

# Bachelor of Global Studies

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# Welcome

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Welcome to Te Whare Wananga o Tāmaki Makaurau, the University of Auckland. If you seek a world-class education that will stimulate you both intellectually and culturally, then you are in good company. It is our mission to create the next generation of national and global leaders. The University is placed amongst the top 100 universities in the world<sup>1</sup> and is ranked number one in New Zealand for graduate employability<sup>2</sup>.

We are very pleased to introduce the Bachelor of Global Studies for 2018. This programme is the first of its kind in New Zealand, and as the country's largest and most international university, we are well-positioned to host it. Hosted by the Faculty of Arts, the Bachelor of Global Studies is a cross-faculty degree that draws on the combined expertise of the faculties of Arts, Business, Creative Arts and Industries, Education, Engineering, Law and Science. The programme has input and support from government, business and the not-for-profit sector.

The Bachelor of Global Studies will expand your mind and foster your understanding of other cultures and perspectives. You will be exposed to new ways of thinking about the world we live in. You will develop an in-depth knowledge of the issues facing our world and gain competency in another language. Furthermore, you will acquire a range of skills which employers prize, including the ability to think critically, to problem-solve, to work in a team and to do individual research. You are also highly encouraged to spend some time earning credit for your degree overseas.

We hope you cherish your time at the University of Auckland and that you pursue your passions while you are here. The experiences you gain from the Bachelor of Global Studies and your time here will shape you as a global citizen and prepare you for many exciting career opportunities.

Be different, make a difference – go global!



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The University of Auckland

<sup>1</sup>QS World University Rankings 2017.

<sup>2</sup>QS Graduate Employability Rankings 2017.

# Introduction to the Bachelor of Global Studies

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## Bachelor of Global Studies (BGlobalSt)

The Bachelor of Global Studies is a brand new interdisciplinary degree programme offered for the first time in 2018. In our fast-changing, complex world, this degree addresses the growing need for people who understand current global issues and are prepared to tackle them.

The Bachelor of Global Studies is already established at a number of leading international institutions including Monash University in Melbourne and UC Santa Barbara in California. The University of Auckland is the first university in New Zealand to offer such a programme and our campus is perfectly located in the country's largest and most diverse city.

This programme aims to develop leadership skills, critical thinking and cross-cultural understanding. We strongly encourage you to spend time overseas at some point during your degree, through short courses, study abroad programmes or internships. By the end of your study, you will be well-equipped for work in a variety of fields or further postgraduate study.

## Conjoint programmes

Conjoint programmes are a combination of two degrees that you take at the same time. You can study in two completely different fields and finish in less time than it would take to complete them separately. Conjoint degrees are a great way to increase your versatility and breadth of skills.

One thing to keep in mind is conjoint programmes involve a heavier workload and you are expected to maintain an average B- grade or higher.

You can take the Bachelor of Global Studies as part of a conjoint degree with the Bachelor of Arts (BA), Bachelor of Commerce (BCom), Bachelor

of Engineering (Honours) (BE(Hons)), Bachelor of Laws (LLB), Bachelor of Laws (Honours) (LLB(Hons)) or Bachelor of Science (BSc).

## Skills and learning outcomes

A Bachelor of Global Studies will not only give you the skills to understand the big global issues but also how to resolve them creatively. You will learn how to think critically and challenge your own assumptions about how the world operates. You will gain an in-depth understanding of different regional and international perspectives.

You will develop other skills which employers highly value, including:

- Critical thinking and problem-solving
- Collaborative teamwork
- Research
- Public speaking
- Competency in another language and intercultural communication.

## Global Studies careers

A Bachelor of Global Studies prepares you for a range of exciting careers. You might go on to work in politics and government, the environmental sector, international development, foreign affairs, trade or defence.

Global Studies graduates work as foreign correspondents, international trade consultants, human rights advocates and policy analysts. There are many other career possibilities.

