (ii) Biology
- (iii) Environmental Science
- (iv) Geography
- (v) Human Biology

Second Majors

- (i) Archaeology
- (ii) Behavioural Science
- (iii) Biology
- (iv) Business Studies
- (v) English Literature
- (vi) Environmental Science
- (vii) Film and Screen Production
- (viii) Geography
- (ix) History
- (x) Human Biology
- (xi) Italian Studies
- (xii) Journalism
- (xiii) Marketing and Public Relations
- (xiv) Mathematics

- (xv) Modern Greek Language
- (xvi) Philosophy
- (xvii) Politics and International Relations
- (xviii) Preventive Health
- (xix) Social Justice
- (xx) Theatre Studies
- (xxi) Theology

Required courses or approved Electives for each of these Majors are published on the School of Arts and Sciences webpage.

3.1.4 Minors

A Minor in one of the following disciplines is permitted in this Award. Minors may be chosen from the following list. Required courses or approved Electives for each of the following the Minors are published on the School of Arts and Sciences webpage.

- (i) Archaeology
- (ii) Behavioural Science
- (iii) Biology
- (iv) Business Studies
- (v) English Literature
- (vi) Environmental Science
- (vii) Film and Screen Production
- (viii) Geography
- (ix) History
- (x) Human Biology
- (xi) Italian Studies
- (xii) Journalism
- (xiii) Marketing and Public Relations
- (xiv) Mathematics

- (xv) Modern Greek Language
- (xvi) Philosophy
- (xvii) Politics and International Relations
- (xviii) Preventive Health

- (xix) Social Justice
- (xx) Theatre Studies
- (xxi) Theology

3.1.5 Specialisations

There are no Specialisations permitted in this Award.

3.1.6 Special Interest Courses

A student may credit up to 75 units of credit of general electives in the study of the following courses:

- (i) ARTS3010 Experience the World I
- (ii) ARTS3020 Experience the World II
- (iii) ARTS3030 Experience the World Study Tour
- (iv) ARTS3800 Special Project
- (v) ARTS3810 Special Project
- (vi) SOJS3170 Social Justice, Service Learning and Community Engagement

Contact the School administration for information.

3.2 Special Award Requirements

There are no special award requirements in this Award.

3.3 Practicum or Internship requirements

Students are to complete SCIE3900 Science Internship as part of this Award. A minimum of two hundred and twenty five (225) hours work experience (6 weeks equivalent) is to be completed during the student's third year of studies. Details are available from the Internship Coordinator.

3.4 Approved course substitutions

Unit substitutions, where permitted, must be approved by the Dean. Course substitutions, where permitted, must be approved by the Dean.

3.5 Alternative Pathways

Alternative pathways are not applicable for this Award.

3.6 Volume of Learning

3.6.1 Standard Duration

- (a) The standard duration for the Bachelor of Science Award is three (3) years of equivalent full-time study.
- (b) A student is able to enrol in this Award on a part-time basis.

3.6.2 Accelerated Duration

An accelerated mode is not available for this Award.

3.6.3 Maximum Duration

The maximum period of time within which a student is permitted to complete the Bachelor of Science Award is eight (8) years (including any periods of approved leave of absence) from the date on which they were first enrolled into the program by the University.

3.7 Graduation

Where a student has satisfied all the requirements of this Award as detailed in these Program Regulations and the General Regulations, the University may grant the student graduation status.

3.8 Exit Awards

An Exit Award pathway is not available for this Award.

END OF REGULATIONS

APPENDIX A:

	Units of Credit	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Four (4) Compulsory Courses ARTS1000 Academic Writing, Communication and Research Three (3) Core Curriculum courses CORE1010 Introduction to Philosophy CORE1020 Ethics CORE1030 Introduction to Theology 	25 25 25 25	100
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Five (5) Compulsory Science Courses SCIE1150 Introduction to Biological Sciences SCIE1200 Introduction to Physical Sciences SCIE2270 Data Analysis & Experimental Design SCIE3350 Directed Science Research SCIE3900 Science Internship 	25 25 25 25 25	125
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Science Major Eight 8 courses to form a Science Major 		200
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Electives Seven (7) Electives (OR Eight (8) Electives if there is no course in common between the Science Major and the second Major 200) 		175
	TOTAL	600 (625)