



Bachelor of Applied Financial Advice (Domestic students)

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| Program code 1630 | Admission requirements Any 2 OUA undergraduate units with 4.0 GPA | Apply Now |
| Available at Online | (more) | |
| Duration 2 years full-time accelerated 4 years part-time | Commencing in OUA - Sessions 1 and 2 | |
| Credit points 240 | | |
| Indicative fee Find out more | | |

Degree requirements: Students who started OUA - Session 2 - 2024

To be eligible for the award of *Bachelor of Applied Financial Advice (BAppFinA)*, an OUA student must successfully complete the following:

- 19 core units and
- 6 listed or free-choice elective units.

Other program requirements

You must successfully complete:

- no more than 10 units at Year 1 level (the first digit of a unit code denotes the level);
- at least 6 units at Year 3 level.

Note: In accordance with the University's *Credit and Recognition of Prior Learning Policy* and notwithstanding the amount of credit which may be given towards the Bachelor of Applied Financial Advice, a student undertaking this program is required to complete a minimum of 8 units of second and third year Griffith units which are part of the Bachelor of Applied Financial Advice degree requirements and which have not been credited towards another award.

This degree may be awarded **with Distinction** where a student achieves a minimum program GPA of 6.5 with no failed courses. The words "This award was achieved with Distinction" will be recorded on the testamur.

Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF) Level and Type

The **Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF)** is the national policy for regulated qualifications in Australian education and training. This qualification is accredited as an AQF Level 7 - Bachelor Degree.

Program learning outcomes

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Program Learning Outcomes communicate to the community the value of the Griffith educational experience as benchmarked against national qualification standards.

Program Learning Outcomes for this award describe the knowledge, skills and the application of knowledge and skills you will acquire through studying the Griffith program of your choice.

Course list: Students starting OUA - Session 2 - 2024

Year 1

You must complete the following units:

| OUA - Session | Course code | Requirement | Course title | CP |
|---------------|-------------|-------------|---|----|
| SESS 1,2 | AFE122 | | Financial Planning 1 | 10 |
| SESS 1 | AFE114 | | Small Business Accounting | 10 |
| SESS 1,3 | GBS104 | | The Purpose of Business | 10 |
| SESS 1 | AFE137 | | Digital Economy and Analysis | 10 |
| SESS 1,2 | AFE124 | | Professional Awareness A | 5 |
| | BEHL1027 | | Psychology Concepts (University of South Australia) | 10 |
| | | | OR | |
| | PSY10008 | | Fundamentals of Psychology (Swinburne University) | 10 |
| | | | OR | |
| | PSB100 | | Introduction to Psychology (Curtin University) | 10 |
| SESS 1,2 | AFE223 | | Financial Planning 2 | 10 |
| SESS 2 | AFE215 | | Introduction to Business Law | 10 |
| SESS 2 | AFE222 | | Risk Management and Insurance | 10 |
| SESS 2,3 | AFE125 | | Professional Awareness B | 5 |
| SESS 3 | AFE227 | | Superannuation and Retirement | 10 |
| SESS 3 | AFE210 | | Taxation Law | 10 |
| SESS 3 | AFE328 | | Behavioural Finance | 10 |
| SESS 1,3 | AFE225 | | Professional Identity A | 5 |

Year 2

You must complete the following units:

| OUA - Session | Course code | Requirement | Course title | CP |
|---------------|-------------|-------------|---|----|
| SESS 2,3 | GBS109 | | Grand Challenges for Business | 10 |
| SESS 1,2 | AFE226 | | Professional Identity B | 5 |
| SESS 2 | AFE329 | | Estate Planning | 10 |
| SESS 2 | AFE322 | | Financial Planning, Construction and Review | 10 |
| SESS 3 | AFE320 | | Financial Planning Skills | 20 |
| SP 1,2,3,4 | | | Listed and/OR Free-choice electives | 60 |

Electives (2 available)

Listed electives

You will have the opportunity to complete a 40 credit point or 20 credit point Work-Integrated Learning unit:

| OUA - Session | Course code | Requirement | Course title | CP |
|---------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------------------|----|
| SESS 1, 2 | AFE301 | | Work Integrated Learning I | 40 |
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| SESS 1, 2 | AFE302 | | Work Integrated Learning II | 20 |

Free-choice electives

Students can complete electives from any undergraduate degree offered by Open Universities Australia provided you meet the degree requirements including the completion of at least eight second and third year Griffith units which are part of the Bachelor of Applied Financial advice degree requirements and which have not been credited towards another award.

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|---------------|-------------|-------------|---|----|
| SESS 1 | AFE310 | | Taxation Planning for Advisors (see Note 1) | 10 |
| SESS 2 | AFE315 | | Law of Finance (see Note 1) | 10 |
| SESS 2 | AFE216 | | Company Law (see Note 1) | 10 |
| SESS 1 | IBA305 | | Quality Management (not offered from 2022) | 10 |
| SESS 1, 3 | SGY14 | | Understanding the Social World | 10 |
| SP 1,2 | SGY354 | | Work and Leisure | 10 |
| SP 1,2,3 | CMM16 | | Communication Technologies | 10 |
| SESS 2, 3 | HUM206 | | Thinking Ethically | 10 |
| SESS 3 | COM31 | | Organisational Communication | 10 |
| SESS 1,2 | EHR205 | | Organisational Behaviour | 10 |
| SESS 1,3 | EHR202 | | Strategic Human Resource Management | 10 |
| SP 1,3 | CCJ18 | | Understanding Social Problems | 10 |
| SESS 1, 3 | GIR204 | | The Government Business Nexus: Intervening, Lobbying and Responding | 10 |
| SESS 1, 2, 3 | COM15 | | Developing Research and Analytical Skills | 10 |
| SESS 1 | IBA345 | | Building the New Venture | 10 |
| SESS 2 | CMM317 | | Crisis and Disaster Communication | 10 |
| SESS 2, 3 | IBA306 | | Creating Ethical and Sustainable Business | 10 |
| SESS 2, 3 | COM21 | | Management Communication | 10 |
| SP 2,4 | CCJ326 | | Fraud and Cybercrime | 10 |
| SP 2,4 | CCJ13 | | Law Government and Policy | 10 |
| SESS 1,3 | IBA218 | | The Management of Business Processes | 10 |
| SESS 2 | IBA315 | | Managing Strategic Change | 10 |
| SESS 2, 3 | IBA234 | | Griffith Innovation Challenge | 10 |
| SESS 1,2,3 | IBA200 | | Innovation, Creativity and Entrepreneurship | 10 |
| SESS 1 | IBA244 | | Social Enterprise | 10 |
| SESS 2 | IBA343 | | Digital Innovation | 10 |
| SESS 2 | IBA346 | | Family Business Management | 10 |
| SESS 1,3 | MKT204 | | Consumer Psychology | 10 |
| SESS 2 | MKT203 | | Marketing Research and Intelligence | 10 |
| SESS 2 | MKT306 | | Service Experience | 10 |
| | MAQABSX100 | | Introducing Indigenous Australia (MAQ-ABSX1000-2022) (Macquarie University) | 10 |

Note 1: Students wishing to meet the educational accreditation requirements to become a Registered Taxation Agent should complete these courses.