As part of the Global Studies programme, you will have many opportunities to develop practical employment skills and 'on-the-job' experience through internships, workshops and research projects.

# Study options

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The Bachelor of Global Studies is organised into three components:

1. You will complete three core (compulsory) courses which explore global issues. This includes a research project at Stage III.
2. You will choose one of the four majors:
  - Global Environment and Sustainable Development
  - Global Politics and Human Rights
  - International Relations and Business
  - Transnational Cultures and Creative Practice
3. You will also study a language and a related region of the world.

## Core courses

You must take the following three courses.

### Stage I

#### **GLOBAL 100 Intercultural Communication (15 points)**

In Semester One of your first year you will take GLOBAL 100 Intercultural Communication. This will be a chance to meet your fellow Global Studies students and gain an introduction to the concept of Global Studies. In particular, this course will focus on the importance of learning another language and working across different cultures.

### Stage II

#### **GLOBAL 200 Global Challenges (15 points)**

In Semester Two of your second year, you will take GLOBAL 200 Global Challenges. By this time, you will have developed your language skills and gained an understanding of your chosen region. The aims of this course are to work in a team in response to a real world challenge and to develop a clear plan for your own research project the following year.

### Stage III

#### **GLOBAL 300 Research Project (15 points)**

Semester One of your third year is a fantastic time to study overseas if you are able to and we strongly encourage you to take advantage of opportunities which come your way. If you aren't able to spend time overseas, you will undertake an experiential learning opportunity in New Zealand in Semester One instead.

In Semester Two, you will complete your GLOBAL 300 Research Project, where you will put your reservoir of global knowledge into action under the supervision of academic staff.

For more information about GLOBAL courses, visit [www.auckland.ac.nz/global-studies](http://www.auckland.ac.nz/global-studies)

## Majors

You will choose one of the following four majors. You will need to choose your major when you apply for the degree.

You must choose courses for your major from those listed below. Each course is worth 15 points. The number of courses you will take for your major depends on whether you are taking the Bachelor of Global Studies as a standalone degree or as part of a conjoint programme. See page 12 for degree requirements.

For more information, including course details, visit [www.auckland.ac.nz/global-studies](http://www.auckland.ac.nz/global-studies)

#### **Global Environment and Sustainable Development**

Explore the links between global environmental change and human wellbeing. You will learn about the connections between environmental and developmental challenges. You will also analyse the cultural practices and the legal and policy structures that shape and respond to those challenges.

## Courses

### Stage I

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EARTHSCI 105, ECON 151, 152, ENVSCI 101, GEOG 102, GLOBAL 101, HISTORY 103, INTBUS 151, POLITICS 106, URBPLAN 101

### Stage II

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GEOG 205, GLOBAL 277-280, MEDIA 231, PACIFIC 204, PHIL 250, POLITICS 205, SOCIOLOGICAL 229, URBPLAN 201

### Stage III

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ANTHRO 350, ENVSCI 303, MEDIA 332, GEOG 320, 324, 325, GLOBAL 377-380, LAWENVIR 420, 430, LAW PUBL 435, 446, 458, POLITICS 313, 355, PHIL 351, SOCIOLOGICAL 307, URBPLAN 301, 306

#### Your major must include:

- 15 points: ENVSCI 101
- 30 points from ECON 151 or 152, GLOBAL 101, HISTORY 103, POLITICS 106

## Global Politics and Human Rights

Develop a strong understanding of global politics, law and human security. You will become familiar with the connected and complex challenges that affect the world right now. Through exposure to law, politics and other subjects, you will be able to assess the goals and strategies adopted by entities on the global stage, including governments and NGOs.

## Courses

### Stage I

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ANTHRO 105, ECON 151, 152, GLOBAL 101, HISTORY 103, INTBUS 151, PHIL 102, 103, POLITICS 106, SOCIOLOGICAL 103

### Stage II

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GLOBAL 277-280, HISTORY 208, PHIL 205, POLITICS 200, 212, 214, 218, 223, 237, 239, 244, 254, 258, SOCIOLOGICAL 210, 224

### Stage III

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ANTHRO 321, 336, GLOBAL 377-380, HISTORY 308, LAW PUBL 402, 436, 443, 446, 451, 455, 458, 461, MĀORI 335, PHIL 310, POLITICS 314, 318, 319, 320, 343, 344, 348, 354, 356, 357

#### Your major must include:

- 15 points: POLITICS 106
- 15 points: PHIL 102 or 103
- At least 15 points from ECON 151 or 152, GLOBAL 101, HISTORY 103

## International Relations and Business

Gain a specialist knowledge of the big issues which affect the world we live in. You will develop a knowledge of international politics, analyse the theory and practice of international economic relations and how these relate to global challenges. You will learn how to respond to these issues within a business or organisational environment.

## Courses

### Stage I

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ECON 151, 152, GLOBAL 101, HISTORY 103, POLITICS 106

### Stage II

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ANTHRO 242, ECON 201, 232, 241, GEOG 202, GLOBAL 277-280, INTBUS 201, 202, POLITICS 256, SOCIOLOGICAL 208

### Stage III

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ECON 341, 343, GEOG 302, 307, 312, GLOBAL 377-380, INTBUS 305, 306, POLITICS 316, 341, 343, 355, LAW PUBL 432, 435, 462, SOCIOLOGICAL 317, 336

#### Your major must include:

- at least 45 points from ECON 151 or 152, GLOBAL 101, HISTORY 103 and POLITICS 106

## Transnational Cultures and Creative Practice

Transnationalism refers to the increasing interconnectedness between people and organisations that transcends the idea of nations.

By choosing this major, you will discover and analyse cultural expressions of what it means to live in a transnational world. You will be able to choose from a range of arts, including architecture, painting, cinema, literature, music and dance, and you will be able to build your own areas of focus within the major.

## Courses

### Stage I

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ANTHRO 100, 101, ARCHHTC 102, ARTHIST 115, ECON 151, 152, ENGLISH 112, GLOBAL 101, HISTORY 103, MĀORI 190, MUS 188, PACIFIC 110, POLITICS 106, URBPLAN 101

### Stage II

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ANTHRO 202, 225, 234, ARCHHTC 235, 236, ARTHIST 233, COMMS 204, COMPLIT 200, 202, 206, 210, DANCE 200, ENGLISH 204, EUROPEAN 200, 207, MEDIA 202, 222, GLOBAL 277-280, LATINAM 201, MĀORI 292, PACIFIC 210, PHIL 212

### Stage III

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ANTHRO 301, 315, 329, ARCHHTC 339, ARTHIST 327, 333, COMPLIT 302, 303, DANCE 302, ENGLISH 346, MEDIA 307, 327, EUROPEAN 300, 307, GLOBAL 377-380, LATINAM 303, 306, MĀORI 393, MUS 388, PACIFIC 308, 310, PHIL 332

### Your major must include:

- at least 30 points from ECON 151 or 152, GLOBAL 101, HISTORY 103 and POLITICS 106

## Language courses

The study of an additional language is an essential component of the Bachelor of Global Studies. You can either choose to study a language that you have not studied before, or if you have prior knowledge of a language, you may be placed in a more advanced class depending on the results of a placement test. In either case you will need to complete 60 points (or four courses) in one language. If you already have advanced language competency, see the Programme Director for options.

By learning another language you will expand your world view and, by removing barriers to

communication, open yourself up to endless new possibilities.

The University of Auckland offers a wide range of languages you can choose from. Most language programmes offer summer study abroad options and semester exchanges. See the relevant language web pages or contact the language convenor for details.

## Academic English

If you speak English as an additional language, you can take courses to improve and develop your academic English. Academic English can help you succeed with University study and in the workplace.

- **Stage I courses:** ACADENG 100, 101, 103, 104, ENGLISH 121
- **Stage II courses:** ACADENG 201, 210, 211

Must include ACADENG 201 and 210 or 211

*Subject to approval by Academic Head or nominee, Academic English is available for international students with English as an additional language who would benefit from English study.*

For more information, including course details, visit [www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/academic-english](http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/academic-english)

## Chinese

As the world's most populous country and the second largest economy, China is a main player on the global stage. With an ancient history, Chinese culture is rich and regionally diverse. Learning Chinese gives you an inside perspective on issues such as international relations (for example the geopolitical implications of China's relationship with North Korea or Japan) and human rights (prominent cases include internationally renowned artist Ai Weiwei and Nobel Peace laureate Liu Xiaobo) and gives you direct access to Chinese culture in all its broad diversity.

- **Stage I courses:** CHINESE 100, 101
- **Stage II courses:** CHINESE 200, 201, 277, 278
- **Stage III courses:** CHINESE 300, 301, 302, 377, 378

Must include CHINESE 201 or equivalent competency

## Cook Islands Māori

The Cook Islands have a close affinity with New Zealand. Cook Islanders are New Zealand citizens and make up 22% of New Zealand's Pacific population. While many New Zealanders may think of the Cook Islands as a tourist destination, learning the language gives you insight to Cook Island culture including performance arts, intricate crafts and a shared history with New Zealand.

- **Stage I course:** COOKIS 101
- **Stage II courses:** COOKIS 201, 204
- **Stage III course:** COOKIS 301, PACIFIC 312

Must include COOKIS 201 or equivalent competency

For more information, including course details, visit [www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/cook-islands-maori](http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/cook-islands-maori)

## French

Spoken by around 220 million people on five continents, French is one of the major languages of diplomacy and international organisations. The vibrantly multicultural realities of modern-day France are an inheritance of a long history of French colonialism, meaning there are many locations where French is spoken and where you can study French – including the Pacific. The French Revolution had a far-reaching effect on the development of modern ideas of citizenship, nation and bureaucracy. France is also a founding and key member of the European Union.

- **Stage I courses:** FRENCH 101, 102
- **Stage II courses:** FRENCH 203, 204, 269, 277, 278
- **Stage III courses:** FRENCH 304, 305, 320, 377, 378

Must include FRENCH 204 or equivalent competency

For more information, including course details, visit [www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/french](http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/french)

## German

German is the native language of more than 90 million people. It is also one of the official working languages of the European Union. Germany is the powerhouse of the European economy and

over the last decade, Germany has taken on a leadership role in the EU's economic and monetary affairs. More recently, Germany has also taken a greater role in foreign and security policy, advocating for a joint European response to the conflict in Ukraine, the Euro crisis in Greece, and the European refugee crisis. Learning German will give you an inside understanding of how Germans navigate local and global concerns.

- **Stage I courses:** GERMAN 101, 102
- **Stage II courses:** GERMAN 200, 201, 277, 278
- **Stage III courses:** GERMAN 301, 302, 305, 306, 377, 378

Must include GERMAN 201 or equivalent competency

For more information, including course details, visit [www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/german](http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/german)

## Italian

Italy's contributions to the cultural and historical heritage of Europe and Western civilisation are immense. It gave us the Roman Empire, the Roman Catholic Church, the Renaissance and it is the birthplace of opera and ballet. It is also a country of strong regional distinctiveness in arts, culture, cuisine and dialect. 60% of UNESCO World Heritage sites are located in Italy. In addition, Italy has had a significant role to play in modern European history and is a founding member of the European Union.

- **Stage I courses:** ITALIAN 106, 107, 177
- **Stage II courses:** ITALIAN 200, 201, 277, 278
- **Stage III courses:** ITALIAN 300, 301, 377, 378, 379

Must include ITALIAN 201 or equivalent competency

For more information, including course details, visit [www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/italian](http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/italian)

## Japanese

Japanese is spoken by around 126 million people worldwide. Japan is one of the world's largest economies and shares significant political, trade and cultural ties with New Zealand. It is a global powerhouse of popular culture, including manga,



anime and gaming, and even has a national policy to promote 'Cool Japan.' Learning Japanese gives you direct access to a culture that traces its origins back to the mythical Emperor Jimmu while at the same time is immersed in modern technology. You can also gain an understanding of Japan's important role in international relations in the East China Sea, the Trans-Pacific Partnership, whaling and rugby.

- **Stage I courses:** JAPANESE 130, 131
- **Stage II courses:** JAPANESE 231, 232, 277, 278
- **Stage III courses:** JAPANESE 331, 332, 377, 378

Must include JAPANESE 232 or equivalent competency

For more information, including course details, visit [www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/japanese](http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/japanese)

## Korean

Korean is spoken by more than 78 million people and the number of Korean learners is growing. South Korea is renowned for its tech industry (think Samsung and LG) and is an increasingly important trading partner with New Zealand. This modern nation was born out of the geopolitical tensions of the Cold War. Learning Korean enables you to understand the complexities of its relationships with the United States and the former colonial power, Japan. At the same time it gives you access to the globally influential Korean cultural wave which includes K-pop music, TV, film and fashion.

- **Stage I courses:** KOREAN 110, 111
- **Stage II courses:** KOREAN 200, 201, 277, 278
- **Stage III courses:** KOREAN 300, 301, 377, 378

Must include KOREAN 201 or equivalent competency

For more information, including course details, visit [www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/korean](http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/korean)

## Māori

A knowledge of te reo Māori will give you a deeper understanding of tangata whenua and a connection to New Zealand's indigenous culture. Māoritanga (Māori culture) is an integral part of life in New Zealand. Speakers are highly-valued in the business world, particularly in the public sector. As

an official language of New Zealand, people have a right to conduct their business with government agencies in te reo Māori.

- **Stage I courses:** MĀORI 101, 103, 104
- **Stage II courses:** MĀORI 201, 203
- **Stage III courses:** MĀORI 301, 302

Must include MĀORI 203 or equivalent competency

For more information, including course details, visit [www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/maori](http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/maori)

## Russian

Russian is one of the most widely-spoken languages in Europe and has 144 million native speakers. It is also one of the official languages of the United Nations and is the second most-used language on the internet, after English. The importance of the former superpower of the Soviet Union from World War II through the Cold War cannot be underestimated. Learning Russian gives you an insight into the way Russians navigate new post-Soviet realities: a leading nuclear power which has lost its superpower status but which now pursues an energetic foreign policy to reclaim its place in world affairs.

- **Stage I courses:** RUSSIAN 100, 101
- **Stage II courses:** RUSSIAN 200, 201, 277, 278

Must include RUSSIAN 201 or equivalent competency

For more information, including course details, visit [www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/russian](http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/russian)

## Samoa

New Zealand and Samoa have a long history dating back to New Zealand's trusteeship of Samoa from 1919 until its independence in 1962. A Treaty of Friendship was signed the same year. More than 144,000 Samoans live in New Zealand and Samoan is our country's third most widely-spoken language. Learning Samoan gives you direct access to a unique socio-political culture based on community. You can also gain an insight into key issues that beset Pacific nations such as climate change, sea-level rise and development challenges.

- **Stage I course:** SAMOAN 101
- **Stage II course:** SAMOAN 201
- **Stage III course:** SAMOAN 301, PACIFIC 312

Must include SAMOAN 201 or equivalent competency

For more information, including course details, visit [www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/samoan](http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/samoan)

## Spanish

Spanish is spoken by more than 500 million people in more than 20 countries and is the second most widely-used language in the world. It is not only the gateway to the diverse cultures of Spain but provides access to the cultural diversity and political complexity of almost all of Latin America. Historically a driver of global exploration, trade and colonisation, modern Spain came late to democracy and EU membership followed in 1986. Since then, Spain has seen huge economic, social and political transformation due to EU investment, which jump-started the development of Spanish regions. Spanish is one of the six official languages of the United Nations. There are many opportunities to study in Spanish-speaking countries.

- **Stage I courses:** SPANISH 104, 105
- **Stage II courses:** SPANISH 200, 201, 277, 278
- **Stage III courses:** SPANISH 319, 321, 341, 342, 377, 378

Must include SPANISH 201 or equivalent competency

For more information, including course details, visit [www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/spanish](http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/spanish)

## Tongan

Tonga is a constitutional monarchy where the king and the nobility play a key role in politics and the economy. Learn Tongan to gain an inside perspective into Tongan economy, society and culture as well as how Tongans navigate their reverence for the monarchy with other issues such as freedom of expression and rights to political participation. Global issues of concern in Tonga include climate change, development and women's rights.

New Zealand and Tonga share strong ties stemming from on our shared Polynesian identity and interest in the Pacific. Tongans make up the third largest group of Pacific people living in New Zealand. Affectionately known as the 'friendly islands', Tonga is known for its monarchy, traditional crafts and love of rugby union.

- **Stage I course:** TONGAN 101
- **Stage II courses:** TONGAN 201
- **Stage III courses:** TONGAN 301, PACIFIC 312

Must include TONGAN 201 or equivalent competency

For more information, including course details, visit [www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/tongan](http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/tongan)

## Area studies

Another key part of the Bachelor of Global Studies programme is the study of the region where your chosen language is spoken.

For the BGlobalSt, you will need to complete 45 points (3 courses) from area studies courses related to the region of your chosen language. For a BGlobalSt conjoint programme, you will need to complete 30 points (2 courses).

For information about courses, visit [www.auckland.ac.nz/global-studies](http://www.auckland.ac.nz/global-studies)

## Asia

- **Stage II courses:** ASIAN 200, 204
- **Stage III courses:** ASIAN 302, 303, 304, ANTHRO 329, ECON 343, GEOG 322

Note: Students who have chosen Asia must select either Chinese, Japanese, or Korean as their language.

## Europe

- **Stage II courses:** EUROPEAN 200, 206, 207, 212, HISTORY 238, POLITICS 220
- **Stage III courses:** ANTHRO 364, EUROPEAN 300, 302, 307, 312, HISTORY 319, 338, LAW PUBL 438, 445, POLITICS 302

Note: Students who have chosen Europe must select either French, German, Italian, Russian, or Spanish as their language.

For more information about General Education and to see the course schedules, visit [www.auckland.ac.nz/generaleducation](http://www.auckland.ac.nz/generaleducation)

## Latin America

- **Stage II courses:** LATINAM 201, 216
- **Stage III courses:** LATINAM 301, 303, 306, 320, 325

Note: Students who have chosen Latin America must select Spanish as their language.

## The Pacific

- **Stage II courses:** ANTHRO 204, 234, PACIFIC 200, 201, 204, 207, 211
- **Stage III courses:** ANTHRO 358, GEOG 312, LAWGENRL 428, PACIFIC 308, 311

Note: Students who have chosen the Pacific must select either Cook Islands Māori, Samoan, or Tongan as their language.

## Māori New Zealand

- **Stage II courses:** ANTHRO 207, ARTHIST 238, HISTORY 227, MĀORI 230
- **Stage III courses:** ARTHIST 338, HISTORY 327, MĀORI 320, 330, 335, 396

Note: Students who have chosen Māori New Zealand must select Māori as their language.

## General Education

As part of your Bachelor of Global Studies, you must complete two General Education courses (or one if you are doing a conjoint degree).

General Education is designed to complement and broaden your education, no matter what you are studying. You will be exposed to new ideas and meet students and academic staff from other parts of the University.

You will need to choose your General Education courses from three General Education schedules: the Open Schedule, the BA General Education schedule and/or the BCom General Education schedule.

# Planning your Bachelor of Global Studies

## Degree requirements

### Bachelor of Global Studies

Your Bachelor of Global Studies degree must be made up of 360 points, or 24 courses (courses are worth 15 points each). These must include:

- 45 points of core courses (GLOBAL 100, 200, 300)
- 150 points (ten courses) for your major, including at least 45 points (three courses) at Stage III
- 60 points (four courses) in one of the languages, including at least 30 points (two courses) above Stage I
- 45 points (three courses) from Area Studies courses, to be aligned with your chosen language and including at least 15 points (one course) at Stage III
- 30 points (two courses) from General Education courses
- At least 195 points (13 courses) must be above Stage I and 75 of these points (five courses) must be at Stage III
- You may include up to 30 points (two courses) from other programmes at the University of Auckland

### Example 1: Bachelor of Global Studies

Below is an example of how the BGlobalSt might be structured.

Stage One course
  Stage Two course
  Stage Three course

	Year One	Year Two	Year Three
Core courses	1	1	1
Courses for the major	4	3	3
Language courses*	2	2	
Area studies courses		2	1
Elective courses			1 1
General Education	1		1

*\*If you start as a beginner.*

## Bachelor of Global Studies conjoint

The Bachelor of Global Studies component of your conjoint programme must be made up of 255 points, or 17 courses worth 15 points each. These must include:

- 45 points of core courses (GLOBAL 100, 200, 300)
- 120 points (eight courses) for your major, including at least 45 points (three courses) at Stage III
- 60 points (four courses) in one of the languages, including at least 30 points (two courses) above Stage I
- 30 points above Stage I from Area Studies, to be aligned with with your chosen language and including at least 15 points (one course) at Stage III
- 165 points, or 11 courses, must be above Stage I and 75 of these points (five courses) must be at Stage III.

As part of your conjoint programme as a whole, you may include 15 points (one course) from any University programme, and will take 15 points (one course) chosen from courses from one of three General Education schedules: the Open Schedule, the BA General Education schedule or the BCom General Education schedule.

### Example 1: Bachelor of Global Studies

Below is an example of how the BGlobalSt might be structured.

Stage One course    
  Stage Two course    
  Stage Three course

	Year One	Year Two	Year Three	Year Four
Core courses	1	1	1	
Courses for the major	2	1 1	1 1	2
Language courses*	1	1	1	1
Area studies courses		2	1	1
General Education	1			

*\*If you start as a beginner.*

### What to expect in your first year of a Bachelor of Global Studies degree

In your first year, you will normally take eight courses: four in Semester One and four in Semester Two. These will be a mix of Stage I core (compulsory) courses that you must take for the degree, courses for your chosen major, courses for your chosen language and General Education.

The Stage I core course, GLOBAL 100, will give you an opportunity to meet your fellow Global Studies students and develop friendships.

In your second and third years you will also take courses that focus on a specific area of the world related to your language, and you can choose from elective courses.

# Useful contacts

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## Find out more

### Key dates

**Application closing date:** eight December 2017 (applications received after this date may still be considered)

**Classes start Semester One:** 26 February 2018.

### Entry requirements

For detailed information about University entry requirements, please see [www.auckland.ac.nz/entry-requirements](http://www.auckland.ac.nz/entry-requirements)

### How to apply

Go to [www.apply.auckland.ac.nz](http://www.apply.auckland.ac.nz) and complete the Application for Admission.

### Scholarships

Scholarships can help with the cost of study. Each year we award scholarships and prizes worth over \$40 million to thousands of students like you. Regardless of your background or where you live, you may be eligible.

Categories for school leavers include academic excellence, Māori and Pacific students and anyone experiencing financial hardship.

You can find out more about scholarships at [www.auckland.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.auckland.ac.nz/scholarships)

## Useful websites and contacts

For more information about the Bachelor of Global Studies programme, please see [www.auckland.ac.nz/global-studies](http://www.auckland.ac.nz/global-studies)

For academic advice relating to the Bachelor of Global Studies, contact the Global Studies team at [globalstudies@auckland.ac.nz](mailto:globalstudies@auckland.ac.nz)

For help with applying and enrolling, contact the Arts Students' Centre:

Room 416

Human Sciences Building (Social Sciences)

10 Symonds Street, Auckland

**Phone:** 0800 61 6263

**Email:** [asc@auckland.ac.nz](mailto:asc@auckland.ac.nz)

## Other useful contacts

### AskAuckland

visit [www.askauckland.ac.nz](http://www.askauckland.ac.nz)

### International Office

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### Arts Labs

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### Arts Student Engagement

[www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/tuakana](http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/tuakana)

[www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/equity](http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/equity)

### Career Development and Employment Services

[www.cdes.auckland.ac.nz](http://www.cdes.auckland.ac.nz)

### Conditional Admission

[www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/conditional-admission](http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/conditional-admission)

### Current students

[www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/currentundergraduates](http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/currentundergraduates)

[www.auckland.ac.nz/facilities](http://www.auckland.ac.nz/facilities)

### Dates

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### Enrolment

[www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/ug-enrolment](http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/ug-enrolment)

[www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/changing-enrolment](http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/changing-enrolment)

[www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/language-enrolment](http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/language-enrolment)

### Exams

[www.auckland.ac.nz/exams](http://www.auckland.ac.nz/exams)

## Faculty of Arts

[www.arts.auckland.ac.nz](http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz)

## Finances, scholarships and fees

[www.auckland.ac.nz/fees](http://www.auckland.ac.nz/fees)  
[www.auckland.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.auckland.ac.nz/scholarships)  
[www.auckland.ac.nz/studentloansandallowances](http://www.auckland.ac.nz/studentloansandallowances)

## First Year Experience

[www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/fye](http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/fye)

## Frequently asked questions

[www.askauckland.ac.nz](http://www.askauckland.ac.nz)

## General Education

[www.auckland.ac.nz/generaleducation](http://www.auckland.ac.nz/generaleducation)

## International students

[www.auckland.ac.nz/international](http://www.auckland.ac.nz/international)

## IT essentials

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## Libraries and Learning Services

[www.library.auckland.ac.nz](http://www.library.auckland.ac.nz)

## Māori and Pacific students

[www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/tuakana](http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/tuakana)

## Overseas exchanges

[www.auckland.ac.nz/360](http://www.auckland.ac.nz/360)

## Scholarships

[www.auckland.ac.nz/scholarships](http://www.auckland.ac.nz/scholarships)

## Schools in the Faculty of Arts

[www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/schools](http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/schools)

## Student Services Online

[www.studentservices.auckland.ac.nz](http://www.studentservices.auckland.ac.nz)

## StudyLink

[www.studylink.govt.nz](http://www.studylink.govt.nz)

## Subjects and courses

[www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/subjects-courses](http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/subjects-courses)

## Targeted Admission Scheme enrolment

[www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/tas](http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/tas)

## The University of Auckland

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## The University of Auckland Calendar

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## Glossary

**Course:** a specific topic within a subject. Courses are the basic units from which a programme is built. Each course is assigned a points value (usually 15 points) that counts towards your programme. Courses have their own code and title, e.g. HISTORY 103 Global History

**General Education:** a component of undergraduate degrees at the University of Auckland. It is designed to give you an appreciation and understanding of fields outside your usual area of study.

**Major:** the subject that is the main focus of your Bachelor of Global Studies and which you study to the most advanced undergraduate level.

**Points:** a value assigned to a course to indicate its weighting within a degree, diploma or certificate. Most undergraduate courses are worth 15 points each.

**Programme:** a University of Auckland degree, diploma or certificate.

**Stage:** the level of a course, either Stage I (beginning at University), Stage II (intermediate) or Stage III (advanced undergraduate level).



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